# MAYOR OF LONDON'S TECHINVEST

WEDNESDAY 6 FEBRUARY 2019 INVESTING IN LONDON'S HEALTH TECH INNOVATORS



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"London's tech sector is the envy of cities around the world. It makes a massive contribution to our economy and plays a crucial role in London's international reputation as a hub for innovation. I'm proud to launch my TechInvest events, in partnership with the UKBAA, and to lead by example in supporting this thriving sector. These events will showcase the fantastic creativity of these companies and will enable the city's tech entrepreneurs to connect with leading investors. I'm confident that by helping them access much-needed investment they can realise their potential to grow and develop."

**SADIQ KHAN** Mayor of London

# WELCOME

On behalf of UK Business Angels Association, the trade body for angel and early stage investing, we are delighted to be partnering with the Mayor of London to present this 6th TechInvest event and our first of the 2019 series. I should like to begin by expressing our great appreciation to the Mayor of London, Sadiq Khan, for his vision in instigating this exciting four-year initiative and also to the GLA for their most valuable support for these showcase events. We are also very pleased to be holding our event in this stunning building, housing the Royal College of Physicians and a fitting setting where science and human endeavour are celebrated.

As we all know, healthcare is a major challenge for us all and it is vital that we can increase the efficiency and effectiveness for London's communities. We are also increasingly aware that an important means to address these challenges is now offered through the convergence of medicine and health care with new deep technologies. So we are especially pleased to be bringing to our investors this evening, the opportunity to see such an exciting group of entrepreneurs, based here in London and who are bringing new data driven and digitally enabled approaches across a range of healthcare areas covering such areas as prediction, prevention, diagnosis, treatment and care.

The entrepreneurs presenting to you this evening have been selected from over 120 applications received from businesses across London. I should especially like to thank our panel of eminent judges drawn from investment and healthcare: Dr Tony Young, Pam Garside, Carina Namih, Hitesh Thakrar and James Somauroo, for giving their time and expertise to review and choose the presenting businesses. I should like to congratulate those who made it through to the showcase this evening and to express my thanks to all the entrepreneurs for participating in the competition. We are very pleased to have Naleem Patel, COO of MedCity, join us this evening to provide some insights on the important role of MedCity here in the Capital. We have been delighted to collaborate with MedCity for this event and to highlight its role in working to promote and grow the life science sector, supporting research, commercialisation, entrepreneurship and investment for the industry across London and the South East. We are also delighted to have as our guest speaker, Carina Namih, Investment partner at Episode 1 and successful tech entrepreneur. Having worked extensively in investment and start-ups in UK and Silicon Valley, Carina also co-founded HelixNano, focusing on the intersection between deep tech and biomedicine and backed by Johnson & Johnson.

We hope you enjoy the presentations and that, as a result of this evening's interactions, several of these London health tech innovators will attract the investment they seek to further grow and scale their businesses.

## Jenny Tooth OBE Chief Executive UK Business Angels Association

## 17:00 REGISTRATION

17:30 - 17:35 INTRODUCTORY REMARKS Jenny Tooth OBE Chief Executive, UKBAA

17:35-17:40 GUEST SPEAKER

Neelam Patel Chief Operations Officer, MedCity

17:40-17:50 GUEST SPEAKER

Carina Namih Investment Partner, Episodel Ventures

## COMPANY PRESENTATIONS

17:55-18:00 - MedicSpot 18:00-18:05 - Sentinel Biosensor 18:05-18:10 - Okulo 18:10-18:15 - Adia 18:15-18:20 - MySense 18:20-18:25 - Forward 18:25-18:30 - Dr Julian 18:30-18:35 - RemindMecare 18:35-18:40 - TestCard 18:40-18:45 - Mendelian 18:45-18:50 - Virti

## 18:55-19:00 CLOSING REMARKS

Jenny Tooth OBE Chief Executive, UKBAA

## **19:00 DRINKS RECEPTION AND MEETING ENTREPRENEURS**

## **GUEST SPEAKERS**



#### MODERATOR: JENNY TOOTH OBE Chief Executive, UK Business Angels Association

Jenny is CEO of the UK Business Angels Association, the trade body for angel and early-stage investing, representing over 18,000 investors around the UK. Jenny has over 20 years experience of facilitating SMEs access to investment, both in the UK and internationally. She ran her own consultancy on access to finance for SMEs, including spending nine years based in Brussels, working closely with the EC. In 2009, Jenny co-founded Angel Capital Group which incorporates London Business Angels, one of the most established and active angel networks in the UK which was sold to Newable in April 2017. Jenny was awarded an OBE in 2015 for services to small businesses.



#### CARINA NAMIH Investment Partner, Episodel Ventures

Carina is a Partner at Episode 1 Ventures focusing on seed stage investments in deep tech. Carina co-founded HelixNano and has also been Entrepreneur-in-residence at Johnson & Johnson Innovation, a Venture Advisor at the Global Innovation Fund and an M & A banker at Goldman Sachs. Carina also currently sits on the curatorial committee of the Science Gallery and the technology Committee of the Royal Academy of engineering.



#### **NEELAM PATEL** Chief Operations Officer, MedCity

Neelam joined MedCity as it was forming in 2014 as an advisor on clinical trials and then was appointed as COO in December 2016. MedCity is a small, but influential organisation with an ambition to position the greater south east of England as a world-leading, interconnected region for life sciences research, development, manufacturing and commercialisation to stimulate greater economic growth. MedCity plays a role in bridging industry, NHS and academia. Neelam's experience, has included private and public sector and not-for-profit. She has held a number of leadership roles with the pharmaceutical industry including, Head of Pharmacovigilance Operations, HR for European Commercialization and Strategy Director for Global Clinical Operations.

## JUDGES



### **PAM GARSIDE**

### PARTNER, NEWHEALTH & BOARD MEMBER, CAMBRIDGE ANGLES

Pam Garside has her own management consultancy, Newhealth, specialising in organisational strategy and development in health care, and is a Fellow of the Judge Business School of the University of Cambridge. She advises new entrants to the UK health market including digital and start-up companies and is an angel investor. Pam Founded and co-chairs The Cambridge Health Network, a membership group of senior players in UK health, both private and public sector. She sits on the Investment Committee of Cambridge Enterprise, the technology transfer company of the University of Cambridge. Pam is an active member of Cambridge Angels and on the board. In 2016 Pam was named one of the 100 most influential leaders in Health Tech by Hot Topics.

## CARINA NAMIH INVESTMENT PARTNER, EPISODEI VENTURES

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## JAMES SOMAUROO

## FOUNDING PARTNER - HS.

James is a Founding Partner at HS. – an accelerator and fund that builds, scales and invests in the best healthtech startups to tackle global health problems. James is an anaesthetist by background and previously directed the DigitalHealth.London Accelerator, a £3.4m project that provided healthtech startups with market access to the NHS. He oversaw 61 startups raise £30m, achieve 50 pilots and contracts and save an estimated £48m to the health service. Prior to running healthtech accelerators, James worked at Health Education England, NHS England and the BMJ in innovation roles. James also has a postgraduate diploma in education, has advised on numerous Quality Improvement Projects, presented internationally and won the Merit Award for Outstanding Leadership during his clinical training.

# JUDGES



#### **HITESH THAKRAR**

## PARTNER, SYNCONA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT & ADVISORY BOARD, THE ALAN TURING INSTITUTE

Hitesh is a Partner of Syncona Investment Management Ltd. He is an experienced investor in the sector, having spent over 20 years investing in public global equities in the life sciences, technology and the innovation sectors. He is also currently on the Advisory Board of the Alan Turing Institute. He has worked at various institutions in equity research and Fund Management from ADIA, the sovereign wealth Fund of Abu Dhabi, JP Morgan, Aviva Group, Dresdner Bank and New Star Asset Management. He has a strong track record, rated AA manager and was also a top 1 percentile manager in global equities. He is on the Board of Desktop Genetics, a CRISPR IP library company, backed by Illumina and is an angel investor in early stage Innovation companies. He is on the Investment Committee of the LBA Scale Up Innovation Fund.

## **DR TONY YOUNG**

## NATIONAL CLINICAL LEAD FOR INNOVATION, NHS ENGLAND

Professor Young is a practicing frontline NHS surgeon, Director of Medical Innovation at Anglia Ruskin University, and has founded four Med-Tech start-ups. He has also co-founded the £500m Anglia RuskinMed-Tech Campus, which will become one of the world's largest health innovation spaces. In 2014, he was appointed as National Clinical Director for Innovation at NHS England. Here he provides clinical leadership and support in delivering improved health outcomes in England and drives the uptake of proven innovations across the NHS, promotes economic growth through innovation and helps make the NHS the go-to place on the planet for medical innovation.





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