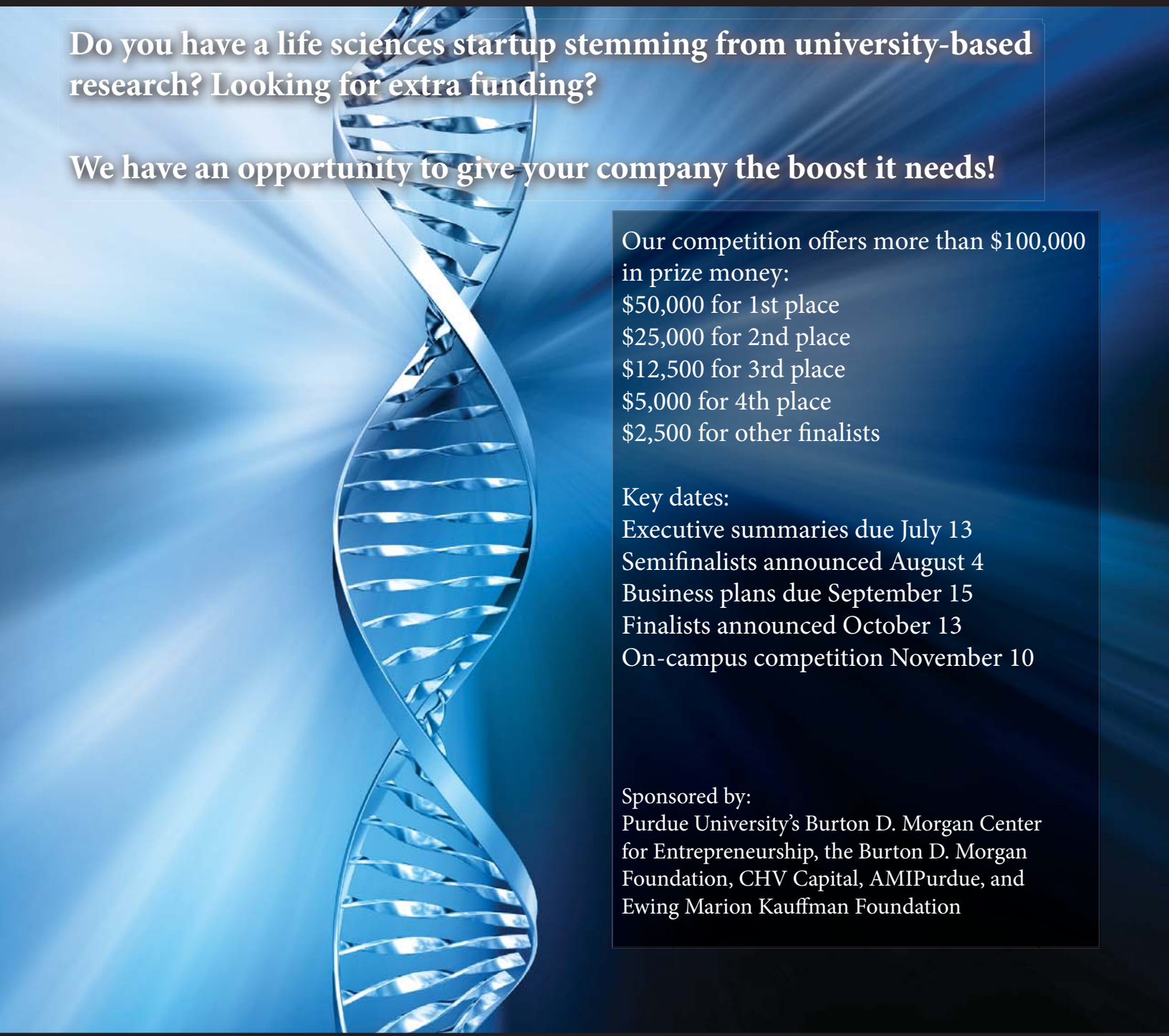
7th Purdue University Life Sciences Business Plan Competition

November 10, 2011
West Lafayette, Indiana
(Summaries deadline extended to July 13th)



Do you have a life sciences startup stemming from university-based research? Looking for extra funding?

We have an opportunity to give your company the boost it needs!

Our competition offers more than $100,000 in prize money:
$50,000 for 1st place
$25,000 for 2nd place
$12,500 for 3rd place
$5,000 for 4th place
$2,500 for other finalists

Key dates:
Executive summaries due July 13
Semifinalists announced August 4
Business plans due September 15
Finalists announced October 13
On-campus competition November 10

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Previous Purdue University Life Sciences Business Plan Competition winners:

Novophage Therapeutics (2009)
Cambridge, Mass.
MIT doctoral students developed a disruptive biological therapy designed to increase the effectiveness of antibotic treatments, slow the onset of antibiotic resistance, and prevent harmful biofilms.

FAST Diagnostics (2008)
Bloomington, Ind.
Based on technology developed at Indiana University School of Medicine, the company developed a test to fill a need in the diagnosis and treatment of kidney injury and disease.

NeuroLife Noninvasive Solutions (2006)
Pittsburgh, Pa.
A team from Carnegie Mellon University developed a device to diagnose intercranial pressure by measuring pressure on the eye.

QuadraSpec (2005)
West Lafayette, Ind.
The Purdue Research Park company developed a device to scan biological samples and to test for unique molecules that enable the inexpensive diagnosis of diseases.

FFA Sciences (2004)
San Diego, Calif.
The company, associated with San Diego State University, developed a handheld diagnostic tool for heart attack victims that measured free fatty acids in the blood-stream, enabling caregivers to respond more quickly.

Iris AO (2003)
Rochester, N..Y./Berkeley, Calif.
Based on research at the University of Rochester and the University of California-Berkeley, the company developed an application to allow early detection of eye diseases.

Add your company's name to the list...register today!

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