



# CED LIFE SCIENCE CONFERENCE



March 1-2, 2016 | Raleigh Convention Center

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## **CED AgBio Workshop: 'Navigating the Big Six'** **Tuesday, March 1 – 8:45am-9:45am** **Raleigh Convention Center**

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'The Big Six' - BASF, Bayer CropScience, Dow, Dupont/Pioneer, Monsanto, Syngenta - are the dominant global agri-business companies with which nearly all emerging agricultural biotechnology companies seek to build and scale through collaboration. This workshop will cover:

- **how AgBio companies successfully position themselves** to engage with the Big Six from an investment perspective, as a strategic partner, etc.
- **the changing landscape in Agribusiness** and what it means for entrepreneurs

Moderated by John Therien, Life Sciences Partner, **Smith Anderson**, with panelists:

- Philip Benfey, Co-Founder, **Hi-Fidelity Genetics**; HHMI Investigator, **Duke Univ.**
- Dan Tomso, Chief Scientific Officer, **AgBiome**
- Andy Renz, Independent Consultant, Previously VP of Business Development, **Benson Hill Biosystems**
- Gabriel Wilmoth, Investment Manager, **Syngenta Ventures**
- Tim Zurleine, Global Trait Licensing and Management Lead, **Bayer CropScience**

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