

# SPARK EUROPE INNOVATOR CAFÉ 2021

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## Scientist Turned Entrepreneur

Experiences and Lessons-learned

12 May 2021 | 16 to 17 (CET) | Online Webinar

### Dr. Filip Jelen

**Filip** has over 15 years of experience gained in research centers in Poland and USA and over 10 years of experience in building start-ups. He obtained his Ph.D. in biochemistry from the Department of Protein Engineering at the University of Wrocław. Then he trained at the Institute of Molecular Medicine at the Health Science Center in Houston, USA, in the laboratory of Nobel Prize winner Professor Ferid Murad. Our guest has broad experience in biotechnology-related businesses. Filip is a founder and CEO of **Pure Biologics**, one of the few biopharmaceutical companies listed on the Polish stock market and recognized as the pioneering R&D center developing biologics in the field of immuno-oncology in Poland. He is also the cofounder of **Captor Therapeutics**, one of the world leaders specializing in the development of protein degradation drugs - a novel approach in therapy.

In this **SPARK Europe Innovator Café**, Filip will share his personal experience as a scientist turned entrepreneur and give insights on valuable lessons learned, pitfalls he met along the way. Join the meeting and explore the fascinating world of science entrepreneurship with our guest.

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*You're interested in applied research or about to start your company and have a gazillion questions where to begin?*

*You want to leave the academic path and want to know if starting your own company is a fit for you?*

*Find out during our brand new SPARK Europe Innovator Café webinar series. We bring experienced entrepreneurs and young CEOs together, talking about the Dos and Don'ts of entrepreneurship, sharing their success stories and biggest failures. Get to know the people behind the company and learn from their experience!*

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