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A view from the Bridge; Drug development from the perspective of a Venture Capital fund bridging the gap between **Academic research and Industry**

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Wednesday, January 11th, 2023 at 4-5 pm (CET) | Online Webinar

- What is the road a therapeutic travels from the lab to the clinic? What is the cost? How is it funded? How is value created for patients, for investors and for inventors?
- What does a VC fund contribute to the process? Why should an inventor meet them? When should an inventor meet them?
- What are some ways in which an academic lab can better prepare a project for industry attention and funding?

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Ariel's BSc and MSc studies were carried out in Tel Aviv University studying Biology and Neurobiochemistry. Ariel holds a Ph.D. in Neurobiology from the Weizmann Institute and his postdoctoral training was carried out at MIT.



Ariel worked at Teva, where he was a formulation researcher and project manager responsible for new product evaluations. Ariel led the formulation lab at CTS pharmaceutical industries and was later responsible for clinical operations at RDD Pharma.

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