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Dear Colleagues:

I acknowledge that I with my Danish background may be a little biased - yet, the webinar advertise below may be very interesting and provide important clues to translational research approaches.

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**Date:** Wednesday, February 10, 2010  
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Translational medicine is a field that continues to grow rapidly. Encouraging, supporting, and developing both basic translational research and its therapeutic application is essential to building a strong foundation in science. This webinar will focus on what Denmark is doing in the area of translational medicine to advance research, strengthen ties between academia and industry, and provide a fertile environment for innovation and the practical application of new discoveries. Discussion will cover government initiatives (Danish and European Union) to support translational medicine, as well as the infrastructure that has been put in place within Denmark to support and nurture domestic and foreign investment in this research.

During the webinar, our panelists will:

- Discuss the importance of translational research and its impact on scientific discovery and drug development within Denmark
- Outline government and other programs that encourage partnerships between academic institutions and industry
- Talk about the potential advantages for companies of relocation to Denmark to carry out translational research–related work

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