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### Gate2BrnoBiotech

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#### CEITEC



CEITEC is a project of the European Centre of Excellence which is being prepared by a consortium of universities and research institutes in Brno with the aim to integrate life and material sciences.



It will focus on scientific excellence, provide a state-of-the-art infrastructure, encourage international mobility, enhance cooperation with the application sector and stimulate growth of high-tech sectors.

#### **Project Vision**



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# Establishment of a Centre of Excellence conducting research in the area

#### of QUALITY OF LIFE and HUMAN HEALTH



#### **Overview**



- o 6 partners
- o 557 researchers (2015)
- 7 research programmes
- 51 research groups
- o 25,000 m2 of new laboratories
- o 10 core facilities
- Planned budget of EUR 208 mil.
- Planned start of research activities: **Q1 2011**
- Project completion: Q4 2015



## Brno / Czech Republic / Europe



#### Why in Brno?



- 32 % of national R&D spending (without Prague)
- 3.000 researchers in engineering and life science
- a unique combination of research facilities
- long history of technology and medical research development and production
- o over 80.000 students
- focused & functional regional strategy



#### **Participants**







Brno University of Technology <u>www.vutbr.cz</u> Mendel University in Brno Mendel University in Brno <u>www.mendelu.cz</u>



University of Veterinary and Pharmaceutical Sciences Brno <u>www.vfu.cz</u>



Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic <u>www.avcr.cz</u>



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#### **Research Programmes**







#### **Common Research Goals**

**2.** To utilize plant systems as renewable sources of materials and biologically active compounds



**3.** To develop advanced materials and functional nanostructures for medicine, energy and information and communication technologies

**1.** To understand the mechanisms of the genesis and spreading of important diseases, methods of their prevention, early diagnostics and therapy

**4.** To utilize information and communication technologies for biomedicine



#### **Project Strategy**

**1.** Focus on scientific excellence

**2.** Attraction and support of the best scientists



**3.** Transparent and effective management principles

**4.** State-of-the-art infrastructure



#### **Evaluation principles**







#### **Core Facilities**







#### Laboratories in Brno – Bohunice University Campus





#### Laboratories in Pod Palackého Vrchem Campus





# Thank you for your attention



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