

Biotech North and **BioStruct** invites you to

## Lunch Seminar 19.11.2015

11.00 - 13.00, Linken, Forskningsparken, Tromsø



ArcticZymes



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### A meeting place for industry and academia

This is the 8th lunch seminar in a series of activities that will be arranged in collaboration between the cluster of biotechnology companies in Tromsø - **Biotech North** and the Norwegian PhD School in Structural Biology - **BioStruct**.

The aim of this event is to promote closer relations between academia and business activities in the Tromsø area. The lunch seminar is open for everybody (Master- and PhD students, researchers, and technician from both industry and academia).

**Lunch is FREE for all participants!**

Deadline for registration: **16th November** to Jennifer A. L. Nunn, BioStruct ([biostruct@uit.no](mailto:biostruct@uit.no)). Register with your name and affiliation and any dietary restrictions.

#### Program:

**11:00 – 11:15** Welcome by BioStruct and Biotech North

**11:15 – 11:45** Talk by **Haakon Worum**, Marketing and Sales Manager  
- **Polybait AS**

*Development of artificial baits based on marine residual material*

At Polybait we know it is only a question of time before traditional bait becomes obsolete within commercial fisheries. There is something fundamentally wrong about using seafood to catch seafood. Because of this we have undertaken the task of developing artificial baits that would greatly increase the sustainability and profitability within commercial fishing. Others have attempted to do so in the past, but so far no one has managed to achieve what needs to be considered to ultimate goal of artificial bait development; to completely replace the use of traditional baits. Being pioneers within the field poses many challenges for us related to competence and experience within biotechnology and fisheries research, and most importantly – bringing these two disciplines together to achieve our goals.

**11:45 – 12:15** Talk by **Olav Lanes**, Head of Research and Development at ArcticZymes  
- **ArcticZymes AS**

*Local enzymes for global research and diagnostics*

ArcticZymes is a well-established business located in Tromsø. ArcticZymes develops, produces and sells unique recombinant enzymes originating from the marine Arctic. The presentation will cover the company background, current business and development.

**12:15 – 13:00** Lunch in Forskningsparken (Thai soup)

Norwegian Graduate school in Structural Biology -A collaboration between 5 universities

