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GaBio, Industry Reach New Heights in '09

This year has been a memorable one for Georgia Bio and the life sciences industry and a year of considerable success in the midst of serious economic challenges.

Topping the memorable category was the 2009 BIO International Convention. After working with BIO for three years in planning the event, it was held in May and has been an enormous economic boost for Georgia. This was the first time this global extravaganza was held in Atlanta. It alerted the world's life sciences community that Georgia is a center of innovation in the Southeast with a strong life sciences industry and world-renowned university research.

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Kick-off New Year with the Awards Dinner, Legislative Breakfast

To start 2010 on a high note, Georgia Bio encourages you to attend the Annual Awards Dinner January 21, 6 pm to 9 pm, at The Retreat in Dunwoody, and a Legislative Breakfast January 27, 8 am to 10:30 am at the State Capitol, Room 250.

More than 300 professionals are expected to attend the Awards Dinner. It is an opportunity to honor the accomplishments of people and organizations in Georgia's life sciences community and we have much to celebrate. This year the top award, the GaBio Industry Growth Award, honors **Louis W. Sullivan**, M.D., President Emeritus of Morehouse School of Medicine and U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services (1989-1993) and **John P. Richard**, Managing Director of Georgia Venture Partners.

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Upcoming Events

2010 GaBio Awards Dinner

January 21, 6:00pm
The Retreat of Dunwoody - Atlanta, GA
Early Bird Registration Closes Jan. 7.
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2010 GaBio Legislative Breakfast

January 27, 7:30am
Room 230, State Capitol
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Academic & Industry Intersection: Accessing Partners

February 3, 11:30am
Emory Conference Center - Atlanta, GA
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Save The Date: 2010 Georgia Life Sciences Summit

October 28
Atlanta Marriott Marquis
Details coming soon to www.gabio.org/summit2010