Metro New York Section, American Institute of Chemical Engineers

March 16, 2020 Dinner Meeting at the Pfizer Building

Date: Monday, March 16th. Topic: Startup Case Study – Cresilon: From Dorm Room to Commercialization. Constantly experimenting with different natural materials in the lab as a young adult, Joe Landolina, our March Speaker, conceived an adhesive hemostatic gel composed of plant-based polymers that could adhere to a wound site and simultaneously support the natural clotting process. To refine and manufacture the gel technology that he invented, Joe with his partner Isaac Miller founded Cresilon, Inc. (formerly Suneris), which has since grown into a medical device company headquartered in Brooklyn, NY.

As Chief Executive Officer, Joe is now gearing up to take the company’s proprietary product Vetigel to the veterinary market—offering a faster, more reliable solution in hemostasis for veterinarians performing both routine treatments and complex operations in clinics every day. As the face of Cresilon, Joe meets with investors, clinicians and industry key opinion leaders, alike, to keep a pulse on the market, meanwhile leading all strategic initiatives internally.

Joe’s research background is in biocompatible polymers; in 2013, he was selected as a Barry M. Goldwater Scholar in recognition of his outstanding potential in scientific research. In 2014, Joe was named a TED Global Fellow and has since traveled around the world representing Cresilon. Joe is also a former Innovation Consultant at his alma mater, NYU Tandon School of Engineering and on the board of eLab NYC, which supports the development of New York City as the new world leader in life sciences entrepreneurship.

Times: Dinner Meeting commences at 5:30 pm with buffet supper/networking. Presentation: 6:30 –7:30 pm. Room should be available at 5 pm for early attendees.

Venue: Pfizer HQ Building, 235 East 42nd Street, Manhattan. Meeting Fees: Members: $25; Guests: $40; Undergraduates: Free; and Grad Students: $10.

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