SEBC - PureTech Ventures: Current Trends in Early Stage Venture Capital Investing
Wednesday, 5/28, 6:00pm, RM TBA. Pizza and refreshments.

Target audience: undergrads, graduate students and postdocs.

Do you want to learn how to get Venture Capital for your biotech startup? Or would you like to work in a Venture Capital firm?

Come to the PureTech Ventures' presentation:
"Current trends in early stage venture capital investing"
Hosted by SEBC

Eric Elenko, a Senior Principal at PureTech Ventures, will discuss trends in early stage life science venture capital investing. In particular, the talk will describe the existence of the venture gap (the required funding needed to transition a technology from the laboratory into a new company which is mature enough to be of interest to venture capitalists) and its impact on biotechnology innovation. The effects of the current financial crisis on venture investing and biotech entrepreneurs will be discussed. The talk will also describe PureTech Venture’s unique model and role in bridging the venture gap.

Following the lecture, current employment opportunities at PureTech Ventures for undergraduates, graduate students and post-docs will be discussed followed by informal networking with members of PureTech Ventures.

PureTech Ventures focuses on life sciences and it was founded by leading scientists and industry veterans. One of the co-founders is MIT Professor Bob Langer. More information available in www.puretechventures.com

Dinner will be served!