

***You are cordially invited to a celebration to mark Invent DCU’s 10 years in operation.***

**The Helix, DCU, Glasnevin, Dublin 9**

**Monday 5th December, 2011**

**Commencing 10am – Registration from 9.30am**

**Guest Speakers**

**Ian Quinn, Chairman, Creganna-Tactx Medical**

Creganna-Tactx Medical is ranked among the Top 10 global companies in the medical device outsourcing industry. The company specialises in the design and manufacture of minimally & less invasive delivery and access devices for a range of therapies. Headquartered in Galway, Ireland Creganna-Tactx Medical has a global operational footprint with design and manufacturing facilities spanning the US, Europe

and Asia.

**Peter Conlon,CEO, Ammado**

**As a leading technology company Ammado is a global online  donation platform connecting individuals,**non profit organisations and socially responsible companies from over 130 countries.

A serial entrepreneur, Peter founded Xsil Limited, a world leader in the supply of laser machining tools for the semiconductor industry and prior to that he was CEO of MV Technology which was sold to Agilent Technologies in 2001 for in excess of €100m.

**Sean McGowan  - MD, B Located**

Following a career as a Senior Manager with Dell, Sean is now a business advisor. He  has recently launched B Located which offers GPS tracking technology for healthcare and outdoor pursuits. Sean is also the first Irish person to row unsupported across the Atlantic Ocean. His epic adventure took him 118 days, 1hr 14minutes and 59 seconds.

**Panel Discussion**

**“**How to stimulate and harness innovation in business”

Exhibition of Invent Client Companies past and present

Showcase of DCU Licences and Strategic Partnerships

Invent DCU Commercialisation Awards

Lunch




**Getting Here/Parking**

The following link will provide directions in getting to The Helix DCU.

Parking is available at the Multistory Car Park opposite The Helix.

Parking can be paid prior to leaving The Helix.

<http://thehelix.ie/findus/>

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