

*Clés de réussite
& expertise - Liège*

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Who am I?

- CEO University Hospital of Liege
- Member of the BoD: CHR de la Citadelle, CH Bois de l'Abbaye, Clinique André Renard
- Former Chairman of the BoD: Belgian Federation of Academic Hospitals
- Member of the BoD: Gesval, Bridge2Health, ATC

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1. Strong Research and Clinical Activities

- Academic Hospital (access to patients, PI & KOLs)
- Complete University (10 faculties and 1 business school)
- Dedicated Research Institutes (especially Giga)
- Technological platforms

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2. Dynamic biotech and medtech cluster

- Over 70 life sciences companies
- Staff: + 2.850 jobs (250 new jobs/year)
- Funds raised in 2018: 200M€
- Sectors: oncology, cardiology, immunology, medical device

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3. Ambitious investment plan in hosting infrastructure

Actual infrastructure from Labhotel to GMP facilities:

- GIGA: 3.000 m² in the immediate vicinity of the CHU
=> For R&D in close collaboration
- Accessia: 800 m² cleanrooms & 800 m² labs & offices

Available in the next years, new buildings for growing companies:

- Totalling 50.000 m²
=> For biomedical production and research

Conclusion

A fully-integrated ecosystem providing efficient and coordinated access to:

- Scientific and clinical expertise
- Specialized infrastructure
- Different funding schemes
- Partnerships

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