



PWC hosts Life Sciences Forum at the Allsteel Showroom; Keynoted by Kelley of Nancy J Kelley + Associates

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Shown (from left) are: Scott Metzner, Janus Property Company; Dr. Michael Aberman, Quentis Therapeutics; Nicole McKnight; and Bill Harvey, Newmark Grubb Knight Frank

New York, NY Earlier this month, Professional Women in Construction (PWC) presented their first Life Sciences Forum on February 5-th at the Allsteel Showroom. The event was a success and sparked interesting discussions.

The New York region has seen significant investment in the life sciences area, leading to more and more facilities being developed and built to advance healthcare, medical education, and technology. The event included a keynote and panel discussion on the growth in the life sciences sector and building life sciences facilities.

Doug Thiede, senior vice president of Life Sciences & Healthcare, NYCEDC, gave a compelling keynote presentation.

Following the keynote, Nancy Kelley, JD, MPP, president & CEO, Nancy J Kelley + Associates moderated a lively discussion.

The panelists included:

- Dr. Michael Aberman, president, CEO & director, Quentis Therapeutics.
- Bill Harvey, managing director, Newark Grubb Knight Frank.
- Scott Metzner, principal, Janus Property Company
- Nicole McKnight, former managing director, BioLabs@NYULangone.

The event was sponsored by HOK and Skanska and hosted by AllSteel.

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