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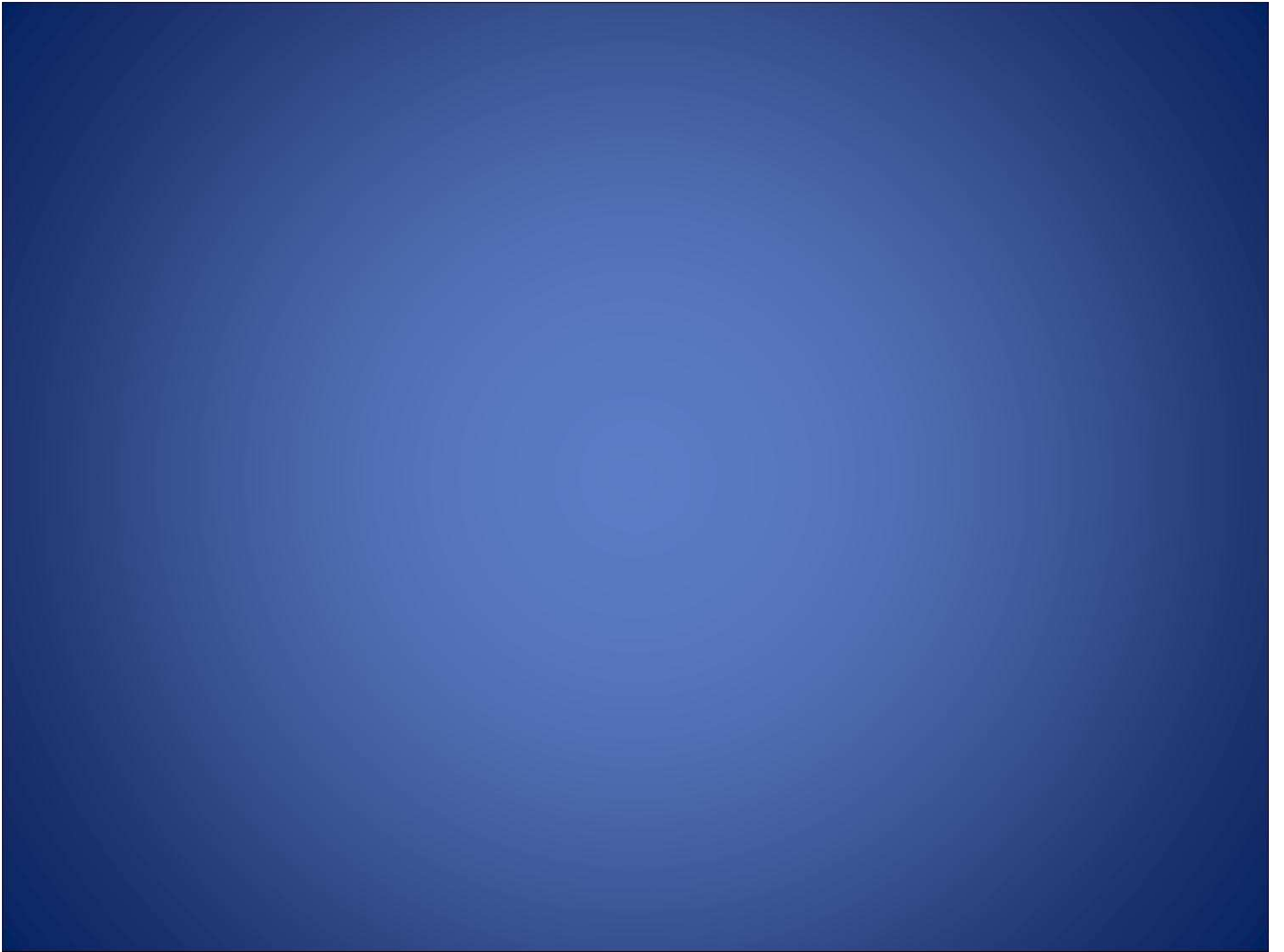
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Les Rendez-vous de Concarneau

Blue Biotechnology Challenges

Identifying targets for EBBWG

- Why EBBWG would be an asset for SMEs
- Opportunities and requirements for working with EuropaBio
 - Mission statement
 - Attracting industry members
- Positioning EBBWG relative to other actions
 - ERA net
 - Follow-up of ESF Marine Board Strategy Paper
- Funding possibilities
- Workplan for EBBWG interim year
 - Establish steering group
 - Set milestones



Mission

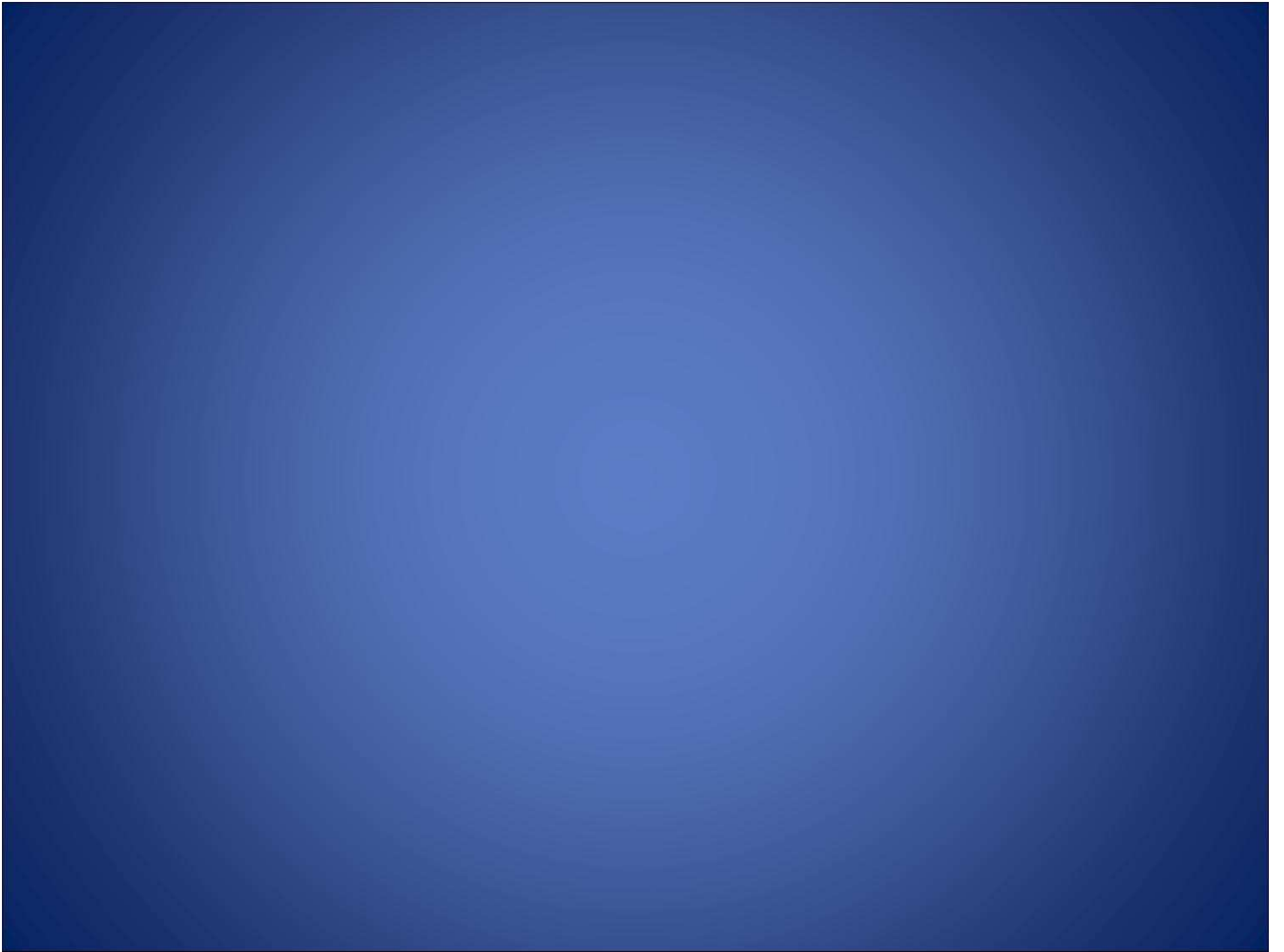
- The mission of the EuropaBio Blue Biotechnology Working Group (EBBWG) is to
 - Create an industry based forum for stakeholders interested in promoting the growth of blue biotechnology in Europa and worldwide
 - Particularly attract the interests of innovative SMEs
 - Formulate the industry's view for research priorities and conditions to be established for successful collaboration
 - Propose guidelines for IPR in collaborative projects

Vision

- The Vision of EBB-WG is to
 - exploit untapped resources in the blue, marine environment and to make use of until now unknown biological principles in the global waters through efficient bioprospecting activities
 - develop new and economically feasible business operations leading to products to the benefit of biotechnological and other industries, and for the human society

Work programme for interim year

- Establish steering committee
- Detail the workplan
- Set milestones
- Harmonise work with preparatory action for establishing ERA net by CWG-MB, and ETPs
- Find funding opportunities
- Organise industry-science discussion forum
- Formulate position paper



Steering committee

- **Jasmiina Laurmaa – Europabio**
- **Jan Buch Andersen – Marine Biochemicals – Norway**
- **Nikolaj Blom – Novozymes – Denmark**
- **Mathieu Castex – Lallemand – France**
- **Representative from Pharmamar – Spain**
- **Steinar Bergseth – Norwegian Research Council – Norway**
- **Daniel Pardo – CNRS - MNHN – France**
- **Torger Borresen – National Food Institute – DTU – DK**

