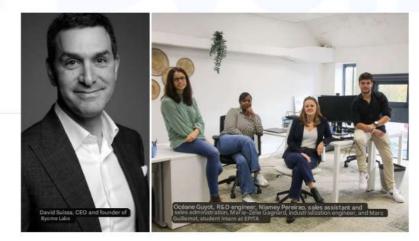
## With Byome Labs, beauty and skin health are revolutionizing

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A biotech startup founded in 2023 by David Suissa and specializing in microbiome testing and analysis for the cosmetics, dermocosmetics, and pharmaceutical industries, Byome Labs is finalizing the first round of its fundraising, scheduled for early 2025.

Your Agglomeration: How has the company evolved since its creation?

David Suissa: We have significantly expanded our client portfolio, which has allowed us to grow our team in Chartres. Initially, there were two of us. We recruited four people in September, and a position is currently being filled. We should have seven by early 2025. Located at 101 - La Cité de l'Innovation, we benefit from great offices and excellent support from the Chartres Métropole team, which connects us with a dynamic local ecosystem in cosmetics, industry, and dermocosmetics. On the innovation side, the engineering team is working on our major flagship project, SMART DERMA, which is in the industrialization phase.



Furthermore, we have exhibited at prestigious trade shows such as Vivatech and Cosmetic 360, given numerous conferences, and gained notoriety in the industrial market, particularly in the field of microbiome. We were also honored by Beauty Tech #Chartres at the Chartres Métropole stand at the Cosmetic 360 trade show, where we received many qualified contacts.

VA: How important is your activity for the local economy?

DS: We are proud to participate in the Microbiome Friendly consortium, initiated by La Cosmetic Valley, to define a French—and ultimately, European—standard for microbiome-friendly products. This project promotes the local ecosystem of the Centre-Val de Loire region, where we also have numerous technical partnerships.

VA: What are your upcoming projects?

DS: Starting in the second quarter of 2025, we will set up a production line in Chartres, with recruitment for technical and operational positions. Our main challenge will be the commissioning of this line, the first version of which will be on the market at the end of 2025. All our consumables will be produced 100% in France, right here in Chartres.

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