

Dr. Nora Khaldi is a highly published award-winning scientist and entrepreneur. Her background uniquely combines three very different areas, mathematics, computer science and life science. Her revolutionary and innovative ideas and inventions have been awarded and recognised by the likes of Forbes, Wired, TEDx and the EU commission. During her early career, Nora established and led global research teams in the areas of genomics and worked closely with many companies and universities in peptide and protein development. She was the first scientist to show horizontal gene transfer between multi-cellular species. Her software in drug discovery are used in over 70 countries. In 2014, Nora created Nuritas, the first company in the world to use artificial intelligence to discover bioactive peptides, with the aim of creating new disease beating therapeutics and improving human health. Nuritas has been described as having the exceedingly rare potential to become bigger than Facebook and was classified amongst the 21 most innovative start-ups in the World.