#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 6-K

## REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

#### For the month of January 2020

Commission File Number: 001-37384

GALAPAGOS NV

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

# Generaal De Wittelaan L11 A3

**2800 Mechelen, Belgium** (Address of principal executive office)

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The information contained in this report on Form 6-K, including the exhibits, is hereby incorporated by reference into the Company's Registration Statements on Forms F-3 (File No. 333-230639) and S-8 (File Nos. 333-204567, 333-208697, 333-211834, 333-215783, 333-218160, 333-225263 and 333-231765).

On January 9, 2020, the Registrant issued a press release, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

(c) Exhibit 99.1. Press release dated January 9, 2020

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

## GALAPAGOS NV (Registrant)

Date: January 9, 2020

/s/ Xavier Maes Xavier Maes Company Secretary

# Mechelen, Belgium; 9 January 2020, 22.01 CET – Galapagos NV (Euronext & NASDAQ: GLPG) will participate in the 38th Annual J.P. Morgan Healthcare Conference on January 14-16, 2020.

Bart Filius, COO & CFO, will present on Thursday, January 16 at 19:30 CET (10:30 a.m. Pacific time). The presentation will be live audio webcast and can be accessed via the following link:

<u>https://jpmorgan.metameetings.net/events/hc20/sessions/29715-galapagos-nv/webcast</u>. A replay of the webcast will be available for 90 days on the Galapagos' website at <u>www.glpg.com</u>.

# **About Galapagos**

Galapagos (Euronext & NASDAQ: GLPG) discovers and develops small molecule medicines with novel modes of action, several of which show promising patient results and are currently in late-stage development in multiple diseases. Our pipeline comprises Phase 3 through to discovery programs in inflammation, fibrosis, osteoarthritis and other indications. Our ambition is to become a leading global biopharmaceutical company focused on the discovery, development and commercialization of innovative medicines. More information at <u>www.glpg.com</u>.

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