



16th European Symposium on Organic Chemistry

ESOC 2009

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Dear Colleague,

I cordially invite you to participate in the 16th European Symposium on Organic Chemistry, which will focus primarily on the following subjects:

Catalysis in Organic Synthesis

Total Synthesis of Natural Products

Medicinal Chemistry

Bioorganic Chemistry & Chemical Biology

Supramolecular Chemistry

Synthesis of Functional Materials

Physical Organic Chemistry

I am pleased to announce that the following speakers have already confirmed their participation:

Keynote Lecture:

Steven V. Ley, University of Cambridge (UK)

Lilly Distinguished Lectureship Award:

Manfred T. Reetz, MPI für Kohlenforschung, Mülheim (GER)

Plenary Speakers:

David Avnir, Hebrew University of Jerusalem (ISR)

Francois Diederich, ETH Zurich (CH)

Thomas Carell, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München (GER)

Tamio Hayashi, Kyoto University (JPN)

Shu Kobayashi, University of Tokyo (JPN)

Jean-Pierre Sauvage, Institut Le Bel, Strasbourg (FR)

Eric J. Sorensen, Princeton University (USA)

Brian M. Stoltz, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena (USA)

Invited Speakers:

Fredrik Almqvist, Umeå University (SWE)

Peter Bäuerle, University of Ulm (GER)

Sandro Cacchi, University of Rome (ITA)

Barry Carpenter, Cardiff University (UK)
Juan C. Carretero, Autonomous University of Madrid (ESP)
Janusz Jurczak, Institute of Organic Chemistry, Warsaw (POL)
Martin Kotora, Charles University, Prague (CZE)
Sergey A. Kozmin, University of Chicago (USA)
Herman S. Overkleeft, Leiden University (NL)
Joëlle Prunet, École Polytechnique, Palaiseau (FR)

Young Talented Organic Chemists:

Magnus Rueping, Johann Wolfgang Goethe-University, Frankfurt (GER)
Georgios E. Vassilikogiannakis, University of Crete (GR)
Helma Wennemers, University of Basel (CH)

The programme will also include **24 selected oral communications** and **2 poster sessions**.
The deadlines are as follows:

Abstract submission for oral/poster presentation: **March 31, 2009**
Notification of oral/poster acceptance: **April 15, 2009**
Early registration & payment: **April 30, 2009**
Abstract submission for posters only: **May 31, 2009**

To register, please use the following link:

<https://payment.orgit.com/esoc2009/UserPages/InteractiveAppForms.aspx>

I would be grateful if you could the ESOC 2009 recommend to associates who may be interested in being involved in this meeting or forward this email to them.

I look forward to seeing you in Prague in July 2009.

Yours sincerely,



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Chair of Committee, ESOC 2009

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