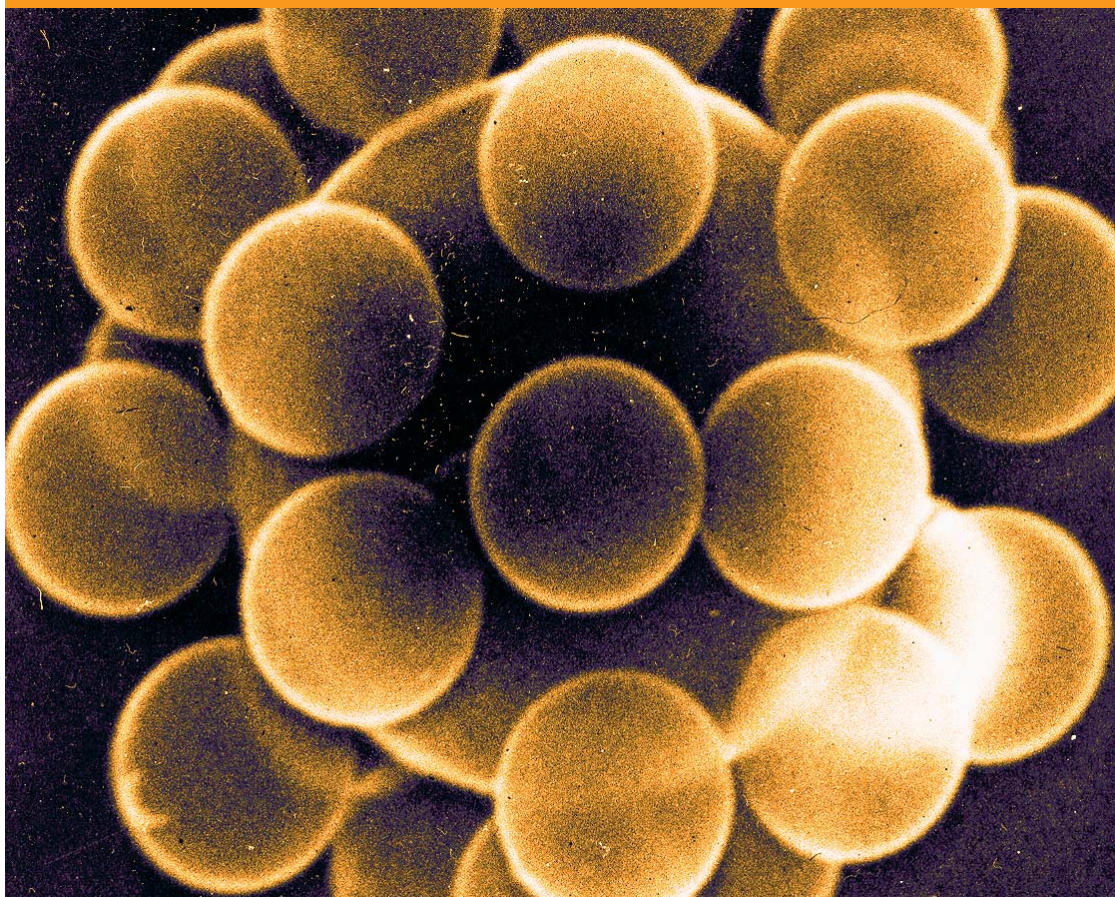


# New Frontiers in Colloid Science:

A Conference to Celebrate the Career of Professor Brian Vincent

Tuesday 1 April - Wednesday 2 April 2008  
Lord's Cricket Ground, London, UK



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# PROGRAMME

## TUESDAY 1 APRIL

12.00 **Registration and Buffet Lunch**

14.00 **Introduction and Welcome, Terence Cosgrove**

**Session 1: Chairman, Tharwat Tadros**

14.15 **The Adsorption of Small, Negative Particles onto Large Positive Particles**

Prof Paul Luckham, Imperial College London, UK

14.45 **From Conducting Polymers to Pickering Emulsions: Brian Vincent's Influence on my Career**

Prof Steve Armes, Sheffield University, UK

15.15 Tea, Coffee and Cakes

**Session 2: Chairman, Peter Dowding**

15.45 **The Brian Vincent Droplets Down-Under: From Model Emulsions to Drug Delivery**

Prof Clive Prestidge, WARK Institute, University of South Australia, Australia

16.15 **Polymers and Surfactants at Interfaces: Colloidal Lego for Nanotechnology**

Prof Simon Biggs, University of Leeds, UK

18.00 **Drinks Reception**

18.30 **Black Tie Gala Dinner in the Long Room**

## WEDNESDAY 2 APRIL

**Session 1: Chairman, Martin Cohen Stuart**

09.15 **Depletion and Other Sins**

Prof Gerard Fleer, University of Wageningen, The Netherlands

09.45 **Nanobubbles, Dissolved Gas, Boundary Layers and Related Mysterious Effects in Colloid Stability**

Prof John Ralston, University of South Australia, Australia

10.15 **Drying of Colloidal Films**

Dr Alex Routh, University of Cambridge, UK

10.45 Tea, Coffee and Cakes

**Session 2: Chairman, Terence Cosgrove**

11.15 **Preparation, Characterisation and Application of Colloidal Microgels**

Prof Martin Snowden, University of Greenwich, UK

11.45 **Surface Modification: Encapsulation and Coating (A Career Based on Graft)**

Dr David Fairhurst, Colloid Consultants Ltd, USA

12.30 **Conference Lunch**

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## SYNOPSIS

This 2 day meeting is organised by the Joint Committee of the RSC/SCI for Colloid and Surface Chemistry to celebrate the career and achievements of Professor Brian Vincent at the time of his retirement from the academic staff of Bristol University. Brian has had an enormous influence on colloid science in the UK, Europe and farther afield.

The meeting consists of a small number of invited seminars by leading researchers in colloid science. The topics chosen reflect areas of colloid science in which Brian has made significant contributions during his career. The symposium will also provide a perspective on where many of these topics will impact future research.

## MEETING FORMAT

The meeting will take place over 2 days from lunch-to-lunch and will include ample opportunities for discussion with colleagues outside of the formal programme. The meeting includes nine invited seminars from colleagues and former students of Brian's who have themselves made significant contributions to colloid science.

## VENUE

For this very special event, the meeting will be held at Lord's Cricket Ground combining Brian's great passions of science and cricket! Lord's provides an excellent venue for a conference of this type and the Gala Dinner in the Long Room will provide a truly memorable event to mark the career of a truly inspirational scientist.

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