



**4th
EuCheMS Chemistry
Congress**

**August 26–30, 2012
PRAGUE, Czech Republic**



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With great pleasure and pride, we would like to officially invite you to attend the 4th EuChemS Congress, taking place on 26–30 August 2012 in Prague, Czech Republic. The biannual congress will offer you a possibility to learn from experts in the field of chemistry, share experiences with companies, scientists, academics and debate about challenging topics.

Registering for The Congress means:

- attending almost 2000 scientific and professional practice paper presentations
- learning from international leading key note speakers
- joining an event, where both scientific and real business experts are brought together
- enjoying our social networking events
- explore the exhibition of companies and entrepreneurs from the field

Don't miss this opportunity! It's NOW time for Prague!

Go to www.euchems-prague2012.cz for more information, to register and to submit your papers.

**Kind regards,
We are looking forward to seeing you in Prague**

Congress Organisers

Important dates

REGISTRATION OPENING	May 2011
ONLINE ABSTRACT SUBMISSION OPENING	To be announced
EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE	May 5, 2012
ABSTRACT SUBMISSION DEADLINE	May 5, 2012
EXHIBITION SPACE BOOKING DEADLINE	May 31, 2012

Nürnberg 2010 Results:

Total number of registrants	2'465
Countries represented	63
Oral lectures	532
Posters	1401

4th EuCheMS will be honoured to welcome a number of renowned speakers:

Nobelists

Ciechanover Aaron, Tumor and Vascular Biology Research Center, Haifa, Israel
Grubbs Robert H., California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, USA
Lehn J. M., Université Louis Pasteur, Strasbourg, and Collège de France, Paris, France
Tsien Roger Y., Howard Hughes Medical Institute La Jolla, USA
Wüthrich Kurt, The Scripps Research Institute, La Jolla, USA
Yonath Ada, Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot, Israel

VIPs

Andrew Evans, University of Liverpool, Liverpool, UK
Bach Thorsten, Technische Universitaet Muenchen, Garching, DE
Bonacic-Koutecky Vlasta, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin, DE
Fürstner Alois, Max-Planck-Institut für Kohlenforschung, Mülheim/Ruhr, DE
Hudlický Tomáš, Brock University, St. Catharines, Canada
Knochel Paul, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, München DE
Lipshutz Bruce H., University of California, Santa Barbara, USA
Nicolaou K.C., The Scripps Research Institute, USA
Paterson Ian, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK
Reetz Manfred T., Max - Planck - Institut für Kohlenforschung, Mülheim/Rhur, DE
Siegel Jay S., Organisch-chemisches Institut, Universität Zürich, CH
Snyder Scott A., Columbia University, New York, USA
Tureček František, University of Seattle, USA
Yamamoto Hisashi, The University of Chicago, USA
... and many more to be confirmed and announced.

Organising Committee

Members of the Committee represent the Executive Board of EuCheMS and are responsible for the Congress.

Committee chair:

Oro Luis (Real Sociedad Espanola de Quimica)

Members:

Álvarez Carlos Negro (Asociación Nacional de Químicos de España)

Battaglia Reto (Swiss Chemical Society)

Bjerrum Morten (Danish Chemical Society)

De Angelis Franco (Società Chimica Italiana)

Drašar Pavel (Czech Chemical Society)

Facchetti Sergio (Consiglio Nazionale dei Chimici)

Grennberg Helena (Swedish Chemical Society)

Koch Wolfram (Gesellschaft Deutscher Chemiker)

Koroniak Henryk (Polish Chemical Society)

Milata Viktor (Slovak Chemical Society)

Pike Richard (Royal Society of Chemistry)

Sarkadi Livia Simon (Hungarian Chemical Society)

Schubert Ulrich (Gesellschaft Österreichischer Chemiker)

Siegel Jay (Swiss Chemical Society)

Scientific Committee (preliminary list)

Members of the Committee will be involved in the preparation and organisation of congress sections, special symposia etc.

Committee chairs:

Michl Josef, Boulder, US; Prague, CZ, Committee Chair

Drašar Pavel, Prague, CZ, Committee vice-Chair (CZ Liaison)

Carpenter Barry, Cardiff, UK

Credi Alberto, Bologna, IT

De Angelis Francesco, l'Aquila, IT

Eisenstein Odile, Montpellier, FR

Facchetti Sergio, Rome, IT

Gäggeler Heinz W., Bern CH

Gouverneur Veronique, Oxford, UK

Grennberg Helena, Uppsala, SE

Jeziorski Bogumil, Warszawa, PL

Khripach Vladimir A., Minsk, BY

Larsen Sine, Copenhagen, DK

Madder Annemieke, Ghent, BE

Martín Nazario, Madrid, ES

Meijer Bert (E.W.), Eindhoven, NL

Mihovilovic Marko, Wien, AT

Müllen Klaus, Mainz, DE

Sanders J K M, FRS, Cambridge, UK

van Eldik Rudi, Erlangen, DE

Vogt Dieter, Eindhoven, NL

Wedzicha Bronek, Leeds, UK

Local Organising Committee (preliminary list)

Members of the Committee will be involved in the preparation and organisation of congress on the local level etc.

Committee Chair:

Drašar Pavel, Prague, CZ

Members:

Barek Jiří, CCS and Charles University Praha

Bělohlav Zdeněk, CCS and Institute of Chemical Technology Praha

Koča Jaroslav, CCS and Masaryk University Brno

Mareček Lukáš, Czech In Prague (PCO)

Moravcová Jitka, CCS and Institute of Chemical Technology Praha

Pokorná Helena, Czech Chemical Society Praha

Slovák Václav, CCS and University Ostrava

Stará Irena, Institute of Organic Chemistry and Biochemistry AS CR Praha

Ulrichová Jitka, CCS and Palacký University Olomouc

Wágner Tomáš, CCS and University Pardubice (CCS – Czech Chemical Society)

Congress Venue

Prague Congress Centre is one of the dominant points of the City of Prague. It is located on one of Prague's hills, which provides visitors with a beautiful view of the world famous Prague panorama where the silhouette of Prague Castle, together with a myriad of towers belonging to churches, cathedrals, palaces and ancient buildings from the historical centre, rise over the Vltava River and extensive parks. The Prague Congress Centre is one of the largest and best-equipped European centres.

Its capacity can hold congresses for up to 9300 participants in more than 50 halls, reception rooms and conference rooms of various sizes. The usable exhibition area, primarily in the foyer of Prague Congress Centre, is 13 000 sq. m.

The high technical standard and the various ways in which the indoor areas can be arranged mean that not only congresses and conferences, but also exhibitions, social events, receptions, and cultural performances can be hosted here. The largest hall in the building is the Congress Hall with a maximum capacity of 2 764 persons.

Prague Congress Centre is proud to have had the honour of hosting some important international events:

2000 Annual Meeting of the Board of Governors of the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank Group

2002 NATO Summit

2009 Czech Presidency of the Council of the European Union

Prague Congress Centre highlights:

- Variable areas for holding various types of events, fully air-conditioned
- Congresses, conferences, company presentations, workshops, training, trade fairs, exhibitions, social events
- 20 halls and 50 salons with a capacity from 12 to 2 764 persons
- Total capacity up to 9 300 persons
- Exhibition areas with a total floor area of 13,000 m²
- Catering facilities, Czech and international cuisine
- Top-quality services (holder of an ISO 9001:2001 quality certificate)
- Luxury accommodation in the modern four-star Holiday Inn Prague Congress Centre hotel
- Exclusive view of the panorama of Prague Castle and Vyšehrad
- Excellent transport access (near the city centre), parking



Sponsorship Programme

How does it work?

The Organisers are offering companies and organisations the opportunity to become sponsors / exhibitors of the "4th EuCheMS Congress" enabling them to promote their organization and obtain wider recognition.

In the Invitation to Industry Brochure you can find different possibilities of sponsorship from which you can choose the most suitable way of promotion for your organization.

Sponsors of the congress will have a unique opportunity to gain direct access to over 2000 delegates specialising in chemistry from around the world. The contribution of the sponsors is recognised as a valuable enhancement of the congress and sponsorship levels have been set at a minimum level to allow maximum participation from key organisations.

Sponsorship categories

- As primary sponsors you would benefit from a high profile participation in an event reaching decision-makers, managers and practitioners in research, universities, government, agencies, private companies, health and social care services, voluntary organisations and international organisations.
- Sponsors supporting the meeting at a certain value will be assigned to various levels of Sponsorship categories as follows:

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More details to be found in the Invitation brochure.

Please contact Congress Secretariat at lukas.marecek@czech-in.cz to request the brochure.



Special Symposia

- Special Integrated Symposia can be organised as a part of the official scientific programme.
- The programme of an Integrated Symposium must comply with the Congress guidelines and be submitted to the Local Organising Committee for approval, e.g. the topic should cover any of the congress topics. The Local Organising committee reserves the right to adjust the programme (topics and/or chairpersons/speakers), if necessary.
- The exact date and time of Integrated Symposia may be discussed between the Local Organising Committee and the organising sponsor.
- May be in addition to a sponsor package or can be an individual sponsorship (educational grant).
- Publications and written material issued in association with Integrated Symposia, such as invitations, programmes and abstract booklets or proceedings, need the approval of the Local Organising Committee.
- Posters announcing an Integrated Symposium are only allowed within the exhibition booth, in front of the meeting rooms and also as a bag insert in the congress bags.
- Room rental for the duration of the Symposium, standard technical equipment is included.
- The programme of an Integrated Symposium will be published in the Final Programme

Other Sponsorship Options

The organisers are offering a wide range of sponsorship options.

Printed materials / Publications Promotional materials such as:

Congress website
Congress bags
Badge lanyards
City maps

Social events and catering such as:

Welcome reception
Congress dinner
Coffee breaks
Lunches

Scientific programme, invited speakers:

Any kind of contribution to support the participation of invited speakers will be most appreciated.
Sponsorship of an individual session
Sponsorship of poster session
Sponsorship of bursaries – to enable delegates with limited funding to participate

And others:

Internet Corner
Public transport tickets
Online broadcast of the most important sessions



Exhibition

The 4th EuCheMS exhibition together with the scientific programme will be held in the Prague Congress Centre.

Prague Congress Centre offers 13000 square metres to exhibit on.

Exhibition space rates and booth offer are included in the Invitation to Industry brochure.

Exhibitors' manual will be distributed by mid April 2011. Companies may apply for the exhibit space by returning the "Exhibition Registration form" included in the manual, best before 31st May 2012.

If you are not interested in a large booth you can also choose from other options for participating in the exhibition (table tops, LCD screens etc.).

Build-up and dismantling dates and hours will be announced on the Congress webpage and will be communicated to the exhibitors prior to the event.

Special Request

We would be pleased to discuss listed possibilities in detail or any other alternative form of sponsorship. Please contact the Congress Secretariat:

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We appreciate every contribution and we are open to your ideas of how your organisation should be presented during the 4th EuCheMS Meeting.