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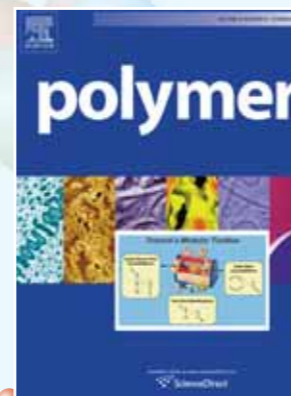
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To receive further information about the Frontiers in Polymer Science Symposium and to register for email updates about the event, please complete and return the reply form overleaf or submit online at www.frontiersinpolymerscience.com

LOCATION

The conference will be held at the Congress Centrum Mainz, Germany.

Mainz is one of the world's major centres of polymer science being home to both the University of Mainz and the Max Planck Institute for Polymer Science. One of the oldest cities in Germany, Mainz is situated in the economically important Rhine region, only 40 minutes by train from Frankfurt International Airport.



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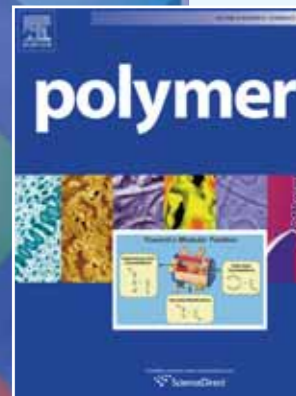
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First announcement and call for posters



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polymer, started in March 1960 by the British polymer community, is one of the very first scientific journals in the field. It has enjoyed a consistently growing impact in recent years and now covers a wide spectrum of topics of current interest in polymer science.

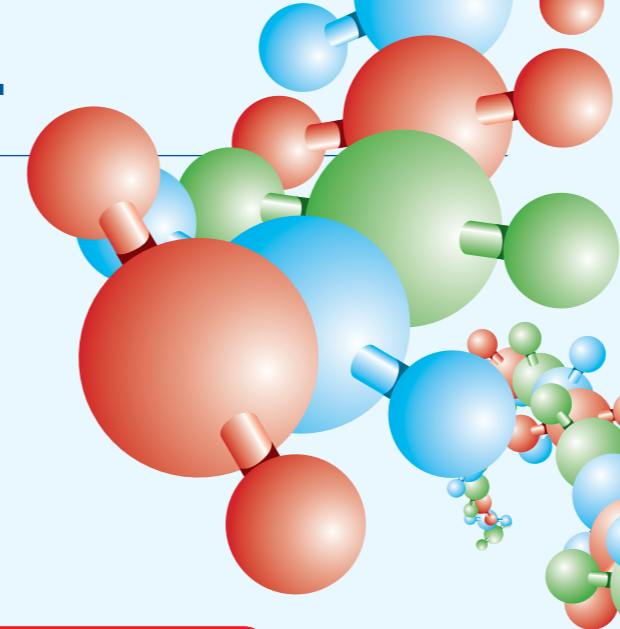
The 3-day symposium will consist of 15 plenary lectures (of 50 minutes each), given by outstanding scientists whose exceptionally creative work opens up new frontiers for polymer science, and 5 poster sessions.

PLENARY SPEAKERS

- Markus Antonietti**, *Max-Planck-Institut für Kolloid- und Grenzflächenforschung, Potsdam, Germany*
- Jean M.J. Fréchet**, *University of California, Berkeley, USA*
- Richard Friend**, *Cambridge University, UK*
- Alan J. Heeger**, *University of California, Santa Barbara, USA, Nobel Laureate*
- Kazunori Kataoka**, *University of Tokyo, Japan*

- Jean Marie Lehn**, *Université Louis Pasteur, Strasbourg, France, Nobel Laureate*
- Ludwik Leibler**, *ESPCI (Ecole Supérieure de Physique et de Chimie Industrielles), Paris, France*
- Kris Matyjaszewski**, *Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, USA*
- Murugappan Muthukumar**, *University of Massachusetts, Amherst, USA*
- Klaus Müllen**, *Max-Planck-Institut für Polymerforschung, Mainz, Germany*
- Donald R. Paul**, *University of Texas, Austin, USA*
- Thomas P. Russell**, *University of Massachusetts, Amherst, USA*
- Clément Sanchez**, *Université de Paris VI, France*
- David Tirrell**, *California Institute of Technology, USA*
- Edwin L. Thomas**, *Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA*

All abstracts will be refereed and a criterion of rejection will be lack of originality. A condition of submission is that, if accepted, the paper must be presented at the Frontiers in Polymer Science event by one of the authors.



CALL FOR POSTERS

Abstract submission deadline:
1 December 2008

Contributions are invited for poster presentations at the symposium. Please submit abstracts using the Online Submission Form at www.frontiersinpolymer science.com

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Please send me a copy of the programme when available
- I intend to submit an abstract for poster presentation
- I intend to participate as a delegate only
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