

Spring Meeting of the Swiss Chemical Society, 2007

Geneva, Friday 9th March 2007

University of Geneva, Auditoire Rouiller,
Uni Dufour, 24 rue du Général Dufour
(Tram 13 or 15, arrêt Place du Cirque)

Scientific programme :

Modern Aspects of Catalysis
10h - 12h and 14h – 16h

10h00 Introduction

10h05 Prof. Karl Anker Jørgensen, University of Aarhus, "From simple to complex chiral molecules using organocatalysis"

11h05 Professor Robert Schlögl, Fritz-Haber-Institut, Berlin, "Dynamics of Heterogeneous Catalysts"

12h05 Lunch break (Sandwich lunch)

14h00 Professor Martyn Poliakoff, FRS, University of Nottingham, "Multi-phase catalysis in Supercritical Fluids"

15h00 Prof. Richard R. Schrock, MIT, Cambridge USA, "Catalytic Reduction of Dinitrogen to Ammonia at Room Temperature and One Atmosphere with Protons and Electrons"

16h00 Coffee break

16h30 Lecture for the General public (avec traduction simultanée en français):

'The Story Of Catalysis In Everyday Life'

Sir John Meurig Thomas, FRS, FRSE, University of Cambridge, UK
16h30

The Annual General Meeting of the Swiss Chemical Society will be held at 13h

An aperitif will be offered after Sir John Thomas' lecture.