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CONFERENCES IN SWITZERLAND

01.01. - 30.04.2016

14th Swiss Snow Symposium 2016 by SYCA

22.01.2016-24.01.2016

Panorama Hotel Alphubel, Saas-Fee

Science meets Snow! Symposium for young chemists up to 36 years with an interesting combination of science, networking, fun & sports.

http://scg.ch/snowsymposium/2016

20th SASP 2016

07.02.2016-12.02.2016

Sunstar Parkhotel Davos, Davos

The Symposium on Atomic, Cluster and Surface Physics (SASP) is one in a continuing biennial series of conferences (the last one was held in Obergurgl, Austria in 2014) that promotes the growth of scientific knowledge and exchange of information among scientists in the field of atomic, molecular, and surface physics. http://icbc.zhaw.ch/de/science/institute-zentren/icbc/sasp-2016. html

23^{rd} International Academic Conference on Development in Science and Technology (IACDST)

11.02.2016

Hotel Allegra, Kloten

IACDST aims to bring together leading academic scientists, researchers and research scholars to exchange and share their experiences and research results about all aspects of Development in Science and Technology. It also provides the premier interdisciplinary forum for researchers, practitioners and educators to present and discuss the most recent innovations, trends, and concerns, practical challenges encountered and the solutions adopted in the fields of Development in Science and Technology.

http://academicsworld.org/Conference/Switzerland2016/ IACDST/

$23^{\rm rd}$ International Conference on Environmental Science and Development (ICESD)

12.02.2016

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ICESD aims to bring together leading academic scientists, researchers and research scholars to exchange and share their experiences and research results about all aspects of Environmental Science and Development. It also provides the premier interdisciplinary forum for researchers, practitioners and educators to present and discuss the most recent innovations, trends, and concerns, practical challenges encountered and the solutions adopted in the fields of Environmental Science and Development.

http://academicsworld.org/Conference/Switzerland 2016/ICESD/

LS2 Annual Meeting 2016

15.02.2016-16.02.2016

Amphipôle, University of Lausanne, Lausanne

At this meeting, LS2 will bring together Swiss Life Scientists from academic backgrounds as well as our industry partners with researchers from all across Europe to explore the large spectrum of 'Interdisciplinary Sciences'; Listen in on the exciting findings in the field of Chemical Biology over Synthetic Biology to Proteomics and 'Classic' Molecular and Cell Biology (and many more), discuss opportunities and challenges of the Swiss Research funding system and the life beyond academia in non-academic professions, and be a part of the emotional debate on careers of men and women in the Life Sciences.

http://ls2-annual-meeting.ch

Research breakthroughs and social impact: Young scientists debate synthetic biology

16.02.2016

Amphipôle, University of Lausanne, Lausanne

This event is part of the LS2 Annual Meeting 2016.

Emerging technologies have the potential to offer new solutions for society's challenges but also raise concerns about safety and ethical implications. Synthetic biology is a maturing discipline aiming to modify, rebuild and design biological systems. Possible applications include production of biofuels in microalgae, synthesis of therapeutics in yeast cells or removal of pollutants' from the environment using bacteria.

Swiss Symposium on Lab Automation 2016

17.03.2016

Hochschule für Technik, Institute for Lab Automation and Mechatronics, Rapperswil

The Institute for Lab Automation and Mechatronics (ILT) annually invites to the Swiss Symposium on Lab Automation, where presentations are given by and for experts in the field of automation and instrumentation in the medical and life science sector. In 2016, the Symposium's focus is on Labor 4.0: modern technologies and the smart lab of the future. Alongside the presentation, the exhibition provides an ideal networking platform and gives companies and institutions the opportunity to present their skills and working areas.

https://www.ilt.hsr.ch/index.php?id=14274

36th International Conference on Environment and Natural Science (ICENS)

04.04.2016

Hotel Allegra, Kloten

The idea of the conference is for the scientists, scholars, engineers and students from universities all around the world and industry to present ongoing research activities, and hence to foster research relations between academia and industry. This conference provides opportunities for delegates to exchange new ideas and application experiences face to face, to establish business or research relations and to find global partners for future collaboration.

http://iserd.co/Conference/Zurich-Switzerland/ICENS/

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SCS Spring Meeting 2016

22.04.2016

University of Zurich, Irchel Campus, Zurich Symposium topic: «Green Chemistry»

The SCS Spring Meeting is a one-day symposium and provides a high quality program with national and international speakers of a certain topic. It is also the platform for the Werner Prize Ceremony and the Werner Award Lecture.

http://scg.ch/springmeeting/2016

University of Geneva, Chimie Organique

Sciences II, Auditoire A. Pictet A100

21.01.2016 Prof. Vincent Gandon, Université Paris-Sud,

16.30 h France

Title to be announced

18.02.2016 Prof. Konrad Tiefenbacher, Department of

16.30 h Chemistry, Technische Universität München,

Munich, Germany

Enzyme-like Catalysis in Self-Assembled

Aromatic Cavities

University of Geneva, Société Chimique de Genève

Sciences II, Auditoire A. Pictet A100

18.01.2016 Prof. Philippe Reymond, Department of Plant 17.30 h Molecular Biology, University of Lausanne

Plant defenses against insect attack

LECTURES

01.01.16 - 28.02.2016

University of Bern, Anorganische, Analytische und Physikalische Chemie

Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Lecture hall S 379

05.02.2016 Prof. Horst Köppel, Universität Heidelberg,

11.00 h Germany

Title to be announced

ETH Zürich, Laboratory of Inorganic Chemistry

Hönggerberg HCI, J7

12.01.2016 Dr. Aleix Comas-Vives, ETH Zürich
17.15 h The role of interfacial water on water

desalination, hydrates management, and oil &

gas production

University of Fribourg

Main auditorium, Chemistry Department

28.01.2016

09.30 h Prof. Petra Swiderek, University of Bremen,

Germany

The intriguing world of electrons: Auroras, radiotherapy, nanofabrication and more

10.15 h Prof. Michael Allan, University of Fribourg

Free electrons and molecules – a lifelong

passion

11.00 h Prof. Luisa de Cola, University of Strasbourg,

France

Title to be announced

12.00 h Prof. Peter Belser, University of Fribourg

Energy Transfer - Everywhere

14.00 h Prof. Frank Neese, Max Planck Institute for

Chemical Energy Conversion, Mülheim an der

Ruhr, Germany

Ab initio Ligand Field Theory for d- and

f-elements. A powerful link between theory and

experiment

14.45 h Prof. Claude Daul, University of Fribourg

The amazing power of simple ideas

15.45 h Prof. Roman Fasel, University of Bern

Carbon nanomaterials

16.30 h Prof. Titus Andreas Jenny, University of

Fribourg

Carbon: a life-long love-story

The complete and updated lecture calendar is available on www.scg.ch/lectures