

Event Information

25. - 27. SEPTEMBER 2019 / Hamburg

Location

The RDKit UGM will take place at the Faculty of Chemistry of the University of Hamburg (Martin-Luther-King-Platz 6, 20146 Hamburg). The venue is centrally located and can be easily reached by public transport via the bus station **Grindelhof** or the metro station **Schlump**.



The location within Hamburg is shown in the map above. The scientific talks will be held in lecture hall C which is marked in red on the image below. Check-in is in front of the lecture halls in the chemistry building. The lunch and coffee breaks take place in the seminar room PC 160-161. The workshop will be held at the Center for Bioinformatics which is on the other side of the street. But we will meet in the chemistry building and lead you there on Friday.



Scientific Program

The main part of the RDKit User Group meeting are scientific talks which will be held on Wednesday and Thursday. In addition to the regular talks, there will be a number of short talks where people can present their RDKit related work in 5 minute oral presentations (lightning talk). After the talks (but before dinner!) on Wednesday, Greg will be hosting an informal technical discussion about the future of the stereochemistry representation in the RDKit. Contact us if you would like to receive the pre-read about this. There will also be poster presentations which will be during the lunch and coffee breaks. The posters will be visible in room PC 160/161 throughout the UGM. On Friday, there will be a KNIME workshop (registration required) and the possibility to contribute to the RDKit in the Hackathon. Check out the agenda on GitHub for an overview of the UGM program.

Food

On Wednesday and Thursday, lunch will be provided by us and there will be coffee breaks. The lunch and coffee breaks are free of charge. We will provide some water during the event (also tap water in Germany is perfectly

drinkable). You will have to pay yourself for the conference dinner on Wednesday as well as for the dinner on Thursday in case you signed up for any of these. On Friday, we will provide you with some drinks and snacks but no lunch has to be organized by you independently. There are several restaurants and take away places close by. Breakfast has to be organized independently in general.

Conference Dinner

The conference dinner will be held at the restaurant Bobby Reich (Fernsicht 2, 22301 Hamburg) which is located directly at the Alster lake. The dinner starts at 7 pm. If you signed up for the dinner, make sure to bring 70€ in cash at the registration. The price includes a buffet and all drinks (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) from 7pm until 11 pm.

Jobwall

We will have a poster board in room PC 160/161 dedicated to job offers. If you have an open position to advertise please bring it along printed out on an A4 sheet and give it to us at the registration or put it up there yourself.

Hackathon

On Friday, you can contribute to the RDKit by joining a group in the Hackathon. We will meet on Friday morning at 9 am in the chemistry building to discuss ideas and group formation. Please make sure to be there on time if you want to participate. If you already have an idea for a potential Hackathon topic, you can insert it into the list below.

Link to list of Hackathon ideas:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1VqJG06VWg_l6hZ8fzzSZ15mJnEasUG-v1GjIdov3NfM/edit?usp=sharing

RDKit Jogging

We'll try to repeat the "RDKit Jogging" experiment from previous years on Thursday and/or Friday in the early morning. We will come up with a route idea based on participants and where they are staying. We'll do a distance and speed that fits whoever's participating. Details are discussed at the UGM.