

26th Annual Symposium The Synthesis and Applications of Isotopically Labelled Compounds Friday 17th November 2017 at The Møller Centre, Cambridge

Dear colleague,

It's with great pleasure that I invite you to participate in the 26th Annual Symposium of the International Isotope Society UK Group on Friday, November 17th 2017 at The Møller Centre in Cambridge.

A highlight of the meeting will be a talk from Professor Albert Windhorst from the Vrije University Medical Center (VUmc) in Amsterdam on carbon-11 chemistry and why fighting a 20 minute half-life really makes sense.

Other topics covered will include organic synthesis with carbon-14, tritium & short-lived isotopes, new synthetic methodologies relevant to isotopic labelling, lanthanide chemistry, and radiological protection. A detailed programme is available here: http://iis-uk.org/IIS-UK_Programme_2017.pdf

Contributions to a short series of 5 minute flash presentations covering isotope techniques and methods are actively sought — please contact me (chris.winfield@selcia.com) if you would like to contribute. As in past years, there will be an opportunity to present posters at the meeting — please contact Nick Bushby (nick.bushby@astrazeneca.com) if you would like to do so.

We are delighted to be returning to The Møller Centre (www.mollercentre.co.uk) again this year. The venue is approximately one mile from Junction 13 on the M11 motorway and a short taxi ride from Cambridge railway station with its frequent express services to Liverpool Street station and Stansted Airport. The meeting is timed to allow most UK based people to travel to and from the symposium on the same day. The registration form is available here: http://iis-uk.org/IIS-UK_Registration_2017.pdf

I hope you will be able to attend and help make this meeting of the IIS UK Group as successful as in previous years. I look forward to seeing you in November.

Chris Winfield, Chair, IIS-UK Group.

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