

# People: Richmond Sarpong

Born in Ghana in 1974, Richmond Sarpong is a Professor of Organic Chemistry at the University of California, Berkeley in the USA.

He works to develop synthetic methods and strategies that will enable efficient production of complex biomolecules, paving the way for the development of new medicines.

For his work, he has been awarded many prizes, including the Alexander von Humboldt Research Award, ACS Award for Creative Work in Synthetic Organic Chemistry, and RSC Synthetic Organic Chemistry award.

