Systems Chemistry Virtual Symposium 2020

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Systems Chemistry Virtual Symposium Program 18–20 May 2020

Monday, May 18, 2020 (DAY 1)		
11:00 a.m.	Opening Remarks Meeting Organizers	
11:15 a.m.	KEYNOTE: Dynamic molecular systems Ben Feringa , <i>University of Groningen</i>	
12:00 p.m.	SESSION 1: Dynamic Information of Molecular Assemblies Chair: Gonen Ashkenasy, Ben–Gurion University of the Negev	
12:05 p.m.	Designing Phase Separation in Complex Systems Sarah Perry, University of Massachusetts Amherst	
12:30 p.m.	Programmable life—like materials that organize at mesoscopic scale Peter Korevaar, Radboud University Nijmegen	
12:55 p.m.	Break	
1:10 p.m.	SESSION 2: Origins and Synthesis of Life Chair: David Lynn, Emory University	
1:15 p.m.	The systems chemistry of life—like objects Stephen Mann , <i>University of Bristol</i>	
1:40 p.m.	In vitro self–replication and multicistronic expression of large synthetic genomes Hannes Mutschler, MPI Biochemistry	
2:05 p.m.	SESSION 3: Emergent Behaviors: From Catalysts to Motility Chair: Rebecca Schulman, Johns Hopkins University	
2:10 p.m.	Enzyme Motors and Pumps: From Transport to Collective Behavior Ayusman Sen , Penn State University	
2:35 p.m.	A touch of nonlinearity and heterogeneity in active matter: from swimmers in fluids to mixtures of colloids Daphne Klotsa , <i>University of North Carolina Chapel Hill</i>	
3:00 p.m.	Day 1 Ends	

Tuesday, May 19, 2020 (DAY 2)		
11:00 a.m.	Opening Introduction Sijbren Otto, University of Groningen	
11:05 a.m.	KEYNOTE: Patterns and their emergent functions: Design features of life Petra Schwille, MPI Biochemistry	
11:50 a.m.	SESSION 4: Active and Adaptive Materials Chair: Sijbren Otto, University of Groningen	
11:55 a.m.	Designed Negative Feedback from Catalytic Non–Equilibrium Assemblies Dibyendu Das , <i>IISER Kolkata</i>	
12:20 p.m.	Predator–Prey Interactions between Droplets Driven by Nonreciprocal Oil Exchange Lauren Zarzar, Penn State University	
12:45 p.m.	Break	
1:00 p.m.	SESSION 5: Biological Networks Chair: Rafal Klajn, Weizmann Institute of Science	
1:05 p.m.	Engineering and understanding supramolecular nanobiomaterials through enzymatic catalysis Helena Azevedo, <i>Queen Mary University of London</i>	
1:30 p.m.	Evolutionary rules in an experimental landscape of autocatalytic networks Philippe Nghe , <i>ESPCI Paris</i>	
1:55 p.m.	SESSION 6: Systems Chemistry and the Coronavirus Crisis Chair: Rein Ulijn, Advanced Science Research Center	
2:00 p.m.	Inhibiting Viral Infection with Backbone–Modified Peptides Sam Gellman, University of Wisconsin–Madison	
2:25 p.m.	From protocells to fighting the novel coronavirus Pall Thordarson , <i>UNSW Sydney</i>	
2:50 p.m.	Day 2 Ends	

Wednesday, May 20, 2020 (DAY 3)		
11:00 a.m.	Opening Introduction Ankit Jain, Advanced Science Research Center	
11:05 a.m.	KEYNOTE: Bilingual Peptide Nucleic Acids: Encoding the Languages of Nucleic Acids and Proteins in a Single Self–Assembling Biopolymer Jen Heemstra, Emory University	
11:50 a.m.	POSTER PRESENTATION WINNERS Chair: Angela Grommet, Weizmann Institute of Science	
11:55 a.m.	Supramolecular peptide with sequence tunable emission Mona Tayarani Najjaran, Advanced Science Research Center	
12:20 p.m.	ATP–Driven Non–Equilibrium DNA systems with Multiple Transient Dynamic Steady States Jie Deng, University of Freiburg	
12:45 p.m.	Towards the emergence of modern cells Claudia Bonfio, MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology	
1:10 p.m.	Break	
1:25 p.m.	Uniform Multifunctionalization of Metal–Organic Frameworks Materials Kanchana Samarakoon, Kansas State University	
1:50 p.m.	Positive and Negative Chemotaxis of Enzyme–coated Liposomes Ambika Somasundar , <i>Pennsylvania State University</i>	
2:15 p.m.	3D Printing Terpolymer–Stabilised Coacervate Protocells Alex Mason , <i>Eindhoven University of Technology</i>	
2:40 p.m.	Closing Remarks	
2:50 p.m.	Event Ends	