



**First announcement and  
call for abstracts**

## **20th SCI/RSC Medicinal Chemistry Symposium**

**Sunday 8 - Wednesday 11 September 2019**

**Churchill College, Cambridge, UK**



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## The Medicinal Chemistry Symposium 2019

The organisers invite you to the 20th SCI / RSC Medicinal Chemistry Symposium, Europe's premier biennial Medicinal Chemistry event, focusing on first disclosures and new strategies in Medicinal Chemistry as well as commemorating 40+ years of drug discovery. The event will be preceded by an Early Career Medicinal Chemistry Workshop on Sunday afternoon.

### Confirmed Speakers

#### **Apelin: a multifaceted GPCR and a target for the treatment of glioblastoma and pulmonary arterial hypertension**

Robert Glen, University of Cambridge

#### **Ventures in new target space: drugging the DUBs**

Tim Harrison, Almac

#### **LUBAC and linear ubiquitin chains: novel tools to study immune signalling**

David House, GlaxoSmithKline

#### **Novel potent and selective 5-HT<sub>2C</sub> receptor agonists for the treatment of neurological disorders**

Lynette Smyth, Abbvie

#### **Covalent fragment discovery unlocks an intractable protein-protein interaction**

Ed Tate, Imperial College London

#### **The discovery of the selective orexin 1 receptor antagonist (SO-1RA) ACT-539313 for the treatment of anxiety disorders**

Jodi Williams, Idorsia Pharmaceuticals

### Attendees

This conference will be of interest to both academic and industrial scientists engaged in all aspects of the drug discovery and development process.

### Call for Abstracts

The organising committee wishes to solicit late-breaking, high impact medicinal chemistry talks to finalise the scientific programme. Potential contributions should be communicated to the secretariat at [conferences@soci.org](mailto:conferences@soci.org) by **Friday 9th November 2018**. A number of conference places will be reserved for poster presenters and contributions are invited from the whole field of medicinal chemistry. Those presenting a poster may also elect to advertise their poster via oral presentation of a single slide 'flash' poster. Detailed procedures and submission deadlines for poster abstracts will be provided in the second announcement.

### Sponsorship & Exhibition

Churchill College is an ideal venue for an exhibition. All refreshments, lunches, the exhibition and posters are situated in a single area, ensuring excellent access to delegates throughout the meeting. If you are interested in sponsoring this event, please contact [daisy.goddard@soci.org](mailto:daisy.goddard@soci.org) for further information and costs.

### Further Information

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