## **SEMINARS**

Professor Odile Eisenstein

Universite de Montpellier 2, France

"Structures of Transition Metal Unsaturated Complexes: A High Sensitivity to the Nature of the Ligands" Tuesday 7 January 1997

Professor Jack R. Norton

Colorado State University, USA

"A General Mechanism for the Formation and Fragmentation of Metallacyclobutanes. Effect of Metals on Cycloaddition Rules." Saturday 11 January 1997

Dr.Dieter Neher

Max-Planck-Institut fuer Polymerforschung, Germany "Polymer Light Emitting Diodes: Tuning of Color and Efficiency"

Thursday 16 January 1997

Professor Richard G. Jones

University of Kent, Canterbury, UK

"Recent Advances in Understanding The Synthesis of Polysilanes by The Wurtz Reductive-Coupling Reaction." Monday 20 January 1997

Professor Ryu Sato

Department of Applied Chemistry and Molecular Science, Faculty of Engineering, Iwate University, Japan "Chemistry of Polycarcogenoheterocycles" Wednesday 22 January 1997

Professor Junji Inanaga

Institute for Fundamental Research of Organic Chemistry, Kyushu University, Japan

"Organic Synthesis Using Rare Earth Metal. Resent Development"

Thursday 23 January 1997

Professor Hideo Kitamura

High Energy Accelerator Research Organization/ Japan Synchrotron Radiation Research Institute

"Photon Beam Line Strategy of SPring-8"

Tuesday 28 January 1997

Dr.Silvia Mittler-Neher

Max-Planck-Institut fuer Polymerforschung, Mainz, Germany

"Integrated optics for communication, microscopy and sensing"

Wednesday 5 February 1997

Dr. Anthony J Ryan

Materials Science Centre, UMIST, Manchester, UK "Semi-Crystalline Block Copolymers" Wednesday 5 February 1997

Professor Andrews D. Hamilton

Department of Chemistry, University of Pittsburgh, USA "New Approachs to Artificial Receptor Design" Tuesday 18 February 1997

Dr. Motoharu Mizumoto

Japan Atomic Energy Research Institute

"High Current Accelerator for the Neutron Science"

Tuesday 20 February 1997

Dr.Michael Klaus Engel

Kawamura Institute of Chemical Research, Japan

"New Porphyrazine and Phthalocyanine Single crystals" Monday 24 February 1997

Dr. Sanjay Rastogi

Centre of Polymer and Composites, Techische Universiteit Eindhoven, Eindhoven, Netherlands,

"Chain Mobility in Crystalline Polymers - a novel rout for welding and processing"

Wednesday 5 March 1997

Dr. Giovanni Bisoffi

Italian National Institute for Nuclear Physics, Legnaro, Italy

"LNL Linac and New Injector Project"

Wednesday 5 March 1997

Dr. Luigi Tecchio

Italian National Institute for Nuclear Physics, Legnaro, Italy

"The Crystal Storage Ring Project"

Wednesday 5 March 1997

Dr. Andrew M. Sessler

Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, USA

"Beam Dynamics of Muon Colliders"

Thursday 6 March 1997

Dr. Manfred Grieser

Max-Planck-Institut, Heidelberg, Germany

"Activities at the Heavy Ion Storage Ring at MPI Heidelberg"

Friday 7 March 1997

Professor Hisanori Suzuki

Institute of Biochemistry, Faculty of Medicine, University of Verona, Verona, Italy

"Regulation on the Expression of Nitric Oxide Synthases" Tuesday 11 March 1997

Professor Masaru Matsuoka

Kyoto Women's University, Department of Materials Science

"Molecular Interaction and Self-organization"

Thursday 13 March 1997

Dr. Annette Thierry

Institut Charles Sadron, France

"Epitaxial Orientation of Polymer Thin Films with Special Properties: The case of Polydiacetylenes"

Monday 24 March 1997

Professor Xiujian Zhao

Wuhan University of Technology, China

"Formation and Structures for Chalcohalide Glasses" Wednesday 26 March 1997

Dr. Alper Garren

Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, USA "Useful Lattice Structures"

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Professor Kenneth R. Poeppelmeier

Department of Chemistry, Northwestern University,

Evanceton USA

"Understanding the Synthesis of Layered Cuprates" Thursday 3 April 1997

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Department of Chemistry, Northwestern University, Evanveton USA

"Optimal Stability in Multiphase Oxidation Catalysts and Some Remarkable Solid State Chemistry in the Mg-V-Mo-O system"

Thursday 10 April 1997

Professor P. Braunstein

University of Louis Pasteur, France

"Bimetallic Reactivity" Saturday 26 April 1997

Dr. Masatomo Yonezawa

Chief Engineer

Research and Development Group, NEC Corporation "Li Seondary Battery: Current State in the Fundamental Research and the Applications"

Monday 12 May 1997

Professor Krzysztof Matyjaszewski

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, USA

Atom-Transfer Radical Polymerization: Novel Route to Narrow-Polydispersity Polymers of Various Architectures, Shapes, Compositions, and Functionalities

Thursday 15 May 1997

Dr.Ralph Nelson

DuPont

"Informal Talk about the Particle Technology Group at DuPont"

Friday 6 June 1997

Professor Hiromi Kitano

Toyama University, Toyama, Japan

Dynamics at the Interface between Polymer and Water Monday 9 June 1997

Dr. Johan Heuts

University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia The Use of Controlled Radical Polymerization Techniques for the Study of Fundamental Copolymerization Kinetics Friday 24 June 1997

Dr. Michael K. Georges

The Xerox Research Center of Canada, Mississauga, Canada

The Synthesis of Poly(alkyl acrylate)s by the Stable Free Radical Polymerization Process Friday 24 June 1997

Dr. George A. Kraus

Department of Chemistry, Iowa State University, U.S.A. "New Synthetic Approaches to Kainic Acid Derivatives" Thursday 26 June 1997

Professor Robert West

Department of Chemistry, University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA

"Recent Advance in the Chemistry of Novel Aromatics Containing Si and Ge" Saturday 28 June 1997

Professor Duy H. Hua

Department of Chemistry, Kansas State University, U.S.A. "Sulfinyl Ketimines and Sulfinimines in the Asymmetric Syntheses of Alkaloids and Amino Acids" Friday 18 July 1997

Professor Klaus Hafner

Institut für Organische Chemie, Technische Hochschule Darmstadt, Darmstadt, Germany

"Syntheses and Dynamic Properties of Chiral Heptalenes" Monday 4 August 1997

Professor Dafu Cui

Institute of Electronics, Chinese Academy of Science, China

"Research of Chemical Sensor in the State Key Laboratory of Transducer Technology" Wednesday 20 August 1997

Professor Norbert Karl

Universität Stuttgart, Germany

"Vapor-Deposited Organic Thin Films For Molecular Electronics"

Monday 1 September 1997

Dr. Ching-i Huang

Department of Chemistry, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, USA

"The Effects of Neutral and Selective Solvents on Ordered Block Copolymer Solutions" Wednesday 3 September 1997

Professor Dr. Ulrich Buchenau

Institut für Festkörperforschung, Forschungzentrum Jülich, Germany,

"Relaxation in Polymer Glasses" Tuesday 9 September 1997

Professor Dr. Helumuth Hoffmann

Department of Inorganic Chemistry, Technical University of Vienna, Austria

"Infrared Reflection Spectroscopy of Organic Monolayer Films"

Wednesday 10 September 1997

Professor Aiqiao Mi

Union Laboratory of Asymmetric Synthesis, Chengdu Institute of Organic Chemistry, China

"Design and Synthesis of Chiral Ligands and Asymmetric Catalytic Reactions"

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Professor Shigeru Torii

Faculty of Technology, Okayama University, Japan "Recent Development of Asymmetric Induction by Means of Electrolysis"

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Professor Gaorong Han

Institute of Inorganic Materials, Department of Materials, Zhejiang University, China

"Amorphous Silicon and Its Application in a Liquid Crystal Light Valve Device" Friday 19 September 1997

Professor Ho Chee Cheong

Universiti Malaya, Malaysia

"Recent Advances in Characterization of Natural Latex Film Surface"

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"Structure, Formation and Physical Properties of Model End-linked Networks"

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Professor J. C. Grenier

Bordeau Univewrsity, France

"New Chimie-Douce (Soft Chemistry) Processes in Solid State Chemistry"

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Professor Giorgio Morelli

Istituto Nazionale della Nutrizione, Rome, Italy "Homeodomain-Leucine Zipper Proteins of the HD-ZIP III and IV Families in the Control of Plant Growth" Monday 29 September 1997

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Centro di studio per gli Acidi Nucleici, CNR, Rome, Italy "Homeodomain-Leucine Zipper Proteins of the HD-ZIP I and II Families in the Control of Plant Growth" Monday 29 September 1997

Professor Reinhart Keese Universitat Bern, Switzerland

"Transition Metal Induced Syntheses of Fenestranes" Wednesday 1 October 1997

Dr. Patrick Bruno

Institut d'...lectronique Fondamentale, UniversitÈ Paris-Sud, France

"Interlayer Exchange Coupling"

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Professor Richard Neidlein

Department of Pharmaceutical Chemistry, University of Heidelberg, Heidelberg, Germany

"Metallacycles and Heterocycles: New Synthetic Results" Monday 13 October 1997

Professor Norimasa Okui

Faculty of Engineering, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Tokyo, Japan,

"Crystallization of Polymers" Friday 17 October 1997

Professor Peter M. Levy

Department of Physics, New York University, USA "Fundamental Limit to Small Scale Magnetoresistive Memory and Sensors"

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Professor Dr. Oliver Lindqvist

Department of Environmental Chemistry, Gothenburg University and Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden

"Environmental Aspects on Energy Conversion" Wednesday 22 October 1997

Professor Guo-Qiang Lin

Shanghai Institute of Organic Chemistry, China

"Chiral Synthesis of Polyhydroxy Aza-rings, Amines and the Restricted Biaryl Compounds"

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Dr. Christopher J. G. Plummer

Lausanne Federal Institute of Technology, Switzerland "TEM and HREM Investigations of Morphology and Deformation in Semicrystalline Polymers"

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Professor Tien-Yau Luh National Taiwan Unversity

"Synthetic Applications of the Dithioacetal Functionality" Tuesday 28 October 1997

Professor Ken Feldmann

Department of Plant Science, Arizona University, Tucson, Arizona, USA

"Brassinosteroids and Dwarf in *Arabidopsis thaliana*" Wednesday 29 October 1997

Professor T. Don Tilley

University of California, Berkeley, USA

"Transition Metal Coupling Routes to New Polymers and Macrocycles"

Saturday 1 November 1997

Professor Brian Halton

School of Chemical & Physical Sciences, Victoria University of Wellington, Wellington, New Zealand "Strained Molecules and Novel Ring-Systems: Discoveries with Cycloproparenes"

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Professor Pierre Deslongchamps

Department of Chemistry, University of Sherbrooke, Canada

"Transannular Diels-Alder Reaction and the Synthesis of Diterpenes and Steroids"

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Professor David M. Hodgson University of Oxford, UK

"Carbenes, Carbenoids and Enantioselective Desymmetrisation"

Wednesday 5 November 1997

Dr. Kazuhisa Nakajima

High Energy Accelerator Research Organization "Laser Acceleration and Topics of Related Physics" Tuesday 5 November 1997

Professor Stephen L. Buchwald

Department of Chemistry, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, U.S.A.

"Metal-Catalyzed Carbon-Heteroatom Bond Formation in Organic Synthesis"

Friday 7 November 1997

Professor Amos B. Smith, III

Department of Chemistry, University of Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

"The Spongistatin Antitumor Agents: Architecturally Complex Synthetic Targets" Saturday 8 November 1997

Dr. Mathias Floersheimer

Department of Physics, University Muenster, Germany "Second Harmonic Imaging of Surface Order and Symmetry"

Thursday 13 November 1997

Professor Jozef Drabowicz

Polish Academy of Sciences in Lodz, Poland

"Studies on Sulfur Compounds: Synthetic and Stereochemical Aspects"

Thursday 13 November 1997

**Professor Edmunds Lukevics** 

Latvian Institute of Organic Synthesis, Latvia

"Synthesis, Structure and Biological Properties of Germatranes"

Friday 14 November 1997

Dr. Alexey V. Latyshev

Institute of Semiconductor Physics, Academy of Science,

Novosibirsk, Russia

"Electromigration on Si Surfaces"

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Professor Thomas S. Livinghouse

Montana State University, USA

"Enantio- and Diastereo- Controlled Chemical Synthesis

via Transition Metal Complexes"

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Dr. Yamanaka Masanori

"Scattering of an Electron by Magnetic Domain Walls" Department of Applied Physics, The University of Tokyo

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Dr. Shigenori Hiramatsu

High Energy Accelerator Research Organization

"Free Electron Laser for Gamma Collider"

Friday 21 November 1997

Dr. Xiaozhong. Zhang

Department of Physics, National University of Singapore, Singapore

"Atomistic Simulation of High Temperature

Superconductors"

Monday 24 November 1997

Dr. Hugo Christenson

Department of Applied Mathematics, Research School of Physical sciences, Australian National University,

Australia

157th Colloid Science Seminar

"Surface Forces and Long Range Hydrophobic Attraction Is the Long-Range Hydrophobic Attraction Relatied to

the mobility of Adsorbed Hydrophobic Groups?"

Thursday 27 November 1997

Dr. Satoru Yamada

National Institute of Radiological Sciences

"HIMAC, Accelerator for Cancer Therapy"

Friday 27, 28 November 1997

Dr. Henri Dhanzy

Centre de Recherches sur les Macromolécules Végétales,

CNRS, France

"Structural Aspects of Polyaccharide Drystals"

Wednesday 3 December 1997

Dr. Dominique Bourgeois

European Synchrotron Radiation Facility, France

"The Laue Technique for Time-resolved Macromolecular Crystallography: advantage, shortcomings and associated processing difficulties"

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Dr. Giuseppe Lamanna

Italian National Institute for Nuclear Physics, Bari, Italy

"Toward Ion Beam Ordering"

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Professor Seiichi Tokura

Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Japan

Chemistry and its Application of Chitin and Chitosan

Friday 5 December 1997

Professor Eishun Tsuchida Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan

Advanced Materials and Polymer Complexes

Friday 5 December 1997

Professor Robert Corriu

University of Montpellier II, France

"The Monophasic Hybrid Organic-Inorganic Materials"

Monday 8 December 1997

Professor Masako Kato

Department of Chemistry, Nara Women's University

"Crystal Structures and Their Fluorescent Properties of Pt -Diimine Complexes with Multi-dimensional

Interaction"

Tuesday 9 December 1997

Professor Jay S. Siegel

Department of Chemistry, University of California, San

Diego, USA

"Cyclohexatriene: Kekule, Mills-Nixon, and Now"

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Professor Masataka Mori

Department of Molecular Genetics, Kumamoto

University, Kumamoto, Japan

"Formation of Mitochondria and Molecular Chaperon"

Monday 15 December 1997

Professor Hiroyuki Nakazumi

Osaka Prefectural University

"Preparation and Properties of Functional Dye-

Incorporated Gel Films"

Friday 19 December 1997

Professor Edgar Niecke

Institut for Anorganische Chemie, Bonn, Germany

"Anions, Cations and Carbene Analogues, Containing P/

N Ronde'

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