

Under the auspices of Italian Chemical Society: Division of Organic Chemistry and Interdivisional Group of Catalysis Department of Chemical Science of Padova Department of Chemical Science and Technologies of Roma Tor Vergata University

Dear Colleagues,

we cordially invite you to participate to 15th International Symposium "Activation of Dioxygen and Homogeneous Catalytic Oxidation" (ADHOC 2024) in San Servolo Island, Italy, Jun 30th -Jul 3rd, 2024. ADHOC is the internationally leading conference on the activation of molecular oxygen towards substrate oxidation, and on homogeneous oxidation catalysis in general. New catalysts, new oxidants, new methods for catalytic oxidation, ranging from bleaching to the stereoselective oxy-functionalization of valuable synthetic intermediates, new mechanistic insights into oxidative processes, and many other subjects related to oxidation are typical topics for ADHOC conferences.

We want to remind to you all that this edition marks the 100th anniversary of the birth of Professor Giorgio Modena, March 15th 1924, the founder of Physical Organic Chemistry in Italy, and Chair of the first ADHOC meetings in Padova in 1984.

Please visit the ADHOC 2024 web-site at www.adhoc2024.com

The meeting will start on Sunday June 30th with a Special Opening lecture delivered by **Prof. Maurizio Prato**, from CIC Biomagune (Spain), to celebrate prof. Giorgio Modena Legacy. The panel of plenary and invited speakers is outstanding, and we have now the honor to announce that **Plenary Lectures** will be given by **Prof. Serena DeBeer** from Max Planck Institute, **Prof. Oxana Kholdeeva** from Boreskov Institute of Catalysis, **Prof. Miquel Costas** from Girona University, and **Prof. Daniel Nocera** from Harvard University. Furthermore, we will have the pleasure to host Prof. Gabriele Centi (Università di Messina and European Research Institute of Catalysis) for a Keynote Lecture on Industrial Oxidation Catalysis.

Registration is open and the early deadline is approaching (April 30th, 2024).

In addition, for young researchers (under 35) and for PhD students, Organic Chemistry Division and Catalysis Interdivisional group offer four fellowships for participation to ADHOC24 upon presentation of an abstract for oral communication (check the website for details).

Please note that the deadline for abstracts submission for oral/poster communication has been postponed to APRIL 15th Slots for oral communications are available

The organizing committee is preparing an exciting social program for participants and accompanying persons. Please do not hesitate to contact us for any additional information at <u>adhoc2024@adhoc2024.com</u>

We're very much looking forward to seeing and welcoming you in Venice next July.

Marcella Bonchio, Valeria Conte and Giulia Licini Chairs of ADHOC 2024

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