

51st SCOTTISH REGIONAL ORGANIC DIVISION "PERKIN" MEETING
WEDNESDAY, 21st JUNE 2023
SCIENCE TEACHING HUB, ABERDEEN

09.00 – 10.00 Arrival, Coffee/Tea, Poster, and Exhibit Setup

10.00 – 10.05 Welcome and Opening Remarks (Dr Laurent Trembleau)

10.05 – 12.15 Session 1 Chair: Dr Wael Houssen

10.05 – 10.35 **Dr William Farnaby** (University of Dundee)
"Targeted Protein Degradation at the Academic-Industry Interface"

10.35 – 11.05 **Dr Rebecca Walker** (University of Aberdeen)
"Design and Synthesis of Liquid Crystalline Materials Exhibiting Polar and Modulated Nematic Phases"

11.05 – 11.35 **Dr O. Stephen Ojo** (University of Glasgow)
"Exploration of Transition Metal-Hydrides in Catalysis"

11.35 – 12.05 **Dr Benjamin Bhawal** (University of Edinburgh)
"Regiochemical Editing by Carbonyl Chain-Walking"

12.05 – 12.15 **Sponsor Flash Presentations**

12.15 – 13.55 Lunch, Poster Session, and Exhibition

14.00 – 15.30 Session 2 Chair: Prof. Hai Deng

14.00 – 14.30 **Dr Rebecca Beveridge** (University of Strathclyde)
"Ion Mobility Mass Spectrometry Reveals the Effect of Small Molecules on Protein Conformation and Stoichiometry"

14.30 – 15.00 **Dr Ai-Lan Lee** (Heriot-Watt University)
"Decarboxylative Radical Functionalisations"

15.00 – 15.30 **Prof. David O'Hagan** (University of St Andrews)
"Exploring Properties of Partially Fluorinated Aliphatics and Alicyclics"

15.30 – 16.20 Coffee/Tea, Poster Session, and Exhibition

16.25 – 17.25 Plenary Session Chair: Prof. Marcel Jaspars

16.25 – 16.30 **Presentation of the RSC Merck, Sharp and Dohme Award 2022**

16.30 – 17.25 **Dr Katherine Wheelhouse, FRSC (GlaxoSmithKline)**
"Adventures in Pharmaceutical Catalysis"

17.25 – 17.30 **Poster Prizes and Closing Remarks (Dr Wael Houssen)**

17.30 – 18.30 **Wine Reception**

19:00 – 21.00 **Speakers' Dinner**