



PROGRAMME

5th September

10:30	<i>Registration and arrival refreshments</i>
11:00	<p>Welcome to the University of Bath- Professor Christopher Frost FRSC <i>Head of Chemistry Department, University of Bath</i> Lecture Theatre</p> <p>Introduction – Chair DAY 1 Professor Sue Gibson OBE CChem FRSC <i>Chair in Chemistry and Director of the Graduate School, Imperial College, London</i> Lecture Theatre</p>
11:30	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION 1 Lecture Theatre</p> <p>Multiple pathways to success Three speakers representing different stages of an academic career who may have taken a non-traditional route in. Their reflections may cover some of the challenges of the delegates and open up further discussion.</p> <p>Presentations from the speakers will be followed by a panel discussion with delegates.</p> <p><i>Panel members:</i></p> <p>Professor Nora de Leeuw CChem FRSC FLSW <i>Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Cardiff</i></p> <p>Dr Carmen Galan FRSC <i>Reader in Organic and Biological Chemistry, University of Bristol</i></p> <p>Dr Asel Sartbaeva MRSC <i>Royal Society University Research Fellow, University of Bath</i></p>
13:00	<i>Lunch</i>
14.00	<p>Keynote address –Professor Claire Carmalt CChem FRSC <i>Head of Chemistry Department, University College London</i> Lecture Theatre</p>

14.45	Poster session 1
15:45	<i>Tea break/check in time</i>
16.30	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION 2 Lecture Theatre</p> <p>How to stand out – make the grade Speakers on the non-academic skills necessary for success. Some will speak about what they look for in candidates and others will share some of their own insights for success.</p> <p>Presentations from the speakers will be followed by a panel discussion with delegates.</p> <p><i>Panel members:</i></p> <p>Professor Saiful Islam CChem FRSC <i>Department of Chemistry, University of Bath</i></p> <p>Dr Mike Andrews <i>Deputy Editor, Inorganic and RSC Advances, Royal Society of Chemistry</i></p> <p>Dr Anne Cameron <i>Post-doc Careers Specialist, University of Bath</i></p> <p>Clare Viney <i>CEO Vitae</i></p>
17:45	<i>Short break</i>
18:00	<p>Intro/preparation for Day 2 funding workshop - Julie Franklin CChem MRSC Lecture Theatre</p> <p>Summary of the day by the Chair</p>
18.15	<p>Presentation of Royal Society of Chemistry Inclusion and Diversity Prize by Professor Lesley Yellowlees CBE HonFRSC FRSE Lecture Theatre</p> <p>Presentation by prize winner Dr Hoby Wedler <i>University of California, Davis</i></p> <p>Drinks reception to celebrate the Inclusion and Diversity Prize</p>
19:15	<p>Conference dinner hosted by Professor Lesley Yellowlees CBE HonFRSC FRSE <i>Past President, Royal Society of Chemistry</i></p> <p>After-dinner speaker:-Professor Jeremy Sanders CBE FRSC FRS <i>Emeritus Professor of Chemistry, University of Cambridge</i></p>

6th September

09:00	Welcome- Chair Day 2 Professor Tom Welton OBE CChem FRSC <i>Head of Chemistry, Imperial College, London</i> Lecture Theatre
09:15	Funding your research Lecture Theatre Sources of funding and how to succeed in funding bids. Dr Cecilia Fenech Brincat MRSC <i>Research Delivery Executive at Cranfield University, Research and Innovation Office</i>
09:45	GROUP WORKSHOP Lecture Theatre Introduced and Chaired by Professor Kylie Vincent MRSC <i>Associate Professor in Chemistry, University of Oxford</i>
10.00	Peer review of pre-submitted proposals (<i>working tea break</i>).
11.00	Feedback from groups. Feedback from expert panel. Discussion. <i>Facilitators:</i> Dr Cecilia Fenech Brincat MRSC (feedback expert panel member) Dr Hazel Phillips CChem MRSC (feedback expert panel member) Dr Sarah Halliwell EPSRC (feedback expert panel member) Prof Kylie Vincent (feedback and expert panel member) Professor Tom Welton (Imperial College) Dr Asel Sartbaeva (University of Bath) Professor Lesley Yellowlees (University of Edinburgh) Professor Claire Carmalt (University College London)
11:30	Poster session 2
12:30	<i>Lunch</i>

13:15	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION 3 Lecture Theatre</p> <p>Practicalities of Applying for Grants Speakers with experience of success in obtaining funding, and assessing funding proposals. Presentations from the speakers will be followed by a panel discussion with delegates.</p> <p>Dr Hazel Phillips CChem MRSC <i>Research Development Manager for the Faculty of Health Sciences, Bristol.</i></p> <p>Dr Cecilia Fenech Brincat MRSC (see above)</p> <p>Dr Sarah Halliwell <i>Fellowships, Building Leadership Team, EPSRC</i></p> <p>Professor Kylie Vincent MRSC (see above)</p>
14:45	<p>Closing address - Chair Day 2 Professor Tom Welton Lecture Theatre</p>
15.15	<p><i>Tea and networking.</i></p> <p><i>Close of conference</i></p>

*Please note timings may be subject to change.

**1:1 mentoring sessions will run throughout both days, outside of the key speeches and panel discussions.