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**CALL FOR SPEAKERS:**

# 1st Postdoc Symposium (Virtual Meeting)

**Thursday 8th July and Friday 9th July 2021**

The first Postdoc Symposium of the Heterocyclic and Synthesis Group will be held during two sessions on Thursday 8th July (13.00-17.00) AND Friday 9th July (13.00-17.00). Due to the coronavirus pandemic, this will be a virtual meeting, and will be free to attend. This is a new virtual meeting, designed to complement our normal meeting schedule (since we were not able to run either our January Meeting or the Grasmere Lakeland Symposium in 2021).

There will be lectures from up to 10 postdoctoral associates (30 minutes each plus questions), who will be chosen by the committee based on the abstracts submitted. If you would like to apply to speak, please complete the attached form and send it to the Secretary, along with an abstract prepared on the template provided.

There will also be invited lectures from **Prof. Mark Levin** (University of Chicago) and **Prof. Sophie Rousseaux** (University of Toronto).

To attend the meeting, please go to <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4450753115729469198> to register. Instructions on how to join the meeting will be sent to you by email prior to the first session. In addition, more information can be found on the event website (<https://rsc.li/2TbpZtx>).

Susannah Coote (Secretary/Treasurer) July 2021

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 **1st Postgraduate Symposium, 8th/9th July 2021**

# Virtual Symposium

### Abstract Submission Form for Presenters

**Title:**

**Name:**

**Affiliation:**

(e.g. name of company, university etc.)

**E-mail:**

**PRESENTATION INFORMATION:**

I wish to submit an abstract for consideration for presentation as a virtual seminar. I would prefer to present on:

 Thursday 8th July (PM)

 Friday 9th July (PM)

 Either of the above slots

Please e-mail this form and a one-page abstract (use the template on the next page) to Dr Susannah Coote (s.coote@lancaster.ac.uk) **by Thursday 17th June**. If selected to speak, the abstract will be used in the meeting booklet, which will be emailed to all participants. You will be informed whether your abstract has been selected for presentation by Tuesday 29th June at the latest.

The names of the selected speakers will be available on the RSC event website (<https://rsc.li/2TbpZtx>) as soon as the speaker list is confirmed.

# Deadline for returning abstracts for consideration for speaking: Thursday 17th June 2021

# Deadline for delegate registration: Wednesday 7th July 2021

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