

RSC BMCS Fragments 2011  
7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> March 2011, GlaxoSmithKline, Stevenage

## APPLICATION FORM

Please note that a late application fee applies after 4<sup>th</sup> February 2011.  
This form should be completed clearly and returned with your remittance to: Conference Secretariat,  
Maggi Churchouse, 3 East Barn, Market Weston Road, Theltham, Diss IP22 1JJ, UK  
Fax: +44 (0)1359 221004, e-mail: maggi@maggichurchouseevents.co.uk

Title (Prof, Dr, etc): ..... First Name: .....

Last (Family) Name: .....

Job Title: .....

Organisation: .....

Address: .....

Postcode: .....

E-mail (for correspondence): .....

Telephone(for contact by us): .....

Special needs: please inform us any dietary requirements, access or other facilities required

### Registration Fees

Please tick as appropriate.	Up to 31 December	1 Jan to 4 Feb
RSC member*	£180	£225
Non-members	£250	£295
RSC student member*	£90	£99
Non-member student	£125	£137
Trade stand (excluding delegate)	£625	£625
Add late booking fee for registration payments received by the Secretariat after 4 February		£30

\* RSC membership number: .....

**Transport:** I plan to use the free transport between:

- railway station & venue ☐
- venue and Ramada Cromwell Hotel ☐
- Ramada Cromwell Hotel and conference dinner ☐

### Payment Methods

1. Cheque: I enclose a cheque payable to Maggi Churchouse Events for £ .....
2. Bank Transfer: Payments may be made by BACS - please contact Conference Secretariat for details. All charges must be paid by the sender. Please include the delegate name as the reference in the bank instruction and send a copy with the application form.
3. Card: Card payments may be made online at [www.maggichurchouseevents.co.uk/bmcs](http://www.maggichurchouseevents.co.uk/bmcs)

DATA PROTECTION: The information you supply will be used for the administration of the meeting. A list of participants' names and e-mail addresses will be distributed at the conference. If you DO NOT wish your address to be included, please tick the box - ☐



## Information

### Venue

Stevenage is convenient for travel by road or rail. Located on the A1, there is parking available on site. Trains from London Kings Cross run frequently (four an hour) and the journey time is around 30 minutes. Travel advice and directions will be sent to registered participants.

### Accommodation

We have held a limited number of discounted bedrooms for this conference at the Ramada Cromwell Hotel in Stevenage (see [www.RamadaCromwellStevenage.co.uk](http://www.RamadaCromwellStevenage.co.uk)). Double rooms for single occupancy cost £76 including breakfast and VAT. Quote reference number 31387, and note that all rooms will be released on 3<sup>rd</sup> March. Book early to avoid disappointment.

### Application and Fees

Please see overleaf for rates. Discounted rates are offered to RSC student members.

### Conference Dinner

The conference dinner will be held on 7<sup>th</sup> March at the 400-year-old Lodge and Manor Barns at Knebworth House and this dinner is included in the registration fees.

### Organising Committee

- Mike Hann GlaxoSmithKline
- Samantha Hughes Pfizer
- Thorsten Nowak AstraZeneca
- Richard Paupit AstraZeneca
- Zoran Rankovic Eli Lilly
- Gordon Saxty (chair) Astex
- Mark Whittaker Evotec

### Registration

Website: [www.maggichurchouseevents.co.uk/bmcs](http://www.maggichurchouseevents.co.uk/bmcs)

Registration: For card payment, please register online via the website above.

Cheque and bank transfer payment: Please complete and return the form overleaf.

Discounts: We offer discounts to RSC members quoting membership number and to students. Early-bird discounts apply to payments received by 31<sup>st</sup> December and standard rates will apply thereafter. A late fee of £30 will charged on registration payments received after 4<sup>th</sup> February.

Cancellation: In the event of your cancellation before 21<sup>st</sup> February, 80% of the fee paid will be refunded. Refunds will not be possible after that date, although substitutions are possible at any time.

### Exhibition Opportunities

Please contact the Secretariat to be included in the trade exhibition

### Call for posters

The call for posters is now open, and a template is available from the Secretariat.

Closing date is 31<sup>st</sup> January 2011

### Acknowledgements / Sponsors

Special thanks to GlaxoSmithKline for hosting this event

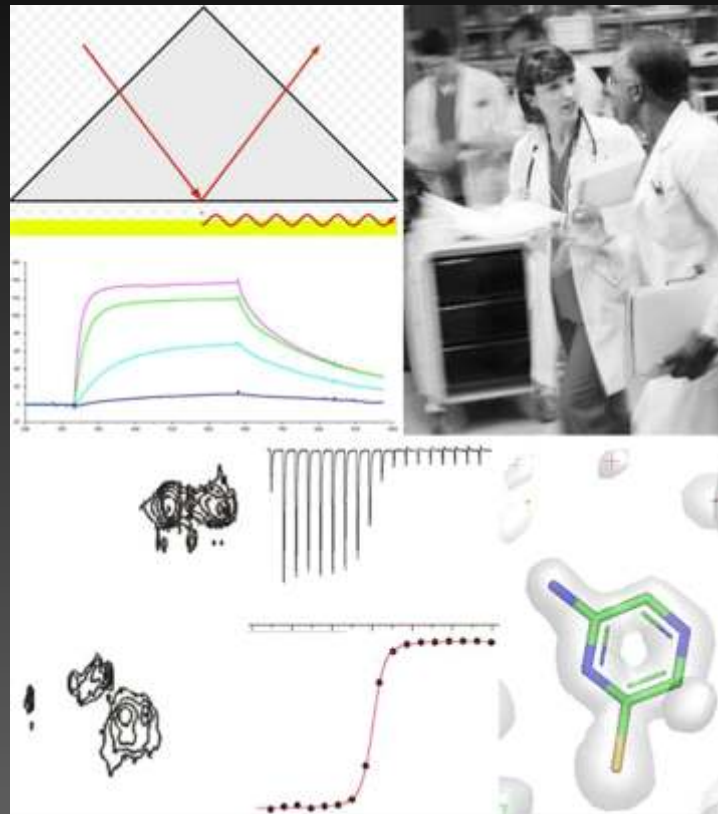
### Contact/Secretariat and to register an interest

Maggi Churchouse, 3 East Barn, Market Weston Road, Theltham, Diss IP22 1JJ  
telephone and fax +44 (0)1359 221004, [maggi@maggichurchouseevents.co.uk](mailto:maggi@maggichurchouseevents.co.uk)

Website: [www.maggichurchouseevents.co.uk/BMCS](http://www.maggichurchouseevents.co.uk/BMCS)



## Final Announcement and Application Form



## Fragments 2011

3rd RSC-BMCS Fragment-based Drug Discovery meeting

Monday-Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> March 2011

GlaxoSmithKline, Stevenage, UK

Call for Posters  
Abstracts by 31st January



RSC | Advancing the  
Chemical Sciences



# Introduction and Programme

## Introduction

The aim of the 3rd RSC–BMCS Fragment-based Drug Discovery meeting will be to continue the focus on case studies in Fragment-based Drug Discovery that have delivered compounds to late-stage medicinal chemistry, preclinical or clinical programmes. These case studies will include successful examples from all types of fragment-based approaches, including high concentration, NMR, SPR and X-ray screening.

## Who should attend

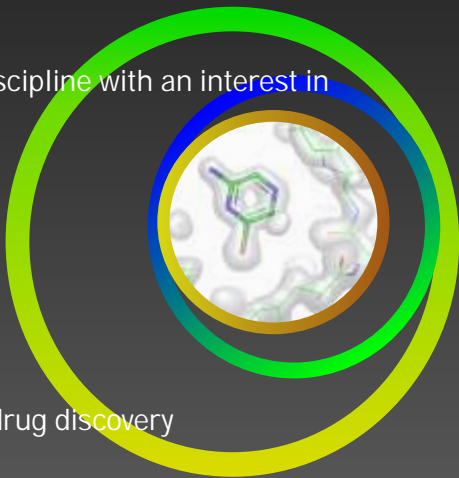
This conference is suitable for scientists from any discipline with an interest in expanding their knowledge and experience of FBDD

## Programme

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March

- 08.30 Registration and refreshments
- 10.20 Opening remarks  
Dave Allen (GlaxoSmithKline, UK)
- 10.30 Structural case studies in fragment-based drug discovery  
Chris Murray (Astex, UK)
- 11.15 A fragment based approach towards the identification of Rho kinase (ROCK) inhibitors and their optimisation into lead candidates  
Peter Ray (Merck, UK)
- 12.00 Short oral presentations from poster presenters
- 12.30 Lunch and poster session
- 13.30 Fragment screening by surface plasmon resonance  
Iva Navratilova (University of Dundee, UK)
- 14.15 Utilization of SPR biosensors in the identification and development of fragments  
Tony Giannetti (Genentec, USA)
- 15.15 Refreshments
- 15.30 The use of MS as an affinity screening tool in the context of FBDD  
Denis Zeyer (Novartis, France)
- 16.15 Fragment-based design of BACE inhibitors  
Corey Strickland (Merck, UK)
- 17.00 Close of first day and transport to Ramada Cromwell Hotel

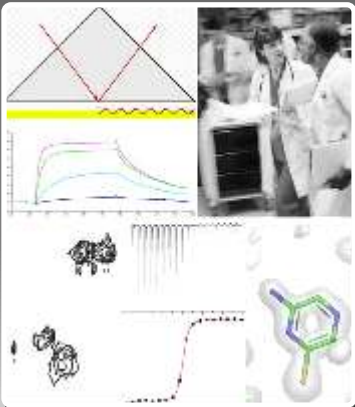
19.00 for 19:30 Conference dinner at Knebworth Barns



# Programme

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March

- 08.30 Refreshments
- 09.00 Design of compound libraries for fragment screening  
Dave Cosgrove (AstraZeneca, UK)
- 09.45 Building confidence for chemistry by generation of a quality library and a multidisciplinary approach  
Jane Withka (Pfizer, USA)
- 10.30 Refreshments
- 11.00 Computer-assisted fragment-based de novo design and binding site characterisation  
Gisbert Schneider (ETH, Switzerland)
- 11.45 From complexity to candidates: fragment-based drug discovery at GSK  
Andrew Leach (GlaxoSmithKline, UK)
- 12.30 Lunch and posters
- 13.30 Small molecule crystal structures as an aid to fragment placement and exploitation  
Colin Groom (CCDC, UK)
- 14.15 Application of the Fragment Molecular Orbital (FMO) method to fragment-based drug discovery  
Rich Law (Evotec UK)
- 15.00 Fragment and structure-based approaches to checkpoint kinase inhibitors  
Ian Collins (Institute of Cancer Research, UK)
- 15.45 GPCR structure-based drug design using stabilized receptors (StaRs)  
Miles Congreve (Heptares Therapeutics, UK)
- 16.30 Closing remarks  
Gordon Saxty (Astex Therapeutics, UK)
- 17.20 Close
- 17.30 Coaches leave



# General Information

## Posters

Posters are seen as an important part of the meeting and will be displayed throughout. Poster sessions will take place each lunchtime. Offers of posters relevant to the themes of the meeting are invited. Please submit a one-page abstract in Word, 12 pt Ariel font, to reach the Secretariat by 31<sup>st</sup> January.

## Exhibition Opportunities

A limited number of trade stands can be accommodated, charged at £625 (excluding delegate), and allocated on a “first come, first served” basis.

## Conference Dinner

The conference dinner will be held on 7<sup>th</sup> March at the 400-year-old Lodge and Manor Barns at Knebworth House 7<sup>th</sup> March, and this dinner is included in the registration fees.

## Bursaries

The organisers have a number of bursaries available for students, preference being given to those offering posters and to student members. The bursaries are worth £250 which will be used for the registration fee with the balance available for travel and accommodation expenses against receipts. To apply, please send a letter with details of the area of research explaining why attendance would be beneficial. A letter of support from the research supervisor must accompany the application. Please send by email to the secretariat by 5<sup>th</sup> January.

## Venue and travel

Stevenage is convenient for travel by road or rail. Located on the A1, there is parking available on site. Trains from London Kings Cross run frequently (four an hour) and the journey time is around 30 minutes. All five airports are easily accessible by train, and London Luton, London Stansted and London City have the shortest road journey (35-40 minutes).

## Transport

A free staff bus runs between Stevenage railway station to the GSK site every morning and evening at 15 minute intervals, and journey time is 10 minutes. If you are planning to take the bus from or to railway station, please indicate this on your registration application.

Each morning and evening, coach transport will be provided between the Ramada Cromwell Hotel and the GSK site. If you are planning to use this service, please indicate this on your registration application.

Coach transport will be provided from the Ramada Cromwell Hotel to the conference dinner at Knebworth Barns. If you are planning to use this service, please indicate this on your registration application.