

FALL 2017

ORGANIC DISCUSSION GROUP

THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

SEPTEMBER 14th, 2017

Postdoctoral Speaker

From Trifluoroborates to Acylboronates: Cancer Imaging as an Incentive for the Development of Boron Chemistry

Dr. Mathieu Lepage

Supervisor: David Perrin

Department of Chemistry, University of British Columbia

OCTOBER 12th, 2017

Invited Speaker

Targeting Protein Function Using Structure-Activity Relationship (SAR) Studies and Proteolysis-Targeting Chimeras (PROTACs) – Organic Synthesis is the Key

Professor Darren J. Derksen

Department of Chemistry, Alberta Children's Hospital

University of Calgary - Calgary, Alberta

NOVEMBER 2nd, 2017

Invited Speaker

Functional Surfactants and Macromolecular Architectures for Catalysis, Encapsulation, and Transport

Professor Valentin O. Rodionov

KAUST Catalysis Center and Division of Physical Sciences and Engineering

King Abdullah University of Science and Technology - Thuwal, Saudi Arabia

NOVEMBER 23rd, 2017

Invited Speaker

Frontiers in Gold Catalysis: Dual Activation and Photoredox Catalysis

Professor A. Stephen K. Hashmi

Department of Chemistry

University of Heidelberg – Heidelberg, Germany

All events will be held in D300 (2036 Main Mall). The speaker will begin promptly at 6:30 pm. Come after 6:15 pm for refreshments!

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