International Conference on Plant Chemical Biology

Syngenta International Research Centre, Bracknell, Jealott's Hill, Berkshire, UK **Tuesday 24th April 2012**



Programme

9:30	Registration
10.00	Plenary Lecture : Hiroshi Maeda -Michigan State University "Aromatic amino acid biosynthesis and its regulation in plants"
10.40	Invited Lecture Ive DeSmet – Nottingham University "Using synthetic peptides to unravel receptor kinase signalling in root development"
11.10	Coffee + Poster Session
11.40	Short talk (selected from poster abstracts) Ramon Vilar – Imperial College London "Molecular tools for biological imaging and intervention"
11.50	Short talk (selected from poster abstracts) Tina Roose - University of Southampton "Modeling Plant Nutrient Uptake: the Effect of Root Hairs"
12.00	Short talk (selected from poster abstracts) Oscar Ces – Imperial College London "Novel Microfluidic Technologies for Manufacturing 2-D and 3-D Artificial Biomembranes"
12.10	Lunch and Poster Session
13.10	Plenary Lecture Bill Rutherford Imperial College London "Photosynthetic reaction centres: bioenergetics, evolution and strategies for improving photosynthetic efficiency"
13.50	Invited Lecture Mark Estelle – UC San Diego "Function of the Auxin co-receptor complex in plant growth"
14.20	Invited Lecture Torquil Fraser and Tim Hawkes – Syngenta "How to invent a herbicide"
14.50	Invited Lecture Erich Kombrink - Max Planck Institute for Plant Breeding Research "Chemical biology and plant-microbe interactions"
15.20	Coffee
16.00	Plenary Lecture 3 Robert Edwards – University of York "The Chemical Biology of Herbicide Safening"
16.40	Tour of Syngenta Herbicide Biology

17.30 Event ends