

Controlled Release Society Annual Meeting & Exposition

a preview

Trade show celebrates the science of controlled-release drug delivery



The 46th annual Controlled Release Society (CRS) meeting and exposition will take place July 21-24 at the Palacio de Congresos de València, in Valencia, Spain. More than 1,200 industry and academic professionals focused on drug delivery, pharmaceutical science, consumer and diversified products, pre-clinical science, and animal health are expected to attend this year's show.

On Saturday and Sunday, July 20 and 21, visitors can participate in half- and full-day pre-meeting workshops. These workshops are generally a collaborative effort between industry and academia and will cover topics such as nano-particle-based therapeutic delivery formulations, oral drug delivery, and phospholipid excipients.

Sunday evening, attendees are invited to the opening reception on the show floor, where they will be able to interact with exhibitors and poster presenters.

During the conference, visitors can attend networking groups and scientific sessions focused on the advancements of controlled-release science in the fields of bioengineering, drug delivery, material science,

pharmaceuticals, consumer and diversified products, and veterinary science.

On Monday, Dr. Ralph Weissleder, professor at Harvard Medical School and director of the Center for Systems Biology at Massachusetts General Hospital, will present the plenary session "New Approaches in Imaging and Sensing of Drug Action," reviewing his research on PK/PD imaging as well as new sensor technologies for monitoring and molecular diagnostics in patients.

On Tuesday, Ana Jaklenec, a research scientist at MIT, will discuss recent advancements in oral controlled-release systems for food and nutraceutical applications.

On Wednesday, after a morning of scientific sessions, the conference will end with the closing session and awards ceremony from noon to 2:00 pm.

CRS's Young Scientist Committee (YSC)—a group whose membership includes students and early career scientists in academia or industry under the age of 40 as well as scientists with less than five years' experience in the science, technology, and innovation of delivery of bioactives—has planned

a number of educational and networking opportunities for the annual meeting. On Saturday, July 20, the Young Scientist pre-meeting workshop will take place from noon to 2:30 pm, and from 8:00 am to 11:00 am the following day, attendees can join the Young Scientist Professional Development forum.

Attendees will have the opportunity to listen to experienced drug delivery researchers discuss their careers and offer advice to those starting their own journey in drug delivery research at the Young Scientist Meet & Greet with a Luminary on July 21 from 11:00 am to noon and at the Young Scientist Start with a Luminary session on July 23 from 7:00 am to 8:00 am. Luminaries include Ben Boyd, PhD, of Monash University; Maria Jose Alonso, PhD, of the University of Santiago de Compostela, Spain; David Brayden, PhD, of the University of Dublin; Kinam Park, PhD, of Purdue University and editor-in-chief of the *Journal of Controlled Release*; and Mark Prausnitz, PhD, of Georgia Tech.



Exhibitor List

The following companies and organizations are exhibiting at the Control Release Society 2019 Annual Meeting & Exposition. The most up-to-date list can be found at 2019.controlledreleasesociety.org.

Company	Booth		
Absorption Systems	413	Microfluidics International	308
Agilent Technologies	107	Nisso Chemical Europe	203
Agilent Technologies	108	NOF	306
Ashland	411	Oakwood Labs	408
Avanti Polar Lipids	205	Orbis Biosciences	310
BASF	409	Pfanstiehl	412
Bioinicia	410	PharmaCircle	406
Colorcon	105	Polymum Scientific	208
Corbion Biomaterials	103	Polypeptide Therapeutic Solutions	402
Dolomite Mircofluidics	211	Precision NanoSystems	403
Durect/Lactel Absorbable Polymers	202	ProMed Pharma	307
Evonik	210	Recro Gainesville	209
Foster Delivery Science	206	Simulations Plus	302
Gattefosse	104	Sotax	207
Halozyme	106	Southwest Research Institute	102
Lubrizol Lifesciences	305	Stable Micro Systems	301
Malvern Panalytical	204	Suven	404
		Teledyne Hanson Research	101
		Labtec	407
		Umang Pharmatech	405
		Wyatt Technology	304

Who?

Scientists, engineers, clinicians, and technical professionals involved in delivery science and technology

When?

Pre-Meeting Workshops

July 20	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
July 21	7:30 am to 11:30 am

Opening Reception

July 21	5:00 pm to 7:00 pm
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Education

July 21	8:00 am to 5:30 pm
July 22	7:00 am to 5:30 pm
July 23	7:00 am to 6:00 pm
July 24	7:00 am to 12:00 pm

Exposition

July 22	9:00 am to 7:00 pm
July 23	9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Closing and Awards Ceremony

July 24	12:00 pm to 2:00 pm
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For more information

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