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Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to announce that The **4th Symposium on Innovative Polymers for Controlled Delivery (SIPCD 2016)** will be held in September 23-26, 2016 in Suzhou, China. The symposium is co-organized by Soochow University and Changchun Institute of Applied Chemistry of the Chinese Academy of Sciences. The symposium promises to bring together top scientists, prominent young researchers as well as PhD students in the areas of biomaterials, controlled drug delivery, protein and cell delivery, gene delivery, polymer-based diagnostics, nanomedicine, and tissue engineering.

The symposium will attract about 550 participants, with 32 invited lectures (confirmed speakers are listed below) and about 300 poster presentations. The papers presented at the Symposium will be published in a special issue of the *Journal of Controlled Release* (IF 7.705).

Suzhou, about one hour away from Shanghai, is an ancient city with a history of more than 2500 years. The city is well known for its beautifully preserved centre, its exquisite gardens and its impressive system of small canals. Suzhou is surrounded by lakes and is also known as the Venice of China. Not just for its natural beauty, its splendid history, or its cultural heritage, Suzhou's economy represents the highest growth and the fastest expansion in the past 5-10 years in the region and in China. More than 130 of the world top 500 corporations listed in *Fortune* have set their offices in the town.

It is our opinion that an exposure of your organization or company at the symposium will be of great help to further establish contacts with worldwide leading researchers and their PhD students.

We kindly ask for your financial support to make this Symposium a success, which can be at three levels.

Sponsor Level 1: US\$ 8000

- Presentation of your Logo during the opening of the Symposium
- Publication of your Logo in the Special Issue of the Journal of Controlled Release
- Publication of your Logo on the back cover of the symposium abstract book
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- Space for presenting a poster of your organization during the whole conference
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- Option to be the sponsor for a particular event (poster session, garden tour, group photo, gifts for invited speakers, special invitee dinner) or a scientific session
- Free registration for two persons.

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- Hyperlinks to your organization website from our SIPCD symposium homepage
- Free registration for one person.

For further information about SIPCD 2016, please visit homepage <http://www.sipcd.com>.

We sincerely are looking forward to a positive response.

Kind regards,

Chair of International Organizing Committee

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The 4th Symposium on Innovative Polymers for Controlled Delivery (SIPCD 2016)

23-26 September 2016 | Suzhou, China

Confirmed Speakers



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Robert D. Bent chaired Professor, University of Pennsylvania (USA)

Member: National Academies of Engineering and Medicine (USA)

Reviewing Editor: Science



Ann-Christine Albertsson (Keynote Speaker)

Professor and Head of Polymer Technology,

KTH Royal Institute of Technology (Sweden)

Editor-in-Chief: Biomacromolecules

Member: Royal Swedish Academy of Engineering Science



David Haddleton (Keynote Speaker)

Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Warwick (UK)

Editor-in-Chief: Polymer Chemistry



Kazunori Kataoka (Plenary Speaker)

Professor of Biomaterials and Clinical Biotechnology, Graduate School of Engineering,

The University of Tokyo (Japan)

Member: The Science Council of Japan



Hamid Ghandehari (Keynote Speaker)

Professor, Departments of Pharmaceutics and Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Bioengineering,
University of Utah (USA)

Editor: Advanced Drug Delivery Reviews



Jackie Ying (Plenary Speaker)

Professor, Executive Director, Institute of Bioengineering and Nanotechnology (Singapore)

Editor: Nano Today

Member: German National Academy of Sciences



Harm Anton Klok (Keynote Speaker)

Professor and Director of the Polymers Laboratory, EPFL (Switzerland)

Associate Editor: Biomacromolecules



Chen Jiang (Keynote Speaker)

Professor, School of Pharmacy, Fudan University (China)



[Jan van Hest \(Keynote Speaker\)](#)

Professor, Department of Organic Chemistry, Radboud University Nijmegen
(The Netherlands)

Associate Editor: Bioconjugate Chemistry



[Kazunari Akiyoshi \(Keynote Speaker\)](#)

Professor of Polymer Chemistry, Research Director, JST ERATO Akiyoshi Bio-nanotransporter project, Kyoto University (Japan)



[Omid Farokhzad \(Plenary Speaker\)](#)

Professor, Brigham and Women's Hospital, Harvard Medical School (USA)

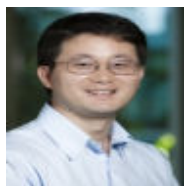


[Hsingwen Sung \(Keynote Speaker\)](#)

Chair Professor, National Tsinghua University (Taiwan)

President of Society of Biomaterials and Controlled Release, Taiwan

Associate Editor: Biomaterials



[Liangfang Zhang \(Keynote Speaker\)](#)

Professor, Department of Nanoengineering of Moores Cancer Center, University of California, San Diego (USA)



[Martina H. Stenzel \(Keynote Speaker\)](#)

Professor of School of Chemistry, Co-director of Centre for Advanced Macromolecular Design, University of New South Wales (Australia)



[Molly Shoichet \(Keynote Speaker\)](#)

University Professor, University of Toronto (Canada)

Associate Editor: Biomacromolecules

Fellow: Canadian Academy of Engineering, Health Sciences, and Sciences



[Yen Wei \(Keynote Speaker\)](#)

Chair Professor of Chemistry, Director of the Tsinghua Center for Frontier Polymer Research, Tsinghua University (China)



[Niveen Khashab \(Keynote Speaker\)](#)

Professor of Chemical Science, King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (KAUST) (Kingdom of Saudi Arabia)



Sébastien Lecommandoux (Keynote)

Professor, Université de Bordeaux (France)

Associate Editor: Biomacromolecules



Qiang Zhang (Keynote Speaker)

Professor of School of Pharmacy, Peking University (China)



Rainer Haag (Keynote Speaker)

Professor and Vice Dean Research, Department of Biology, Chemistry and Pharmacy,
Freie Universität Berlin (Germany)



Sangyong Jon (Keynote Speaker)

Professor of Biological Sciences, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology
(KAIST) (Korea)



William R. Wagner (Keynote Speaker)

Professor of Surgery, Bioengineering and Chemical Engineering, University of

Pittsburgh (USA)

Editor-in-Chief: Acta Biomaterialia



Shiyong Liu (Keynote Speaker)

Professor and Vice Dean, School of Chemistry and Material Science, University of Science and Technology of China (USTC, China)



Won Jong Kim (Keynote Speaker)

Professor of Chemistry, Pohang University of Science and Technology (Korea)



Shaoqin "Sarah" Gong (Keynote Speaker)

Vilas Distinguished Achievement Professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering, University of Wisconsin–Madison (USA)

Associate Editor: Biomaterials



Wim E. Hennink (Keynote Speaker)

Professor and Head of Pharmaceutics Department, Utrecht University (The Netherlands)

Special Issue Editor: Journal of Controlled Release



Tuo Jin (Keynote Speaker)

Professor of Pharmacy, Shanghai Jiaotong University (China)



Twan Lammers (Keynote Speaker)

Professor of Medicine, RWTH Aachen University (Germany)

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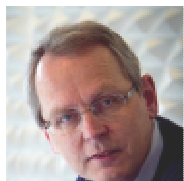
Professor (chair) for Experimental Physics, Philipps-University of Marburg (Germany)

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Yong-Hee Kim (Keynote Speaker)

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