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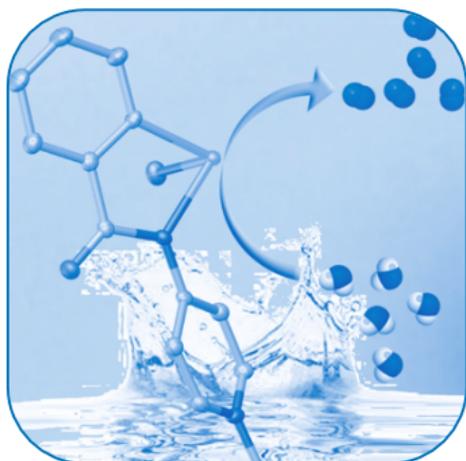
# *Homogeneous Catalysis: New Paradigms, Wonderful Applications*

and Werner Prize Lectures 2017

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## Local Host and Chair of the Meeting

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## Venue

University of Bern  
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and Biochemistry  
Big Lecture Hall, basement floor  
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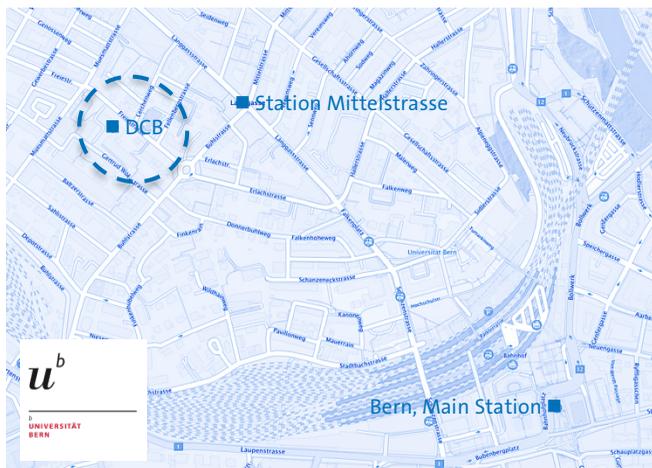


### How to get there

**By a short 10 min walk:** The Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry can be reached from the train station (Hauptbahnhof Bern) by a short 10 min walk.

**By Bus:** By Bus Nr. 12 - direction "Länggasse" from Bern Railway station (plan of bus stops at railway station), leave at the bus-stop "Mittelstrasse". DCB is opposite the Paulus Church.

**By car:** A1/A12 direction Neuchâtel/Fribourg, exit Bern-Neufeld. Parking is strictly limited to 60 min in the whole area. For longer parking opt for the railway station car park.



## Program

09.00	Registration, Welcome coffee (sponsored by MDPI) Commercial Exhibition
09.30	Opening, welcome Prof. Martin Albrecht, University of Bern
09.35	<b>Prof. John Hartwig</b> , Berkeley, USA « <i>Selective Functionalization with Small and Large Catalysts</i> »
10.15	<b>Prof. David Milstein</b> , Weizmann, Israel « <i>Design and Applications of Sustainable Catalytic Reactions for Synthesis and Energy</i> »
11.00	Break
11.30	<b>Dr. Rocco Paciello</b> , BASF, Germany « <i>Homogeneous Catalysis@BASF</i> »
12.15	Werner Lecture I: <b>Prof. Kevin Sivula</b> , EPF Lausanne « <i>Engineering semiconductor materials and catalysts for photoelectrochemical solar fuel production</i> »
12.50	Lunch / Commercial Exhibition
13.30	SCS General Assembly 2017
14.00	Werner Lecture II: <b>Prof. Christof Sparr</b> , University of Basel « <i>The Stereoselective Arene-Forming Aldol Condensation</i> »
14.35	<b>Prof. Morris Bullock</b> , Pacific Northwestern, USA « <i>Design of Molecular Electrocatalysts for the Production and Oxidation of Hydrogen</i> »
15.20	Break
15.45	<b>Prof. Hansjörg Grützmacher</b> , ETH Zurich « <i>Fun with Funny Organophosphorus Compounds</i> »
16.30	<b>Prof. Pedro Perez</b> , Huelva, Spain « <i>Coinage metal-based catalysis for methane functionalization</i> »
17.15	Closing remarks Aperitif and networking event

Abstracts of the talks are available on the symposium website.

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## Registration

Please register on [www.scg.ch/springmeeting/2017/](http://www.scg.ch/springmeeting/2017/)

Deadline for registration is April 18, 2017

### Fees

- SCS Members: free of charge  
If attending as an SCS member you must bring your SCS membership-card with you!
- Non-members: CHF 50.- (+VAT)  
Pre-registered participants will get an invoice in advance to avoid waiting time at the registration desk.

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