

**REGISTRATION FEE**

The registration fee includes the conference booklet, conference dinner and refreshments during coffee breaks.

**FEES:**

Regular	€ 100
Student	€ 50
Accompanying person	€ 50

**From Aug 15 until Sep 15, 2015**

Regular	€ 150
Student	€ 100
Accompanying person	€ 100

**PAYMENT**

Payment should be made in EUR by bank transfer indicating the **reference number** below and the name of the conference delegate.

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**ACCOMMODATION**

There are a number of hotels of all classes in Aachen and area. Prices range from € 75 to 150/night.

Delegates are invited to use the online hotel reservation services: <http://www.aachen.de/> or <http://www.hrs.de/web3/>

The organisers are happy to help with any reservations.

Nearest hotel to venue:

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<http://www.rwth-aachen.de/go/id/tld>

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**Effect-related evaluation of anthropogenic trace substances - concepts for genotoxicity, neurotoxicity and endocrine effects**

4<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

Aachen, Germany  
22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> October 2015

**Organiser**

**Institute for Environmental Research**  
**Department of Ecosystem Analysis,**  
**RWTH Aachen University**

*under the auspices of*

**Water Chemistry Society**

Division of the German Chemistry Society  
Main Committee II:

- Water Ingredients and Water Quality -



**SCOPE OF THE SYMPOSIUM**

Water is the largest and most important natural resource on earth. However, the major portion consists of salt water in the oceans and of glacier ice. Only a minor portion is immediately available for drinking water use. As a consequence, drinking water supplies are generally vulnerable to a multitude of natural and anthropogenic disturbances. Climate change, excessive consumption, contamination or other forms of water abuse by industries and agriculture have already led to water shortages in several regions of the world, even of the western hemisphere. Despite numerous advances of regulatory measures such as the new European chemicals policy REACH and the EU Water Framework Directive, an increasing number of anthropogenic pollutants has been identified in water bodies. Provision of sufficient amounts of non-polluted water has thus become a major challenge to societies throughout the world. This INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM aims at presenting in vitro test concepts for the evaluation and regulation of anthropogenic substances from the perspective of genotoxicity, neurotoxicity and endocrine effects.

Participants are invited to present platform presentations and posters.

Exhibiting companies are welcome.

**SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME****Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2015**

11:00	Registration
12:45 – 13:00	Opening/Welcome message
13:00 – 13:30	Opening lecture T. Grummt, Germany <i>“Assessment of anthropogenic substances in the aquatic environment”</i>
13:30 – 14:00	M. Kramer, Germany <i>“Micro-pollutants – a water provider's perspective”</i>
<b>14:00 – 14:30</b>	<b>Coffee Break &amp; Poster Session</b>

**Afternoon Session: 14:30 – 17:15****TOPIC 1 Genotoxicity (Chair: E. Küster)**

14:30– 15:15	Invited Lecture Genotoxicity David DeMarini (EPA, USA) <i>“Use of in vitro assays to assess the contribution of environmental contaminants on water mutagenicity”</i>
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15:15– 15:45	Lecture Module Genotoxicity
<b>15:45 –16:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break &amp; Poster Session</b>
16:00 – 17:00	Oral presentations G1 – G3 20 min each
17:00 – 17:15	Discussion
17:30 – 19:00	Guided tour of Aachen Cathedral
19:30	Conference Dinner

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2015****Morning Session: 9:00 – 11:15****TOPIC 2 Neurotoxicity (Chair: T. Braunbeck)**

9:00 – 9:45	Invited Lecture Neurotoxicity Stephanie Padilla (EPA, USA) <i>“Neurotoxicity in aquatic systems: evaluation of anthropogenic trace substances”</i>
9:45 – 10:15	T. Braunbeck, Germany Module Neurotoxicity
10:15 – 11:15	Oral presentations N1 – N3 20 min each
<b>11:15 – 11:45</b>	<b>Coffee Break &amp; Poster Session</b>
<b>Midday Session: 11:45 – 14:00</b>	
<b>TOPIC 3 Endocrine Disruptors (Chair: T.-B. Seiler)</b>	
11:45 – 12:30	Invited Lecture Endocrine Disruptors Peter Behnisch (BioDetection Systems, Amsterdam) <i>„Effects of environmental pollutants by in vitro bioanalysis”</i>
12:30 – 13:00	H. Hollert, Germany Module Endocrine Disruptors
13:00 – 14:00	Oral presentations E1 – E3 20 min each
14:00 – 14:20	Panel Discussion and Closing Remarks

**Call for Abstracts:**

Participants to the symposium are kindly invited to submit their abstracts by **September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015**.

*Instructions for abstract submission:*

1. Complete the abstract using MS Word (Times New Roman, 11 fonts).
2. Abstracts should contain title, authors, affiliations, e-mail address of the corresponding author, and abstract text.
3. Keep the length of abstract within 1 page.
4. Send your abstract to **elke.doelling@uba.de** as an attachment.

**REGISTRATION FORM**

- I will attend the symposium
- I will present an oral lecture with the title
- I will present a poster
- I will attend the guided tours of Aachen Cathedral
- I will attend the Conference Dinner

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