

Macrocyclic and Supramolecular Chemistry Interest Group

Speaker lists for past MASC and ECR-MASC meetings. This list will be updated as further meetings take place, and as we recover more information from meetings in the past. [This version: 24/6/2025]

MASC 2024 – York

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture: Peter Gallagher, University of Southampton

Bob Hay Lecture: Emily Draper, University of Glasgow

RSC Supramolecular Chemistry Award lecture: Jonathan Nitschke, University of Cambridge

Invited:

Duncan Bruce, University of York

Nathalie Katsonis, University of Groningen

Dan Pantoş, University of Bath

Timothy Barendt, University of Birmingham

Jessica Wade, Imperial College London

Ben Bin Xu, Northumbria University

Sarah Pike, University of Birmingham

Birgit Esser, University of Ulm

David Leigh, University of Manchester

Rienk Eelkema, Delft University of Technology

Peter Crowley, University of Galway

Avinash Patil, University of Bristol

Contributed:

Alessandro D'Urso, University of Catania

Andrew Surman, King's College London

Lei Chen, University of Manchester

Nicola Rogers, Hong Kong Baptist University

Tessel Bouwens, Delft University of Technology

Charlie McTernan, King's College London

Flash:

Stephen Fielden, University of Birmingham

Jinyi Xuan, Durham University

Julia Villalva, Leiden University

Yuen Cheong (Richard) Tse, University of Cambridge

Tajmon Vadukoote, University of York

Ruby Morel, Imperial College London

Anamaria Leonescu, University College London

Jiarong Wu, University of Würzburg

ECR-MASC 2024

Plenary:

Roxanne Kieltyka, Leiden University

Contributed:

Abbie Scholes, University of Liverpool

Joseph O'Connell-Danes, University of Edinburgh

Ben Barber, The Francis Crick Institute

Dean Thomas, University of Glasgow

David Tilly, University of Manchester

Lucy Hutton, University of St Andrews

Émer Foyle, University of Edinburgh

Kylie Yang, University College London

Denis Hartmann, University of Birmingham

Efstratios Sitsanidis, University of Jyväskylä

Jessica Milia, Università degli Studi di Cagliari

Lei Chen, University of Manchester

Riccardo Parolin, Durham University

MASC 2023 - Birmingham

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture: Michael Howlett (University of Bristol)

Bob Hay Lecture: Steve Butler (Loughborough University)

RSC Supramolecular Chemistry Award lecture: Kate Jolliffe (University of Sydney)

Invited:

Ivan Aprahamian (Dartmouth College, USA)

Daniel Maspoch (Catalan Institute of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, Spain)

Luisa de Cola (University of Milan, Italy)

Daniela Wilson (Radboud University, Netherlands)

Michaele Hardie (University of Leeds)

Paul McGonigal (University of York)

Marina Kuimova (Imperial College London)

Kim Jelfs (Imperial College London)

Ben Pilgrim (University of Nottingham)

Yujia Qing (University of Oxford)

Rachel Evans (University of Cambridge)

Niveen Khashab (King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Saudi Arabia)

Contributed talks and flash presentation:

Keith Andrews (University of Durham)

Jonathan Foster (University of Sheffield)

Jake Greenfield (University of Wuerzburg, Germany)

Anna McConnell (University of Siegen, Germany)

Guillermo Monreal Santiago (University of Strasbourg, France)

Hannah Crory (University College Dublin)

Laura Hernández López (Catalan Institute of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, Spain)

Hannah Kurz (University of Cambridge)

Jordan Berreur (University of Bristol)

Mainak Das (University of York)

Ben Roberts (University of Padua, Italy)

ECR-MASC 2023 - Crick

Plenary:

Sijbren Otto, University of Groningen

Contributed:

Oliver Bayley, University of Bristol

Andrea Savioni, University of Southampton

Filip Szczypiński, University of Liverpool

Kira Hilton, University of Kent

James Barclay, Durham University

Federica Balduzzi, University of Bristol

Aisha Bismillah, University of York

Jiangtian Tan, University of Sheffield

Amrita Sikder, University of Cambridge

Stephen Fielden, University of Birmingham

Xiangyu Chen, University of St Andrews

Andrew Docker, University of Oxford

MASC 2022 – University of Nottingham.

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture: Zoe Ashbridge, University of Manchester

Bob Hay Lecture: Jennifer Hiscock, University of Kent

RSC Supramolecular Chemistry Award lecture: Jonathan Sessler, University of Texas at Austin, USA

Plenary:

Tomislav Friščić, University of Birmingham

Rafal Klajn, Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel

Silvia Vignolini, University of Cambridge

Anna Proust, Sorbonne Université

Matt Fuchter, Imperial College London

Andy Cooper, University of Liverpool

Keynote:

Anna Slater, University of Liverpool

Fernanda Duarte, University of Oxford

Women in Supramolecular Chemistry Session

Invited:

Letizia Liiro Peluso, University of Nottingham

Claire Hobday, University of Edinburgh

Beatrice Collins, University of Bristol

Contributed:

Emma Wolpert, Imperial College London

Niamh Mockler, University of Galway, Ireland

Andre Cobb, King's College London

Yansong Ren, University of Manchester

Zifei Lu, University of Cambridge

Michael Howlett, University of Oxford

MASC 2021 – Online (University of Liverpool).

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture: Andrew Heard, University of Southampton

Bob Hay Lecture: Guillaume de Bo, University of Manchester

Invited:

Jonathan Clayden

Rachel Evans

Cally Haynes

Sophia Yaliraki

Lluïsa Pérez-García

Prof. Dr Max von Delius

Prof. Jonathan Steed

Alyssa-Jennifer Avestro

Timothy Easun

Florian Beuerle

Flash Talks:

Shuntaro Amano

Jessica Groppi

James E. M. Lewis

David Lozano

Sara Moreno-Da Silva

Dr Carmen C. Piras

Iris Solymosi

Dr Jacopo Tessarolo

MASC 2020 – Online (University of Liverpool)

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture: Rebecca Spicer, University of Edinburgh

Bob Hay Lecture: Ross Forgan, University of Glasgow

Invited:

Elizabeth New, University of Sydney

Guido Clever, TU Dortmund

Jochen Niemeyer, University of Duisburg-Essen

Anna McConnell, University of Kiel

Bradley Smith, University of Notre Dame

Nathalie Katsonis

Early-Career Academic Talks:

Hennie Valkenier

Nicholas White

Jianwei Li

Nathalie Busschaert

Dan Preston

Matthew Langton

Karen Robertson

MASC 2019 – University of Kent

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture:

Bob Hay Lecture: Kim Jelfs (Imperial College London)

Plenary:

Phil Gale (University of Sydney)

Mike Ward (University of Warwick)

Tanja Weil (Max Planck Institute for Polymer Research)

Tony Davis (University of Bristol)

Dave Leigh (University of Manchester)

Invited:

Emily Draper (University of Glasgow)

Helena Shepherd (University of Kent)

James Crowley (University of Otago)

Peter Knipe (Queens University)

Contributed:

Barry Blight (University of New Brunswick)

Sarah Pike (University of Bradford)

Sander Wezenberg (University of Nijmegen)

Anna Slater (University of Liverpool)

David Magri (University of Malta)

Nick Evans (University of Lancaster)

Industrial:

Marcus Winter (Rigaku)

Catherine Wark (BMG Labtech)

Flash:

Tanya Ronson (University of Cambridge)

Simon Lewis (University of Bath)

Le Fang (Queen Mary University of London)

Gareth Lloyd (University of Lincoln)

Larissa von Krbek (University of Cambridge)

Benjamin Egleston (University of Liverpool)

Robert Pow (University of Glasgow)

ECR MASC 2018 – University of Manchester

Plenary:

Prof. Anthony Davis (University of Bristol)

Speakers:

William Cullen (University of Manchester)
Emily Cross (University of Glasgow)
Marcin Miklitz (Imperial College London)
Sarah Hewitt (Loughborough University)
Richard Stevenson (University of Manchester)
Cally Haynes (University of Cambridge)
Edward Britton (University of Leeds)
Anna Peters (University of Manchester)
Joshua Nicks (University of Sheffield)
Aisha Bismillah (Durham University)
Ellen Jamieson (University of Southampton)
Nicolas Biot (Cardiff University)
Rebecca Burns (University of Edinburgh)
Sarah Griffin (University of Glasgow)
Daniel Tetlow (University of Manchester)

MASC 2018 – University of Lancaster

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture: Liang Zhang (University of Manchester)

Bob Hay Lecture: Kim Jelfs (Imperial College London)

RSC Supramolecular Chemistry Award lecture: Sijbren Otto (University of Groningen)

Plenary:

David Amabilino (University of Nottingham)

A.P. de Silva (Queen's University, Belfast)

Luisa de Cola (University of Strasbourg)

Michaele Hardie (University of Leeds)

Invited:

Ross Forgan (University of Glasgow)

Verena Görtz (Lancaster University)

Jennifer Hiscock (University of Kent)

Paul Lusby (University of Edinburgh)

David Smith (University of York)

Industry:

Marcus Winter (Rigaku)

Talks:

Stephen Butler (Loughborough)

Claudia Caltagirone (Cagliari)

Guillaume De Bo (Manchester)

Chris Hawes (Keele)

Paul McGonigal (Durham)

Ben Pilgrim (Cambridge)

Flash talks :

<<Not currently available>>

MASC 2016 – Edinburgh

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture (Gold): Emily Draper (Liverpool)

MASC PhD award lecture (Silver): Xin Wu (Southampton)

Plenary:

Sally Brooker (Otago)

Mitsuhiko Shionoya (Tokyo)

Scott Cockroft (Edinburgh)

Philip Gale (Southampton)

Neil Champness (Nottingham)

Harry Anderson (Oxford)

Fraser Stoddart (Northwestern)

Invited:

Scott Dalgarno (Heriot-Watt)

Euan Kay (St. Andrews)

Steve Archibald (Hull)

Andrew Wilson (Leeds)

Jonathan Steed (Durham)

Olivia Reinaud (Paris Descartes)

Jonathan Nitschke (Cambridge)

Bruce Gibb (Tulane)

Ross Forgan (Glasgow)

Industrial:

Marcus Winter (Rigaku)

Flash:

Timothy Barendt (Oxford)

María Mayoral (Autónoma de Madrid)

Sander Wezenberg (Groningen)

Vicente Martí-Centelles (Edinburgh)

Vanesa Marcos (Manchester)

MASC 2015 – Durham

MASC PhD award lecture: Will Cullen (Sheffield University)

Bob Hay Lecture: Dave Adams (Liverpool University)

Plenary:

Pierangelo Metrangolo (Politecnico di Milano)

M. Wais Hosseini (University of Strasbourg)

Thorri Gunnlaugsson (Trinity College Dublin)

Andrew I. Cooper (University of Liverpool)

Jerry L. Atwood (University of Missouri – Columbia)

Invited:

Leonard J. Barbour (Stellenbosch University)

Andrew Houlton (Newcastle University)

Valeria Amendola (University of Pavia)

Sean Bew (University of East Anglia)

Scott Dalgarno (Heriot Watt University)

Barry Blight (University of Kent)

Bruce C. Gibb (Tulane University)

Agnieszka Szumna (Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw)

Robert Pal (Durham University)

Paul Lusby (University of Edinburgh)

Industrial:

Marcus Winter (Rigaku Inc.)

Ian Bailey (Biopharma)

Flash:

Louis Adriaenssens (University of Lincoln)

Edward Neal (Queen Mary University of London)

Alexander Methereil (Sheffield University)

Anne Junker (University of Copenhagen)

Luisa Lascialfari (Politecnico di Milano)

Ana C. Rodrigo (York)

MASC 2014 – University of East Anglia (Norwich)

Prize:

MASC PhD award lecture: Dr Matthew Langton, University of Oxford

Bob Hay Lecture: Dr Oren Sherman, University of Cambridge

Plenary:

Prof Stefan Matile, University of Geneva

Prof Chris Hunter, University of Cambridge

Prof Alan Rowan, University of Nijmegen

Prof Makoto Fujita, University of Tokyo

Invited:

Prof Jean-François Nierengarten, University of Strasbourg

Dr Peter Crowley, University of Galway

Professor Graham Day, University of Southampton

Prof Luke Brunsveld, University of Eindhoven

Prof Bruce Gibb, Tulane University

Prof Dave Smith, University of York

Prof Phil Gale, University of Southampton

Prof Alberto Credi, University of Bologna

Prof Phil Castellano, North Carolina State University

Flash:

Lorna Christie, University of Glasgow

Prof Alan Williams, University of Geneva

Dr Guillaume De Bo, University of Manchester

Jade McCune, University of Cambridge

Cristina Garcia-Simon, University of Girona

Dr Rene Otterli, University of Oxford

Dr Max Von Delius, University of Erlangen-Nuremberg

Jessica Pancholi, Queen Mary University of London

Emily Mell, Durham University

Dr Oxana Kotova, Trinity College Dublin

Dr Nicholas White, University of British Columbia

Antonio Cincotti, Durham University

Dr Hennie Valkenier, University of Bristol

Ian Bailey, Genevac Product Specialist, Biopharma Process Systems

Marzia Galli, University of Southampton

Dr Maxime Guitet, University of Cambridge

Leonardo Maugeri, University of St Andrews

Dr Sébastien Ulrich, Ecole Nationale Supérieure de Chimie de Montpellier

Dr Richard Parker, University of Cambridge

MASC 2013 – University of Glasgow

Prize:

Bob Hay Lecture: Prof Jonathan Nitschke

Plenary:

Prof Marcella Bonchio

Prof Andrew Cooper

Prof Dan Nocera

Prof Richard Winpenny

Prof Fraser Stoddart

Invited:

Dr Stephen Goldup

Prof Rein Ulijn

Prof Sijbren Otto

Dr Euan Kay

Prof Nicolas Giuseppone

Prof Zoe Pikramenou

Dr Sofia Pascu

Dr Louise Natrajan

Dr Oren Scherman

Prof Harry Anderson

Flash:

Katie-Louise Finney

Andreu Ruiz

Dr Graham Newton

Dr Guillaume De Bo

Stephen Bromfield

Tamara Kosikova

Maria Ciaccia

Dr Nicolaas Vermeulen

Dr Craig Richmond

Samuel Black

Dr Lydia Gilday

Chris Jones

Dr Hennie Valkenier

Joseph Byrne

Benjamin Doistau

MASC 2012 - Queen Mary, University of London

Prize:

Bob Hay Lecture: Andrew Wilson

Plenary and keynote:

Jonathan Clayden

David Parker

David Leigh

Mark MacLachlan

Kohzo Ito

Andrew Wilson

Invited:

Ramon Vilar

Katrina Jolliffe

G. Dan Pantoş

James Crowley

Annie Powell

Marina Resmini

Rachel O'Reilly

Michael Hardie

Bernold Hasenknopf

Paul Lusby

Contributed/Flash:

Huy V. Nguyen

Clare Mahon

Wim Van Rossom

Jianwei Li

Cyril Cadiou

William Edwards

Jeanne L. Bolliger

Harry Destecroix

William Gardiner

Matthew J. Langton

Damian Weske

Vincent Aucagne

Cally Haynes

Mark Symes

Jonathan Hill