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**Swiss Chemical Society -
Syngenta Symposium:**

**Frontiers in Fluorine
chemistry**

**Thursday October 24, 2013,
Syngenta Research Center Stein
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Program Thursday October 24, 2013

Chairman: Prof. Peter Kündig
SCS President (University of Geneva)
Session 1:

08:45 Welcome and opening remarks
Dr. Gerardo Ramos, Head Crop Protection
R&D, Syngenta

09:00 Invited Lecture 1 - Dr. Guillaume Berthon
(Syngenta, Switzerland)

09:30 **Plenary Lecture 1 - Prof. Antonio Togni**
(ETH Zürich, Switzerland)

10:30 Coffee Break

11:00 Invited Lecture 2 - Dr. Emmanuel Magnier
(Versailles University, France)

11:30 **Plenary Lecture 2 - Prof. David O'Hagan**
(St. Andrews University, UK)

12:30 Lunch and Poster session

Chairman: Dr. Alain De Mesmaeker
Principal Fellow, Syngenta Crop Protection R&D
Session 2:

14:30 Invited Lecture 3 - Prof. Ryan Gilmour
(University of Münster, Germany)

15:00 Invited Lecture 4 - Dr. Stefan Abele
(Actelion, Switzerland)

15:30 Invited Lecture 5 - Prof. Santos Fustero
(Valencia University, Spain)

16:00 Coffee Break

16:30 Invited Lecture 6 - Dr. Peer Kirsch
(Merck KGaA, Germany)

17:00 **Plenary Lecture 3 - Prof. Jinbo Hu**
(Shanghai Institute of Organic Chemistry, China)

18:00 Closing remarks

Dr. Andrew Plant, Head Chemistry Crop
Protection R&D, Syngenta

18:15 Aperitif

SCS - Syngenta Symposium:

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In partnership with the Swiss Chemical Society, Syngenta is organizing a one-day symposium entitled "SCS - Syngenta Symposium 2013: Frontiers in Fluorine chemistry". The event will take place on Thursday October 24, 2013 at our research center in Stein, close to Basel in Switzerland. The focus will be on organofluorine compounds which continue to play an important role in academia and industry as catalysts, drugs, agrochemicals and novel materials.

The program will feature 3 plenary lectures (**Prof. Antonio Togni, Prof. Jinbo Hu, Prof. David O'Hagan**) and 6 invited lectures and a poster session.

Poster abstracts should be submitted online, at www.syngenta.com/country/ch/de/Forschung/forschungstein/symposium by September 30, 2013.

Attendance will be limited to ca.150 participants. **Registration is free. Please register on line at www.syngenta.com/country/ch/de/Forschung/forschungstein/symposium before September 30, 2013.** Please check the conference web-pages for more details and the scientific program.