

Bruker User's Group Meeting: First Announcement



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Mark your calendars! The next Bruker Users' Group Meeting will take place in Delft, The Netherlands, on September 29, 30 and October 1, 2008 (Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday). Although we expect most participants coming from Europe, we would like to invite Bruker AXS users from all continents to participate.

There will be two sessions:

A. Chemical Crystallography on September 29 & September 30 morning.

The primary topics will be concerned with the applications of Bruker AXS and Nonius software and CCD hardware in the field of small molecule single-crystal X-ray diffraction.

B. Biological Crystallography on September 30 afternoon & October 1.

The meeting will focus on the applications of Bruker AXS and Nonius software, Rotating Anode sources, Optics and CCD-detectors, as well as other area detector systems on the field of Biological Crystallography.

A significant portion of the meeting will be allocated to data processing techniques including data collection strategy, remote instrument access, handling of difficult and twinned structures, micro crystallography, and powder diffraction.

The Meeting Program has not been finalized yet and your input is highly welcomed. We are inviting you to suggest topics for discussion and are encouraging you to make a presentation. Alternatively, should you like to prepare a poster, we will make display boards available.

From our side we are pleased to tell you that we have found **George Sheldrick** and **Elsbeth Garman** willing to run a workshop each, on *Phasing of Macromolecules* and *Low Temperature Sample Handling*, within the framework of this meeting.

For the Chemical Crystallography sessions participants should arrive on Sunday evening latest (28th). The get-together will be on this Sunday evening.

Please send your comments regarding the meeting and/or your presentation to Anita Coetzee (<mailto:anita.coetzee@bruker-axs.nl>) or Frank van Meurs (<mailto:Frank.vanmeurs@bruker-axs.nl>).

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Delft in 2008.

Anita Coetzee and Frank van Meurs