

**4<sup>th</sup> US-MÉXICO BINATIONAL SYMPOSIUM  
ON ADVANCES IN POLYMER SCIENCE  
macromex 2017 “BUILDING BRIDGES”**

December 3<sup>rd</sup> -7<sup>th</sup>, 2017, Los Cabos, BC, México



# First call

The Mexican Polymer Society (SPM) will be hosting the **MACROMEX 2017** in Los Cabos BCS, México, on December 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>, 2017. The venue of this event is Barceló Gran Faro Los Cabos. In this series of triennial meetings, the SPM in partnership with the Division of Polymer Chemistry of the American Chemical Society and now joining the Chemical Institute of Canada, offers the possibility to share your research with experts in the field on the next topics:

- Advances in Macromolecular Synthesis ▪ Reactions on Polymers: Crosslinking, functionalization, grafting
- Polymers for Biomedical Applications ▪ Smart Polymers and Surfaces ▪ Polymer Engineering and Modeling
- Functional Polymers for Advanced Technologies: Optoelectronics, Membranes, Energy, etc.
- Macromolecules and Nanotechnology ▪ Composites and Blends

## Confirmed Speakers:

Antonio Martínez-Richa, *Universidad de Guanajuato, MX*

Brent Sumerlin, *University of Florida, Talahassee, FL*

Carmen Scholz, *University of Alabama, AL*

Denis Rodrigue, *Université Laval, Québec, QC*

Eduardo Mendizabal, *Universidad de Guadalajara, Jalisco, MX*

Enrique Saldivar-Guerra, *CIQa Saltillo, MX*

Jaime Grunlan, *Texas A&M University, TX*

Jorge Puig, *Universidad de Guadalajara, Jalisco, MX*

Kristi Kiick, *University of Delaware, DE*

Krzysztof Matyjaszewski, *Carnegie Mellon U. Pittsburgh, PA*

Manuel Aguilar-Vega, *CICY Mérida, Yucatán, MX*

Marek W. Urban, *Clemson University, SC*

Michael Cunningham, *Queen's University, Kingston, ON*

Michael Hickner, *PennState U., PA*

Michael Jaffe, *New Jersey Institute of Technology, NJ*

Nick Tsarevsky, *Southern Methodist U., TX*

Rafael Verduzco, *Rice University, TX*

Rigoberto Advincula, *Case Western Reserve U., Cleveland, OH*

Roberto Olayo-González, *UAM-I, MX*

Robin A. Hutchinson, *Queen's University, Kingston, ON*

Stefan Zauscher, *Duke University, NC*

Takeshi Ogawa, *UNAM, MX*

Timothy E. Long, *Virginia Tech, VA*

Abstract Submission deadline: June 20<sup>th</sup>

Notification of acceptance for submissions: July 30<sup>th</sup>

Early-bird registration deadline: September 18<sup>th</sup>

The official language for the symposium is English.

Visit <http://www.sociedadpolimérica.mx/macromex2017/> for more information.

### Organizing Committee:

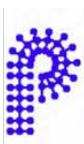
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