

# 9<sup>th</sup> Symposium of Chemistry Students

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Dear Sir or Madam,

Symposium of Chemistry Students (SiSK, hrv. Simpozij studenata kemičara) is a free scientific conference organized by the Student Section of the Croatian Chemical Society (SSHKD, hrv. Studentska sekcija Hrvatskog kemijskog društva), which gathers students of chemistry and related disciplines from all over Croatia and beyond. The first edition of this, now traditional event, was held in 2014, following the model of large scientific conferences. Since then, it has been regularly held at the Chemistry Department of the Faculty of Science of the University of Zagreb in the form of a one-day gathering. From the very beginning, the organization of the Symposium has been following the slogan "students for students", because only undergraduate and graduate students take part in the organization, and the majority of participants are students. At the Symposium, students have the opportunity to present their scientific research and lectures are also given by both plenary and invited lecturers who do not have to be students. This project was also recognized as socially beneficial by the University of Zagreb and won the Rector's Award.

The Student Section of the Croatian Chemical Society (SSHKD) was founded in 1997 with the aim of gathering chemistry students of various profiles and interests to actively participate in the society. From its establishment until today, the Section has organized numerous workshops, forums, lectures, excursions, educations, but also informal gatherings of Section members, all with the aim of making new acquaintances and exchanging knowledge and experiences. The members also aim to expose other students to the scientific work of both senior lecturers and fellow students. Until now, the Section has so far organized eight Symposiums of Chemistry Students in which have participated more than 1,500 students from Croatia and abroad in total. In addition to the mentioned project, SSHKD also has numerous popularization projects intended for younger students and the general population: Purple in Chemistry (hrv. Ljubičasto u kemiji), Scientific Charms (hrv. Znanstvene čarolije) and Popularization Division (PO) "Entropy" (hrv. Popularizacijski odjel "Entropija").

The next edition of SiSK, the 9th Symposium of Chemistry Students, will be held on the 11th and 12th of October 2024 at the Chemistry Department of the Faculty of Science in Zagreb. Given that many students participate in scientific research, we saw the need to turn the one-day event into a longer gathering. From the very beginning, the main goal of the Chemistry Student Symposium was to connect chemistry students from Zagreb with other students of chemistry and related studies, from all over Croatia and abroad.

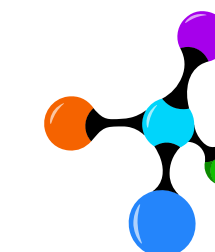
Every year we try to expand our reach and for that reason the official languages of the 9th Symposium of Chemistry Students will be both Croatian and English. The program of the Symposium is designed in such a way that, in addition to the numerous lectures and the formal part of the meeting, there will be enough time for the informal networking of all participants. One of the most important elements of the Symposium is communication - sharing experiences and encouraging collaboration. The interest of students in participating in the Symposium of Chemistry Students grows every year, and our goal is to offer participants even more opportunities to interact with potential employers and future colleagues and collaborators, both in science and in industry. For this reason, we have included a special time in the preliminary program for next year, during which we would like to enable the participants of the Symposium to connect with numerous exhibitors from industry and the academic community. Also, the colour of the 9th Symposium of Chemistry Students is green to encourage participants to think about "green" chemistry and environmentally sustainable approaches in science and industry. Because of that, in the process of organizing the Symposium, we intend to additionally dedicate ourselves to promote examples of good practice in environmental sustainability. In addition, last year, a teaching section was introduced into the Symposium schedule, and our goal is to connect teaching students in order to contribute to the development of education in chemistry, but also in other related STEM fields.

Given that the Symposium is free for all participants, we need some financial support for all of the above. We hereby once again thank all the sponsors and donors who have supported us in our work so far, and we invite you to support this important gathering financially or materially in order to enable us to organize it and to make the next edition of the Symposium of Chemistry Students even better than the last.

We look forward to successful collaboration and hope that you will recognize the significance of this student project, because only with your support can we continue to support chemistry students to become outstanding experts who will contribute to the development of science, industry, and society.

Thank you and best regards,

Organizing Committee of the 9<sup>th</sup> Symposium of Chemistry Students





# How did the last Symposium look like?



329 participants

5 plenary lectures, 3 invited lectures

18 (student) lectures and 21 poster



8. Simpozij studenata kemičara

21. listopada 2023.

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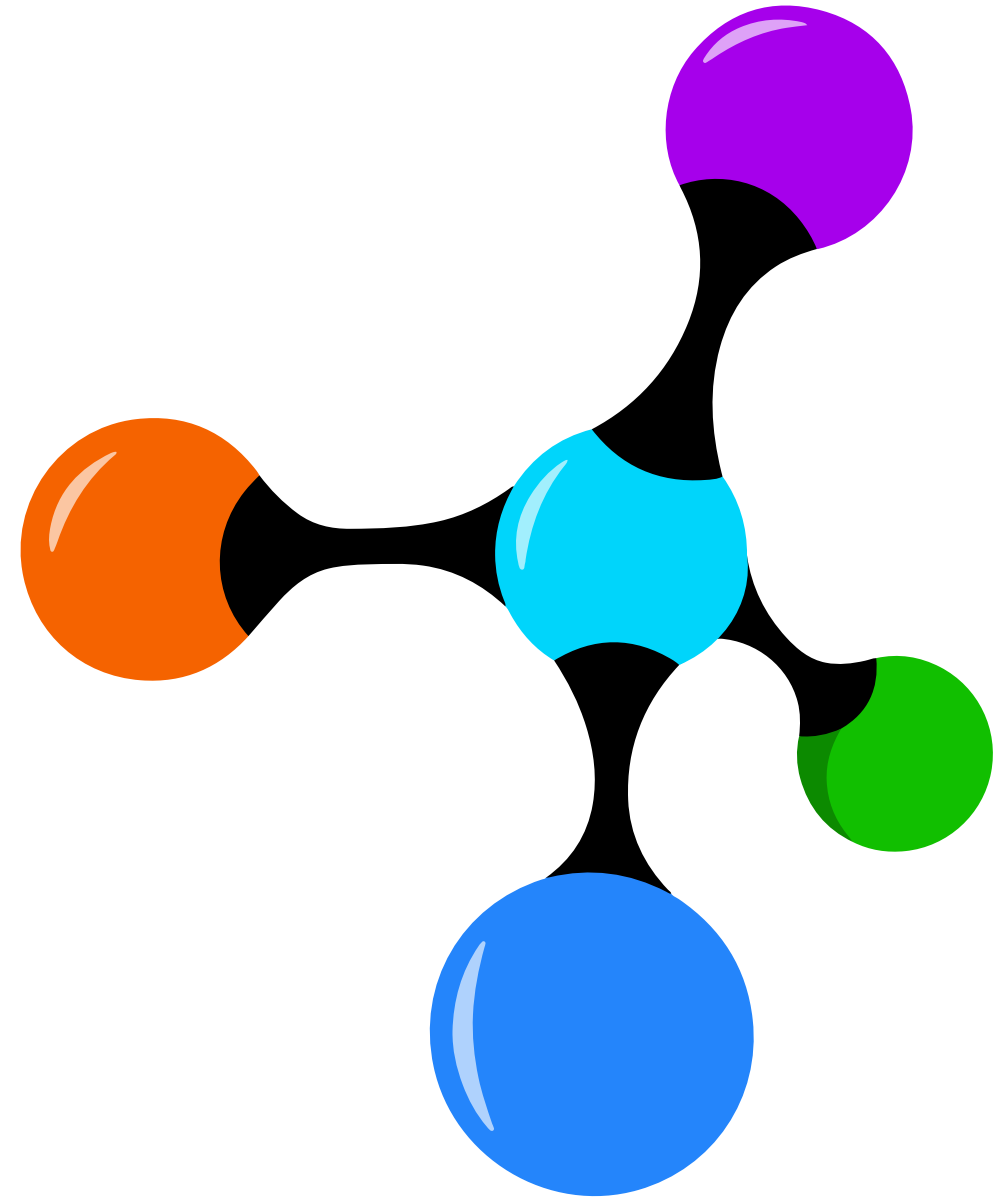
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# Goals of the 9th Symposium of Chemistry Students

- gathering of students of chemistry and related fields
- presentation of scientific research done by bachelor and master students
- developing contacts and collaboration between students and student organizations
- international community
- establishment of scientific and business collaborations
- encouraging environmental sustainability in science and industry
- sharing examples of good practice in teaching, non-formal education and popularization of science
- educational and entertaining content



# SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

Once again, we would like to thank everyone who has supported us in our work so far, without you none of the above would have been possible!

# General sponsorship offer

- ✿ pronounced visibility and accessibility to all event participants
- ✿ possibility to promote products or services
- ✿ the possibility of sharing promotional materials
- ✿ highlighting logos on printed and online promotional materials
- ✿ presentation of sponsors on social networks

# Gold sponsorship package

1000€ or more

- placement of advertising banners at the entrance to the Symposium
- special positioning of the logo on all printed materials
- handing out sponsor promotional materials at the registration desk
- distribution of sponsor's advertising materials in packages for participants
- exhibition area during the entire Symposium (2 tables)
- invited lecture or similar presentation during the Symposium (30 min)
- highlighting the sponsor in the additional activities of the marketing campaign
- separate post on social networks
- projecting the logo on the screen before the start of the lecture

# Silver sponsorship package

750 – 999,99€

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- exhibition area during the entire Symposium (1 table)
- short presentation during the Symposium (15 min)
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- projecting the logo on the screen before the start of the lecture



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500 – 749,99€

- special positioning of the logo on all printed materials
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- exhibition space during the time provided for it in the program (1 table)
- collective announcement of all bronze sponsors on social networks
- projecting the logo on the screen before the start of the lecture

# Normal sponsorship package

250 – 499,99€

- special positioning of the logo on all printed materials
- distribution of sponsor's advertising materials in packages for participants
- exhibition space during the time provided for it in the program (1 table)
- collective announcement of all sponsors on social networks
- projecting the logo on the screen before the start of the lecture

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Dana 21. listopada održao se Simpozij studenata kemičara na Prirodoslovno-matematičkom fakultetu Sveučilišta u Zagrebu. Još davne 2014. godine organiziran je prvi ovakav simpozij pod vodstvom Studentske sekcije Hrvatskog kemijskog društva (SHKD) na inicijativu nekolicine studenata kemije zagrebačkog PMF-a te izv. prof. dr. sc. Dominika Cinčića. Upravo zahvaljujući njima, ali i studentima koji su ih naslijedili, tradicija provedbe Simpozija nastavila se sve do danas, a ključni je cilj razmjena iskustava i ideja između studenata koje zanima istraživački rad.



some special moments  
from past SiSKs



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