

From Thomas Eaton  
SYCA Committee

Subject: SYCA Invitation to tour DuPont Research

Dear SYCA Members,

We would like to invite you to join us for a tour of the DuPont Technical Centre in Meyrin (close to Geneva). DuPont is a world leader in applying science innovation to food, energy and protection (think Kevlar™) solutions. We will be hosted by Dr. Philip Boydell, Site Manager of the DuPont European Technical Centre (ETC), and his team in Meyrin on a visit to DuPont's largest research site in Europe.

When:

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2014.

Meet at 13.30 in front of the ETC. Tour from 13.45 – 15.45.

Where:

DuPont European Technical Center (ETC),  
146 Route du Nant d'Avril,  
CH-1217 Meyrin

The European Technical Center in Meyrin was established in 1989, and was the first of DuPont's regional labs. Today the ETC is the main research, product and application development and customer support center for Europe, the Middle East, and Africa (EMEA) regions. The tour will provide an overview of all their activities in Meyrin and give you the opportunity to interact with some of DuPont's current researchers.

Please register your intention to attend by filling in this web form.

Unfortunately we are limited to 25 persons, and space will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. Further registrations will be placed on a wait list.

If you have any further questions please contact [thomas.eaton@unibas.ch](mailto:thomas.eaton@unibas.ch)

We Look forward to meeting you in Meyrin!

The SYCA Committee  
Alex, Tom, Matt and Lars

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A short word about the YSCA:

The Young Swiss Chemist's Association (YSCA) is an inclusive sub-division of the Swiss Chemical Society representing the interests of all SCS members under 35 years. We organise The 'Swiss Chemist's Snow Symposium' and other events throughout the year. Our annual meeting will be on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014 at the SCS Fall meeting in Zürich where we will set out the agenda for the coming year and elect new members to the board.

If you have any questions or wish to propose further activities eg; site visits, workshops, football tournaments – then be sure to get in touch with us here.

If you are not already a member of the Swiss Chemical Society then you can found out more and sign-up directly from the SCS website.

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This note has been sent to all 388 SYCA members.