

# [RADAM 2008](#)

## First Announcement

Dear Colleagues and Members of the RADAM Community,

On behalf of the International Committee and the Local Organizers, I cordially invite you for the next

### ***Conference on Radiation Damage in Biomolecular Systems (RADAM 2008)***

which will be held in the Headquarters of the Debrecen Committee of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, in **Debrecen, Hungary**, from the **13<sup>th</sup> June to 15<sup>th</sup> June 2008**.

*Local Organizers:*

- [Institute of Nuclear Research \(ATOMKI\)](#) of the [Hungarian Academy of Sciences](#)
- [Centre of Arts Humanities and Sciences of the University of Debrecen](#)
- [Faculty of Medicine of the Medical and Health Centre of the University of Debrecen](#)

The website for [RADAM 2008](#) is located at: [www.isa.au.dk/meetings/radam2008](http://www.isa.au.dk/meetings/radam2008)

**Pre-registration for the conference is now open - details are available on the website**

***We kindly ask you to pre-register!*** This is the first conference for our RADAM community which is organized without the support of the COST P9 Action. It is important for the organizers to have an estimation about the number of potential participants when applying for support to other funds.

As we agreed in Dublin last June, the organization of the Conference is similar to that of previous years. Therefore, **if you would like to give an oral presentation** on the effects of radiation (ionizing or UV) on bio-molecular systems (single, molecular, clustered or cellular) at this meeting, please forward a suggested title and speaker details to the Chair of the most appropriate Working Group, as soon as possible (preferably by January 1st):

**Working Group 1:** Electron and Biomolecular Interactions  
(Chair: David Field [dfield@phys.au.dk](mailto:dfield@phys.au.dk))

**Working Group 2:** Ions and Biomolecular Interactions  
(Chair: Thomas Schlatholter [tschlat@kvi.nl](mailto:tschlat@kvi.nl))

**Working Group 3:** Radiation Damage in Physiological (Cellular) Environments.  
(Chair: Kevin McGuigan [kmcguigan@rcsi.ie](mailto:kmcguigan@rcsi.ie))

**Working Group 4:** Theoretical Developments for Radiation Damage  
(Chair: Marie-Christine Bacchus [bacchus@lasim.univ-lyon1.fr](mailto:bacchus@lasim.univ-lyon1.fr))

**Working Group 5:** Track Structure in Cells  
(Chair: Herwig Paretzke [paretzke@gsf.de](mailto:paretzke@gsf.de))

I am looking forward to seeing you in Debrecen for RADAM 2008.  
Yours sincerely,

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