

# The Society's Site

Announcements of the Individual European

## National Rheological Societies

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The international bimonthly journal Applied Rheology offers all European rheological societies an extended platform for communication with their members and other rheologists.

Two special issues of Applied Rheology each year provide a number of pages dedicated to announcements from rheological societies. These may be a meeting announcement for the members of your society, an activity supported by your society, address changes, etc. In addition there will be also some space reserved for individual announcements. The motivation behind this offer is to collect the announcements that are usually transmitted to us by individual members of the national societies or conference organizers and then printed throughout the year in Applied Rheology.

Strict deadlines for providing information to be printed in these special issues are February 1st and August 1st, respectively. We are able to offer sending these special issues – which as usual contain scientific contributions, patents, conference calendar and conference reports, buyers guide, news – to all members of your community at a very reduced rate, or even without extra charge, depending on the current agreement between your society and Applied Rheology.

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### Rheological Societies or Groups and their Home Page (if existing):

Austrian Group of Rheology  
Belgian Group of Rheology  
[www.cit.kuleuven.ac.be/cit/ltrk/bgr.html](http://www.cit.kuleuven.ac.be/cit/ltrk/bgr.html)  
British Society of Rheology  
[www.ncl.ac.uk/rheology/bsr/index.html](http://www.ncl.ac.uk/rheology/bsr/index.html)  
Bulgarian Society of Rheology  
Czech Group of Rheology  
Dutch Rheological Society  
[www.mate.tue.nl/nrv/index.html](http://www.mate.tue.nl/nrv/index.html)  
European Society of Rheology  
[www.rheology-esr.org/](http://www.rheology-esr.org/)  
French Group of Rheology  
[www.univ-lemans.fr/sciences/wgfr](http://www.univ-lemans.fr/sciences/wgfr)  
German Society of Rheology  
[www.drg.bam.de/](http://www.drg.bam.de/)  
Hellenic Society of Rheology  
[esperia.iesl.forth.gr/~hsr/HSRwebpage.html](http://esperia.iesl.forth.gr/~hsr/HSRwebpage.html)  
Israel Society of Rheology

Italian Group of Rheology  
[www.dicamp.univ.trieste.it/sir/](http://www.dicamp.univ.trieste.it/sir/)  
Japanese Society of Rheology  
[cmasuko2.yz.yamagata-u.ac.jp/SRJ/SRJ.html](http://cmasuko2.yz.yamagata-u.ac.jp/SRJ/SRJ.html)  
Nordic Rheology Society  
[www.sik.se/nrs/](http://www.sik.se/nrs/)  
Polish Society of Engineering Rheology  
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Romanian Society of Rheology  
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Society of Rheology (USA)  
[www.rheology.org](http://www.rheology.org)  
Spanish Group of Rheology  
[reologia.us.es/index.html](http://reologia.us.es/index.html)  
Swiss Group of Rheology  
[www.AR.ethz.ch/FR/](http://www.AR.ethz.ch/FR/)  
Vinogradov Society of Rheology  
[rheo.ips.ac.ru/](http://rheo.ips.ac.ru/)

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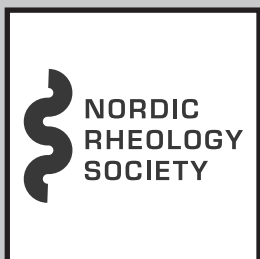
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## NORDIC RHEOLOGY SOCIETY

### 11<sup>th</sup> Nordic Rheology Conference

Invitation to the  
**11<sup>th</sup> Nordic Rheology Conference**  
Göteborg, Sweden 12-14 June 2002  
**Rheology for Processing**

Department of Materials Science and Engineering Chalmers University of Technology and  
SIK - The Swedish Institute for Food and Biotechnology  
Chairman: Prof. Mikael Rigdahl

#### Registration and First Call NRC2002

##### *Scope and theme*

The Nordic Rheology Society cordially invites all those interested in rheology to the 11th annual course and conference. The conference aims as usual to cover all aspects on rheology and this year, special focus will be placed on "Rheology for Processing". This theme is intended to cover synthetic polymers, biomaterials, emulsions, dispersions, food and other important material classes. The aim is to arrive at a large gathering of people interested in the science and the technological developments in the field. The conference will be held at the Chalmers University of Technology campus. Topics within the theme will be covered by plenary lectures by specially invited speakers. We would also like to draw your attention to the rheology course which proceeds the conference. This course is appreciated and valuable especially since also the invited speakers contribute.

*Welcome to Göteborg!*

##### *Invited speakers*

Plenary lectures will be held within the theme of the conference. The following renowned scientists have agreed to contribute to the meeting with a lecture on their special area of interest: Professor James L. White, University of Akron, will discuss processing aspects with regard to polymers; Professor Ivan Tomka, who has been associated with the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology and Ciba Geigy AG, contributes on the topic of thermoplastic starch processing, Professor Anne-Marie Hermansson at SIK demonstrates how specific structures in biomaterials are engineered and controlled during processing and Professor Evan Mitsoulis, National Technical University of Athens, will highlight numerical simulations of polymer flow and processing.

##### *Conference programme*

There will be a mixture of plenary lectures by the invited speakers and contributions from NRS members and others. The topics will cover all aspects of rheology with the plenary lectures representing the special theme. There will also be a poster presentation and an exhibition by leading rheology companies. The Annual Meeting of NRS will be held in connection with the conference programme.

##### *Rheology course*

A rheology course on June 12 will proceed the conference and give a basic introduction and bring up to speed basic rheology as well as give an introduction to the special topic "Rheology for Processing" by the invited speakers. The rheology course will also highlight industrial aspects.

##### *Poster and oral presentations*

Presentations in all areas of rheology are welcome, both as posters and as oral presentations. The contributions will be published in the Annual Transactions of the Nordic Rheology Society. Final submission of manuscript is April 1.

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### **Social events**

The NRC2002 should be inaugurated at the Welcome Reception held at "Börsen" (the City Hall) on Wednesday evening, June 12. The Conference Banquet will take place on June 13. A guided excursion in the surroundings of Göteborg is planned for Saturday June 15 provided sufficient participation. Please indicate interest on registration form.

### **Registration**

The conference fee includes presentations, the Annual Transactions of NRS, lunches and coffees. Prices in SEK.

	Before May 3	After May 3
NRS members:	2500	3100
Non-members:	3000	3600
Students:	500	500
NRS membership fee:	250	
Rheology course fee:	1000	
Conference Banquet:	450	

Please use the Internet for all. Exhibitors will obtain more information from Mikael Rigdahl (mikael.rigdahl@me.chalmers.se).

### **Student travel grant**

Students are encouraged to apply for the NRS Student Travel Grant. Please send a single page application stating type of studies, title of contribution to the conference and a motivation to Peter Szabo (ps@kt.dtu.dk).

### **Accommodation**

Pre-booked rooms are available at the following hotels:

#### Quality Hotel Panorama

Tel.: x46.31.767 7000, Fax: x46.31.767 7073  
info.panorama@quality.choicehotels.se / www.panorama.se  
Price: SEK 790,- single room (Booking ref: 532433)

#### Hotel Vasa

Tel.: x46.31.17 36 30, Fax: x46.31.711 95 97  
info@hotelvasa.se / www.hotelvasa.se  
Price: SEK 635,- single room Booking ref: 14555

#### SGS Veckobostäder ("student rooms")

Tel.: x46.31.708 13 30, Fax: x46.31.81 24 97  
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