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It is a great pleasure for us to welcome you to the First International School on Advanced Porous Materials (MOFSchool)

Metal-organic Frameworks (MOFs) and Covalent-organic Frameworks (COFs) are non-conventional porous materials based on the self-assembly of organic/inorganic and organic/organic prearranged synthons, respectively. The extensive library of synthons and synthetic conditions can lead to the formation of a wide variety of MOFs and COFs with functional properties - adsorption, separation, capture, heterogeneous catalysis, sensing, drug delivery, to quote a few - that outperform, in many aspects, those of classical porous materials.

This field of research is progressing very fast, evolving from an initial interest on the synthesis and characterization of these systems to the preparation of targeted advanced porous materials with exotic properties.

Advanced porous materials functional properties are of interest to the ever increasingly demanding technological sector. Consequently, unique products based on them are arriving (or will soon arrive) on the market. Yet, there is still a large playground for making new materials and/or improving the properties of existing ones.

The big question is: How can we do it??

The MOFSchool aims to provide you with tools to answer this question, by showing you how to rationally prepare, characterize, modify and shape MOFs and COFs into next-generation materials. In order to achieve this goal, we have gathered an impressive group of internationally recognized teachers, including Vladislav A. Blatov, Silvia Bordiga, Roland A. Fischer, Felipe Gándara, Rob Ameloot, Kirill A. Lomachenko, Jeffrey R. Long, Jorge A.R. Navarro, Davide M. Proserpio and Omar M. Yaghi"

The MOFSchool, jointly organized by the Universities of Insubria, Milano La Statale and Granada, has made a great effort to encourage participation of young, enthusiastic scientists from any corner of the world, for which we are gratefully indebted to our generous funders.

We are looking forward to welcoming you to Villa del Grumello and we are sure you will have a very fruitful and pleasant stay on the amazing shores of the Lake of Como!

Sincerely yours,

Valentina Colombo, Simona Galli and Jorge A.R. Navarro (School Directors)



LECTURERS

Vladislav A. Blatov Silvia Bordiga Valentina Colombo Roland A. Fischer Simona Galli Felipe Gándara Jeffrey R. Long Jorge A.R. Navarro Rob Ameloot Davide M. Proserpio PROGRAM

Metal-organic frameworks (MOFs) and Covalent Organic Frameworks (COFs) are highly porous materials obtained through the self-assembly of organic/inorganic or organic building blocks. The availability of a vast library of building blocks, together with the possibility of tuning the reaction conditions and introducing post-synthetic modifications, leads to à la carte preparation of materials showing attractive functional properties - from capture to storage, separation, sensing, heterogeneous catalysis, drug delivery. The School will gather some of the leading experts in the field and will cover the current research advances in metal-organic and covalentorganic frameworks synthesis, characterization techniques and applications.

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Omar M. Yaghi











APPLICATION: application opens on December, 10th 2018. The School is open to maximum 50 scholars - selection will be made on CVs. School fee is 250 € (VAT 22% included) and includes lectures, course material, Wi-Fi connections, welcome party, lunches, coffee breaks. WEB: MOFs.lakecomoschool.org

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SHORT TALKS and POSTER SESSION are available for attendees! GRANTS for deserving Scholars are available from:







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Applications are now CLOSED, please contact the Scientific Committee for any enquiry.

MOFSchool is open to a maximum of 50 Scholars.

HOW TO APPLY: Potential Scholars must fill out and submit the form available below and upload a one-page document concisely describing their educational background, present position, research interests, and motivations for participating in MOFSchool. Instructions on how to draft the motivation letter are available here.

Bursaries are available to support Scholars' participation in the form of (partial) covering of the accommodation and/or travel expenses. Scholars eligible to apply for a bursary must be

- undergraduate students
- PhD students
- post-doc fellows

with a maximum age of 35.

Bursaries are available from:

- Berkeley Global Science Institute (BGSI) to fully cover the expenses of three scholars from extra-Europe, less developed countries.
- International Union of Crystallography (IUCr) to cover the expenses of graduate or post-graduate students and post-doc fellows, with a maximum age of 30, preferably from developing countries. IUCr Scientific Freedom Policy Statement The Organizing Committee of the First International School on Advenced Porous Materials shall observe the basic policy of non-discrimination and affirms the right and freedom of scientists to associate in international scientific activity without regard to such factors as ethnic origin, religion, citizenship, language, political stance, gender, sex or age, in accordance with the Statutes of the International Council for Science. At this School no barriers will exist which would prevent the participation of bona fide scientists.
- Italian Crystallographic Association (AIC) to support the participation of undergraduate students, PhD students or post-doc fellows.
- European Crystallographic Association (ECA) to support the participation of EU undergraduate students, PhD students or post-doc fellows.
- Consorzio Interuniversitario Nazionale per la Scienza e Tecnologia dei Materiali (INSTM) to support the participation of undergraduate students, PhD students or post-doc fellows.
- Micromeritics Instruments Corp. to support the participation of undergraduate students, PhD students or post-doc fellows.

POSTER SESSION: Young participants willing to present a poster should declare it in the application form and provide abstract according to the template.

SHORT-TALK SESSION: Young participants willing to give a 10-minute talk should declare it in the application form and provide an abstract according to the template.

In case of a larger number of proposals the School Directors will select based on the potential interest to the audience, the coherence with the aim and scope of MOFSchool, and the diversification of topics.

IMPORTANT DATES:

| Application opening | December, 10 th 2018 |
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| Application closure | February, 15th 2019 |
| Notification of application acceptance | March, 30th 2019 |
| Fee payment within [1] | April, 5 th 2019 |

[1] The fee must be paid only AFTER the final acceptance of the application.

REGISTRATION FEES: The school fee is 250 € (VAT 22% included) and includes all lectures, course material, Wi-Fi connections, welcome party, lunches, coffee breaks. The fee must be paid only AFTER the final acceptance of the application.



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VENUE:



The School will be held in the beautiful Villa del Grumello, via per Cernobbio, 11 – Como, Italy, located within a park over the lake of Como. Villa del Grumello is 20 minutes on foot from Como city centre. Detailed information on how to get to the Villa can be found here.



ACCOMMODATION:

Ostello Bello

The youth hostel Ostello Bello offers a low-price accommodation, from 36,90 Euros *per* night and person in shared dormitories. The hostel is 15 minutes on foot from Villa del Grumello.

Hotels

A non-exhaustive list of three-star hotels is provided here:

| Hotel | Address | Phone |
|------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Continental Como | Viale Innocenzo XI 15, Como | +39 031 260485 |
| Firenze | P.zza Volta 16, Como | +39 031 300333 |
| Engadina | Viale Rosselli 22, Como | +39 031 570008 |
| Plinius | Via Garibaldi 33, Como | +39 031 273067 |
| Tre Re | Piazza Boldoni 20, Como | +39 031 265374 |

A map highlighting hotels in Como and surroundings can be found here.

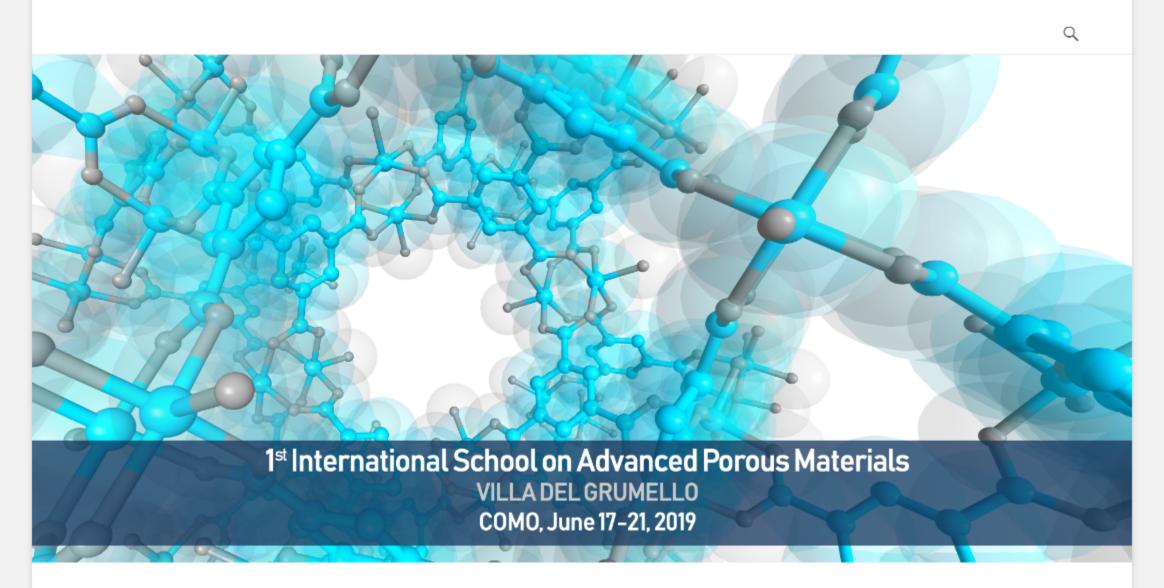
Important! For all school speakers and attendees!

We have learned that third part companies are contacting school speakers and attendees offering to make travel arrangements (hotel and flight bookings) on our behalf and asking for credit card details in order to proceed. PLEASE NOTE these agencies are not authorized by us, this is most likely a fraud.

For any doubt do not hesitate to contact us. Thank you!

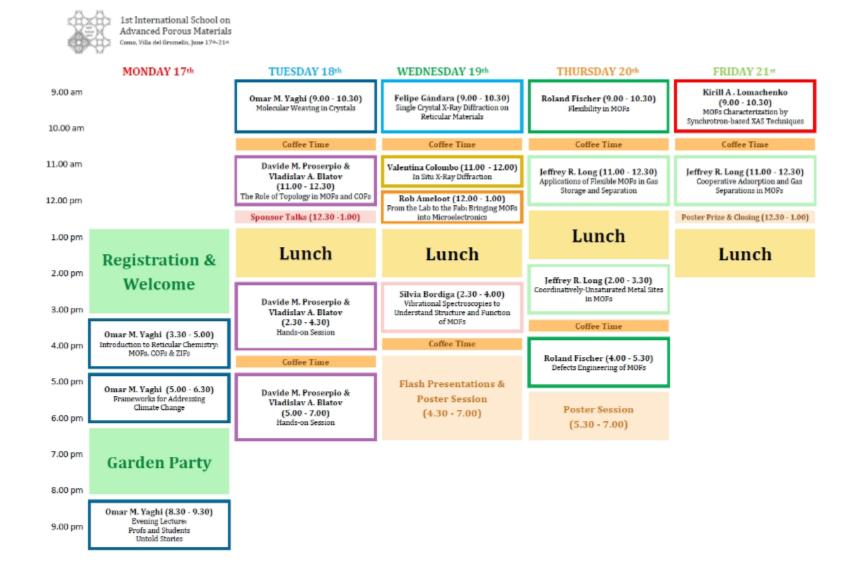


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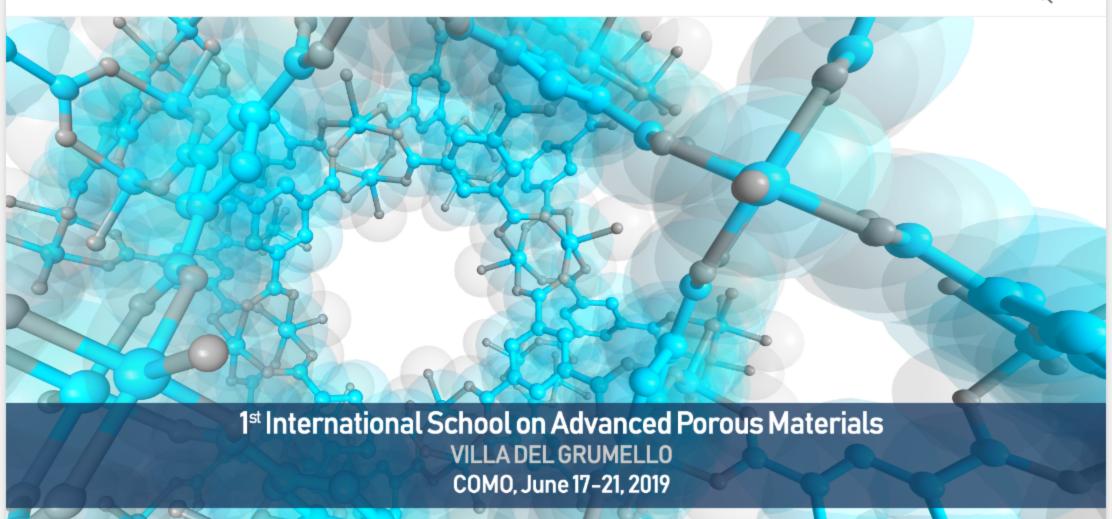
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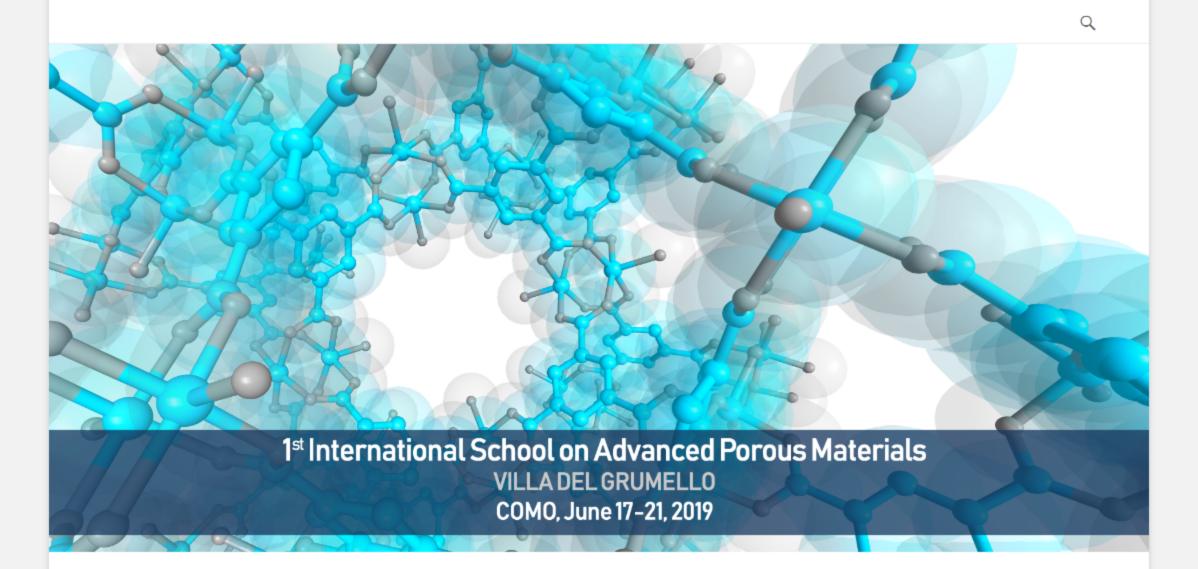
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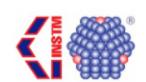








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