



Devoted to 100 years of the Croatian Chemical Society (1926-2026)



2-3 July 2026 | Osijek, Croatia

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

1st Drava Chemistry Conference – Connecting Chemistry Along the River (Drava ChemiCon) is an international scientific conference organized by the Croatian Chemical Society – Osijek and Varaždin Branches, celebrating the centennial anniversary of the Society. It will bring together scientists, chemistry teachers, students, and representatives of the chemical industry, fostering dialogue between research, education, and industry. The programme includes scientific, education, and student sections, promoting intergenerational exchange and international collaboration across all areas of chemistry. Held in a city historically connected to Nobel laureates Lavoslav Ružička and Vladimir Prelog, Drava ChemiCon inaugurates a rotating conference series among cities along the Drava River, emphasizing the river as a corridor of scientific and educational cooperation.

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CONFERENCE SECTIONS

Scientific Section

Education Section

Student Section

SPECIAL PANEL

Financing Scientific Research – Challenges and Opportunities

VENUE & ACCOMODATION



Faculty of Agrobiotechnical
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Student dormitories:
Lavoslav Ružička
Andrija Štampar
for Conference participants
25 EUR/person



Hotels with discount for
Conference participants:
[Maximilian Osijek](#)
[Boutique hotel Tvrdča](#)

CONFERENCE FEES

Regular - 160 / 200 €

(conference dinner included)

Members of CCS – 140 / 175 €

(conference dinner included)

Student and Teachers – 50 / 60 €

CONFERENCE TOPICS

- ✓ Fundamental and applied chemistry
- ✓ Interdisciplinary chemistry
- ✓ Chemical education

DEADLINES

- 15 May · Early Bird Registration
- 11 June · Abstract Submission
- 20 June · Notification of Acceptance

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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