



The VerTech Consortium is proud to Announce VerTech 2013 Conference

May 21-24, 2013

Poitiers & La Rochelle, France



Organizing Committee: Espace Mendès-France (Poitiers, France), Valagro (Poitiers, France) and Université de Poitiers (Poitiers, France)
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CONFERENCE OBJECTIVE



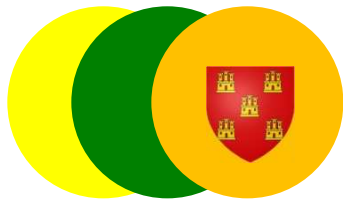
To pursue and initiate dialog among VerTech Consortium members with hopes of forming future collaborations pertaining to the development and commercialization of renewable, green energy and chemical processes.

CONFERENCE FORMAT



The two days VerTech conference will be held during ISGC2, the International Symposium on Green Chemistry, and will include roundtable, tours, posters, collaboration building sessions, and social interaction.





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PRELIMINARY SUMMARY OF CONFERENCE AGENDA

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2013

ISGC2 Inauguration, plenary lectures, oral and flash communications, welcome reception with poster session

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 2013

9:00am Inauguration and presentation of Sesame network

10:30am Conferences

12:30pm Lunch with ISGC2 participants

2:00pm Conferences

4:30pm Round table

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2013

9:00am Visit of CRITT Matériaux at Rochefort

11:00am Visit of Hermione shipyard

2:30pm Visit of town of Cognac

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 2013

8:30am Departure to Poitiers

10:15am Visit of VALAGRO

12:30pm Tour of University of Poitiers facilities

1:30pm Visit of Espace Mendès-France

4:30pm Reception at City Hall



Selected Program Highlights:

- Participation to the 2nd International Symposium on Green Chemistry (ISGC2: www.isgc2013.com)
- Visit of two R&D centers specialized in sustainable materials (CRITT Matériaux) and in green chemistry (Valagro)
- Tour of University of Poitiers R&D Laboratories
- Exchange of Information on Capacities of Participants
- Discussions on International Commercialization Opportunities

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- **Registration fee: \$200.00 payable to ICF before May 1**

