

Venom Day

16th November 2013



Registration deadline 13th November

- 09:30 Registration and refreshments
- 10:30 Welcome
- 10:35 **David Warrell** *Are we any better at preventing and treating venomous bites and stings?*
- 11:20 **David Richards** *Torturous toxins: the power of pain in venom evolution.*
- 11:50 Adam Hargreaves Genomic and transcriptomic insights into snake venom evolution.
- 12:30 Lunch break
- 13:40 **Wolfgang Wüster** Cryptic diversity in the African forest cobra (Naja melanoleuca) complex.
- 14:05 **Bianca Op Den Brouw** Exploring linkages between diet & the enzymatic function of Vipera berus & Vipera latastei venom.
- 14:25 **Tom White** Detecting venom toxin variation in the Taiwanese bamboo viper.
- 14:45 **Ronald Jenner** Tracking toxins in venomous vermes (Glyceridae, Annelida).
- 15:10 **Björn Von Reumont** *The first venomous crustacean*, Speleonectes tulumensis (*Remipedia*), and its unique venom cocktail.
- 15:35 Refreshments
- 16:10 **Anna Nekaris** Mad, bad and dangerous to know: ecology and evolution of slow loris venom.
- 16:45 **Carol Trim** *Venom*; the sharp end of pain therapeutics.
- 17:10 **Anita Malhotra** First catch your snake...
- 17:40 **Paul Rowley -** Working at the sharp end of venom research.
- 18:10 Finish

Location is Bangor University, LL57 2UW. Light snacks will be available for lunch. Registration is **ESSENTIAL** and everyone welcome. Bangor University Herpetological Society, British Herpetological Society & International Herpetological Society members - £5 and non-members - £10. Payment can be made on the day. For membership prices a valid card must be displayed on the door. To register and for information regarding a limited availability evening meal please contact venomday2013@gmail.com.