

Quo Vadis Chemie

A Bioorganometallic Journey from Peptide Bioconjugates to Novel Metal-based Antibiotics



which will be delivered by

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the Lecture Hall CH2 at the School of Chemistry, Faculty of Science, Hlavova 8

This lecture will highlight various synthetic strategies to obtain bioactive metal-peptide bioconjugates that have been developed in our group, and will present some exemplary biomedical applications of such metal complexes and metal-peptide conjugates. Potent novel anticancer agents based on a number of different metals such as Fe, Ru, Re, and Au were developed and in-depth tested for their antiproliferative activity against a range of different cancer cells. Also presented will be novel organometallic-peptide conjugates with very potent antibacterial activities that even surpass that of a last-resort antibiotic, vancomycin.

