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Welcome to SPIN-2017

Dear Colleague,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, it's my pleasure to give you a warm welcome at the SPIN-2017 Conference on Nitroxides.

I'm proud to announce that 25 countries are represented in this Conference, whose aim is the advance in the knowledge of nitroxides, the inspiration of new ideas and the dissemination of the results obtained in this field. The scientific contributions collected in this Book of Abstracts proof that nitroxides still deserve the attention of the scientific community.

This is the 8-th edition of this Conference, initiated in Hungary in 1979 and chaired by Prof. Dr. Kálmán Hideg. In Padova nitroxides have been used since the 60's in the group of prof. G. Giacometti, and since then the molecules have been studied theoretically (prof. P. L. Nordio) for the development of new spin relaxation theories, and experimentally by EPR spectroscopy (prof. C. Corvaja and prof. M. Brustolon) for the characterization of their physicochemical properties. More recently also organic groups started to take advantage of these molecules for the syntheses of new compounds (prof. C. Toniolo). I'm convinced that Padova is an appropriate location for this Conference, and I hope you will enjoy your staying here for the scientific level offered by the contributors to this Conference, and for the opportunities offered by this historical city founded more than 2500 years ago.

The exchange of information during the oral and the poster sessions, and the activation of new collaborations during the free time used in most scientific Congresses, and also in this one, underlie the concept that, for scientists, the advance of the knowledge is better reached by a cooperative system than a competitive system. Possibly it works not only in science.

I invite you to walk around the city, looking for the frescos, the painting and the masterpieces of Giotto, Giusto de' Menabuoi, Donatello and others, to look at the Galileo's Cattedra or to simply enjoy the shadow under the ancient trees of the most ancient botanic garden in the world. I wish that all these activities, done with other colleagues, can be the catalyst for the formation of new links!

See you under the Goethe's Palm and enjoy the Conference!

Antonio Barbon

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Spin trapping as tool for investigating radiation induced free radicals in biologically active molecules

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Since from the second half of the last century the spin trapping has found wide applications in chemistry, biology and medicine [1]. Of particular interest are the studied of the free radicals induced in biologically active molecules, such as DNA and proteins, when they are exposed to ionizing radiation. Their characterization allows to investigate the radiation-induced primary processes inside living cells. Indeed, ionizing radiations produce many kinds of free radicals through direct action; radicals can be formed also by indirect actions. However, the direct detection of these radicals is hard to obtain as they have a too short lifetime and this makes difficult to record them by conventional electron spin resonance (ESR) technique. This limitation can be overcome by means of spin-trapping method wherein these short-lived free radicals are converted using a diamagnetic scavenger (the spin trap) to longer-lived radicals (the spin adducts), which can be conveniently investigated by means of ESR.

Here, we review a combined method of ESR and spin trapping to identify free radicals induced by direct ionization as well as OH-radical reactions in nucleic-acid related and protein-related compounds. ESR combined with spin trapping remains a useful method for clarifying these processes in a living organism.

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