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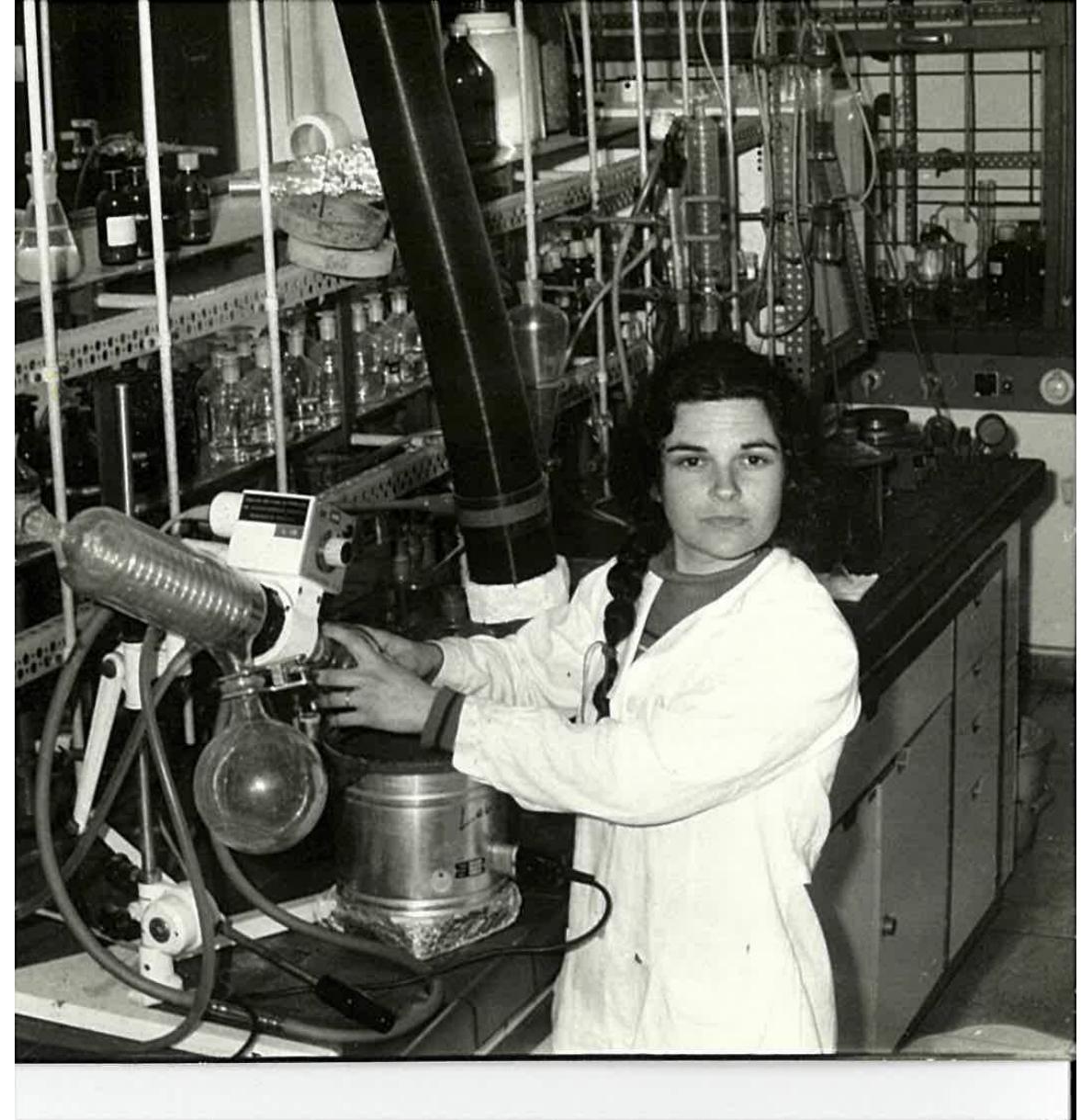
The past, the present and the future....

**The Portuguese Chemical Society
Carbohydrate Group**



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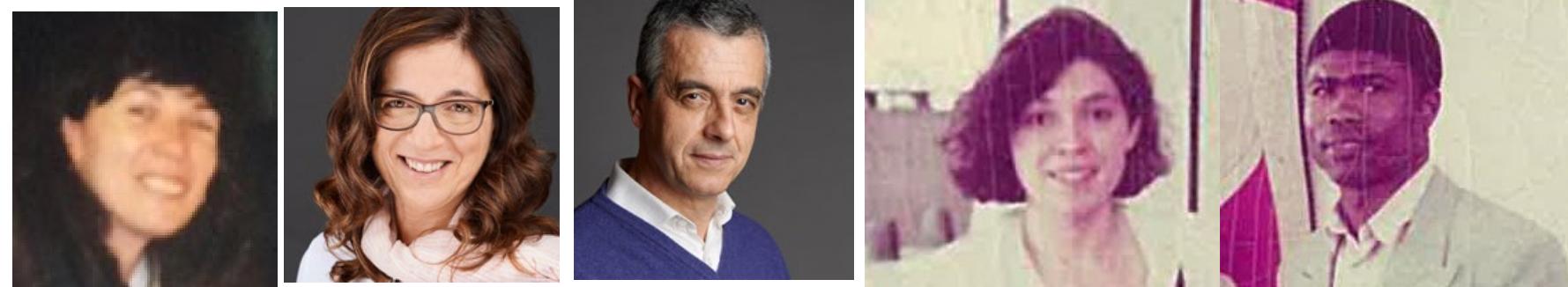
**It all started
with a dream.....**

and the dream came truth....

The 7th of May 1993



O Dia dos Glúcidos
La Journée des Glucides
Carbohydrates' Day



Meeting for the establishment of the Portuguese Chemical Society
Carbohydrate Chemistry Group with the signature of 40 future members

1994

Synthesis of C-disaccharides, new tools in glycobiology

Prof. Pierre Sinaÿ,

École Normale Supérieure, Paris



1995

**1st International Meeting of the Portuguese
Carbohydrate Chemistry Group (Glupor 1)**

Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian, Lisboa

26 - 30 September

Chaired by Amelia Pilar Rauter





Grupo da Química dos Glúcidos

1st. International Meeting of the Portuguese
Carbohydrate Chemistry Group



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Lisbon, Portugal
26-30 September, 1995
Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian

1st International Meeting of the Portuguese Carbohydrate Chemistry Group (Glupor 1)

113 participants

14 Plenary lectures

12 Invited lectures

9 Oral communications

38 Poster presentations

**Argentina, Brasil,
Canada, Costa Rica, France,
Germany, Italy, Japan,
Portugal, Spain, Sweden,
Switzerland, The
Netherlands, United Kingdom**



1st Iberian Carbohydrate Meeting



Aveiro

September 1999

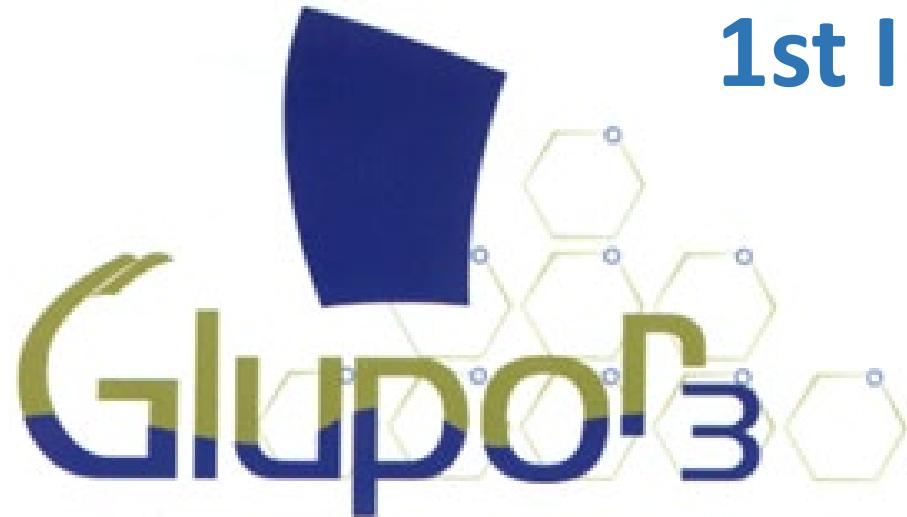
Chaired by Manuel Coimbra

Juan Carlos Palacios

Amélia Pilar Rauter



1st Iberian Carbohydrate Meeting



Aveiro
September 1999



1999 Glupor 3 and 1st Iberian Carbohydrate Meeting

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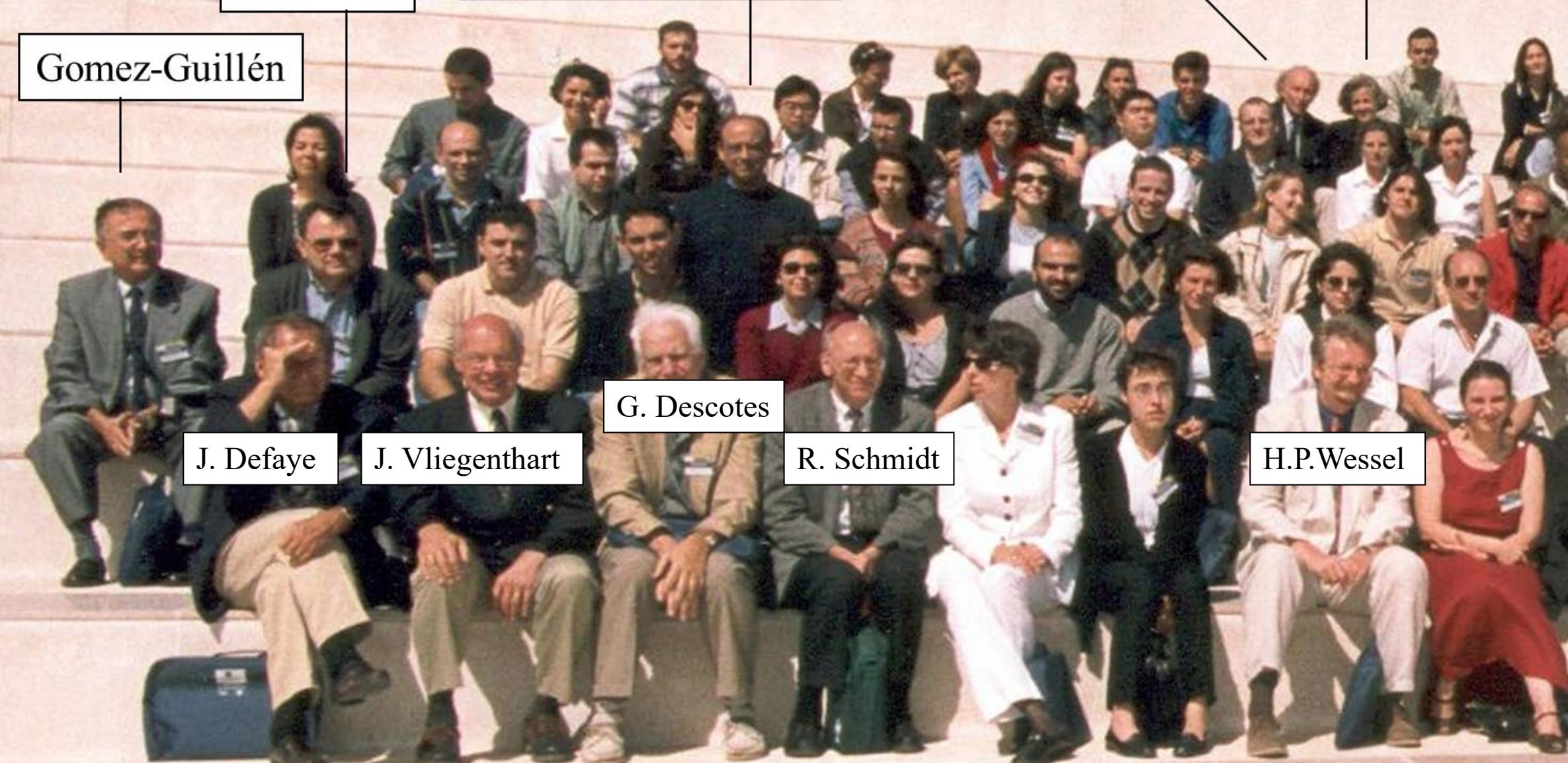
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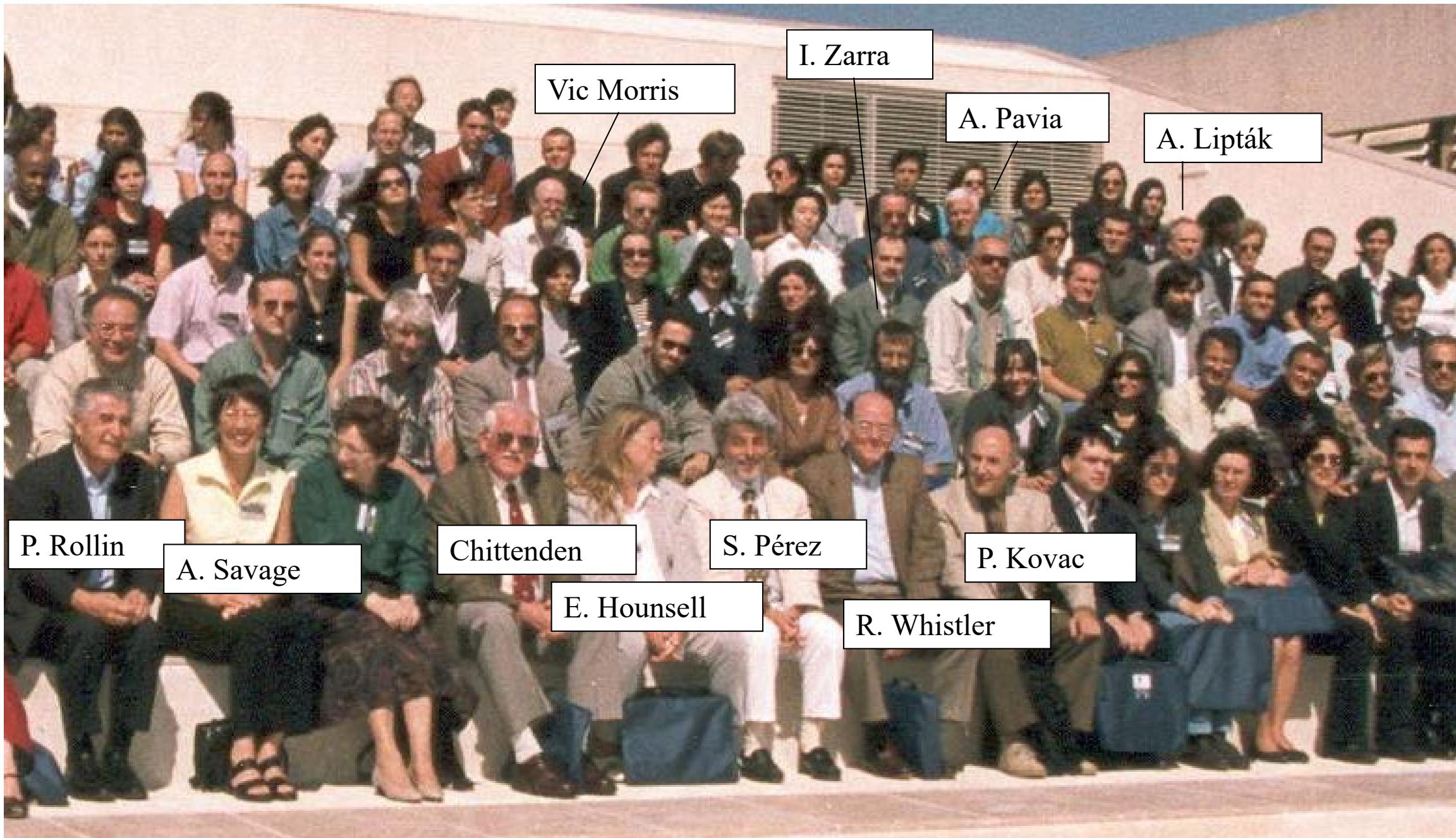
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R. Schmidt

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1999 Glupor 3 and 1st Iberian Carbohydrate Meeting



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11th EUROPEAN CARBOHYDRATE SYMPOSIUM



Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa

Campo Grande | Lisboa | Portugal

September 2 - 7 2001

Topics

SYNTHESIS AND COMBINATORIAL CHEMISTRY
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The SPQ Carbohydrate Chemistry Group
national representation at the
European Carbohydrate Organisation
was achieved in 1996

XIth European Carbohydrate Symposium
(EUROCARB XI) Faculdade de Ciências,
Universidade de Lisboa, 2001

Funded under EU FP5-LIFE QUALITY Program
(Grant agreement ID: QLK3-CT-2001-30035)

617 participants, 13 plenary lectures, 55 invited lectures, 58 oral communications, 301 poster presentations

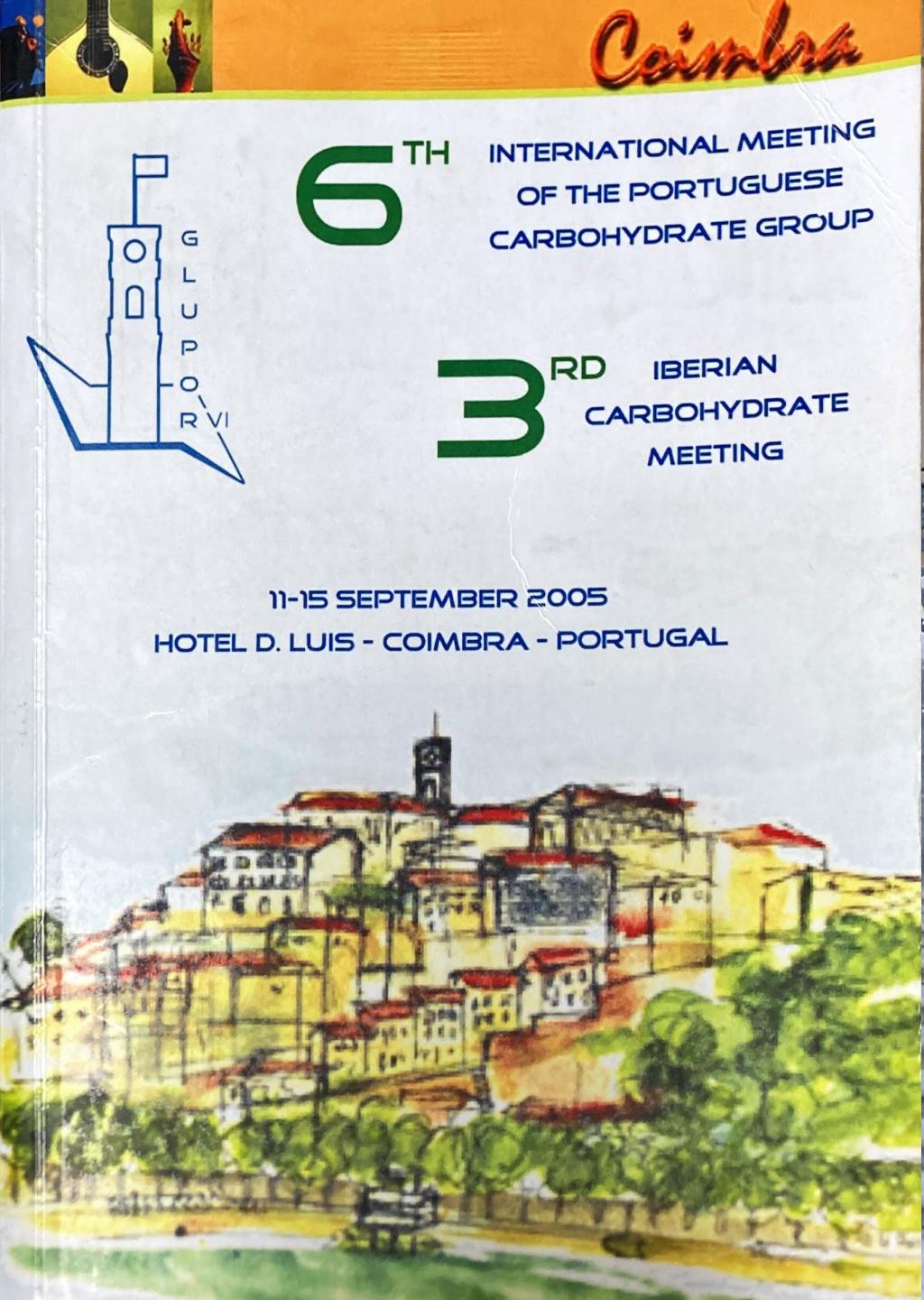
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Glupor 5

07-10th September 2003 Covilhã





IV IBERIAN CARBOHYDRATE MEETING
IX JORNADAS DE CARBOHIDRATOS
10-12 September 2008, Santiago de Compostela, Spain



BOOK OF ABSTRACTS

CORM V 20-23 January 2009
Faculty of Sciences | University of Lisbon
PORTUGAL



CORM V
Lisbon - Portugal
FCUL 20-23 JANUARY 2009

Carbohydrates as Organic Raw Materials
Building a Sustainable Future



356 participants, 32 Invited Lectures, 16 Oral communications, 63 poster presentations

Austria, Belgium, Brasil, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Norway, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, The Netherlands, United kingdom

Südzucker, Dionex (Germany), Fermentec (Brasil), Glycom A/S (Denmark), Hoffmann-La Roche (Switzerland) L'Oréal, Roquette (France)

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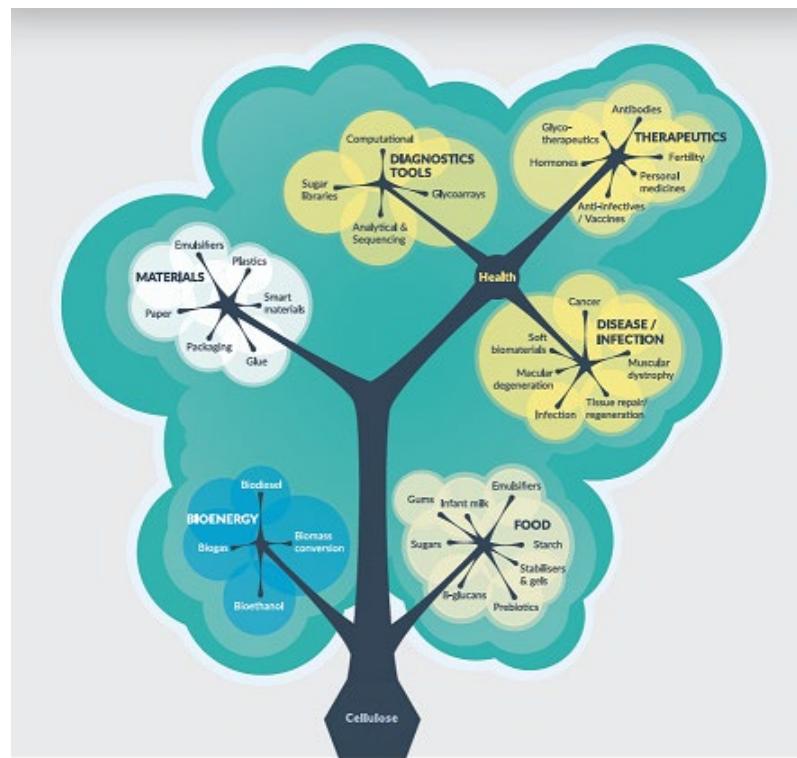
A Mine for Functional Molecules and Materials

Springer



EGSF Centers of Excellence from Portugal:
Carbohydrate Chemistry Lab
FCUL – Amelia P. Rauter
Glycobiology lab ITQB – Julia Costa

- A road map for Glycoscience in Europe (2015)



GLYCOBIOLOGY & GLYCOCHEMISTRY INTERNATIONAL E-LEARNING COURSE

Coordination: Paula Videira (NMS/FCM, UNL); Amélia Pilar Rauter (CiênciasULisboa); Irene Tomé (FCSH/UNL)

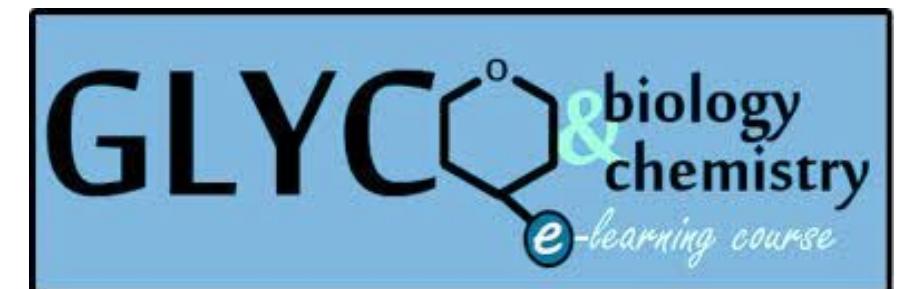
2015 - 2021
PROGRAM

- Module 1 - Carbohydrate Structure and Nomenclature**
- Module 2 - Biosynthesis, Metabolism of Carbohydrates**
- Module 3 - Glycan-binding Proteins**
- Module 4 - Glycans in Human Physiological Mechanisms**
- Module 5 - Glycans in Human Pathology**
- Module 6 - Methods in Glycosciences**
- Module 7 - Applications of Glycosciences**
- Module 8 - Glycochemistry in Medicine**
- Module 9 - Biosynthesis of disease related carbohydrate antigens**
- Module 10- Glycomics**

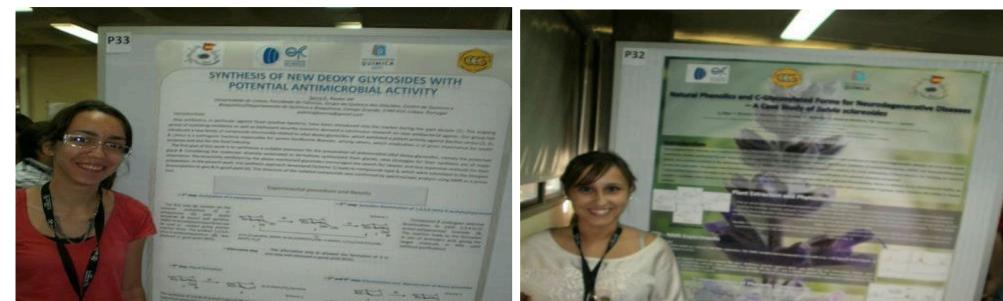
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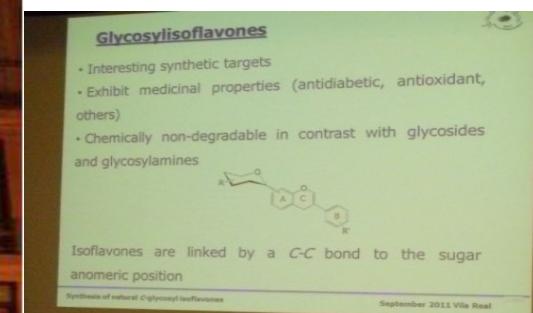
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September 2011,
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5th Glupor 9 Iberian Carbohydrate Meeting

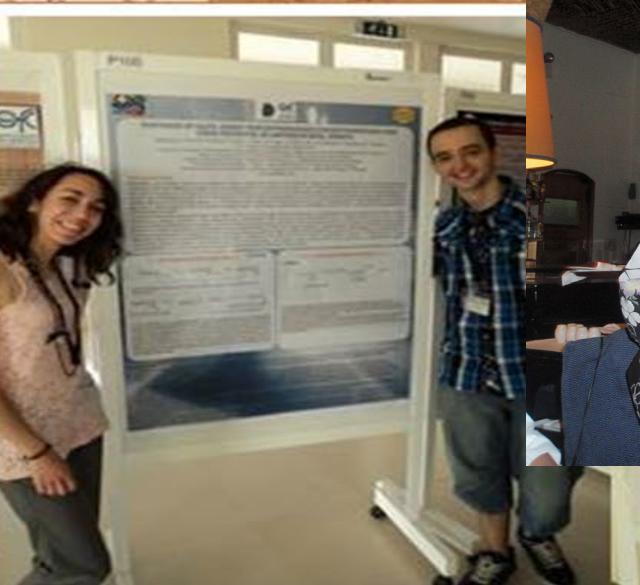


Best Oral Presentation Award





18-20 July 2012, Ciências ULisboa





EUROCARB 17

17th European Carbohydrate Symposium

Tel-Aviv, Israel, July 7-11, 2013



May 2014



Glycobiology and glycochemistry: Applications to human health and disease

26 – 30 May 2014 | Lisbon, Portugal

**EMBO
Workshop**

The programme for this event
was reviewed and approved by the
EMBO Course Committee.





SOCIEDADE PORTUGUESA DE QUÍMICA



11th International Meeting of the Portuguese Carbohydrate Chemistry Group

6th Iberian Carbohydrate Meeting



The SPQ Carbohydrate Chemistry Group national representation at the International Carbohydrate Organisation was achieved in 1997.

Portugal has participated in all meetings since then and has given the following major contributions:

- Proposed the creation of the ICO Young Researcher Award, which started in 2014 (27th International Carbohydrate Symposium, India) and continued since then.

Ceremony to award
Dr Daniel Kracher with the
ICO Young Researcher Award 2020



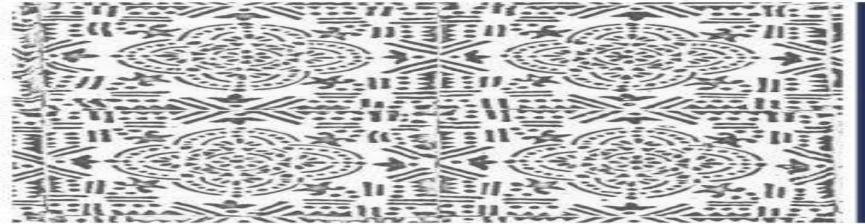
- Organized the 29th International Carbohydrate Symposium in 2018.



Amélia P. Rauter*, Nikolay Nifantiev and Francesco Nicotra

ICS-29: The 29th International Carbohydrate Symposium
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The carbohydrate community met at the Universidade de Lisboa and at its Faculdade de Ciências, in Portugal, for the 29th International Carbohydrate Symposium, held from the 15th to the 19th of July 2019, an event under the auspices of the International Carbohydrate Organisation. **In issues 7 and 9 of Pure and Applied Chemistry volume 91 (2019), papers covering glycoscience topics discussed in this meeting are presented.**





ICS Iberian Day – 13 Invited lectures; 6 Oral communications; 17 Flash communications

ICS Young Researcher Workshop – 2 Plenary lectures; 25 Flash communications

International Carbohydrate Symposium – Plenary session + 9 parallel sessions covering:

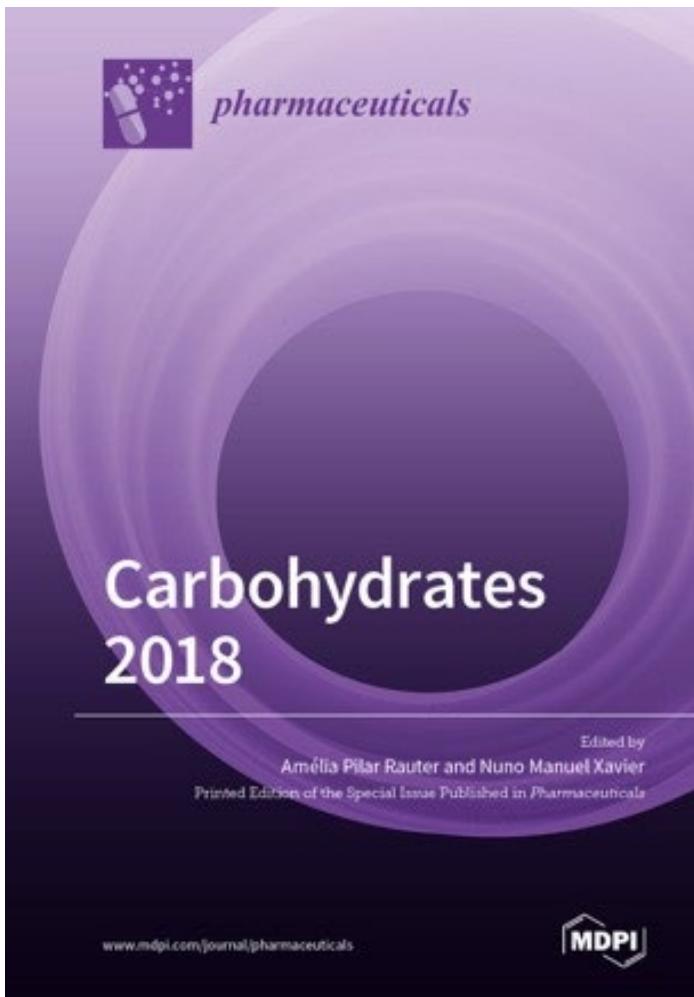
21 Plenary lectures including the 2 Award lectures;

61 Invited Lectures; 134 Oral communications; 31 Flash communications; 338 Posters

850 Participants

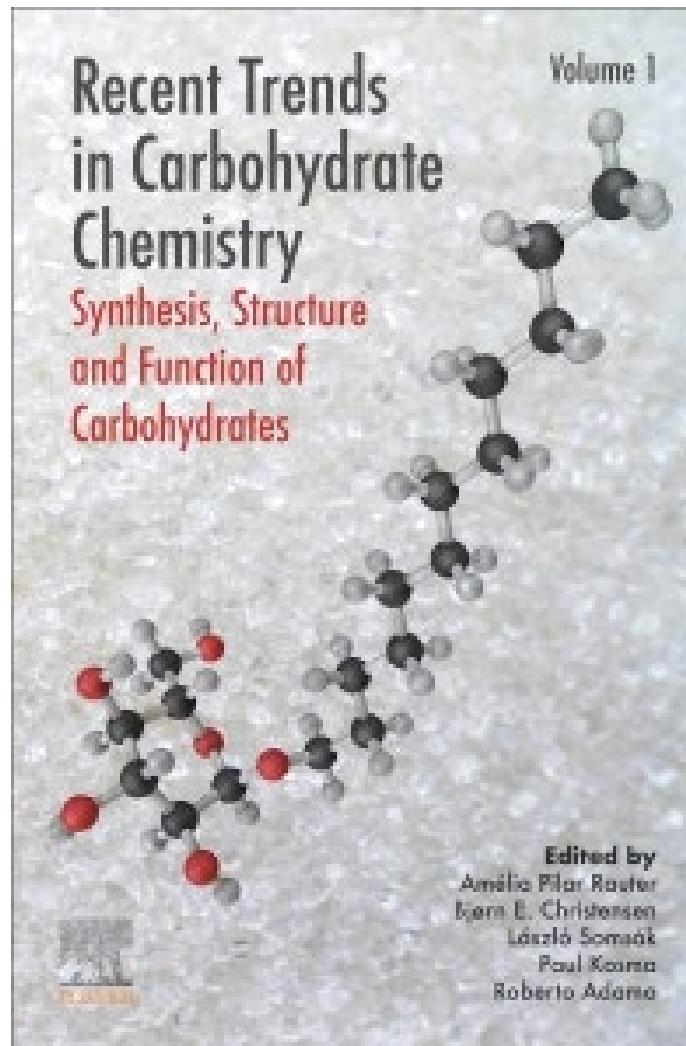
Poster Awards	Oral Communications Awards	Flash Presentation Awards
Pharmaceuticals Poster Prize	Tokyo Chemical Industry Oral Communication Prize	Tokyo Chemical Industry Flash Presentation Prize
Carbohydrate Polymers Poster Prize	J. Pereira da Cruz Innovation Award	Megazyme Prize for the Best Flash Presentation
	CarboSynth Oral Communication Prize	2 World Scientific Flash Presentation Prizes

Edition of Books in carbohydrate topics

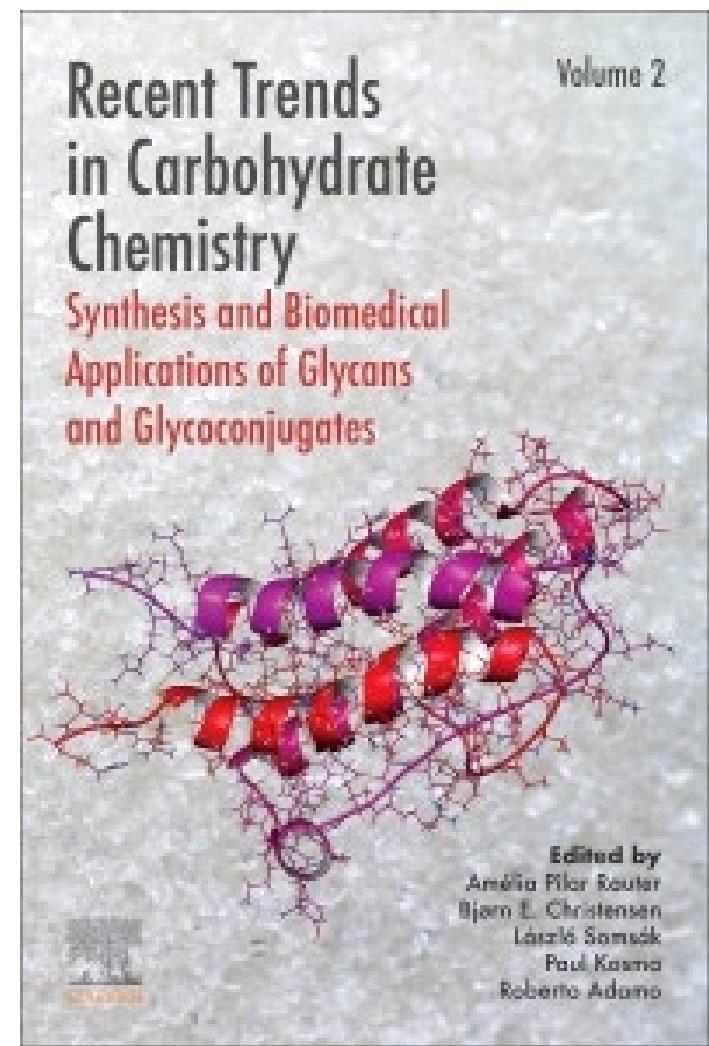


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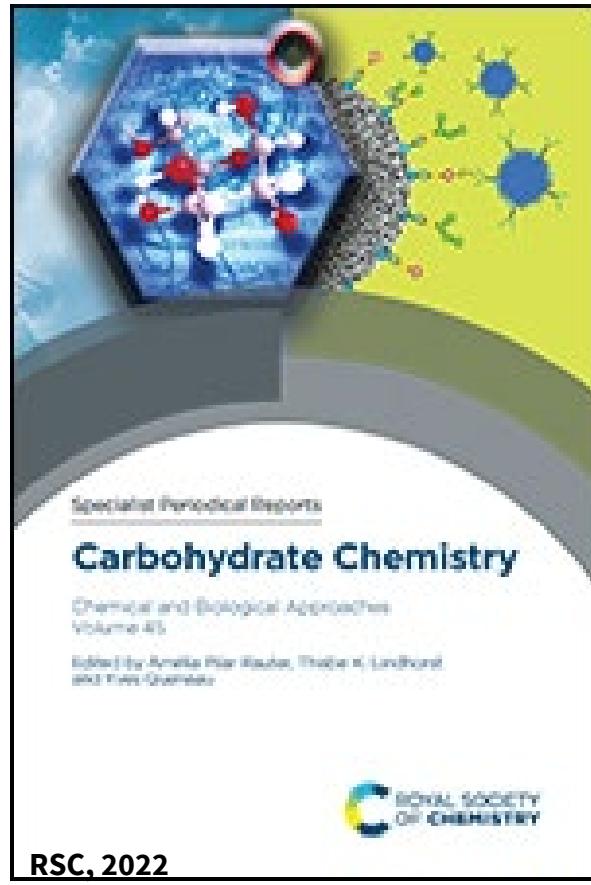


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Edition of Books in Carbohydrate topics

The Book Series entitled:

Carbohydrate Chemistry - Chemical and Biological Approaches
(relaunched in 2008 with this new title)



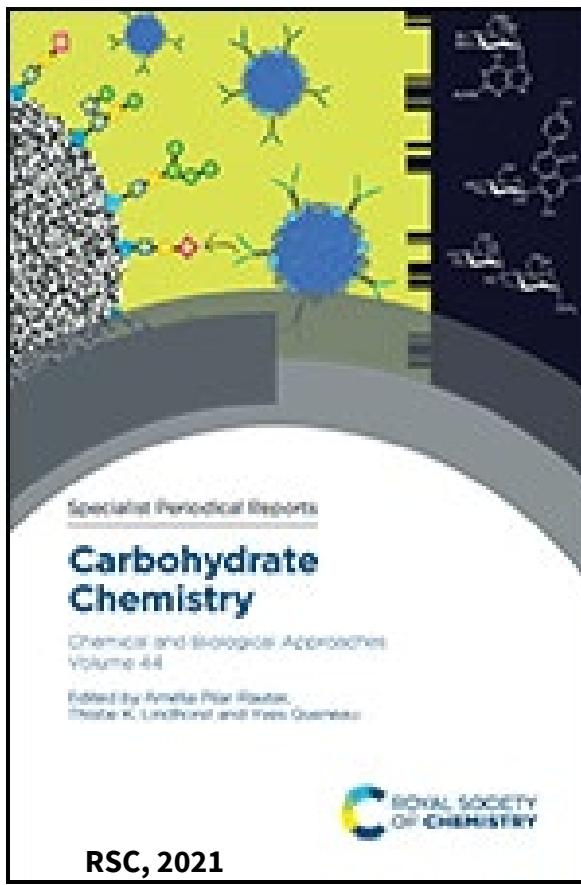
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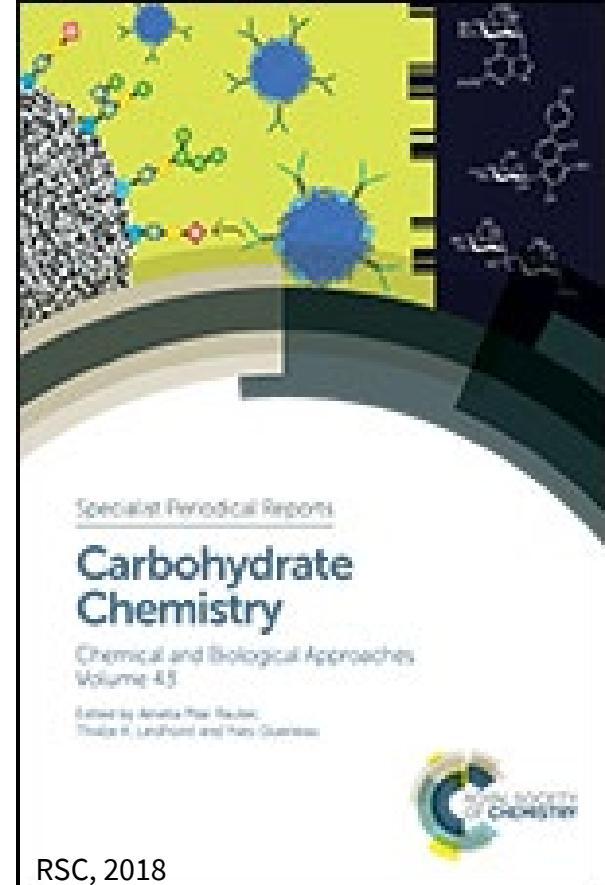
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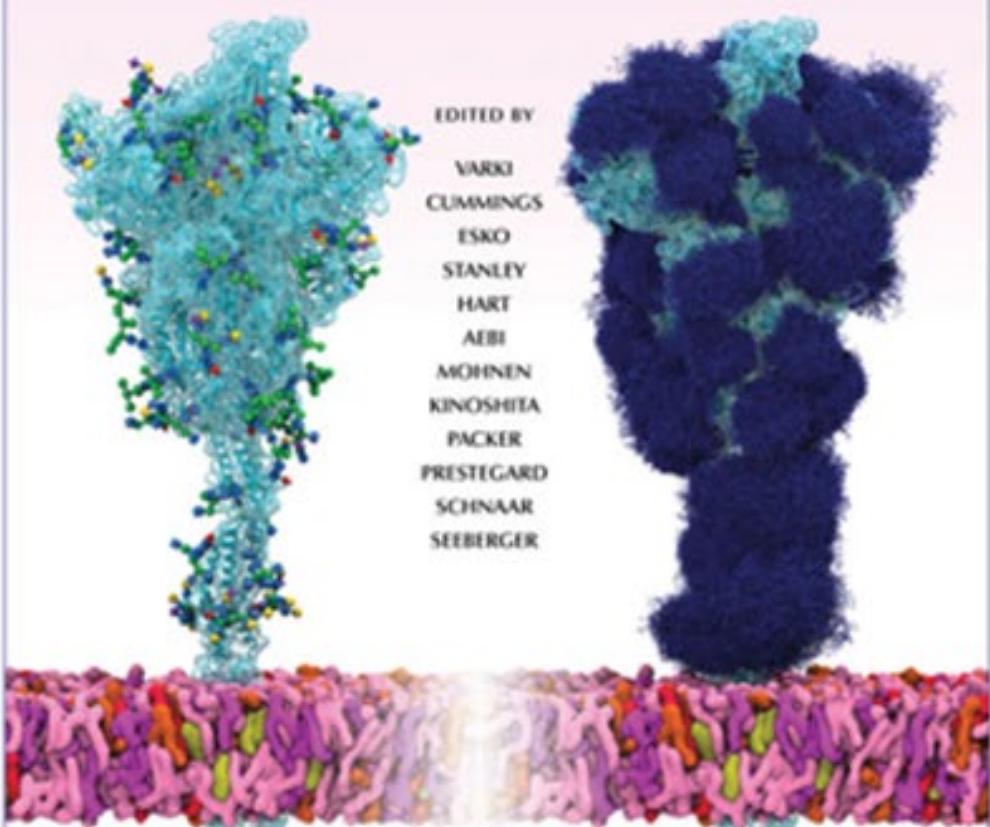
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Glycosylation Changes in Cancer

Susan L. Bellis, Celso A. Reis, Ajit Varki, Reiji Kannagi,
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Altered glycosylation is a universal feature of cancer cells, and certain glycans are well-known markers of tumor progression. This chapter discusses glycan biosynthetic pathways that are altered in cancer cells; correlations between altered glycosylation, diagnosis, and clinical prognosis; the genetic bases of some of these changes; and the functional role of glycans in cancer biology and pathogenesis.

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

The earliest evidence of altered glycosylation as a hallmark of cancer was that some plant lectins show enhanced binding and agglutination of tumor cells. Next, it was found that transformation of cultured cells is frequently accompanied by a general increase in the size of glycopeptides of cell-surface glycoproteins. With the advent of monoclonal antibody technology, many "tumor-

Some european projects....



D3I4AD (Diagnostic and Drug Discovery Initiative for Alzheimer's Disease, Industry-Academia Partnerships and Pathways (IAPP), FP7-PEOPLE-2013-IAPP, grant agreement 612347 2014-2018

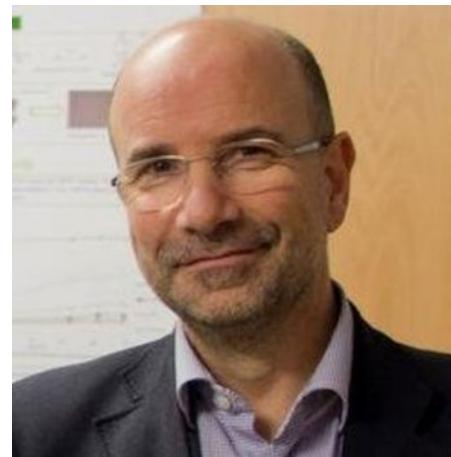


PERSSILAA (Personalised ICT Supported Service for Independent Living and Active Ageing, FP7-ICT-2013-10, grant agreement 610359 2013-2016



Synthèse de molécules biologiquement importantes à partir de glucides, [FP2-SCIENCE - Programme plan \(EEC\)](#) to stimulate the international cooperation and interchange needed by European research scientists (SCIENCE), Grant agreement ID: SC1*0723 1992-1994

Carbohydrates in Portugal in the near future....



BrownBin - Household food waste new life under sustainable cities: a feasibility study (2022-2023)

SMART-ER Seed Projects, The European Consortium of Innovative Universities (ECIU)

Coordination – Manuel A. Coimbra, University of Aveiro, Portugal

Other participants: Kaunas University of Technology (KTU), Lithuania; Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), Spain; University of Trento (UNITN), Italy.

Carbohydrates in Portugal in the near future....



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Leader: Dulcineia Ferreira Wessel, Polytechnic Institute of Viseu



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Starting of the project 1st May 2022

Duration foreseen 36 months

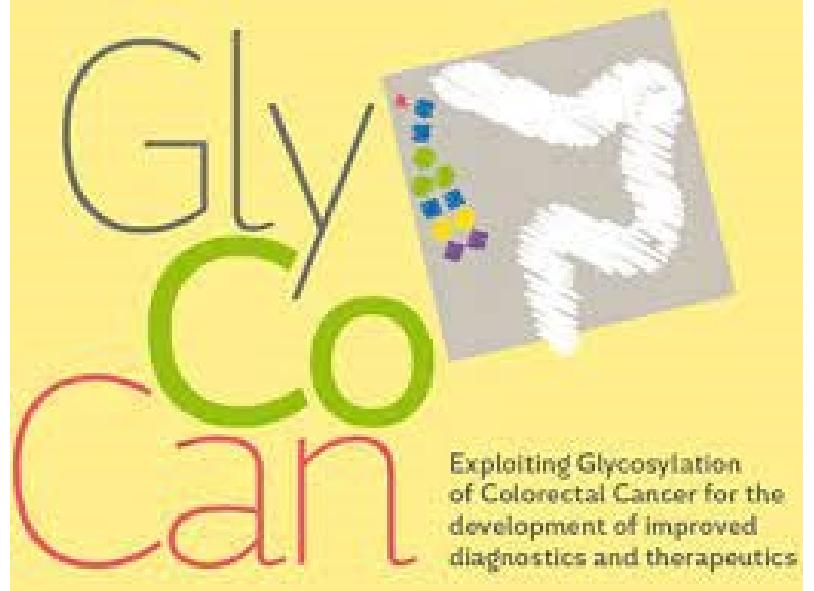
Overall budget 892 543 €

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European joint program on rare diseases



Paula Videira, FCT-UNL



Gastric Glyco Explorer

Towards a system biology approach to gastric cancer



ITN – Towards a system biology approach to gastric cancer

December 2022 to November 2025

GLYCOTwinning

Twinning Action: Building NETworks to Excel in Glycoscience



This project has received funding from the European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation programme under grant agreement nº 101079417 (GLYCOTwinning)

Innogly Cost Action

Biocatalytic synthesis of oligoarabinosides for
the study of drug targets and development of
novel anti-tuberculosis drugs - **FCT Project**
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Nucleos(t)ide and Carbohydrate Medicinal Chemistry, development of novel molecules of therapeutic interest towards **cancer** or **bacterial infections**.

R&D Exploratory project funded and focussed on the development of **novel antibacterial agents** based on **nucleoside and nucleotide analogs**.



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One of our Young Researchers' project....

Development of antibiotic prodrugs
towards membrane disruption in
multidrug-resistant Gram-negative
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2012



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Creation of Congenital Disorders of Glycosylation Patient and Professional Association International Network

- Clinicians, Researchers and
Patients/Caregivers worldwide

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2019-2023



Celso Reis, IPATIMUP

Cancer glycobiology

Development and Cancer

WG 1 - Glycan-based correlations in developmental and cancer biology.

Discussion and exchange of knowledge and know-how between INNOGLY participants will be focused on the concept that cell behaviour and processes that are indispensable for embryonic development are also essential for cancer progression.

- Investigate correlations between the glycosylation pattern changes in cancer and embryonic development.
- Promote the development of novel and improved biosensors for detection and characterization of glycan biomarkers, and identification of new targets of protein glycosylation.
- Promote the development of smart tools and innovative techniques for tracking glycosylation pathways.

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Next meetings...

XXIX PORTO CANCER MEETING

GLYCOSYLATION IN TUMOUR BIOLOGY AND ITS CLINICAL IMPLICATIONS: THE CANCER BITTERSWEET PORTRAIT



11 MAY 2023

9:00 – 9:20 Welcome Session
Manuel Sobrinho-Simões, Claudio Sunkel and Celso Reis

SESSION 1: GLYCOSYLATION IN CANCER
Chairs: Fátima Carneiro (CHSJ/FMUP/i3S) & Henrique Duarte (i3S)

9:20 – 9:50 **Celso Reis**, IPATIMUP/i3S University of Porto, Portugal

KEYNOTE TALK
9:50 – 10:30 **Susan Bellis**, Comprehensive Cancer Center, University of Alabama, USA

10h30-11h00 Coffee break

KEYNOTE TALK
Chairs: Catarina Gomes (i3S)

11:00 – 11:40 **Sofie Groux-Degroote**, Unité de Glycobiologie Structurale et Fonctionnelle, University of Lille, France

11:40 – 12:10 **SELECTED TALKS**
12:10 – 12:40 **SPEED TALKS**

12:40 – 14:15 Lunch break

SESSION 2: GLYCANS IN CANCER MOLECULAR AND CELL BIOLOGY
Chairs: Rui Henrique (IPO, ICBAS) & Ana Magalhães (ICBAS/i3S)

KEYNOTE TALK
14:15 – 14:55 **Robert Haltiwanger**, Complex Carbohydrate Research Center, USA

14:55 – 15H25 – SELECTED TALK
15:25 – 15H55 – SELECTED TALK

16:00 - 16h30 Coffee break

SPECIAL SESSION
Chair: Celso A Reis (i3S)

16h30 – 17:20 **Gabriel Rabinovich**, Instituto de Biología y Medicina Experimental, CONICET and University of Buenos Aires, Argentina

20:00 Meting Diner

12 MAY 2023

SESSION 3: GLYCOSYLATION IN TUMOR MICROENVIRONMENT AND IMMUNE MODULATION
Chairs: Maria Oliveira (i3S) & Joana Gomes (i3S)

KEYNOTE TALK
9:00 – 9:40 **Nikos Karamanos**, Department of Chemistry, University of Patras, Greece

KEYNOTE TALK
9:40 – 10:30 **Heinz Läubli**, University Hospital Basel, Switzerland

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

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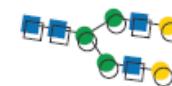
SESSION 4: TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH AND GLYCAN-BASED CLINICAL APPLICATIONS
Chairs: Salomé Pinho (i3S) & Júlio Oliveira (IPOP)

KEYNOTE TALK
14:15 – 14:55 **Paula Videira**, Glycoimmunology Group, Nova University Lisbon, Portugal & CellmAbs Biopharmaceuticals

14:55- 15:25 **SELECTED TALK**

KEYNOTE TALK
15:25 – 16:05 **Mattias Belting**, Department of Clinical Sciences of Lund University, Sweden

16:05 – 16:15 Closing session
Chair: Celso A Reis & André Albergaria (i3S)



Porto Cancer Meeting 2023
Glycosylation in tumour biology
and its clinical implications: The
cancer bittersweet portrait
11-12 May 2023 | i3S, Porto

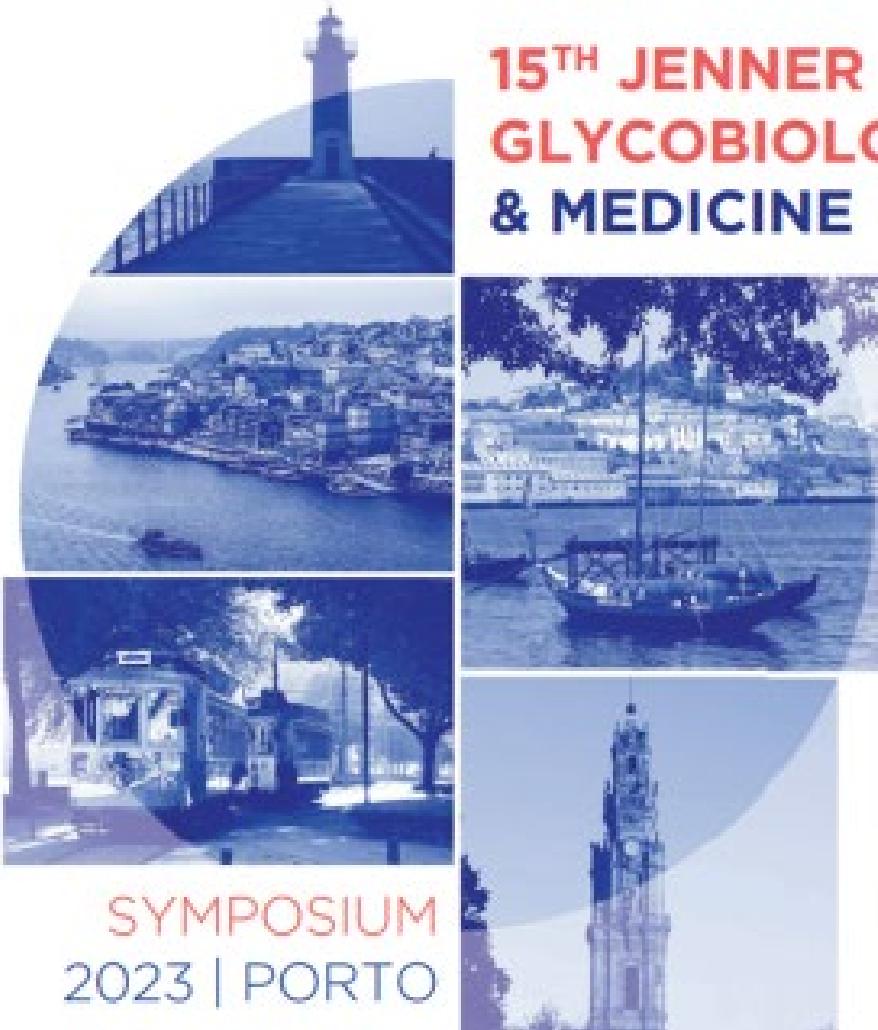
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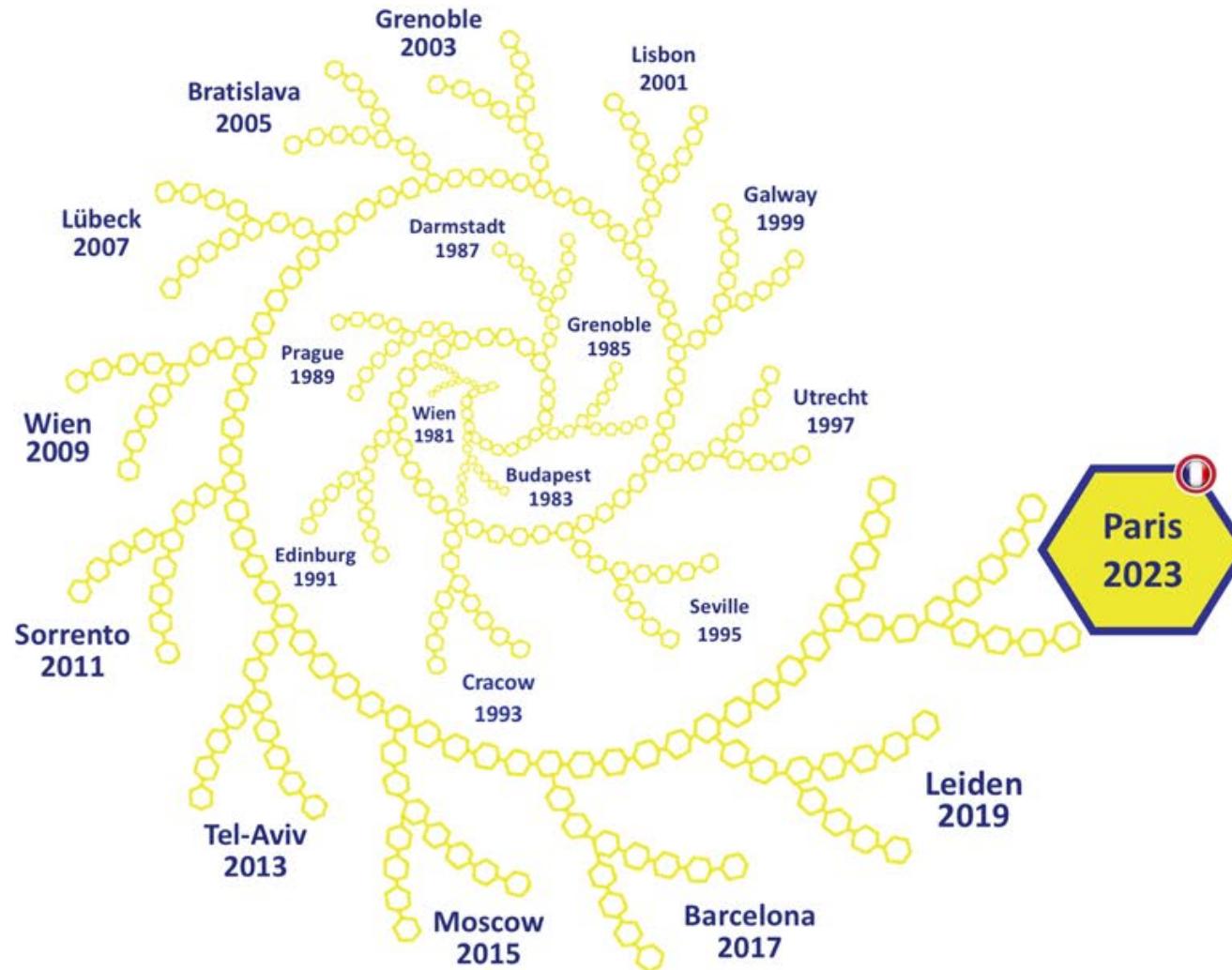
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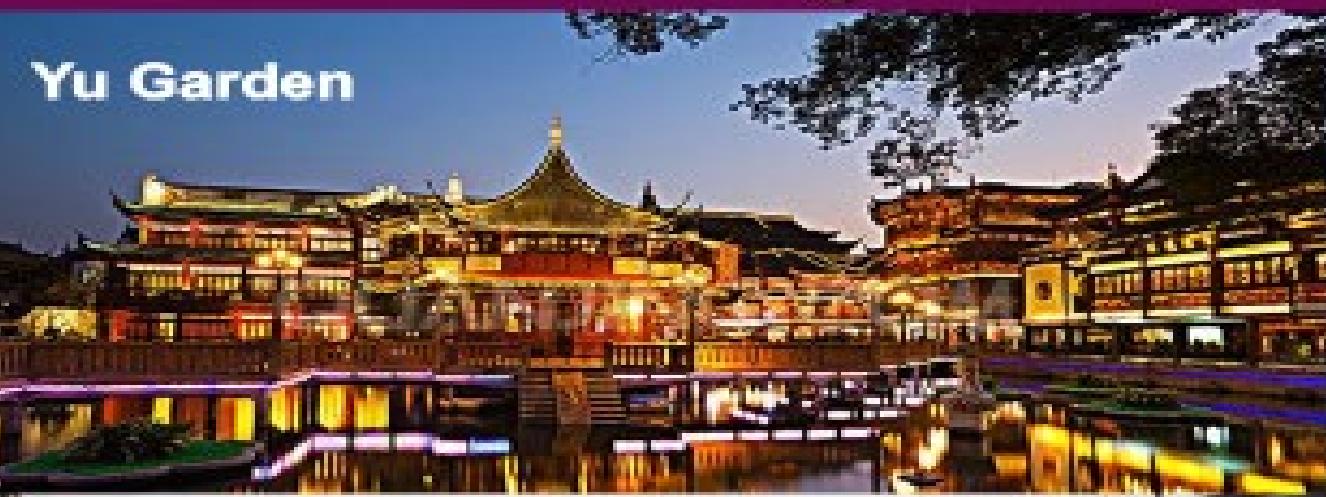
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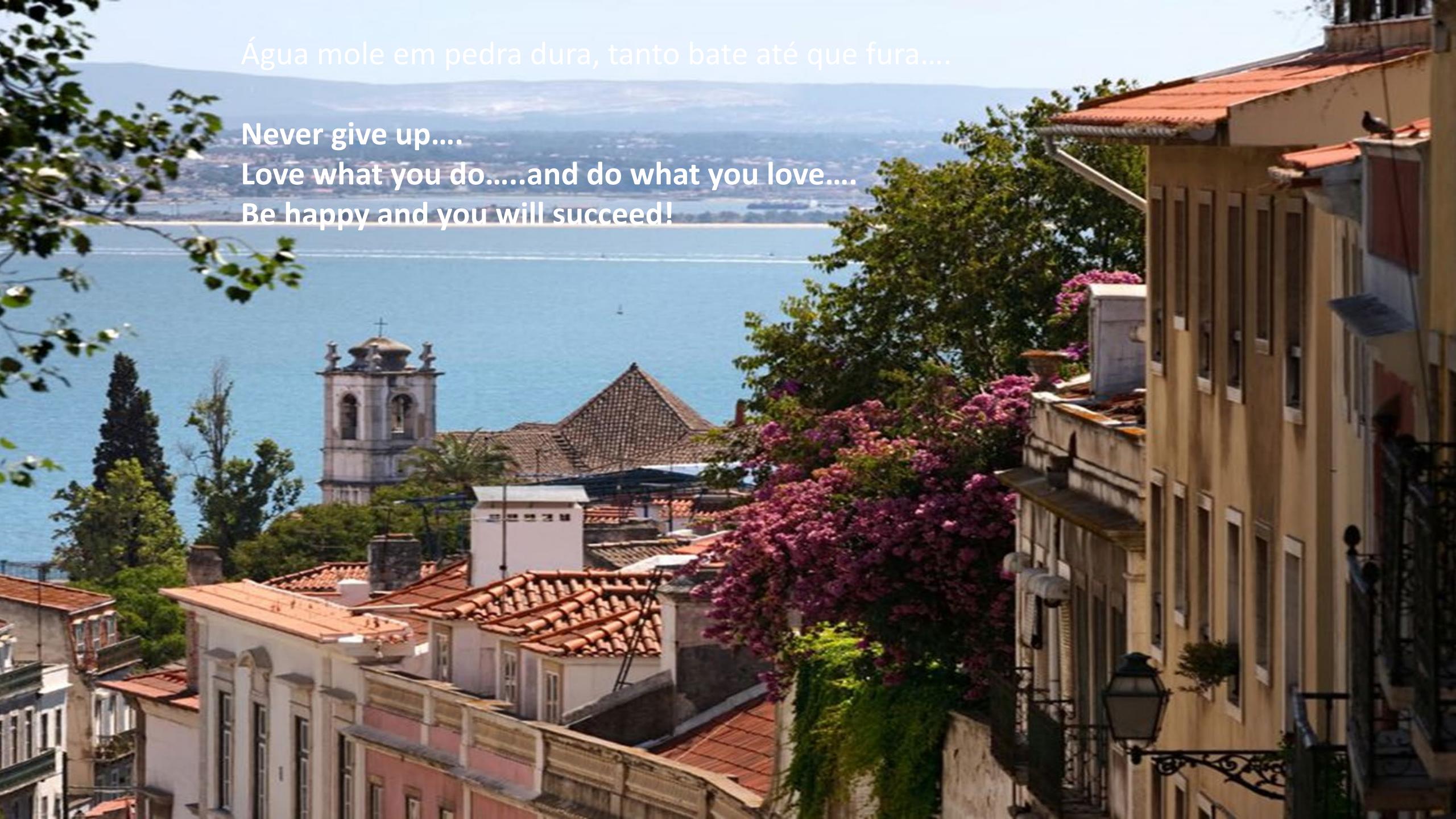


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