

# History and Philosophy of Chemistry Workshop

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Date: 11-12 May 2016

Location: Philosophy Department, Room G2, Cotham House,  
University of Bristol

Website: <http://www.bristol.ac.uk/arts/events/2016/may/history-philosophy-chemistry.html>

## Day 1: 11th of May

09:30- 11:00 Paul Needham, "*Three Approaches to Distributivity*", University of Stockholm

11:15- 12:45 Robin Hendry, "*Structure in Chemistry: A Historical Case Study in Cumulativity and Retention*", Durham University

12:45- 13:30 Lunch Break

13:30- 15:00 Vanessa Seifert, "*Unifying Chemistry with Quantum Mechanics*", University of Bristol

15:15- 16:45 Andrew Pyle & Anna Leendertz-Ford, "*Third Thoughts about Boyle on the Mechanical Philosophy and Chemistry*", University of Bristol

17:00 End of Day 1

## Day 2: 12th of May

09:00- 10:30 Bernadette Bensaude-Vincent, "*What can chemistry do to philosophy?*", Université Paris 1 - Panthéon- Sorbonne

10:45- 12:15 Geoffrey Blumenthal, "*Experiments, interpretations, underdetermination and proliferation in the Chemical Revolution*", University of Bristol

12:30 End of event