

4th RDKit UGM

2-4 September 2015

Zurich Switzerland

This year's RDKit User Group Meeting will take place from 2-4 September at the ETH Zurich, Switzerland.

Registration for the RDKit UGM is free:

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/4th-rdkit-user-group-meeting-tickets-15827426258

The previous years' format seemed to work pretty well and the feedback was positive, so we will stick to the same format this year:

Days 1 and 2: Talks, lightning talks, roundtable(s), discussion, and talktorials. For those who haven't attended before, talktorials are somewhere between a talk and a tutorial, they cover something interesting done with the RDKit and include the code used to do the work. During the presentation you'll give an overview of what you did and also show the pieces of the code that are central to the work. The idea is to mix the science up with the tutorial aspects.

Day 3 will be a sprint: those who choose to stay will spend an intense day working in small groups to produce useful artifacts: new bits of code, KNIME nodes, knime workflows, tutorials, documentation, IPython notebooks, etc. We will once again try to structure this a bit by collecting a bunch of ideas for things to work on in advance.

There will also be, of course, social activities.

Cooperation with KNIME

Something new this year: our friends at KNIME will be participating in the meeting. If there's sufficient interest, they have also agreed to offer a one-day KNIME course on the Tuesday before the UGM (the 1st of September).

Logistics and Hotels

For directions to the ETH Hoenggerberg Campus, see:

https://www.ethz.ch/de/campus/standorte-anreise/standorte-ZH/hoenggerberg.html

There are a number of hotels around the Technopark in Zurich, from which ETH Hönggerberg can be reached using public transportation in ca. 15 minutes:

Novotel (http://www.novotel.com/de/hotel-2731-novotel-zurich-city-west/index.shtml)

lbis (http://www.ibis.com/gb/hotel-2942-ibis-zurich-city-west/index.shtml)

Ibis Budget (http://www.ibis.com/gb/hotel-3184-ibis-budget-zurich-city-west/index.shtml)