

Who We Are

Following the tradition of the *Scuola delle Sostanze Naturali e di Chimica Biorganica "Luigi Minale"*, founded in Naples in 2003, the **International Summer School on Natural Products** (ISSNP) is dedicated to Luigi Minale and Ernesto Fattorusso, pioneers of the chemistry of marine natural products and founders of the Neapolitan school of organic natural products chemists.

The main focus theme of the ISSNP is on both established and emerging areas of research at the cutting-edge of organic **chemistry inspired to natural products** in all their aspects. Key topics are:

- medical chemistry optimization
- biosynthesis and biotechnological aspects
- chemical ecology
- nutraceuticals
- new analytical methods

The aim of the school is to create a **friendly environment** and to provide young scientists, post-docs and PhD students with the opportunity to meet high-profile international scientists in a very relaxed and informal atmosphere.

Who Support Us

The School on Natural Products is sponsored by the Division of Organic Chemistry of the **Italian Chemical Society** (SCI) and organized under the direction of the **Department of Pharmacy** (Università degli Studi di Napoli "Federico II"), the **Stazione Zoologica "Anton Dohrn"**, and the **Institute of Biomolecular Chemistry** (ICB-CNR).

Who Can Apply

The ISSNP is mainly intended for **graduate** and **Ph.D. students** and **young researchers**, both from Universities and Industries.

Registration will be open on **September 2016** and a limited number of **fellowships** will be available.

All students are expected to submit an **abstract** and may apply for a **short talk** and/or a **poster** presentation.

Program

The scientific programme of ISSNP 2017 will include:

- lessons from academic and industrial scientists
- poster sessions
- workshops
- open sessions

Additional educational opportunities are offered as well: in the previous edition, ERC researchers and Horizon 2020 experts advised potential applicants about submitting procedure for **ERC Starting Grant** and **Skłodowska-Curie Actions**.

