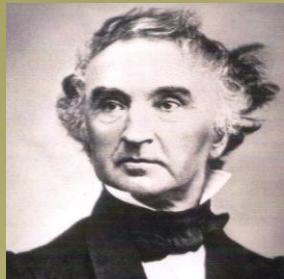


# Liebig-Lectureship



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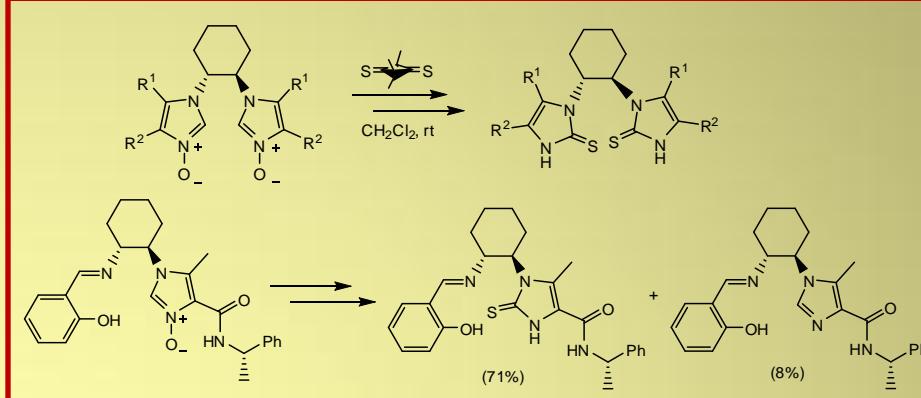
## Three Excursions into the World of Organic Chemistry of Sulfur

Main streams of the research work performed in the group chaired by Prof. G. Młoston relate to the chemistry of heterocyclic systems, organic chemistry of sulfur compounds, fluorine containing organic compounds, reactive intermediates, and diverse problems of asymmetric catalysis.

The three parts of the presented lecture will cover the following topics:

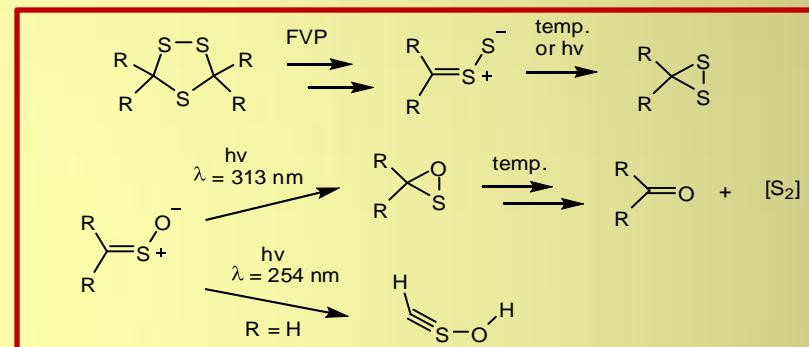
### I. From Azole N-Oxides to Azole Thiones via ‘Sulfur-transfer Reaction’ with a Cycloaliphatic Thiolketone

Published work: *Helv. Chim. Acta*, **1998**, 81, 1585; *Tetrahedron*, **2000**, 56, 5405; *Tetrahedron: Asymmetry*, **2008**, 19, 1600; *Helv. Chim. Acta*, **2008**, 91, 1916; *Tetrahedron: Asymmetry*, **2011**, 22, 669; *Helv. Chim. Acta*, **2011**, 94, 1764.



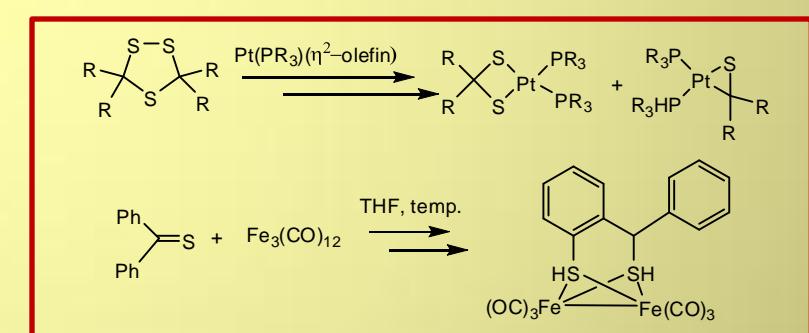
### II. Three-membered Heterocycles with Two Heteratoms Including Sulfur

Published work: *Angew. Chem., Int. Ed. Engl.*, **2001**, 40, 393; *Eur. J. Org. Chem.*, **2006**, 3721; *Eur. J. Org. Chem.*, **2008**, 2998; *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.*, **2009**, 48, 8133; *J. Am. Chem. Soc.*, **2010**, 132, 7240; *Eur. J. Org. Chem.*, **2010**, 2132; *Eur. J. Org. Chem.*, **2011**, 6269; *Phosphorus, Sulfur, Silicon*, **2011**, 186, 1175 (review).

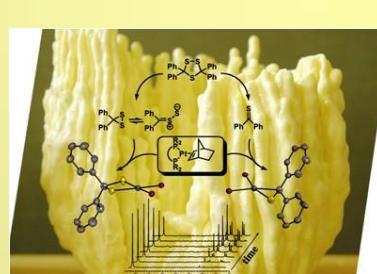
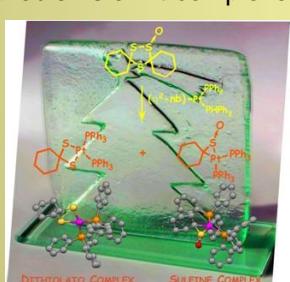


### III. Syntheses of Pt-Complexes and [Fe,Fe]Hydrogenase Models from 1,2,4-Trithiolanes and Aromatic Thiolketones

Published work: *Chem. Eur. J.*, **2006**, 12, 8090; *Eur. J. Inorg. Chem.*, **2007**, 4462; *Eur. J. Inorg. Chem.*, **2007**, 5627; *Eur. J. Inorg. Chem.*, **2009**, 3545; *Eur. J. Inorg. Chem.*, **2010**, 3636; *Eur. J. Inorg. Chem.*, **2011**, 349; *Eur. J. Inorg. Chem.*, **2012**, 318; *Asian J. Org. Chem.*, **2012**, 7, 1383.



Two cover pictures prepared in 2007 and 2009 for *Eur. J. Inorg. Chem.* demonstrate selected problems of Pt-complexes formation.



Dr. Grzegorz Młoston received the Professor Title in 1998, and since 2003 chairs the Department of Organic & Applied Chemistry at the University of Łódź (Poland). Between 2009 and 2012 he occupied the position of the President of the local branch of Polish Chemical Society in Łódź. In 2012 he was elected as the Dean of the Faculty of Chemistry. Three most relevant postdoctoral stays he spent as an associate in research groups at the University of Munich (A. Humboldt Fellow, group of Prof. Rolf Huisgen), the University of Southern California (group of Prof. George A. Olah), and the University of Zurich (group of Prof. Heinz Heimgartner). Since many years he actively participates on the ‘Giessen-Lodz Partnerschaft’ Project, which is supported by DAAD. Prof. G. Młoston is a member of the International Advisory Boards of *Phosphorus, Sulfur, and Silicon*, *Journal of Sulfur Chemistry*, and *Letters in Organic Chemistry*. The list of his publications consists of 245 original papers, 24 reviews, and 6 patents. His activities include also translations of books and articles from German into Polish.



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Die Liebig-Vereinigung für Organische Chemie richtete 1999 eine Vortragsreihe – die Liebig-Lectureship – für herausragende ausländische Vertreter der organischen Chemie ein. Diese Vorträge führen die damit Ausgezeichneten an fünf oder mehr Forschungsinstitute ihrer Wahl. Die vorherigen Inhaber der Liebig-Lectureship waren:

1999	Prof. Philippe Renaud, Univ. Lausanne, Switzerland
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2005	Prof. Robert Madsen, Danmarks TU, Lyngby, Denmark
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2009	Prof. Dr. Karl Gademann, EPFL, Lausanne, Switzerland
2010	Prof. Dr. Valentin Ananikov, RAS, Moscow, RF
2011	Prof. Veronique Gouverneur, Oxford University, UK