Photochemistry Symposium in honor of 
Dr. Frederick D. Lewis

Professor Emeritus
Northwestern University

Dr. Frederick D. Lewis is an esteemed photochemist who’s research focused on understanding the relationship between the unique structure of DNA and its interaction with light, contributing to over 300 publications in leading scientific journals. He most recently received the Josef Michl Award in Photochemistry from the American Chemical Society in 2016. He was also awarded the Porter Medal in 2016 by the Asian, European, and Inter-American Photochemical Societies in recognition as the scientist whom contributed most to the subject of Photochemistry. While Dr. Lewis is concluding 48 years of research, he will remain involved in the intellectual life of his department and research fields. Dr. Lewis received his Ph.D. from the University of Rochester in 1968 and completed his post-doctoral studies at Columbia University.

This session will focus on the fundamental and applied aspects of photochemistry and photophysics from leading experts. Some of the focus area includes photochemistry and photophysics of molecular, supramolecular structures as well as applications of light induced processes in materials, biology and nano-technology.

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