

**4<sup>rd</sup> ZINC-UK meeting  
....to link UK (and non-UK) zinc  
researchers.....**

**18<sup>th</sup> of July 2011  
University of Central Lancashire  
International Institute of Nutritional Sciences and  
Food Safety**



**UCLan is in Preston.** The campus is 10 minutes walk from Preston Train Station. The meeting will take place on the ground floor of Darwin Building.

Travel and campus maps can be found at:

[http://www.uclan.ac.uk/information/uclan/how\\_to\\_find\\_us/routes\\_to\\_preston.php](http://www.uclan.ac.uk/information/uclan/how_to_find_us/routes_to_preston.php)

**Overnight accommodation at:**

Legacy Preston International Hotel <http://www.booking.com/hotel/gb/preston-international.en-gb.html?aid=311076;label=hotel-36950-gb-16Jy1O4iFFOLsRCiUCoURwS3854890770;sid=c021e21d30fe90a2773dd2cbcb5beac9>

Premier Inn (NOT travel lodge as previously stated)

<http://www.premierinn.com/en/hotel/PRECEN/preston-central>

If you plan to travel by car, please let me know and I can arrange a parking space for you.

My office phone is 01772 893599

Mobile for emergencies Nicky: 07749564535

**Refreshments:** At the door we will collect £10 each for catering, this covers tea, coffee, wine, cheese, lunch and biscuits.

Looking forward to seeing you soon.

**4<sup>th</sup> Zinc-UK meeting. Monday July 18<sup>th</sup> 2010.**  
**University of Central Lancashire**  
**Darwin Building**  
**Darwin Lecture Theatre**  
**Final Programme**

**10:30 Coffee and registration**

11:15 Welcome and introduction of new members

11:30-12:15 “Zinc nutrition and vascular health and disease”

Prof John Beattie (*Rowett Research Institute/University of Aberdeen*) and Prof In-Sook Kwun (*Andong National University, South Korea*)

12:15-12:35 “Zinc supplementation” Prof Wolfgang Maret (*Kings College, London*)

12:35-1:00 Posters- quick fire round!

**1:00-1:45 Lunch and poster viewing**

1:45-2:30 “Zinc status of Pakistani children under five.” Prof Parvez Paracha,  
(*Department of Human Nutrition, NWFP Agricultural University, Peshawar, Pakistan*)

2:30-3:00 “Errors in estimating zinc requirement and adequacy for the population.”

Dr Farzad Amirabdollahian. (*University of Coventry*)

3:00 – 3:30 “Update on work of EURRECA consortium and BOND groups”

Dr Nicola Lowe/Marisol Warthon Medina/Anna Skinner (*University of Central Lancashire*)

**3:30– 3:45 Tea**

3:45-4:15 “One consequence of the fly taking a zinc supplement”

Dr Fanis Missirlis (*Queen Mary University*)

4:15-4:45 "Zinc Supplementation in AMD" Dr Neda Barzega –Befroei (*UCL Institute of Ophthalmology and Moorfields Eye Hospital*)

4:45 -5:45 General discussion/business/next meeting?

**5:45-7:15 Cheese and Wine. Poster viewing**

**7:30 Dinner**

**Tuesday July 19<sup>th</sup>.**

A room and coffee will be available for all those who wish to meet on Tuesday morning to discuss potential collaborations.