

Advancing Women and Diversity in Science

*An opportunity to consider and improve career
progression in science.*

Wednesday 1st March 2006
14.45 p.m.
Room PS128
Physical Science Building
University of Warwick Main Campus

The Department of Chemistry at the University of Warwick, the Royal Society of Chemistry and the Athena Project are pleased to invite you to a networking and good practice dissemination event in room PS128, off science concourse, Department of Chemistry, University of Warwick on Wednesday 01 March 2006 from 14.45

The RSC and the Athena Project recently published a report on Good Practice in University Chemistry Departments. During this event, hosted by the Department of Chemistry, we will discuss the culture needed to provide a supportive environment for male and female academic staff and use illustrations gathered from a broad range of UK chemistry departments.

We will also hear the personal views of two successful women scientists who will discuss their careers.

After the formal presentations you are invited to a reception where you can meet the speakers. Drinks and snacks will be available.

- 14.30 Tea and coffee
- 15.00 Welcome, Professor Peter Derrick, Department Chair
- 15.10 Dr Sean McWhinnie, RSC
- 15.25 Caroline Fox, Athena
- 15.40 Discussion
- 15.45 Dr Susan Crosland, Syngenta
- 16.00 Professor Carol Robinson FRS, University of Cambridge
- 16.15 Discussion
- 16.45 Wine Reception and informal Discussion, Physics Concourse

This will be relevant to undergraduate and postgraduate students, post-docs, academic staff and all those interested in promoting research careers.

