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# Invitation to the Inaugural Lecture

Renée Schroeder  
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## The University of Vienna

invites  
to the Inaugural Lecture of

Univ.-Prof. Mag. Dr. Renée Schroeder  
Professor for RNA Biochemistry

Topic of the lecture

## „Searching for novel functions of RNA molecules“



Renée Schroeder, born 1953 in Brasil, raised in Brasil and Styria, studied Biochemistry at the University of Vienna. After her PhD graduation 1981 and research stays in Germany, France and the USA, she habilitated 1993 at the University of Vienna in the field of Genetics. Since 2005 Schroeder is Head of the Department of Biochemistry at the Max F. Perutz Laboratories at the Campus Vienna Biocenter, now followed by the appointment to a full professor. In addition to her scientific work, Renée Schroeder's concerns are the public understanding of science and the promotion of women in science. She is a full member of the Austrian Academy of Sciences, elected member of the European Molecular Biology Organisation (EMBO) and was awarded amongst others with the L'Oreal UNESCO Special Award for Women (2001), the Wittgenstein Prize (2003) and the Women's Award of the City of Vienna (2007).

*Research interests:* RNA Biochemistry: RNA folding proteins, regulatory RNAs.

October 29, 2008 **Programme**

17:00 **Address of Welcome**  
O. Univ.-Prof. Dipl.-Ing. Dr. Heinz Engl  
Vice Rector of the University of Vienna

**Introductory Words**  
Univ.-Prof. Dr. Graham Warren, FRS  
Scientific Director of the Max F. Perutz Laboratories  
Head of the Centre of Molecular Biology

**Lecture**  
Univ.-Prof. Mag. Dr. Renée Schroeder  
*Searching for novel functions of RNA molecules*

**Drinks & Sandwiches**

**Time:**  
Wednesday, October 29, 2008  
17:00

**Location:**  
University of Vienna,  
Small Ceremonial Chamber  
1010 Vienna, Dr.-Karl-Lueger-Ring 1

*Stair-free access:*  
Left side entrance,  
court 5, elevator 1st floor,  
via the corridor to the  
Small Ceremonial Chamber