



DynoChem Sponsors new AIChE Award for Excellence in Quality by Design (QbD)

Award to be presented at Annual Meeting, 7-12 November, Salt Lake City

DUBLIN, Ireland – September 30, 2010 – Scale-up Systems Limited, the leading provider of process modeling software to the pharmaceutical industry, today announced that its North American subsidiary DynoChem Inc will sponsor a new AIChE Award for Excellence in Quality by Design (QbD).

The Award, for Outstanding Contribution to QbD for Drug Substance, will be presented as part of the AIChE (American Institute of Chemical Engineers) Conference, Comprehensive Quality by Design in Pharmaceutical Development and Manufacture, alongside the AIChE Annual Meeting in Salt Lake City from November 7-12, 2010.

The Conference Program, thanks to volunteer efforts of session chairs from industry, regulators and academia, features 12 high quality sessions including:

- Challenges Facing CMC Organizations in the Changing Business and Regulatory Environment
- Quality-by-Design (QbD) Round Table Discussion Session: An Integrated and Science-Based Approach for Quality by Design (QbD) Implementation in Pharmaceutical Industry
- QbD Topical Plenary Session.

Prominent speakers include John Peterson of GlaxoSmithKline and senior managers from Abbott, Eli Lilly, Merck and Pfizer. Full details are available at <http://aiche.confex.com/aiche/2010/webprogram/TI.html>. A further 12 sessions and a poster session cover additional Pharma topics, details at <http://aiche.confex.com/aiche/2010/webprogram/Symposium1065.html>. Online registration is available at: <http://www.aiche.org/Conferences/AnnualMeeting/index.aspx>.

The 2010 Award for Outstanding Contribution to QbD for Drug Substance goes to Kevin Seibert of Eli Lilly. A parallel award for QbD for Drug Product, sponsored by Pfizer Inc, goes to Salvador Garcia-Munoz. Both awards will be presented at the QbD Topical Conference Mixer & Award Presentation on Tuesday evening, 9 November.

Steve Hearn, Chief Operating Officer of Scale-up Systems and Vice President of DynoChem Inc noted: “Chemical engineers can make a significant impact in delivering QbD, from lab to patient. We are delighted to be able to support AIChE’s initiative in programming for QbD and offering the new award.”

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DynoChem® is the leading process design and scale-up software for scientists and engineers working in chemical process development.

About Scale-up Systems

Scale-up Systems Limited is the owner and developer of DynoChem®. For further information, please visit www.scale-up.com

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