



## **SHASUN CHEMICALS TO HOST FIFTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CATALYSIS & PROCESS CHEMISTRY TECHNOLOGIES**

### **Renowned scientists to participate**

**CHENNAI; September 19, 2007: Shasun Chemicals & Drugs;** a leading pharma company focused on manufacture of Finished Dosage, APIs (Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients) and intermediates to global pharma; today announced that world-renowned process chemists and scientists will participate at the Fifth International Conference on Process Chemistry and Technology. The conference, which will be held on March 30-April 02 2008, will focus on “asymmetric synthesis – metal coupling reaction and process intensification. The conference will be held at the Ritz-Carlton Resort in Amelia Island, Florida. The conference (formally hosted by Chirex and Rhodia in the earlier years) will be sponsored by Shasun.

**Dr Michel Spagnol, Vice President, Sales & Marketing of Shasun Pharma Solutions** said, “Many leading executives, academics, and process scientists from the pharmaceutical industry have already confirmed to attend the bi-annual symposium.” He also added, “The symposium will provide a forum for scientific exchange and the discussion of the latest technologies, developments, and challenges in a setting conducive to networking for international pharmaceutical industry professionals.”

Leading personalities confirmed for the conference include Prof. Stephen L. Buchwald,, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Prof. Brian Stoltz, Caltech, Prof Varinder Aagarwal of, The University of Bristol, Prof. Paul Knochel of DWIG-Maximilians-Universität Munich; Prof. Alexandre Alexakis of University of Geneva; Prof. Klaus Jensen, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Prof Tom Rovis, Colorado State University; Prof. Justine Dubois of Stanford University, Prof. Marc Lautens of University of Toronto, and Prof Christina White from White University of Illinois, Prof. Ben List, Max-Planck-Institut für Kohlenforschung, Mulheim, Prof. Mo Movassaghi, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Prof. Melanie Sanford, University of Michigan, Dr. Mike Martinelli, Amgen, Dr. Bob Discordia, BMS, Dr. Steve Wittenberger, Abbott, Dr. Yongkui Sun, Merck, Prof Dr Jagdish Sheth, Emory University.

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