## Symposium 2015

## **Description**

# Getting Fibrillated about the Future

Lectures given at the 2015 Marcus Wallenberg Prize Symposium held in Stockholm on 29 September, 2015

Moderator: Ms. Lydia Capolicchio

### **Welcome and Opening remarks**

Mr. Marcus Wallenberg, Chairman of the Board of the Marcus Wallenberg Foundation

Nature's own Nano-materials bring New Life to International Collaboration — An Introduction

Mr. Lennart Stenberg, Senior Advisor, International Cooperation & Analysis, VINNOVA, Stockholm, Sweden

The Cellulose Microfibril: A Universal Building Block of Plant Biomass

Dr. Yoshiharu Nishiyama, **Co-recipient of the 2015 Marcus Wallenberg Prize**, CERMAV, Grenoble, France

TEMPO-mediated Oxidation as a Tool for producing Nanofibrillated Cellulose

Associate Professor Tsuguyuki Saito, **Co-recipient of the 2015 Marcus Wallenberg Prize**, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan

#### **Exploiting Nanofribrillated Cellulose in Composites Materials**

Professor Lars Berglund, Director, Wallenberg Wood Science Center, Stockholm, Sweden

#### Novel Filaments and Yarns from Nanofibrillated Cellulose

Professor Ali Harlin, VTT Technical Research Centre of Finland Ltd., Helsinki, Finland

#### **Challenges on the Road to Markets**

Dr. Petri Vasara, Pöyry Management Consulting Oy, Helsinki, Finland

**Questions and Answers — Speakers interact with the audience** 

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