

University of South Bohemia, Faculty of Science
Department of Molecular Biology

would like to invite you to the seminar

„Cell Cycle Control“

Paul Nurse, Ph.D.



- **the Nobel Prize winner 2001 in Physiology or Medicine**
- President of the Royal Society
- Rockefeller University in New York, Laboratory of Yeast Genetics and Cell Biology
- Director-General, Imperial Cancer Research Fund, London, Head of Cell Cycle Laboratory

Dr. Nurse, a native of the United Kingdom, graduated from Birmingham University in 1970 and received his Ph.D. in cell biology and biochemistry from the University of East Anglia in 1973. He did postdoctoral work at universities in Bern, Switzerland, Edinburgh and Sussex and joined the Imperial Cancer Research Fund (ICRF) in London in 1984. In 1988 he moved to the University of Oxford as chair of its department of microbiology, and he returned to ICRF in 1993 as a director of research. He became director general in 1996 and in 2002 was appointed chief executive of Cancer Research UK, formed when he merged ICRF with the Cancer Research Campaign. He was president of The Rockefeller University from 2003 to 2011, when he became director of the Francis Crick Institute in London.

Dr. Nurse is a fellow of The Royal Society of the UK and a foreign associate of the U.S. National Academy of Sciences. He received The Royal Society's Royal and Copley medals and the Legion d'Honneur in 2002, the Lasker Award in 1998 and the Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine in 2001. In 1999 he was honored with knighthood in Great Britain for services in cancer research and cell biology and since 2000 has been a member of the UK Council for Science and Technology advising the prime minister. He is presently the 60th president of The Royal Society.

On Friday, April 10th 2015 at 1 pm – Faculty of Science, building B, lecture hall B2