

Planet Proteomics

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Breaking News...

Captain Chromatography

hangs up
his cape
for the
last
time...

It's a sad day for proteomics as the self-made, 'Man of Ion' has announced his retirement from the world of ESI and MALDI.

For more than 20 years he has used his 'super skills' to come to the rescue of mass spectrometry novices. Among his many contributions to science is 'cracking the code' of 'scent-marking' in 'mouse world'.



Making his first appearance as the caped crusader, in 1991, he announced that it was 'time for a change'. "People who cannot invent and reinvent themselves must be content with borrowed pastures; second-hand ideas; fitting in instead of standing out".

Captain Chromatography's alter-ego, mild-mannered, Yorkshire-

man, Duncan Robertson is soon to direct his energies toward developing core research and technology capabilities throughout the Universe.

All is not lost as our superhero is passing on the baton to a successor who has 'special skills' of his own. His alter-ego is yet to be revealed.