Member Societies Questionnaire Outcomes



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Value of EuCheMS

Be more illustrative and clear concerning the activities of EuCheMS for our society members. It is not clear what added value EuCheMS is to the members of our society.

Carefully observe the balance between the costs and the benefits for the member societies.

- (i) Member Societies are invited to propose speakers for EuCheMS policy workshops;
- (ii) EuCheMS promotes member societies' events;
- (iii) Member Societies are invited to get engaged in EuCheMS research conferences
- (iv) EuCheMS informs Member Societies on time about relevant Brussels updates on research, education in chemistry



Representation in Brussels

Represent the interests of European chemistry in Brussels

Continue important work on EU level

Represent National Societies at EU level

Continue working for the improving chemistry and funding for chemistry

Agenda setting in EU for e.g. Horizon 2030 or FW 9

More on voice for chemistry in Europe

More initiatives for new (young) about the employment - less "brain - drain" for the countries of S. Europe.

- ✓ Parliamentary workshops
- ✓ Influencing the Parliament and Commission
- ✓ High Level Groups and Missions
- ✓ Responding to consultations



Strengthen interactions between members with other bodies

Strengthen effective networking

Sharing individual member benefits of member societies with all EuCheMS members' members.

Create database for closer cooperation

If possible, information from member societies could be included in the newsletters (Conference advertisements etc)?

Accelerating Eurochemist professional card

EuCheMS Brussels news updates and Newsletter

Please send to all your members

Please tell Bruno and Nineta about things you would like to see included

Being handled from Prague



Increased networking with external Bodies

Increased networking/concerted actions with other scientific and technical societies to increase the political "weight" of EuCheMS on the EU level.

Help networking with European entities (funding agencies, corporates, academic)

chemical society and continental societies (e.g. EuCheMS) should nominate delegates to run the business. IUPAC should not be a parallel organization to the continental societies.

- Working with other science based organisations (under discussion)
 - o Review of Horizon 2020
 - Successor to Horizon 2020
 - The UK and the ERA

IUPAC

- First meeting held recently
- Possible joint action on QR codes
- ACS
 - MoU to be signed in Seville
 - Joint sessions at ECC-6 and ACS San Francisco



Dissemination of information (Internal)

Information on critical EU developments.

To help our members to be involved in European chemical activities (conferences, committees) in a visible way

Provide relevant information regarding Central EU Research policy, including possibilities for grants

Be a central information point for Chemistry related activities in Europe (conferences, calls for projects, exchange activities).

Practical topics on education, funding, calls in EU

High quality EuCheMS congresses/Conference reports (incl. findings) from EuCheMS Divisions

- EuCheMS Brussels news updates
- EuCheMS Newsletter
- Articles in more depth
- Now electronic
 Please send to all your members
 Please volunteer articles
- Website (www.euchems.eu)
- Completely reorganized
- Much more user friendly
- Videos?
- Conferences
- o ECC
- Possible modifications to structure
- Divisional /Working Party Conferences
- Summer Schools and Workshops



Dissemination of Information (External)

Help educating the European public with respect to the importance of chemistry in everyday life (without covering up any problems)

- Running short subject specific meetings
- Science; How close to open?; AMR;

Whenever you have an important issue to address we are here to support your workshop

Employment Survey

R.Salzer, P. Taylor, N. H. Majcen, F. De Angelis, S.Wilmet, E. Varella and I. Kozaris Chem. Eur. J, 2015, 21, 9921

- O EYCN
- o Researcher nights; Photo competition; Videos?

- Press releases
- Climate change; Chemical weapons; Carbon monoxide poisoning



Please let us know what else you would like us to do for your Member Society president@euchems.eu

