The European Federation for Medicinal Chemistry (EFMC) is an independent association founded in 1970 representing 25 Societies from 23 European Countries and more than 6500 Medicinal Chemists.

The mission of the EFMC is to advance the science of medicinal chemistry.

EFMC
• promotes cooperation and networking
• provides training and mentoring
• rewards scientific excellence
• facilitates communication and influences stakeholders
Strategic themes

- Visibility and recognition of medicinal chemistry
- Influence on European Science Policy

Operational activities

- Symposia and EFMC Sessions
- Short Courses
- Awards and Prizes
- Communication
- Social media
• **XXIV EFMC International Symposium on Medicinal Chemistry (EFMC-ISMC 2016)**
  Organised by the Biological and Medicinal Chemistry Sector (BMCS) of the Royal Society of Chemistry.

  Aug 28 – Sept 1, 2016 I Manchester, United Kingdom

• **3rd EFMC Young Medicinal Chemist Symposium EFMC-YMCS 2016**
  Organised by EFMC

  September 1-2, 2016 I Manchester, United Kingdom
Short Courses on Medicinal Chemistry – Organised by EFMC

- Modulation of Enzymes; Epigenetics and Beyond | April 2016 | The Netherlands
- A matter of time: A kinetic perspective on drug-target interactions | April 2017 | The Netherlands

Medicinal Chemistry Schools – Organised by our National Adhering Organisations

- European School of Medicinal Chemistry (ESMEC) | Urbino, Italy
- Swiss Course on Medicinal Chemistry | Leysin, Switzerland
- Vienna School on Drug Design | Vienna, Austria
- RSC Medicinal Chemistry School | Nottingham, UK
- Summer School on Pharmaceutical Analysis | Rimini, Italy
EFMC 2016 Awards

To acknowledge outstanding achievements in the field of Medicinal Chemistry, EFMC is conferring every two years three Awards on the occasion of the International Symposium on Medicinal Chemistry. The 2016 Awards will be conferred on the occasion of the XXIV EFMC "International Symposium on Medicinal Chemistry" (EFMC-ISMC) to be held in Manchester, United-Kingdom on August 28 - September 1, 2016.

The EFMC-Awards include:

- **THE NAUTA AWARD FOR PHARMACOCHEMISTRY**
  Prof. François Diederich – ETH Zürich, Switzerland

- **THE UCB-EHRLICH AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN MEDICINAL CHEMISTRY**
  Prof. Paul J. Hergenrother – University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, United States

- **THE PROUS INSTITUTE - OVERTON and MEYER AWARD FOR NEW TECHNOLOGIES IN DRUG DISCOVERY**
  Prof. Jan Steyaert – VIB & VU Brussels, Belgium

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EFMC Prizes

- **The EFMC Prize for a Young Medicinal Chemist in Industry**
  
  *2016 Winner: Jean QUANCARD, Novartis, Switzerland*

- **The EFMC Prize for a Young Medicinal Chemist in Academia**
  
  *2016 Winner: Frank BOECKLER, Eberhard Karls University Tuebingen, Germany*

*To recognise an outstanding young medicinal chemist (≤ 12 years after PhD) working in industry/academy within Europe*

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Communication

Within the community
• Social media
  EFMC group on LinkedIn
  Twitter @EuroMedChem
• E-newsletter MedChemWatch & EFMC Yearbook
• MedChemComm

To the broader public

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