

EuChemS Division of Chemical Education – Practice Award

The EuChemS Division of Chemical Education invites nominations for the Practice Award 2026. This award recognizes outstanding practical contributions to the field of chemistry education. It is intended for individuals or teams whose work in educational settings—such as schools, universities, or public outreach—has demonstrated excellence, creativity, and a strong impact on learners or educators.

The award celebrates high-quality, sustained efforts in areas such as innovative teaching methods, curriculum development, professional development for teachers, or community engagement. Candidates do not need to have a formal research profile; instead, the emphasis is on how their practical work has improved chemistry education in meaningful ways.

Eligibility:

The award is open to individuals or groups working in chemistry education practice across Europe. There is no requirement for academic affiliation or research output, as long as the practical contribution is well documented and impactful.

Nomination Procedure:

Submissions should include:

- A nomination letter (max. 2 pages) describing the nature of the practical work and its impact
- A CV or team description (max. 4 pages)
- Optional supporting materials such as websites, images, or teaching materials that illustrate the work

All documents should be combined into a single PDF file and submitted to Prof. Dr. Silviya Markic (s.markic@cup.lmu.de) by January, 31st, 2026.

Selection Committee:

This committee will consist of five members, including at least one current board member of the Division. The committee will be reappointed every two years in accordance with the Division's governance structure.

The award will be presented during the ECRICE Conference 2026 at the conference dinner.