

EUFEPS for Pharmaceutical Sciences Education, Training, Collaboration and Policy

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The Mission of EUFEPS

The mission of the European Federation for Pharmaceutical Sciences (EUFEPS) is to serve and advance excellence in the pharmaceutical sciences and innovative drug research in Europe, including in training and education,

and to represent the interests of scientists engaged in drug research and development, drug regulation, drug utilisation, and drug policy making.

Mr Anders Björk The EUFEPS Start, September 21, 1991 Strasbourg, France, Europe



EUFEPS fulfilling its Mission

Bridging and bringing (academia, industry, regulatory and other) people together (in small and big groups of individuals) around specific or focused topics, visiting with them and arriving at outcomes and recommendation reports...

"Advancing Sciences for Better Medicines and Health"...



EUFEPS Membership

Member Societies

24 member societies in 24 different European countries

Member Institutions

15 European universities/research institutes

Member Individuals

Around 500, including non-European ones



EUFEPS Networks

- Network on Safety Sciences (2004)
- Network on QbD and PAT Sciences (Quality by Design and Process Analytical Technology) (2004)
- Network on Bioavailability and Biopharmaceutics (2006)
- Network on Pharmacogenetics & Pharmacogenomics (2006)
- Network on Environment and Pharmaceuticals (2008)
- Network on NanoMedicine (2010)
- Network on Regulatory Science (2011)



EUFEPS Senate

- Newly established
- 20 experienced senior scientists
- Sounding and advisory board
- Senate Meetings 1-2/year (Senators only)
- Senate Open Forum

Challenges of the pharmaceutical sciences March 2, 2012, Vienna AT

European Medicines Research and Development Policy, Implementation and Challenges November 13, 2013, San Antonio TX USA



European Pharma Science Leadership Forum (EuPSLF)

- 14 sister federations (including EFMC and EUFEPS)
- Yearly meetings restarted in Paris, July 2012
- "One European Voice"
 e.g. towards the Commission
- Policy discussions / position papers
- Coordination of main events/meetings
- Common interests in education and training











IMI EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAMMES







EUFEPS in IMI Projects

www.imi.europa.eu

Active roles in

- Work packages of 2 (SafeSciMET and PharmaTrain) out of 5 IMI Education and Training projects, including on strategy and sustainability
- Cross Project task forces on Education and Training quality standard and communication, respectively

Advisory role in

 1 Education and Training project (EMTRAIN)

Advisory role in

 Drug Disease Model Resources (DDMoRe)



Position Paper on Horizon 2020

- Input to Horizon 2020 ("FP8") 2014-2020
- Global agenda for "medicines research"
 - Systems Pharmacology
 - Complex Technologies
 - New technologies in pharmaceutical processing and manufacturing
 - Regulatory science
 - (10 points in total)
- Will be available on EUFEPS website shortly
- www.eufeps.org



EUFEPS' Strategic Approaches

European	European	European	European	European	European
PharmSci	PharmSci	PharmSci	PharmSci	PharmSci	PharmSci
<i>Senate</i>	<i>Forum</i>	<i>Ed / Train</i>	<i>Meeting/s</i>	<i>Workshops</i>	<i>Funding</i>
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Intellectual authority	Influential	Competence	Scientific	Policy-	Enabling
	body	Career	progress	making	instrument

EUFEPS
Senate
20 (growing)
Senators

European Pharma Sci Leadership Forum 15+ Presidents (most are new in role)

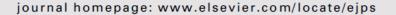
EUFEPS / Pharm Sci Events
Conferences – Workshops
Courses – Curricula
Annual Meeting





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Commentary

Towards a European Strategy for Medicines Research (2014–2020): The EUFEPS Position Paper on Horizon 2020

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Near upcoming events

- Regulatory Workshop Series, Spring and Autumn 2013
- 5th World Conference on Drug Absorption Transport and Delivery (WCDATD), June 24—26 2013, Uppsala, Sweden
- EUPAT 6, September 26-28, 2013, Porto, Portugal
- 3rd European Conference on Cyclodextrins, Antalya, Turkey
- 5th BBBB, September 2013, Athens, Greece



"Advancing Sciences for Better Medicines and Health"...

- Identify common interest in medicines research, development, processing and usage; to forge links with other disciplines and scientific domains at all levels
- Seek more pre/non-competitive approaches with academic collaboration as per industrial and regulatory fields
- Recognise the scientific community (composed of individual disciplines) as a single profession delivering better medicines for humankind – and start to provide well-designed options in life-long learning
- On the global scene, continue to bridge academia, industry and regulatory science – interacting geographically horizontally (east-west-east) and developing vertically (north-south-north)
- Always look for (whatever) strength since "you can only build on strengths"



Why join EUFEPS?

- To underpin the only pan-European body for pharmaceutical scientists (whatever origin, domain or discipline)
- To proactively encourage systems approaches in European collaboration, co-operation and co-ordination for better medicines research and development
- To further strengthen the European voice and to provide a platform for communicating needs and progress supported by appropriate networking
- LinkedIn
- Wikipedia
- www.eufeps.org