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## ICFO Organization and Network of Students

### The chapter



The ICFO Organization and Network of Students (ICONS) is composed mainly by PhD students that promote optics and photonics within the general public, but also pursues activities for the professional development of its members. The group formed back in 2006 and remains active with the support of OSA, SPIE, EPS and staff members of the Institute of Photonic Sciences (ICFO).

### Social

To gather the students in a very relaxed atmosphere we propose different activities like:

- ✓ International Futbolín championship
- ✓ Team Building activities
- ✓ Social Friday / International Food festival



### Professional

Within the activities that we promote for the professional development of our members and all ICFOonians we have:

- ✓ Tutorials on open-source SW/HW tutorials
- ✓ Industry visits
- ✓ Seminars by PhD students or Post-doc
- ✓ Travelling lecturer program
- ✓ Coffee sessions with invited guests



### Outreach

We devote to the organization of different workshops to explain optics to the general public, but mainly children and young high school students. At our institute, we have regular visits where we participate in lab tours guiding and optical demonstrations.



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