The Student Chapter of Optics – Paris (SCOP) is a students’ association in different institutions of the University of Paris-Saclay. The aim of the organization is to create a link between students, researchers, the general public and recognized scientific societies in the national and international scenarios specialized in optics and its related fields.

**Previous Events**

**La Fête de la Science**
La Fête de la science” is an annual event consisting in thousands of free events and stands in France. Manipulate, test, participate in diverse tours in scientific laboratories, discuss with researchers, discover the meaning of “becoming a scientist”, stimulate the passion towards sciences!

**Different PhD’s and Master’s days**
The PhD’s day is an initiative of different doctoral schools and faculties in France with the objective of presenting academic and social activities of the PhD students and to introduce the new master students to the different networks of the university.

**SPIE’s president visit**
We had the visit of Dr. Lieberman, SPIE’s president. He gave a presentation about Biomedical detection using optical phenomena and we shared with him some of the PhD Topics explained by the Chapter members.

**Upcoming events**
07/2015: Technical talks about PhD topics of our members
11/2015: Lab tour - Horiba company visit
12/2015: Forum de l’Optique - Meeting of PhD students with industry representatives.
12/2015: Khet tournament.
Joint activity with the Becanson Student Chapter (11/2015) and the CEO-Medellin-Colombia student chapter (08/2015)
10/2015: Fête de la Science 2015 (http://www.fetedelascience.fr/)

**Partnerships**
We are supported by larger communities as:
- SPIE: International Society for Optics and Photonics
- EOS: European Optical Society
- EPS: European Physical Society
- SFO: French Optical Society
- OSA : Optical Society of America

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