

EPS YM committee meeting report #7

Nov 16, 2012, 09h00-16h00

European Physical Society Headquarters, Mulhouse, France

Present: John Dudley, Ophelia Fornari, David Lee, Maciej Kolwas, Antigone Marino, Giorgio Volpe, Giovanni Volpe

Invited: Onofrio Maragò

Absent: Armand Niederberger, Luisa Cifarelli

Section Sunsetting:

- If requested by the Section
- If not active and not replying for at least 1 year, we should contact them or their advisor to see what to do.
- Fault

Grant approvals:

- The deadline will be January 15, 2013.
- If the amount is reduced, we will communicate the reason.
- Sections should also be notified about rejected grants.
- Reports will be required on the EPS website.

Calendar 2013:

- the calendar design by Xavier de Araujo is approved.
- Ophélie and David will find the appropriate images for the 12 chosen topics-
- Antigone will send the modified file by November 25, 2012.

Merchandising:

- Each section will receive a personalized EPS-YM flag (9€ each). Responsible Antigone.

Website:

- The YM should be integrated in the EPS website.
- Antigone and Giovanni will discuss the specifications for the website and convey them to Amet.

Leadership Meeting:

- Will take place in Spring/Summer 2013.
- Options: Erlangen (John), Mulhouse (Ophelia), CLEO (David). Each responsible will communicate a budget by the end of November 2013.
- There will be a prize for best Section/Activity. John will check out the possibility if we can give as a prize a travel to APS meeting in represent acne of EPS.

Committee composition:

- The committee will be partially renewed. In particular, Maciej Kolwas will step out and John Dudley will step in.
- Two new members will be added to the committee. Everyone should submit nominations and should be submitted to committee Chair by November 30 2012, who will provide to communicate them to the whole Committee by December 31 2012.
- During the next meeting we will decide the composition and the new Chair of the Committee.

Asia-Europe Summit:

- Kolwas has asked Antigone to participate to the roundtable.

YM European Chemical Society:

- invite them to the next meeting.

Outlook of EPS YM:

- In the next 3 years YM should develop the capability of at least partially covert its cost by getting support from various companies and towards the idea of becoming a group.