EPS YM committee meeting report #9

Tue Oct 29, 2013, 09h00-13h00 E2C Conference, Budapest, Hungary

Committee members:

David Lee, Ophelia Fornari, Fülöp Zsolt, Adriano Conte, Ulrike Ritzmann, Antigone Marino

Action Committee

We fixed tasks for the new action committee members

- Ulrike, communication
- Adriano, website
- Zsolt, interaction with EPS Council

Website

- We approved Xavier-Gina-Ahmed proposal for the new YM website, developed with the EPS content management system
- During the transition time, hopefully till May 2014, we will have a temporary one [Adriano]
- URL of the Section micro-websites must contain the geographical connotation (city) first of all, then optionally the institution/section acronym

Communication

- New effort on the Social Network must be done. We aim having 400 Likes on FB for the next Leadership Meeting.
- eEPS pills management will continue [Antigone]
- 3 new mailing list have been approved:
 - ymac@epsyoungminds.org, for the action committee
 - ymsections@epsyoungminds.org, for the Sections Presidents
 - ymmembers@epsyoungminds.org, for all the YM members
 - new calendar for EPS has been developed from Xavier.
- with the residual budget of 2013 (≈2000€) we aim to produce some promotional material. First prices must be checked and submitted to the AC for approval [Antigone]:
 - a A3 foldable brochure with the PHISIKO game (Sections, Large Facilities & Historical Sites)
 - a gadget like a Rubik Cube or a Lenticular Image (Einstein/young scientist)
- YM will collaborate with IAPS on the Grand Physicists Project [Ulrike]

Leadership Meeting

We will try to organize it also in 2014. We had two proposals:

- Paris, in collaboration with the Société Française de Physique [Ophelia]
- Darmstadt [David and Zsolt]

Various

- Young Minds will take part to the COST Targeted Network TN1301 [Antigone]
- Not responding sections will be contacted to declare their existence [Antigone]
- The AC approved the Zurich Chapter grant request "Monthly Science Social", lost on July 2013
- Next grants deadline is 15 January 2014
- New goal for 2014 should be having 30 Sections. A special attention to promote the project in the EST EU country will be run.
- Adriano and Ulrike will work to the proposal of a "Networking Grant" for Sections. They will present the proposal to the next AC meeting.
- YM will promote the new EPS "Early Career Prize" through its communication channels
- Next AC meeting will be established by email