

PLAN for Virtual GA2023

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A virtual complement of the IUPAC General Assembly

Set a few weeks in advance of the in-person GA, most Division/Committee will have a 90-min zoom session for an 'open' meeting allowing NAOs representatives, observers, and members of other Divisions/Committees to attend.

Similar to what it was in Montreal(virtual), it will be up to each committee to plan for that session and decide what to make of these 90 minutes; a short descriptive is shared below with the schedule.

In 2023, this eGA will run over 3 days, between Tuesday July 25 and Thursday July 27. Zoom links will be shared a week prior people having registered.

All time are in CEST (GMT+2)

Div III, Organic and Biomolecular – Tuesday 25 July, 08:00

Confirmed – details to follow

Amelia Rauter, aprauter@fc.ul.pt, Division President

Div IV, Polymer – Tuesday 25 July, 10:00

In this meeting, we will be highlighting the work done by our 4 subcommittees: Polymer Terminology; Polymer Education; Modeling of Polymerization Kinetics and Processes; and Structure and Properties of Commercial Polymers. We invite those outside the Division to join us in the meeting in the hopes that we can establish more interdivisional collaborations. We look forward to seeing you online!

Christine Luscombe, Christine.Luscombe@oist.jp, Division President

Div I, Physical and Biophysical – Tuesday 25 July, 16:00

Confirmed – details to follow

Pierangelo Metrangolo, pierangelo.metrangolo@polimi.it, Division President

Div VII, Chemistry and Human Health – Wednesday 26 July, 10:00

The Chemistry and Human Health Division (Div VII) will introduce the overall goals of the Division and the activities in the three SubCommittees:

- Drug Discovery and Development
- Toxicology and Risk Assessment
- Nomenclature for Properties and Units in Clinical Chemistry

Division VII is working with a number of ongoing projects and a lot of these projects are with involvement of other divisions. We are looking forward to see you.

Helle Johannessen, HMJ@sundhedsdata.dk, Division President

Div VI, Chemistry and the Environment – Wednesday 26 July, 12:00

Do you want to know more about Division VI (Chemistry and the Environment) activities and interests? Have you ever thought you want to be part of an IUPAC Division or get involved in Division projects but you do not know how to do? Are you a scientist/professional and would like to approach our Division but have you never dared to do it? Now you will have the opportunity!

In this 90 min event you will learn about our activities and projects, hear about successful stories, listen to the direct experience of Young Observers, know how to prepare an IUPAC project and how to get involved with Division VI. More importantly, you will have the opportunity to interact with us. Don't miss this opportunity!

Roberto Terzano, roberto.terzano@uniba.it, Division President

CPCDS, Publications and Cheminformatics Data Standards– Wednesday 26 July, 14:00

CPCDS is the IUPAC committee that coordinates on IUPAC's publications, data sharing and digital standards development for promoting exchange and application of human and machine-readable chemical information. This session will showcase a diverse array of activities and initiatives to broaden the reach of IUPAC across the global community and support the use of chemistry standards for many needs and disciplines. If you need authoritative chemical terminology, or are curious how IUPAC standards support FAIR data, or interested in advances in formal chemical notation and metadata, or looking for practical teaching approaches online, please join in and find out more. All are welcome and we want to hear from you about your needs for communicating chemistry online.

Leah McEwen, lrm1@cornell.edu, Committee Chair

CHEMRAWN – Wednesday 26 July, 16:00

This virtual meeting of the CHEMRAWN (**Chemical Research Applies to World Needs**) Standing Committee will highlight achievements during the past two years and discuss how we can build on these foundations moving forward. Ideas for future webinars using the ChemVoices platform and CHEMRAWN conferences (Water themed, Toxic Metals and/or Critical Metals themed) will be discussed. Project proposals built from these discussions will be worked on during the in-person GA in The Hague.

Fran Kerton, fkerton@mun.ca, Committee Chair

COCI, Chemistry and Industry – Thursday 27 July, 08:00

At this open meeting COCI will discuss the following topic:

- Safety Training Program for Asia for Latin America, Asia, and Africa
- Interaction with other IUPAC Divisions and Committees
- Interaction with OPCW, UN Environment, and IYCN
- The International Year of Basic Sciences for Sustainable Development and Global Women's Breakfast

Anna Makarova, anmakarova@mail.ru, Committee Chair

CCE, Chemistry Education – Thursday 27 July, 10:00

At this open meeting we invite all CCE members and friends, young observers, NAO representatives, and members of other Divisions/Committees to attend. This is not a regular business meeting; it will showcase CCE projects and achievements during the past two years as reflected in the chair's report to Bureau and Council, and how they relate to the IUPAC Strategic Plan. This will be an excellent opportunity for newly nominated national representatives on the CCE to get an overview of what this committee is all about. We hope to see you there!

Marietjie Potgieter, Marietjie.Potgieter@up.ac.za, Committee Chair