



Member Networks Annual Report Form
Reporting events held in 2018 and those planned for 2019

(In line with the rules for member networks and to enable us to better support our networks and their activities all member networks (Local Sections, Interest Groups and Analytical Division Regions) are asked to complete this form and return it to networks@rsc.org or by post to; Networks Team, Royal Society of Chemistry, Thomas Graham House, Science Park, Milton Road, Cambridge, CB4 0WF.

*If there is any reason that your committee will **not** be able to meet either or both of these deadlines please inform networks@rsc.org as soon as possible.*

This report will be uploaded to your web page to share with the members of your network. Staff will also share a digest of all member networks activities taken solely from these annual reports with appropriate staff and governance boards and committees including Division Councils with similar interests.)

Committee	Marketing Group
Completed by	Mike Bloomfield
Date	04/02/2019

(Please list below the dates of all of your planned committee meetings and, if held, AGM.)

Annual General Meeting (if being held)

Date:	13th March 2019
Venue:	RSC Burlington House

Proposed Committee Meetings Dates

Date	Venue
31 January 2019 13 March 2019 7 May 2019 25 September 2019 17 October 2019 4 December 2019	All at RSC Burlington House

2018 Events

(Please append electronic copies of any meeting reports, newsletters or relevant materials to this report.

Please report below on activities undertaken in the past year. If you have more detailed information about any particularly successful events, or advice to share please use a separate sheet. For more events continue as necessary.

EVENT KEY:

- Education Event (including outreach activities for school students or the general public)
- Public Lecture
- Retired Members Event
- Scientific Conference - 1 day
- Scientific Conference - multi day
- Social Event
- Training/workshop
- Award Lecture
- Other)

Event Name	Timber, Developments, Applications and Markets
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Tim Belden, ex TRADA 31 January 2018

Event Name	The Race To Zero Emission: Hydrogen Fuel Cells Vs Battery Electric. Why Both Might be Winners
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Stewart Dow, BOC 12 March 2018

Event Name	Emerging Contaminants in the Environment – Should we be concerned ?
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Ian Ross, Arcadis 10 May 2018

Event Name	Visit to Building Research Establishment (BRE), Garston
Social Event	16th July 2018. Limited numbers and a charge of £5 per person.

Event Name	Role of Satellites and Drones in Land Use and Precision Agriculture
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Toby Waine, Cranfield University 17 September 2018

Event Name	Why Crystals And Crystal Engineering Matter To The Real World
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Michael Zarorotko, University of Limerick 29 November 2018

Event Name	From Piddocks to Products
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Jan Knight, Knight Scientific Ltd 10 December 2018

Other information/comments:

The Crystals talk on 29th November proved very popular, so two sessions were held on the same day. The first session was targeted at 6th form student level (mainly attended by students) and the second at normal experience level.

Awards and Bursaries

(Please list any awards or bursaries presented by your committee in the past 12 months and indicate any which will be open for nomination/application in the next calendar year. Please ensure that all members of your network are notified of any awards or bursaries for general application.).

None

Future Activities

(When planning any activities please remember to ensure that all events are logged on our events database and ensure that all contracts are sent to our Legal Team with enough time for amendments and, where necessary, approval by the Board.

Please outline any activities already in planning for the next calendar year.)

Event Name	Tiny test tubes for blood testing and antibiotic resistance detection
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Al Edwards University of Reading 31st January 2019

Event Name	Death, Drugs and Detection
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Hilary Hammett, University of Lincoln 13th March 2019

Event Name	Advanced Materials for Energy Storage
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Emma Kendrick University of Birmingham 7th May 2019

Event Name	Innovation Centre RCA
Social Event	Visit to the Innovation Centre, Royal College of Art 17th June 2019

Event Name	Disasters in the Petrochemical Industry and How to Prevent Them
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Atul Panchmatia, Consultant to the Petrochemical Industry 25th September 2019

Event Name	Packaging Solutions within the Circular Economy
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Monica Battistella, Taghleef Industries Europe 17th October 2019

Event Name	Marketing Chemicals with Climate Change and Environmental Claims in Mind
Public Lecture	Lecture in RSC, Burlington House by Helen Kean, Anthesis-Caleb 4th December 2019

Committee

(This information will be used to update our membership database and your web page. Please ensure that any changes to the committee are sent to networks@rsc.org as soon as possible.)

Position	Name	Dates on committee (20xx – 20xx)
Chair	Tilele Stevens	
Secretary	Mike Bloomfield	
Treasurer	Ian Gordon	
Ordinary Members	Mark Scudamore Tom Keaveny Mike Maunder Allan Malcolm Alan Bodley Nick Gudde David Espley Terry Page	
Chemists' Community Fund Representative (if relevant)		
Co-opted members and their affiliation		

Diversity & Inclusion

(Our trustees are aiming to embed diversity and inclusion in all of our activities and networks. Our [online network handbook](#) contains more information to support our networks in achieving this. Please comment on how your group is showing that it has embraced Diversity and Inclusion within its practices.)

All our meetings are open, not only to Marketing Group members and other members of RSC but also to the general public, who are always made welcome at the reception held prior to the main event. We have had a good attendance of sixth-form chemistry students this year.