



European Polysaccharide  
Network Of Excellence

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## EPNOE, the European Polysaccharide Network of Excellence

The network of reference on polysaccharide and polysaccharide-based products in Europe since 2005.

Connecting research and education centres, universities and companies.

Basic and applied research  
Building collaborative projects  
Education

EPNOE organizes or participates in many events, meetings and conferences.

## Why join EPNOE?

If you, your company, institute, or university department is working in the field of polysaccharides or polysaccharide-related products, EPNOE is the ideal community to:

- Network with experts in many scientific fields.
- Access R&D infrastructure.
- Keep abreast of the latest research developments in your fields of interest.
- Enlarge your outlook to other areas or materials.
- Participate in many brain-storming and project-building meetings.
- Exchange of knowledge and students.
- Discuss basic science.
- Create new educational programs.
- Connect with the organisations collaborating with EPNOE (American Chemical Society, Polintegra in Poland, BioEconomy Cluster in Germany, Céréales Vallée in France, BioNanoNet, Controlled Release Society in Italy, Cellulose Society of Japan, Riadicy in South America, etc.).
- Gain access to scientists and engineers with the expertise to help develop your technologies, or to provide scientific/technical assistance.

- Collaborate with industry to build industry-focused R&D projects and consortia.
- Access and participate in EU-Projects.
- Meet future employers or educated graduate students. Post open job positions.
- Publicise your achievements. As an EPNOE Member, you will be embedded in a productive research and enterprise network, with a strong focus on biomedical, food, materials and processing applications.

## Innovation and Knowledge transfer

Knowledge transfer and innovation are important components of EPNOE activities with contracts tailored to meet partner needs.

EPNOE academic/research members are active in many collaborative agreements with companies to develop knowledge transfer and products.

Currently, EPNOE scientists participate in projects associated with over 400 R&D contracts annually.

## EPNOE members

### Academic/Research Members

- ♦ Armines: Mines Paristech - CEMEF
- ♦ IMT Douai (France)
- ♦ BOKU University (Austria)
- ♦ University of Jena (Germany)
- ♦ Fraunhofer-IAP (Germany)
- ♦ VTT (Finland)
- ♦ University of Hamburg (Germany)
- ♦ Abo Akademi University (Finland)
- ♦ “Petru Poni” Institute (Romania)
- ♦ University of Maribor (Slovenia)
- ♦ University of Wageningen (Netherlands)
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- ♦ University of Nottingham (United Kingdom)
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- ♦ University of Utrecht (Netherlands)
- ♦ University of Graz (Austria)
- ♦ Jan Długosz University in Częstochowa (Poland)
- ♦ INP Toulouse - ENSIACET (France)
- ♦ Université de Picardie Jules Verne (France)
- ♦ Graz University of Technology (Austria)
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- ♦ KU Leuven (Belgium)

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- ♦ INSA/Laboratoire IMP (France)
- ♦ Albert Ludwig University of Freiburg (Germany)
- ♦ University of Huddersfield (United Kingdom)
- ♦ KTH Royal Institute of Technology (Sweden)
- ♦ ETH Zurich (Switzerland)
- ♦ Mid-Sweden University (Sweden)
- ♦ Swerea IVF (Sweden)
- ♦ INRA Nantes – BIA (France)
- ♦ IMT Mines d’Alès (France)

### Industry Members

- ♦ Cargill
- ♦ Dow Wolff Cellulosics
- ♦ SE Tylose
- ♦ Lenzing
- ♦ Sappi Saiccor
- ♦ Kiram
- ♦ Novamont
- ♦ Agrana Research Innovation
- ♦ Ynsect
- ♦ Cosun

## How to become an EPNOE member?

Since January 2018, the EPNOE Association opened its membership to individuals, in addition to Research Centre, Institute and companies.

For collective members, all staff and students are entitled to participate in EPNOE activities.

## Registration and Information

Please send an email to [contact@epnoe.eu](mailto:contact@epnoe.eu) for further information and registration documents.

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