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**ANNUAL INTEREST GROUP REPORT FOR 2008**

for use by RSC Interest Groups (i.e. Subject Groups and Sectors) including Analytical Division Regions

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<http://www.rsc.org/Membership/Networking/InterestGroups/index.asp>

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\* A signed hard copy should also be sent by standard mail.

<b>INTEREST GROUP NAME or AD REGION NAME</b>	Radiochemistry Group
<b>Chairman</b>	Dr Terry Gingell
<b>Secretary</b>	Dr Nick Evans
<b>Treasurer</b>	Dr Tony Ware
<b>Number of members on the committee</b>	16
<b>Editor, Newsletter (if applicable)</b>	Dr Tony Ware
<b>Submitted by</b>	Dr Nick Evans
<b>Signed</b>	
<b>Date</b>	January 2009

Please list below the dates of your proposed AGM and Committee Meetings for 2009 (where applicable).

**Annual General Meeting 2009 (if being held)**

Date: 21/1/2009      Venue: Burlington House

**Proposed Committee Meetings 2009**

Date: 21/1/2009      Venue: Burlington House

Date: 24/6 2009      Venue: Burlington House

Date: October 2009      Venue: Burlington House

**FINAL ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2008**

**Please attach a copy of the financial report you have sent to the RSC Accounts Department**

Deadline for receipt of Financial Accounts: **14<sup>th</sup> February 2009**

Deadline for receipt of Annual Report by members: **31<sup>st</sup> March 2009** (Annual Report can be posted on webpage if not sent to members individually)

## **ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN IN 2008**

Please report below on activities undertaken by the Group or AD Region in 2008. If you have more detailed information about any particularly successful events, or advice for other Groups and AD Regions, you may use a separate sheet. For more events continue as necessary.

	Date	Venue and number of participants.	List of Speakers	How was event publicised (before and after meeting)?	How does meeting fit with RSC strategy / Awards Given?	Any other comments?
Event 1 Name: The Role of Radiochemistry in the Sentencing and Disposal of Radioactive Waste	7 <sup>th</sup> April 2008	Atkins Axis Building, Birmingham  80 (sell out)	Neil Smart – NDA Steve Daish and Hannah Reed – EA Dave North – Magnox Mike Smith – AstraZeneca Jeremy Hastings – Nexia Solutions Nigel Brown – Manchester Univ. Alan Murray – Tetronics Stuart Woodings – British Energy	Flyer, RCG website, RSC website and e-mail to members		
Event 2 Name: Young Researchers Competition 2008	16 <sup>th</sup> April 2008	RSC London 30	J Begg (University of Leeds) R Torres Martin de Rosales (Kings College) N Lloyd (Univ. Leicester) E Reinoso Maset (University of Plymouth) R Wilson (Westlakes Scientific Consulting Ltd) J Woodcroft (GE Healthcare) J Burnett (AWE plc, UK) M Sajih (Univ. Manchester) A Douglas (L'borough Univ.) S A Gascon (L'borough Univ.)	Flyer, RCG website, RSC website and e-mail to members		
Event 3 Name: Tritium – Handling, measurement and disposal	23rd October 2008	National Oceanography Centre, Southampton  70	Bryan Garney (AWE) David Wilkinson (AZ) Kris Derewnicki (Sellafield Ltd) P Burgess (Nuvia Ltd) C Gibbons (ESR Technology) I Croudace & D Kim (GAU) Michael Mills (AWE) Mike Hickey, AstraZeneca Jenny Morris and Caroline Balem Analytical Sciences, AWE			
Event 4 Name: Production,	November 11 <sup>th</sup> 2008	AstraZeneca R&D	Professor Syed Muhammad Qaim (FZJ) Germany	Flyer, RCG website, RSC		

Use and Disposal of Radioisotopes in Nuclear Medicine		Charnwood, Loughborough 55	Ron Barrack (Erigal Ltd) Professor Phil Blower (UCL) Jonathan Attwood (AstraZeneca R&D Charnwood) Professor Terry Jones (Wolfson Imaging Centre) Dr Peter Hayes (GE Healthcare) Dr Simon Young (AstraZeneca R&D Charnwood) Professor Bengt Långström (Uppsala University)	website and e-mail to members		
Event 5: Name: Planning a New Generation of Nuclear Power Reactors in Britain	27/11/08	The Loop Café, Milton Park, Abingdon, Oxfordshire  80 (sell out)	Adrian Bull (Westinghouse) Keith Ardron (EDF Energy)	Flyer, RCG website, RSC website and e-mail to members of RCG		
RSC General Assembly	14 and 15/11/08	Did you attend this meeting?  Yes	Any comments:			

## SCIENTIFIC MEETING SCHEDULE 2009

Please report below on proposed activities for your Group or AD Region in 2009. For more events continue as necessary on a separate sheet.

	Event 1				Event 2				Event 3				Event 4			
Proposed Meeting Date	Spring 2009				Apr 28 <sup>th</sup> 2009				2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2009				Late 2009			
Proposed Meeting Venue	Bristol				Manchester				Cumbria				Manchester			
Scientific Area/Topic	Radioactivity in water				Radiopharmacy				Analytical Radiochemistry				Decommissioning and Radioactive Waste Management			
Is meeting for education/ Training / Networking / Other purposes?	E	T	N	O	E	T	N	O	E	T	N	O	E	T	N	O
	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	
Are any other RSC Interest Groups and/or RSC Regions involved?	Water Chemistry								AD NW Region							
List any other collaborators (incl. International).					BNMS											
Give details of any awards to be presented.	None				None				None				Bill Newton Award			
Will certificates of attendance be issued for CPD purposes?	Only if requested				Only if requested				Only if requested				Only if requested			
<b>PUBLICITY</b>																
Have details been entered onto webpage?	Not yet				Yes				Not yet				Not yet			
Will RSC Grapevine be used to publicise meeting?	Yes				Yes				Yes				Yes			
Will any other publicity routes be used?	Yes				Yes				Yes				Yes			
Will RSC or IG promotional material be distributed?	Yes				Yes				Yes				Yes			

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Committee expertise that you would like highlighted on your Group/Region web page?

(please refer to AD East Anglia Region at

<http://www.rsc.org/Membership/Networking/InterestGroups/Analytical/ADRegions/ADEARegion/Committee.asp> )

Other information: