



**Member Networks Annual Report Form**  
*Reporting events held in 2017 and those planned for 2018*

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](mailto:networks@rsc.org) or by post to; Networks Team, Royal Society of Chemistry, Thomas Graham House, Science Park, Milton Road, Cambridge, CB4 0WF.

**Deadlines**

Deadline for receipt of Financial Accounts by RSC Finance Team: **9<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

Deadline for receipt of Annual Report by Networks Team: **26<sup>th</sup> February 2018**

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](mailto: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.

<b>Committee</b>	Chemical Nanosciences and Nanotechnology
<b>Completed by</b>	Clare Hoskins – Secretary
<b>Date</b>	8/1/18

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

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

<b>Date:</b>	26/1/17 (2018 to be held on 6/9/18)
<b>Venue:</b>	Keele University (2018- Burlington House)

**Proposed Committee Meetings Dates**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Venue</b>
<b>Jan-18 Day TBC</b>	<b>Teleconference</b>
<b>Feb-18 Day TBC</b>	<b>Teleconference</b>
<b>April-18 Day TBC</b>	<b>Teleconference</b>
<b>July-18 Date TBC</b>	<b>Teleconference</b>
<b>6/9/17</b>	<b>Burlington House</b>



<b>October-18 Date TBC</b>	<b>Teleconference</b>
<b>December-18 Date TBC</b>	<b>Teleconference</b>



## 2017 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

<b>Event Name</b>	Chemical Nanosciences and Nanotechnology Network Meeting
<b>Event Type (key)</b>	Scientific Conference - multiday
<b>Comments</b>	Held at Keele University 80 participants 2 x half days Really well received – a good start to revamp this Interest Group Attended by both RSC/non-RSC members International Participants

<b>Event Name</b>	Keele Nanopharmaceutics Symposium
<b>Event Type (key)</b>	Scientific Conference – 1 day
<b>Comments</b>	Focussing on Nanomedicine applications of Nanotechnology Co-Badged event 80 delegates 1 day event Attended by both RSC and non-RSC members National participants



<b>Event Name</b>	Newcastle University Chemical Nanoscience Symposium
<b>Event Type (key)</b>	Scientific Conference – 1 day
<b>Comments</b>	Focussing on all Chemical Nanotechnology applications Co-Badged event 80 delegates Attended by both RSC and non-RSC members National participants RSC CNN sponsored poster prize

### **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.

Newcastle University Chemical Nanosciences Symposium Poster Prize

### **Other information/comments:**



### 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.

<b>Event Name</b>	Chemical Nanosciences and Nanotechnology Annual Meeting
<b>Comments</b>	Burlington House International Participation 100 delegate potential 2 half day event RSC and Non RSC members

<b>Event Name</b>	Keele Nanopharmaceutics Symposium
<b>Comments</b>	Keele University Co-badged event Sponsor Poster Award 80 delegates National participation RSC and Non RSC members

<b>Event Name</b>	Newcastle University Chemical Nanosciences Symposium
<b>Comments</b>	Newcastle University Co-badged event Sponsor Poster Award 80 delegates National participation RSC and Non RSC members

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## 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](mailto:networks@rsc.org) as soon as possible.

<b>Position</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Dates on committee (20xx – 20xx)</b>
Chair	Karl Coleman	2016-2019
Secretary	Clare Hoskins	2016-2019
Treasurer	Yimin Chao	2016-2019
Ordinary Members	Nicola Tirelli Dionisia Jesus Jon Preece Tony Byrne Susete Fernandes Salvatore Zarra Pedro Costa Steve Meikle Aaron Lau Vivek Polshettiwar Sushanta Mitra Euan Kay Andrei Khlobystov Marina Resmini Junwang Tang Daniel Ortega	2016-2019
Chemists' Community Fund Representative (if relevant)	N/A	



Co-opted members and their affiliation	N/A	
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### **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.

The revamped Committee as of 2016 invited members to join after expression of interest. The Committee was not over subscribed at this time and hence all interested parties were invited to join. The Committee is highly international in ethnicity and working location. We have a gender imbalance (68%M, 31% F), which will be addressed upon renewal of Committee membership. This imbalance reflects the current status of the physical sciences in academia.

To encourage engagement in a diverse population, our Annual events are held over 2 half days to allow people to travel or work around their childcare arrangements with minimal disruption. Our Committee meetings are usually held by Skype call and in the afternoons to allow our international Committee members to participate.