

Project 1. 'Lab Surfing': A resource to facilitate global exchange between young scientists

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Description of project:



The IFCC Task Force for Young Scientists (TF-YS) aims to ensure that young scientists make a significant and growing contribution to the activities of IFCC and to the promotion of laboratory medicine at the centre of healthcare. TF-YS has established a global network of YS, including many from developing countries.

'Lab Surfing' is a project designed by TF-YS and proposed by YS from Argentina, India and Nigeria. It aims to support the construction and launch of a website to connect YS from around the world, and especially from emerging nations. The specific aim of the Lab Surfing project is to facilitate self-organised exchange programmes between YS who are trainees in laboratory medicine.

The FEN was impressed by the vision, ambition and simplicity of this project proposal. The outcome of 'Lab Surfing' will be measured in terms of the number of YS using the site, their countries of origin and the exchanges that derive from those contacts.

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Project report and outcome: See completed projects file
