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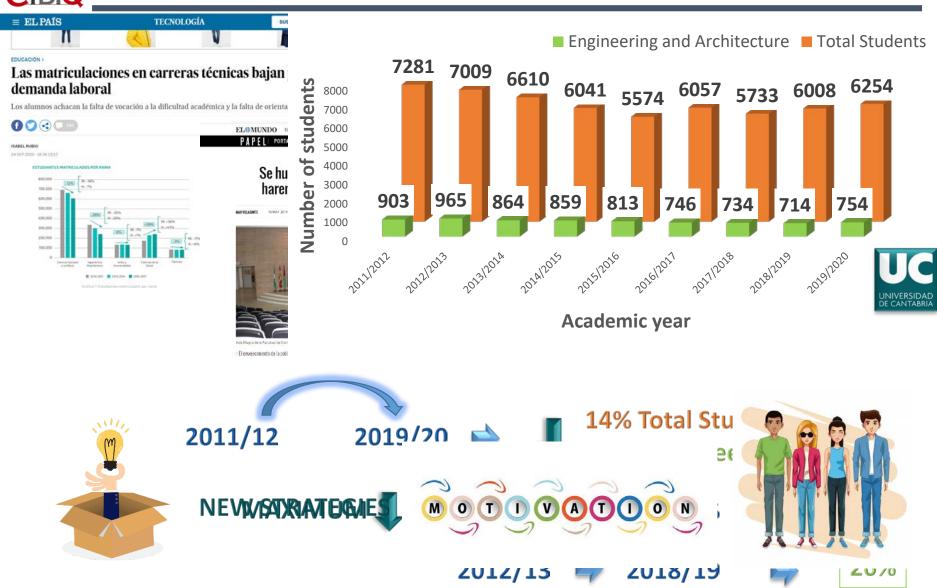
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Sesión T7: Current and future learning in Chemical Engineering



INTRODUCTION



*Data from University of Cantabria: Estadística e Indicadores Oficiales del Vicerrectorado de Ordenación Académica y Profesorado Curso 2019/20 published on December 2019



INTRODUCTION









DISSEMINATION

= sharing research results with potential users - peers in the research field, industry, other commercial players and policymakers.



SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY



Under Horizon 2020, beneficiaries should engage in **dissemination and exploitation activities**. As Horizon 2020 is financed by EU citizens, it should benefit to the largest number and the fruits of the research reach society as a whole [1].



Projects approved by the **Interreg Sudoe Programme** are obliged to carry out **communication actions** to extend their impact. In addition, they must inform about their funding source.

There is a guide "SUDOE PROGRAMME MANUAL", with a specific factsheet – Project Communication [2].



Communication is a crucial issue for the **success of the Programme**, on delivering meaningful results not only to projects partners, but also to a wider audience of stakeholders. It is a cross cutting element of working procedures, at project and Programme levels, all along the programming period [3].

 $\begin{tabular}{l} [1] http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/docs/h2020-funding-guide/grants/grant-management/dissemination-of-results_en.htm. \end{tabular}$

[2] https://www.interreg-sudoe.eu/gbr/communication/projects-communication

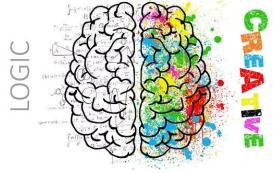
[3] https://www.atlanticarea.eu/page/25



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SOCIETY

















Noche Europea de los Investigadores: la ciencia se «cuela» en el ocio este fin de semana







PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Semana de la Ciencia 2019: qué ver y dónde

La carrera de obstáculos de las mujeres científicas para conseguir financiación

Un estudio publicado en 'The Lancer' asegura que existe un sesgo de género entre quienes valoran las













COMMUNICATION & DISSEMINATION





Vicerrectorado de Investigación y Transferencia del Conocimiento





MINISTERIO DE CIENCIA E INNOVACIÓN





International Day of Women & Girls in Science 2019



European Researchers' Night 2019







Science Week 2019



Amentúrate 2019

PROJECT "LA UNIVERSIDAD EN TU BARRIO"



Unidad de Cultura Científica





17 Practical Workshops

20 primary students 4th – 6th level



MOTIVATION

"doing instead of listening"

"You can do it by yourself instead of looking at what other people do"



PROJECT "LA UNIVERSIDAD EN TU BARRIO"

Primary

Students



PhD. LUCÍA GÓMEZ ASSISTANT PROFESSOR



GUILLERMO DÍAZ ASSISTANT PROFESSOR



PhD. GEMA PÉREZ
TECHNICAL RESEARCH SUPPORT

UC Researchers

LEARNING SERVICE



SANDRA CEBALLOS, ANA FERNÁNDEZ, LIDIA GARCÍA Chemical Engineering Degree

Undergraduate students



PRIMARY STUDENTS

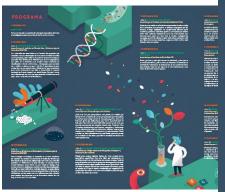
People from student's environment



PARENTS ("Mothers"), GRANDPARENTS, NEIGHBOURS







3 DICIEMBRE 2018

Taller 8: "TE CAMBIO UN CU POR UN NA" Impartido por el Departamento de Ingeniería Química y Biomolecular

Durante el taller los alumnos se convertirán en científicos por un día y trabajarán como un ingeniero químico en el laboratorio. El taller comenzará con una charla breve sobre quiénes somos y a qué nos dedicamos, seguido de una pequeña introducción al mundo del tratamiento de las aguas residuales y en concreto al tratamiento de efluentes procedentes de la industria del tratamiento metálico. A continuación, todos los alumnos se pondrán los EPIs necesarios (bata, guantes y gafas) y se pondrán manos a la obra para determinar si un agua residual procedente de la industria de tratamiento metálico contiene cobre y si es así qué cantidad, para seguidamente aplicar un tratamiento de intercambio iónico que permita su eliminación y finalmente determinar si dicho tratamiento resulta efectivo y es capaz de eliminar el cobre.



WORKSHOP 8: ION EXCHANGE



1st STEP: SHORT EXPLANATION

✓ INTRODUCE OURSELVES →
Scientists closer to society



✓ AIM OF THE WORKSHOP →

Chemical Engineers have in their hands the ability to do things for sustainable development

✓ DESCRIPTION OF MATERIALS & METHOD →

Enjoy working with new materials and products





✓ SECURITY RULES →

Lack of information is the risk!



My friend is a scientist!











WORKSHOP 8: ION EXCHANGE



2nd STEP: PRACTICAL GUIDE



3rd STEP: EXPERIENCE

FOLLOW EACH STEP OF THE GUIDE

+

MAKE THE CALCULATIONS



4th STEP: CONCLUSIONS

✓ CONTROL WATER QUALITY

Analysis

Experiments

✓ CLEAN WATER – Cu removal > 90 %

PROCEDURE

- Determination of the initial Copper Concentration in the Problem Solution (dilute 1/1000) $\rightarrow Cu_{initial}$
- Falcon tube: weigh 5 g cationic resin + 20 mL of problema solution
- Mix the resin and the solution during 10 minutes
- Stop the mixing and wait for 5 minutes
- Determination of the final copper concentration (dilute 1/10) $ightarrow \mathcal{C}u_{final}$
- 6 Calculations: % copper removal

RESULTADOS

%
$$Cu\ removal = \frac{Cu_{initial} - Cu_{final}}{Cu_{initial}} \cdot 100$$







WORKSHOP EVALUATION – GENERAL OPINION



Primary Students









https://youtu.be/tK1cZAjUQes

Undergraduate Students & Relatives











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SURVEY CONCLUSIONS

75 % STUDENTS DIDN'T KNOW WHAT A CHEMICAL ENGINEER IS, BEFORE THE WORKSHOP

50% DIDN'T KNOW THE UC OFFERS
STUDIES IN CHEMICAL
ENGINEERING

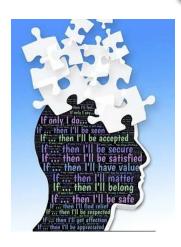
37,5% LIKED WHAT A CHEMICAL ENGINEER CAN DO

100% LIKED THE WORKSHOP

100% WOULD ATTEND OTHER WORKSHOP ABOUT CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

87% WOULD RECOMEND THE WORKSHOP TO A FRIEND

ONLY 1 STUDENT HAD PARTICIPATED IN DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES



BIGGER EFFORTS
MORE ADVERTISEMENT





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