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FEBS support for 'Science and Society' Constituent Society events or activities

This support is managed by the FEBS Science and Society (S&S) Committee with the following framework:

- The theme of events/activities supported between two FEBS Congresses is the theme of the FEBS Science and Society session at the preceding FEBS Congress.
- The Committee runs an open call to FEBS Constituent Societies to submit a proposal for funds to run an event/activity in this theme.
- The exact format of the event/activity is up to the organizing Society. The FEBS S&S committee would like to support a range of activities, from speaker events to educational activities which enable public engagement in the science and society topic.
- The FEBS S&S committee will select Constituent Societies to organize events/activities after review of the submitted proposals, and will have the final decision on funding.
- Each proposal can bid for a maximum of Euro 1500 (though proposals for lower values are welcome) to cover: venue costs (if applicable); rail/air ticket and accommodation (if required) of invited speaker(s); lunch or dinner for the invited speaker(s), organisers and the chairperson of the Constituent Society; printing/publishing/making material for an event or for the production of an educational activity that could be used for public engagement in this issue.
- Any event should be free to attend where possible.
- FEBS support must be noted on all publicity and at the start and end of the event/activity.
- Events or activities which involve more than one FEBS Constituent Society or which enable the sharing of an activity across members are encouraged.
- Where possible, materials such as public outreach guides and videos must be made freely available in English for other FEBS Constituent Societies to use, via the FEBS Network.
- As a condition of the funding, upon successful completion of the event or activity, a short report (no more than 1 A4 page) should be submitted to the FEBS S&S Committee, which FEBS may like to use on the FEBS Network or in other publicity.
- Where the support is for an event, a member of the S&S Committee should be able to attend without a registration fee. The expenses of Committee member will be covered by the budget of the Committee.

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