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European Federation
of Animal Technologists

EFAT

★ Education ★ Representation with Law Makers
★ Career Support ★ Resources ★ Support Network

INVITATION TO BLUE SKY MEETING

Where: FELASA 2022 – Sormiou

When: Tues 14/06/2022 – 10:15 to 11:15

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History:

The concept of EFAT came from a meeting held in The Netherlands during the 1980s.
A group of very enthusiastic Dutch technicians suggested an idea to have a universal manual that could cover all Animal Technicians working with laboratory animals across Europe.
This seemingly simple idea turned out to be a lot more complicated than it first appeared.
A major breakthrough happened in 1992 when EFAT was recognised by the European Commission. From that date, technicians throughout Europe have had a representation on many expert working groups and given very practical advice that eventually helped shape the Directive 2010/63/EU on the protection of animals used for scientific purposes.

Present:

The role of EFAT is to:

- Promote the harmonisation of education and training for European Animal Technologists and establish the highest standards of laboratory animal care and welfare by exchanging information and ideas via meetings, study groups, publications and all other appropriate means of communication.

- Establish and maintain formal lines of communication with international and governmental regulatory and competent authorities and other organisations concerned with laboratory animal technology, care and welfare.

- Establish EFAT as the consultative specialist federation for laboratory animal technology within Europe.

Future:

Membership of EFAT is open to laboratory animal technology associations from the Member States of the European Union and Council of Europe.

With your help, let's grow EFAT's representation and support network.

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