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Meeting of Young Chemical Engineers

FOREWORD

On behalf of the Scientific and Organizing Committee, it is a great honour and pleasure to announce and invite you to the **16th Meeting of Young Chemical Engineers (SMLKI 2026)**, which will be held at the Faculty of Chemical Engineering and Technology in Zagreb, Republic of Croatia, on February 19th and 20th 2026. Organized by the Croatian Society of Chemical Engineers and the University of Zagreb Faculty of Chemical Engineering and Technology, this meeting has traditionally been held biennially since 1996.

Through its five sections – *Chemical engineering, Biochemical engineering, Environmental engineering, Materials and products development, and Applied chemistry* – this meeting gathers young scientists from universities, industry, and research institutes from Croatia and abroad to exchange their experiences and knowledge, and to present their valuable results in the field of chemical engineering.

We believe that all participants, plenary and invited lecturers, auspices, and sponsors and many others will recognize the significance of this meeting and its role in the promotion of chemical engineering expertise, and thus support it through active participation.

We sincerely hope that you will positively reply to this invitation.



Chair of the Scientific and Organizing Committee

Assist. Prof. Anita Šalić

ABOUT THE MEETING

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The Meeting of Young Chemical Engineers was first held in 1996, and in 2026, the 16th Meeting of Young Chemical Engineers will be organised. SMLKI event is a long-time project of employees

of the Faculty of Chemical Engineering and Technology who traditionally promote chemical engineering discipline and highlight the significance of its continuous development in the Republic of Croatia. The goal of the Meeting is to affirm young experts and our profession as well by presenting the results achieved during undergraduate and graduate studies and in their Bachelor's and Master's theses. Moreover, young scientists will exchange their valuable experiences and achievements gained in industry, academia, and research institutes. In addition to participants from the Republic of Croatia, colleagues from foreign countries such as Germany, Hungary, Slovenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia, and the United Kingdom showed considerable interest, which certainly gives the Meeting an international character.

The official languages of the Meeting are Croatian and English.

CONTINUOUS GROWTH OF THE MEETING OF YOUNG CHEMICAL ENGINEERS

Below are graphic representations that clearly illustrate the growing interest among young scientists and the significant expansion of the Meeting since its first edition in 1996, up to 2024.

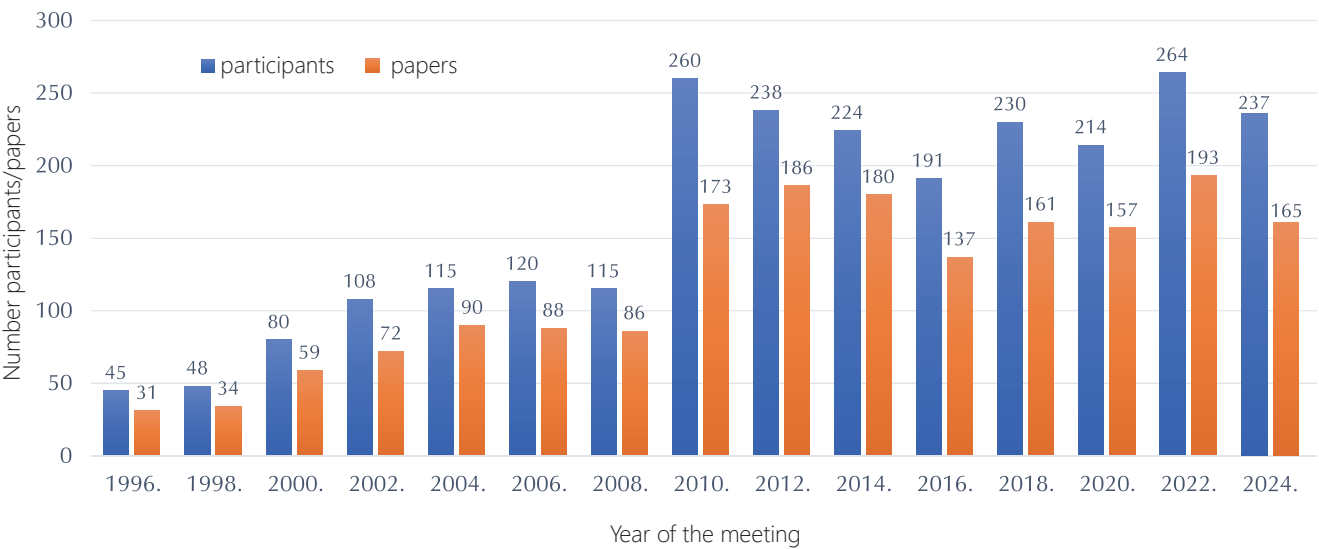


Fig. 1 – The number of presented papers and participants so far

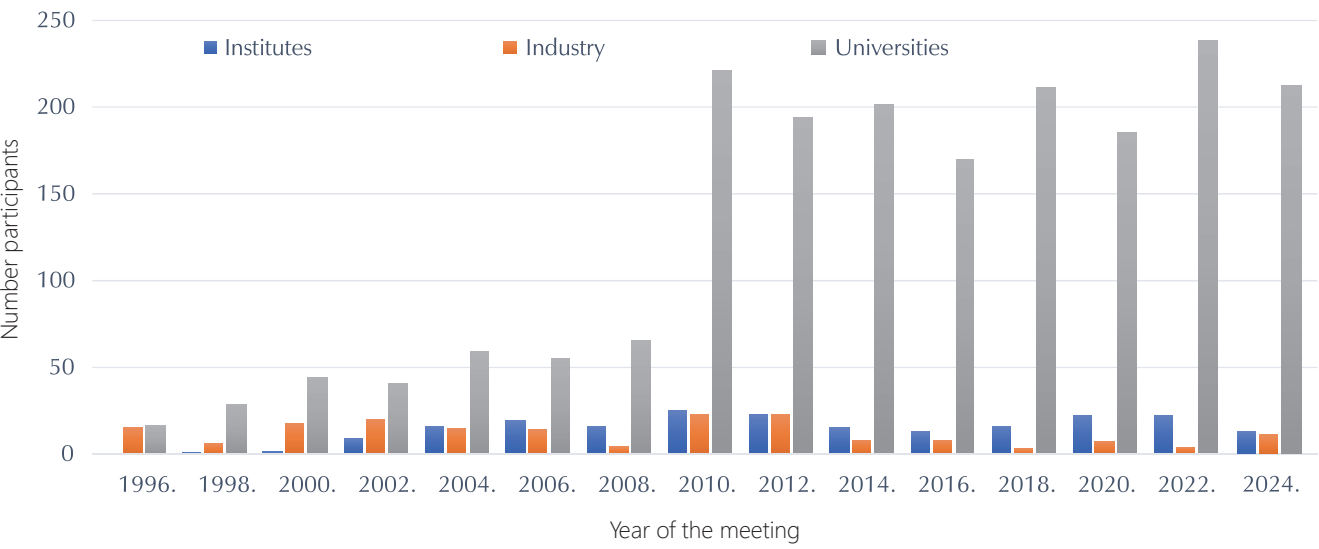


Fig. 2 – The number of presented papers according to affiliations

WHY TO PRESENT AND SUPPORT THE MEETING?

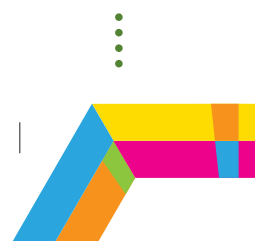
Young chemical engineers will present results of their scientific work and share their valuable experiences, results, and research methodology with young scientists who are following in their footsteps. The 16th Meeting of Young Chemical Engineers is an excellent opportunity to present your firm, products, services, studies, and other information to the young academic community who will be the users of your products in the near future. We consider that it is a valuable platform for establishing new business contacts with future users of your products.

THE MAIN REASONS FOR PARTICIPATION

- It is expected that the Meeting programme will be of high quality and serve as a prime example of productive cooperation between scientists and industry.
- The programme enables high-quality interaction between participants, and thus a valuable exchange of information and new business contacts.
- The meeting provides a valuable marketing opportunity for presentation of products and services, strengthening existing ties, and forging new relationships and opportunities with potential new clients.
- Direct access to meeting participants over two days in one location.
- Awareness building – your product or service might be the step towards the next scientific discovery.
- Excellent marketing area.

OVERVIEW OF PREVIOUS PATRONS, SPONSORS AND DONORS

Year of the Meeting	Patrons	Sponsors	Donors
2002	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association	Gavrilović d.o.o., Petrinja; Herbos d.d., Sisak; Kraš d.d.; Ministarstvo znanosti i tehnologije; Narodne novine; Pan-Pek;; Petrokemija d.d., Kutina; Pliva d.d.; TOZ – tvornica olovaka.	No data
2004	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association	No data	
2006	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association	Ministarstvo znanosti, obrazovanja i športa Republike Hrvatske, Ina d. d.; Istra Cement d.o.o., Pula; Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o.; Podravka d.d., Koprivnica.	Ely Lilly, predstavništvo Zagreb; Ina Maziva Rijeka; IPK Erdutski vinogradi; Jamnica d.d. Zagreb; Pan-Pek d.o.o.; Petrokemija d. d. Kutina; Purex d.o.o. Smolonje; Hrvatska turistička zajednica
2008	University of Zagreb, Croatian Engineering Association	Ministarstvo znanosti, obrazovanja i športa Republike Hrvatske; Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o.; INA d.d.; Hrvatska turistička zajednica; APO.	Belišće d.d.; Ina d.d. Rafinerija nafte Rijeka; Jamnica d.d., Pan-Pek d.o.o.; Petrokemija d.d. Kutina; Purex d.o.o. Smolonje; Turistička zajednica grada Zagreba; KRAŠ prehrambena industrija d.d.
2010	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association	Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o., Turistička zajednica grada Zagreba; Viro – tvornica šećera, Končar institut; Borovo – Gumitrade; Chromos Boje i lakovi; Ru-Ve d.o.o.; Belmet97 d.d.; Emerson Process Management; Kefo d.o.o.; Merck d.o.o.	Jamnica d.d.; Pan-Pek d.o.o.; Hrvatska turistička zajednica, Kraš, prehrambena industrija d.d.; TOZ Penkala d.d.
2012	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports Croatia	Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o.	Ansar analitika d.o.o.; Samoborka d.d.; Merck d.o.o.; Ru-Ve d.o.o.
2014	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association	Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o.; INA d.d.; Lachner d.o.o.; Saponia Osijek d.d.	Biovit d.o.o.; Obrnuta faza j. d.o.o.; Jamnica d.d.; Pan-Pek d.o.o.; PIK Vrbovec – mesna industrija d.d.



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2016	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association, Ministry of Science and Education Croatia	Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o., Zagreb; INA – Industrija nafte, d.d.; KEFO d.o.o.; Ru-Ve d.o.o.; Profil Klett	Hrvatska turistička zajednica; Turistička zajednica grada Zagreba; Pan-Pek; PIK Vrbovec – mesna industrija; Instrumentalia d.o.o.; AlphaChrom d.o.o.; Jamnica d.d.; Carlsberg
2018	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports Croatia	INA – Industrija nafte, d.d.; Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o.; Dechra – Genera d.d.; Xellia Ltd.; Agroproteinka d.d.; Ru-Ve d.o.o.	Labtim ADRIA d.o.o.; Jamnica d.d.; Pan-Pek d.o.o.; AlphaChrom d.o.o.; Turistička zajednica grada Zagreba; Hrvatska turistička zajednica; Turistička zajednica Zagrebačke županije
2020	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports Croatia	INA – Industrija nafte, d.d., Zagreb; Dechra – Genera d.d.; Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o.; Xellia d.o.o.; Kefo d.o.o.; Alphachrom d.o.o.; Agroproteinka d.d.; Kemolab d.o.o.; ChemEngineering, an Open Access Journal by MDPI	Labtim ADRIA d.o.o.; Obrnuta faza d.o.o.; dr. sc. Sanja Slavica Matešić (private donation); Turistička zajednica grada Zagreba; Hrvatska turistička zajednica; Turistička zajednica Zagrebačke županije.
2022	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports Croatia	Hanna Instruments d.o.o.; Fidelita d.o.o.; Mettler Toledo d.o.o.; Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o.; Siemens d.d.; Dechra – Genera d.d.; Kefo d.o.o.; Merck d.o.o.; Rockwool Adriatic d.o.o.; Shimadzu d.o.o.; Kontroltest International d.o.o.; Xellia d.o.o.; ChemEngineering Journal MDPI, izdavač; Agroproteinka d.d.; AlphaChrom d.o.o.; Biovit d.o.o.; Medic d.o.o.; Ru-Ve d.o.o.	Franck d.d., Kandit d.o.o.; Kemolab d.o.o.; Saponia d.d.
2024	University of Zagreb, Croatian Academy of Engineering, Croatian Engineering Association, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports Croatia	JGL d.o.o.; Selvita d.o.o.; Neuchemie d.o.o.; Shimadzu d.o.o.; Pliva Hrvatska d.o.o.; Siemens d.d.; Merck d.o.o.; Xellia d.o.o.; ChemEngineering Journal MDPI izdavač; Altium d.o.o.; Biovit d.o.o.; Medic d.o.o.; TCI Europe	Atlantic Grupa d.d. (Barcaffe); Turistička zajednica grada Zagreba

PROMOTION OF SPONSORS AND DONORS

Online marketing

E-mail newsletter

Regular newsletters for the promotion of the Meeting – current information, changes in the programme, the possibility of publishing your logo with a link to the official website. The newsletter is delivered to all participants of the Meeting.

Meeting website and Facebook page

The official website of the Meeting is the main source of all information related to the Meeting. It is regularly updated with new information and notifications. It also provides the possibility of publishing a logo with a link to the sponsor's website or a corresponding banner.

We also actively promote the Meeting and its sponsors on the social network Facebook, which, in the months preceding the Meeting, attracts a large number of visitors.

PRINTED MATERIALS

Ads

- Sponsors' advertisement pages in the Meeting materials: Final Programme and e-Book of Abstracts.
- Posters and all other printed advertising materials for the Meeting offer a great opportunity to promote your logo and products.

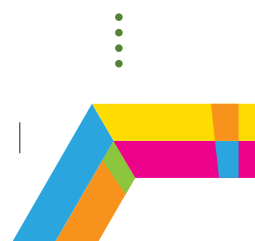
PROMOTION

Promotion at the venue

- Opening and Closing Ceremonies – through a presentation by the Meeting Chair
- Sponsor display
- Presentation display (roll-up) at the registration desk, in the lecture hall, and inside the exhibition space.

Promotion between lectures

- Projection of the sponsor's logo on the screen in the Meeting hall between lectures.
- Our goal is to offer a wide range of sponsorship packages that would help you achieve your promotional goals for products and services. We will be happy to customize sponsorship packages to better meet your requirements and marketing strategies.



SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

Gold package (€1,500.00/VAT included)

- Sponsor will be listed on the Meeting's website as a gold (main) sponsor with its logo and a link to the sponsor's website.
- Full-colour advertisement page on the first cover page in the printed Meeting Programme.
- Full-colour advertisement page on the first cover page in the e-Book of Abstracts.
- Logo displayed on the screen between lectures.
- Logo on the Meeting banner.
- Logo(s) on accreditation cards.
- Logo on all posters, flyers, brochures, and banners.
- Highlighting of the sponsor in all media appearances.
- Branded lanyards for accreditation cards.*
- Sponsor advertising on the social network Facebook.
- Sponsor's flyer/brochure in the Meeting bags provided to all participants*
- Sponsor's roll-up or flag in the Meeting hall.*
- Pad and pen with the sponsor's logo.*
- Showroom presence.
- Professional lecture (15 minutes), including a sponsor presentation.

Items marked with an asterisk () are provided by a sponsor*

Silver package (€1,100.00/VAT included)

- Sponsor will be listed on the Meeting's website as a silver sponsor with its logo and a link to the sponsor's website.
- Full-colour advertisement page on the second cover page in the printed Meeting Programme.
- Full-colour advertisement page on the second cover page in the e-Book of Abstracts.
- Logo displayed on the screen between lectures.
- Logo on the Meeting banner.
- Sponsoring company's flyer/brochure in the Meeting bags provided to all participants.
- Sponsor's roll-up or flag in the Meeting hall.*
- Pad and pen with the sponsor's or donor's branding.*
- Showroom presence.
- Professional lecture (10 minutes), including a sponsor presentation.

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Bronze package (€750.00/VAT included)

- Sponsor will be listed on the Meeting's website as a bronze sponsor with its logo and a link to the sponsor's website.
- Full-colour advertisement page on the third cover page in the printed Meeting Programme.
- Full-colour advertisement page on the third cover page in the e-Book of Abstracts.
- Logo on the Meeting banner.
- Sponsor's flyer/brochure in the congress bags provided to all participants*

Items marked with an asterisk () are provided by a sponsor or donor*

Advertising services are at your disposal with appropriate financial support

Type of advertising	Amount (VAT included)
10-minute company presentation	€350.00
e-Book page of abstracts for company advertisement	€300.00
Distribution of your brochures	€300.00
Advertisement on billboards placed within the Meeting premises	€200.00

OTHER

Coffee break

The Meeting provides the following:

- Sponsor's or donor's logo on the board in the serving area.
- Logo on the Meeting's website with a link to the sponsor's or donor's website.
- Logo in the final programme.
- Placement of coasters, napkins, and sugar featuring the sponsor's logo.*

Meeting bags

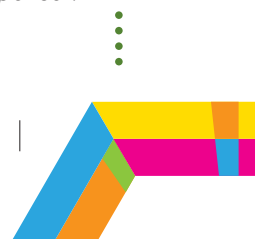
The Meeting provides the following:

- Printing of sponsor's or donor's logos on the Meeting bags.
- Sponsor's or donor's flyer/brochure in the Meeting bags provided to all participants.*
- Logo on the Meeting website with a link to the sponsor's or donor's website.
- Logo in the Meeting Programme.
- Logo displayed on the screen between lectures.

Leaflet/brochure in bags

All Meeting participants receive a flyer/brochure with a Meeting bag.

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Branded lanyards for accreditations

Lanyards for accreditations featuring the logo of the sponsoring company or its product.

Alternative donation options

If a sponsorship package is not suitable, we gladly accept individual contributions such as covering the cost of snacks or donating branded tote bags for participants. Please feel free to contact us to discuss the most convenient way to support the Meeting.

Other forms of sponsorship or donation

Any sponsor or donor wishing to define a special form of sponsorship, donor package, or patronage may establish the terms in a special contract.

SPONSORSHIP OR DONATION

Send your decision on sponsorship or donation to the official contacts of the Meeting.

Certain categories of packages are limited in the number of possible sponsors or donors, and priorities will be determined based on the order in which sponsors or donors appear and the payment made.

Detailed information related to the exhibition spaces, the time of assembly and disassembly of stands, electricity connections, etc. will be provided to each exhibitor later and on time. Upon conclusion of the sponsorship, the Scientific and Organizational Committee will inform the sponsor about all technical procedures with the aim of better organization of the Meeting and business relationship.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Name of the institution: Croatian Society of Chemical Engineers (HDKI)	VAT: 22189855239
Address (city/municipality, street and house number): Berislavićeva 6, 10 000 Zagreb, Croatia	
IBAN: HR5323600001101367680	
SWIFT: ZABHR2X	
Open at the bank: Zagrebačka banka	
With the indication: XVI. SMLKI	



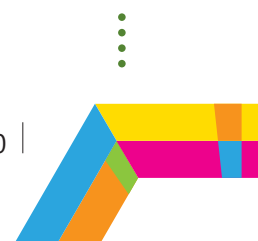
CONTACT

For all additional information about sponsor packages and participation opportunities, as well as advertising in the Meeting Programme and the e-Book of Abstracts, please contact us at:

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