



## **YSF Newsletter - May 2021**

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### **1. Message from YSF's Spokesperson**

Dear ESB members,

The ESB-YSF is pleased to announce some important upcoming events.

We will be present at **ESB2021 in Porto** with interesting and stimulating initiatives, with the aim of promoting networking among young scientists coming from all over Europe, and focusing attention on important and new scientific topics. The topics we selected for this year include green sustainability, how to develop personal skills for communication and successful pitches and how to write a scientific paper with a focus on illustration.

The **YSF opening workshop, the educational session for science writing, the general assembly**, which will include the important announcement of the winners of the EDU awards (2020 and 2021), along with the **night out** will be stimulating moments for young ESB members to interact and share opinions, comments and feelings on YSF activities. This year, we are really glad to organize the educational session in the frame of the symposium organized by the AERoGELS COST Action.

In the meanwhile, we also take the opportunity, here, to kindly recall an important **ESB2021 deadline**, not to be forgotten: the call for **last-minute abstracts (for poster presentations only)** will close in May 16, 2021.

Finally, in this Newsletter, we are eager to announce the **winners of the “YSF Call for Projects 2021”**. **Congratulations to Mr. Thomas Distler and Dr. Bruno Paiva dos Santos!**

Thank you once again for your support in our activities and do not forget to **follow us on Twitter and through the Website** to make sure you do not miss the latest event news about YSF.

*Best regards,*

*Elena Varoni*

(on behalf of the YSF board)



## 2. YSF ESB events at ESB2021 in Porto

YSF will promote several initiatives in ESB2021 Porto. An enthusiastic YSF local organizers committee will make this a great moment for the Biomaterials community, and for young biomaterial scientists in special. This year we will cover this topics:

- green sustainability
- how to develop personal skill for communication and a successful pitch
- how to write a scientific paper with a focus on illustrations.



# ESB 2021



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We will start on the first day of the conference (Sunday 5th, 2021) with **the YSF opening workshop**, with two sessions on green sustainability, personal skill for communication and pitches.

The educational session on science writing focusing on illustrations will be held on Tuesday 7th, 2021, as joint event with the AERoGELS COST Action led by Dr Carlos Garcia Gonzalez ( <https://cost-aerogels.eu/> ).

We are also going to organize the **YSF general assembly** and the **YSF night out** event, premium moments of debate, networking and fellowship.

### 3. ESB education awards

Awardees of the 2020 and 2021 Educational Awards will be announced during the YSF general assembly of the 31st Conference of the ESB (Porto 5th-9th September 2021). Call for the 2022 educational awards will close January 31st, 2022.

## ESB Educational awards

### 4. Awardees YSF Call for projects 2021

The YSF-ESB board has selected two projects for the 2021 YSF call for project, awarding **Bruno Paiva dos Santos** (BIOTIS, University of Bordeaux) and **Thomas Distler** (Institute of Biomaterials, Friedrich-Alexander-University, Erlanger-Nuremberg). Each project will receive an allowance of 600 euros.

Bruno's project is to organize the 1st French YSC-BIOMAT Day for young researchers. The event is expected to be held in Bourg St. Maurice, in winter 2021. The conference is dedicated to the French community of young biomaterials scientists. The two main objectives of the conference are: 1) to provide training adapted to young researchers; and 2) to encourage interactions and create a more dynamic community on the national level.

Thomas' project is an online seminar focused on "Key topics in modern biomaterials science: Career perspectives, grant writing, and gender equality". In this project, experts from the different fields will be invited to provide valuable training and open the debate for young scientists in the biomaterials' community. This project will be developed along 2021.

**YSF-ESB Call for projects** is an annual initiative from YSF board, sponsoring the organization of events/workshops for a total amount up to 1,200 Euros. The final aim of the call is to promote the training of young scientists and to stimulate dissemination in the field of biomaterials in Europe.

## 5. Stay tuned on Social Media

Get updated and/or start a conversation with our members! Looking forward to hearing from you!

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