

## **Report on Annual Workshop MP1106 13-14<sup>th</sup> September 2012**

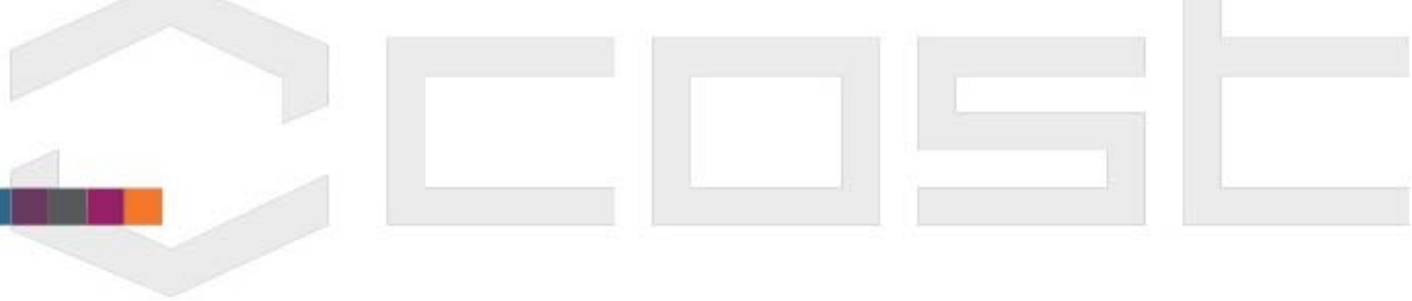
The Annual Workshop of the COST MP1106 Action was organised in Trinity College Dublin 13-14<sup>th</sup> September 2012 was held in the Printing House using the prestigious Printing House facilities in the Electronics Engineering Department. These facilities and indeed all the local arrangements were obtained with the help of Professor Tatiana Perova. The catering and social dimension of the meeting was made possible also with Dr Perova's direct involvement. The costs related to the organisation of this meeting were supported by the Local Organiser working with Dublin University and Drop Technology with necessary application for support from the COST Office requested. Failte Ireland provided some funding towards the social event at the meeting with a claim being made by the Local Organiser.

The full programme of the event is included in Appendix 1. The programme was organised by the Chair of the Action Professor Thodoris D Karapantsios, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, School of Chemistry, Greece working closely with the university's Dr John Lioumbas, Division of Chemical Technology. The meeting was attended by more than 70 partners and the attendance had notably to be limited. All the attendees presented a 10 minute outline of their work and suggested projects. The general organisation of these sessions was exemplary with everyone reporting this was exceptionally useful. There were many interesting novel studies which despite the short duration of team presentations made them worth the while. The aim of the meeting was clearly set and the overall aim of the COST action was clearly set as well. The "green and smart" aspect got the emphasis it needed and everybody was made familiar with the type of formulation that is customary in preparing EU-proposals. The meeting was consolidated by the organisation of a social programme including a meeting dinner which enabled the attendees to follow up on possible project linkages and to discuss the whole complex of networking possibilities.

The central element of the two days was the 2nd Management Committee Meeting which dealt with Minutes of last meeting; Report from the COST Office by Jacob Rimbau Santacana, Administrative Officer, COST Office; Status of Action giving details of participating countries; Budget Status, budget planning and allocation process; Progress report of working groups; Action planning; Annual Progress Conference with feedback from DC; Action Budget Planning; Action Planning including meetings; Discussion on possible location and date of next meeting; Long-term planning (including anticipated locations and dates of future; STSM status, applications; Publications, dissemination and outreach activities; Request for new members; Promotion of gender balance and of Early Stage Researchers (ESR); Non-COST country participations; Web actions and news. The discussion and decisions at this session fully dealt with all issues that were either decided or posted to for management decisions in the immediate future with named person(s) given responsibility.

The Workshop achieved in essence all its objectives and was judged by the attendees as being a notable success.

Norman Mc Millan  
Local Organizer & WG4 leader



Appendix 1

**Programme  
1<sup>st</sup> Annual Workshop Meeting**

**COST Action (MP1106)**

**Action Title: (Smart and green interfaces - from single bubbles and drops to industrial, environmental and biomedical applications (SGI))**

**Dublin, Country Ireland from 13/09/2012 to 14/09/2012**

**Venue: Printing House, Trinity College Dublin**

13<sup>th</sup> September

8:30 - 9:00	<b>Welcome: Mc Millan- Karapantsios</b>	
9:00 – 9:10	Alidad Amirfazli	Canada
9:10 – 9:20	Mickael Antoni	France
9:20 – 9:30	Dominique Langevin	France
9:30 – 9:40	Norbert Babcsan	Hungary
9:40 – 9:50	Guenter Brenn	Austria
9:50 – 10:00	Libero Liggieri	Italy
10:00 – 10:10	C.W.M. (Cees) Van Der Geld / Hans Kuerten	Netherlands
10:10 – 10:20	Stefan Hutzler / Matthias Moebius	Ireland
10:20 – 10:30	Reinhard Miller	Germany
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
11:00 – 11:10	Nikolai Denkov / Slavka Tcholakova	Bulgaria
11:10 – 11:20	Victoria Dutschk	Netherlands
11:20 – 11:30	Mustafa Ersoz	Turkey
11:30 – 11:40	David Fairhurst	United Kingdom
11:40 – 11:50	Joao Bernardo Campos	Portugal
11:50 – 12:00	Tatiana Gambaryan-Roisman	Germany
12:00 – 12:10	Ricard Gonzalez-Cinca	Spain
12:10 – 12:20	Stefano Guido / Sergio Caserta	Italy
12:20 – 12:30	Thodoris D Karapantsios / Margaritis Kostoglou	Greece
12:30 – 13:30	<b>Lunch</b>	
13:30 – 13:40	Iztok Golobic / Sitar Anže	Slovenia
13:40 – 13:50	Victor Starov	United Kingdom
13:50 – 14:00	Jaroslav Katona	Serbia
14:00 – 14:10	Miguel Cabrerizo Vilchez	Spain
14:10 – 14:20	Sebastien Vincent-Bonnieu	Netherlands
14:20 – 14:30	Norman McMilan	Ireland
14:30 – 14:40	David Creasey	United Kingdom
14:40 – 14:50	Simeon Stoyanov	Netherlands
14:50 – 15:00	Dalik Sojref	Germany
15:00 – 15:10	Christos Koukiotis	Greece
15:10 – 15:20	Luciano Navarini	Italy
15:20 – 15:30	Abraham Marmur	Israel
15:30 – 16:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
16:00 – 16:10	Jordan Petkov	United Kingdom

16:10 – 16:20	Herman Wijshoff	Netherlands
16:20 – 16:30	Nikos Lestos	Greece
16:30 – 16:40	Robert Orr	Norway
16:40 – 16:50	Francois Argillier	France
16:50 – 17:00	Pieter Broos	Netherlands
17:00 – 19:00	<b>MC Meeting</b>	
20:00	<b>Dinner</b>	

#### 14<sup>th</sup> September

8:30 – 8:40	Paul Stevenson	New Zealand
8:40 – 8:50	Frieder Mugele	Netherlands
8:50 – 9:00	Sergei Tisler / Medhat Hussainov	Estonia
9:00 – 9:10	Yoav Tsori	Israel
9:10 – 9:20	Mirjana Comor / Zoran Saponjic	Serbia
9:20 – 9:30	Martin Shanahan	France
9:30 – 9:40	Tomasz Sosnowski	Poland
9:40 – 9:50	Mihai Pascu	Romania
9:50 – 10:00	Metin Muradoglou	Turkey
10:00 – 10:10	Sami Franssila	Finland
10:10 – 10:20	Bernhard Peters	Luxembourg
10:20 – 10:30	Jiri Vejrazka	Czech Republic
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
11:00 – 11:10	Marite Cardenas Gomez	Denmark
11:10 – 11:20	Maria Ekiel-Jezewska	Poland
11:20 – 11:30	Glen Mchale	United Kingdom
11:30 – 11:40	Vasileios Koutsos	United Kingdom
11:40 – 11:50	Elena Mileva	Bulgaria
11:50 – 12:00	Dusko Cakara	Croatia
12:00 – 12:10	Christiane Lechner	Austria
12:10 – 12:20	Benoit Scheid	Belgium
12:20 – 12:30	Neil Shirtcliffe	Germany
12:30 – 12:40	James Ferri	United States
12:40 – 12:50	Ileana Malevasi	Italy
12:50 – 13:00		
13:00 – 14:30	<b>Lunch</b>	
14:30 – 16:30	Round table discussions + <b>Coffee Break (at 15:30)</b>	
16:30 – 17:30	Visit to CRAAN laboratories	