



Belgium VAPI-UPIP Country Report 2013

Mission and goals

- Δ To prepare, to guide, to inform, to support and to represent the pharmacist in the "Life Sciences" Industry.
- Δ To represent the members to national/international authorities.
- Δ To build good relationships with linked professional organizations.
- Δ To give input on the continuous improvement of national and European Legislation.
- Δ To be a platform to exchange technical expertise and industrial experience.
- Δ To improve networking and social contacts amongst the members.

Activities 2012

- Δ GMP-training, 10 January, 2012 - UCB
- Δ General Assembly, 1 March, 2012
 - "FAMHP: Organisation and perspectives », Mr. Xavier De Cuyper, Administrateur-Général AFMPS, Administrateur-Generaal FAGG
 - "Qualified Person: theory and practice" Mrs. Karin Froidbise, Chef de Division Industrie AFMPS/FAGG
 - "Qualified Person in a global organisation: challenges & opportunities", Mr Paul Nelis, VP Global Quality Assurance, GSK Biologicals
 - "Challenges of the Qualified Person in a global R&D environment" Mrs. Martine Tratsaert, Senior Director Market Quality EMEA (previously Senior Director Global QP Group for IMPs), J & J
- Δ March 6, 2012, The European Pharmaceutical Student Association (EPSA) held its Annual Reception in the European Parliament, in Brussels, Belgium,
- Δ Speeddating University Antwerp, April 18, 2012
- Δ General Assembly EIPG - 4-5-6 May, 2012
- Δ Ghent University – Faculty of Pharmacy FaBaP Posterpresentation (3rd Bach Pharmacy) - June 25, 2012
- Δ Seminar Transversal Inspections - BRAS and VAPI-UPIP, 26 June, 2012



Activities 2012 (cont'd)

- Δ 2nd GMP-training: 18 September, 2012 – Genzyme
- Δ Networking Event, 4 October, 2012
- Δ 3rd GMP-training: 8 October, 2012
- Δ First QP Working group—24 October, 2012
- Δ Forum A3P Belgique – 14 November, 2012
- Δ DBA-Course: professional course on Analytical Laboratory Quality Systems – 29 November, 2012

Miscellaneous 2012

- Δ Working Group on Universities: presentation at KUL, VUB, UCL, ULB, ULG, UA –support for Internships.
- Δ Working Group on Unique Barcode. Attendance at different meetings with different stakeholders
- Δ Compilation of internship opportunities in the pharmaceutical/biotech industry
- Δ Support to IMP-Project EPSA

VAPI-UPIP members

- Total number of members on 31/12/2012: 297
- Total number of members paid: 195
- Total number of honoured members: 27

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