



EFSA workshop with Academia Stakeholders
“Food safety through science – The quality of risk assessment methodology”

Welcome and Introduction

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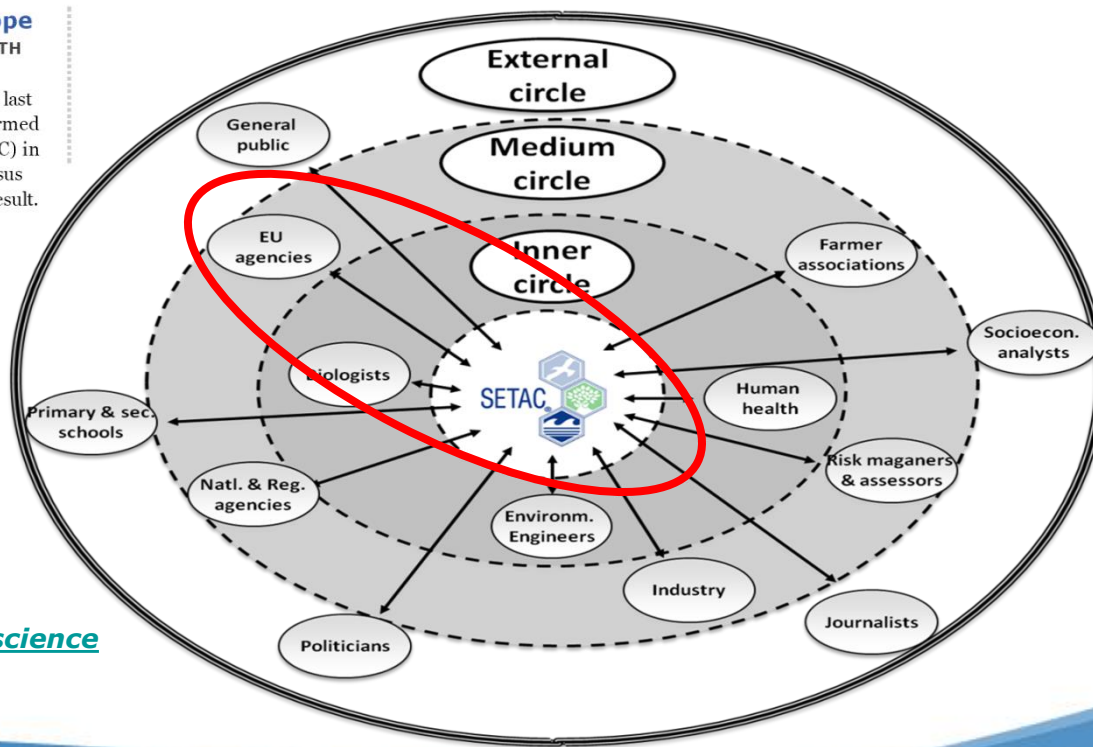
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Revisiting Communication Strategies at SETAC Europe

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SETAC Europe started a process for strengthening communication strategies last September during the long-range planning (LRP) meeting with the newly formed **SETAC Europe Advisory Group on Science and Risk Communication (SCIRIC)** in Antwerp, Belgium. Following this dialogue, the participants achieved consensus on several major initiatives and developed actions for implementation as a result.



<https://globearchive.setac.org/2016/march/science-communication.html>

EFSA STAKEHOLDER BUREAU – OBJECTIVES



- to **provide input to EFSA at a high level with regards to societal concerns** on health, environment, food production and other issues in the Authority's remit,
- to **advise** EFSA on stakeholder engagement and provide its views on whether EFSA is engaging with stakeholders in a **balanced way**,
- to contribute to the preparation of the annual Forum and **monitor the actions EFSA takes as a result of the Forum.**



*J.J. Ortega-Calvo. SETAC Europe Participates in the European Food Safety Authority Stakeholder Bureau. SETAC Globe, October 2017.
<https://globearchive.setac.org/2017/october/food-safety.html>*

MY ROLE AT THE STAKEHOLDER BUREAU AS ACADEMIA REPRESENTATIVE



- to bring/defend the **voice of scientists** at SB,
- To **represent** 7 Academic Stakeholders and bring their topics, views and concerns,
- to build up confidence and function as a **link** between Academia Stakeholders and EFSA
- Three-years term (ending May 2020); alternative SB member: Prof. Josee van Eijndhoven (EuroScience)

Academia	
European Association for Chemical and Molecular Sciences	EUCHEMS
European Network of Scientists for Social and Environmental Responsibility	ENSSER
EuroScience	EuroScience
Federation of European Nutrition Society	FENS
Global Harmonization Initiative	GHI
Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry Europe	SETAC
Universities Federation for Animal Welfare	UFAW

J.J. Ortega-Calvo. Communicating Face-to-Face With EFSA. SETAC Globe, February 2019.

<https://globe.setac.org/efsa-workshop/>

Let us see how we can improve risk assessment methodologies!

