

European Society for Precision Engineering & Nanotechnology (euspen)



In 1998 objective of euspen was to promote:

- The industrial competitiveness of EU companies in High Precision Engineering (HPE) and nano-engineering
- To build up a strong international membership (industrial and academic) creating harmonious relationships
- To become financially self-supporting
- To enthuse young, high calibre engineers
- To establish a strong, expert community based on co-operation, friendship and enthusiasm
- To run successful events



## Defined mission:

- Advance the arts, sciences and technology of precision engineering, micro engineering and nanotechnology
- Promote its dissemination through education and training
- Facilitate its exploitation through science and industry



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Annual International Conference & Exhibition with Special Interest Group (SIG) meetings held every two years

The event structure includes keynotes, oral and poster contributions, tutorials and workshops (including project dissemination)

International conference: ~350-400 delegates; 40 exhibitors

Lamdamap conference: ~80-100

SIG meetings: ~65-80

Number of members: ~745 (inc. students and associated members)

SIG Micro/Nano Manufacturing | SIG Precision Motion Systems & Control | Lamdamap conference SIG Sustainable Energy Systems | SIG Thermal Issues

european society for precision engineering and nanotechnology The Society has a stable governance structure: 12 council members have a three-year tenure; XB complete a two-year term

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Dr. Hélène Mainaud Durand CERN, CH





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The needs of the Society are matched by the experienced and motivated persons based at eu**spen** HQ:

Dishi Phillips, Executive Director Clare Nisbet, Projects Co-ordinator David Billington, Consultant/Director (part-time) Louise Tilbury, Book-Keeper (part time - 1 day per week)













# Education Programme ECP<sup>2</sup>



- euspen was successful in obtaining the funding grant for the application submitted in 2019 (Erasmus + VET KA2)
- Project partners: DSPE (NL), DGaO (DE), KU Leuven (BE), Technical University of Denmark (DK), University of Huddersfield (UK), University of Padova (IT)
- Project name: PREFAM European framework for continuous professional development in precision engineering for advanced manufacturing
- Project timescale: September 2019 August 2022





# Education Programme ECP<sup>2</sup>



The key objectives of the PREFAM project are by 2022

- Fully develop a European framework for training in PE for Advanced Manufacturing, to increase the availability of specialised trainings in multiple European countries
- Define a strategy and guidelines for learning success design and evaluation
- Develop procedures for course management and monitoring in a European dimension
- Produce Good practice guides for new courses development, including soft-skills, hands-on activities and innovative teaching styles
- Design, develop and validate new courses based on market requirements
- Monitor new training opportunities and new needs for precision engineers



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- SIG: Advancing Precision in Additive Manufacturing, St. Gallen, Switzerland: 20-22 September 2021
- SIG: Sustainable Energy Systems, PTB, Braunschweig, Germany: 13-14 October 2021
- SIG: Micro/Nano Manufacturing, Styria, Austria: 17-18 November 2021
- SIG: Thermal Issues, March 2022

### **Returning to Geneva...**

euspen 22<sup>nd</sup> International Conference & Exhibition, CERN, CH: **30 May-3 June 2022** 

Returning to Technical University of Denmark...
euspen 23<sup>rd</sup> International Conference & Exhibition, Copenhagen, DK: 12-16 June 2023



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