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In April this year, the EMS Executive Board will have its annual winter meeting in Budapest, Hungary. Some of the most important topics and decisions to be discussed during the meeting are mentioned on this newsletter.

The call for nominations for the EMS Outstanding Paper Awards 2022 has now been closed. The EMS has received a number of high-quality papers which are currently under evaluation. The award-winning papers will be announced to the EMS members in May this year in our newsletter. The winners of the outstanding papers will receive their awards during the 20<sup>th</sup> International Microscopy Congress to be held on 9 to 15 September, 2023 / BEXCO, Busan, Korea (<https://www.imc20.kr>). We hope to see most of you there.

At the moment, two other EMS calls are ongoing:

- EMS Scholarships to support young researchers for the participation at the next IMC to be held on Sept. 10-15, 2023 in BEXCO, Busan, Korea (<https://www.imc20.kr>); deadline for applications: April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023. The EMS provides valuable support for our young colleagues to present their results and learn from the specialists at international events. More information can be found on our scholarships page: <https://www.eurmicoc.org/en/funding/scholarships/>
- EMS Sponsored Events' applications for EMS sponsorships of microscopy-related events to be held in the second half of 2023 (July 1 - December 31); deadline for applications: March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023.

This financial support from the EMS ensures that also these smaller events, often organized in the form of a school or course, can invite top scientists to lecture our coming generations of microscopists. You can find more information on EMS Sponsored Events by visiting our website at: <https://www.eurmicoc.org/en/meeting-calendar/ems-sponsored-events/>

The 2022 EMS Yearbook will arrive in the following months. This edition will include reports from EMS prices, past EMC, EMS sponsored and special events, EMS students reports from EMC2020, and many other information. We hope you will enjoy reading the reports on the various activities of our society and members during the past year, especially those written by students who received a scholarship to attend the EMS extension meetings: PICO and MCM16, some of these contain truly inspiring notions from our enthusiastic new generation of microscopists.

Finally, this year the EMS honors its 25 years birthday, and different initiatives are being organized to celebrate it. A small symposium will take place at IMC20 (Busan, Korea) to commemorate our first 25 years of existence.

As usual, the EMS continues with its support to the activities of our members, so please have a look at our webpage for the various meetings and workshops that will take place over the next year.

Please do not forget to regularly visit the EMS webpage: <http://www.eurmicoc.org/en/> and the social media pages: <https://www.facebook.com/eurmicoc/> and <https://twitter.com/eurmicoc> which are daily updated to efficiently provide you information from our community.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the EMS Secretary at: [secc@eurmicoc.org](mailto:secc@eurmicoc.org). Any suggestions and ideas for future newsletters are also welcome.

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