

4M Association Annual Meeting

8th October 2012 EURO PLAZA, Conference Centre, Vienna, Austria.



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- The 4M Association Annual report (Chris Matthews);
- New 4M initiatives and the transfer of responsibilities for running the 4M Association from Cardiff to Birmingham (Stefan Dimov);
- Introduction to C-tech as the new Secretariat for the 4M Association (Natalie Withenshaw & Rob Bell);
- □ 4M2012 income-expenditure report (Stefan Dimov);
- Next 4M conference (Stefan Dimov);





COST proposal "Multi-material micro and nano technologies – open access to small and innovative solutions (MNT-Oasis) – **submitted on 28 Sep 2012**

Joint venture with EUMINAfab coordinated by KIT

The **main objective** is to create a pool of open access multimaterial MNT technology providers across Europe which will be an oasis to European researchers and industry.

Organisation of **Technology Push & Market Pull** workshops



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4M2020 Objectives:

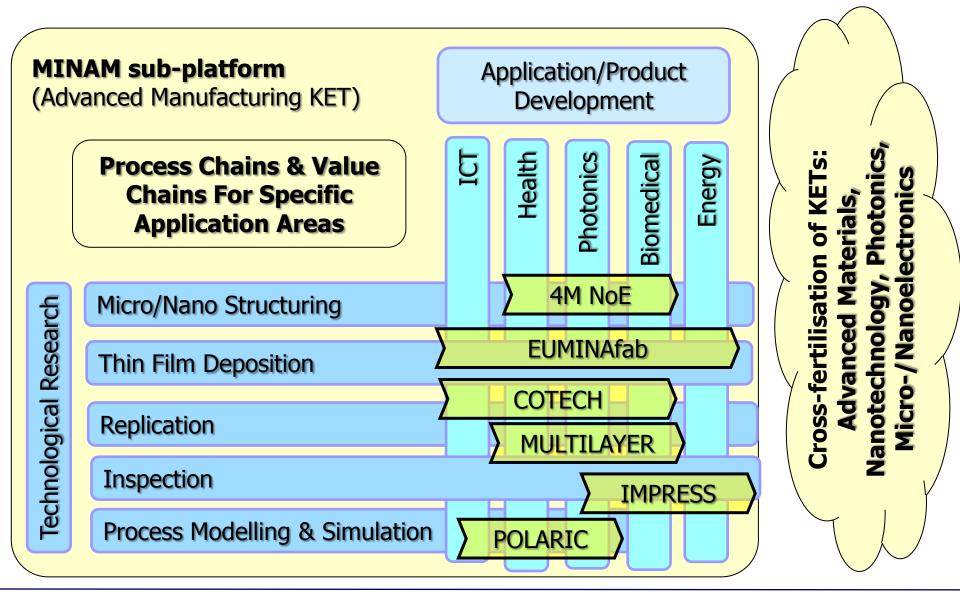
- Facilitating and speeding up the industrial exploitation and success of existing research results;
- Building up of networks and alliances for further R&D+I and industrial innovation;
- Additional added value beyond the original scope of projects; and
- Carrying out feasibility analysis and building readiness towards possible future large-scale demonstration and pilot line activities.



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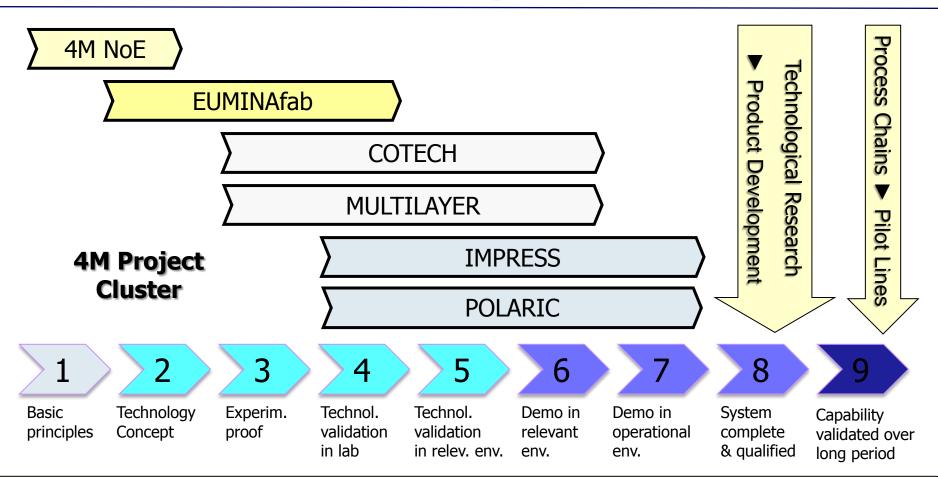
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MINAM sub-platform (Cross-cutting KET on Advanced Manufacturing)





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Four meetings to agree the range of services that C-Tech can offer to 4M

□ "Shadowing" the 4M operation in the last year

□ Introducing C-Tech to 4M Community at 4M 2012

Two contracts have been prepared:

- contract with Cardiff to transfer of responsibilities for running the 4M Association to Birmingham;
- contract for the 4M Secretariat with C-Tech;



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The Services

<u>Conference</u> - beginning with the 2013 Conference, in November 2012:

- □ in collaboration with the University, agree a budget;
- organize the venues in collaboration with the local host;
- keep the conference mini-website up to date;
- call for papers and issue these to referees and keep track of accepted papers;
- set out the conference time-table and organize for chairs for sessions;
- invite speakers (but suggestions from the membership board);
- prepare templates for the papers and ensure that papers submitted conformed to these;
- send prepared papers to publishers;
- ensure delivery proceedings on time;

Membership Services

- manage the membership database
- collect annual subscriptions





The Services

<u>Newsletter</u>

- To be published approximately every month (although the occasional newsletter might be missed due to holidays). There will be a minimum of 10 publications per annum
- Input to the newsletters was from the network members, plus some additional identification. Company will place regular calls, via e-mail to the Association's members and on the Association's website, for articles
- Each publication will be issued on or around the 15th day of each month.

Website

- To be hosted by the University
- Content to be maintained and kept up to date by the Company



4M2012 Income-Expenditure Report

Income	No.	Unit Cost		Budget Total	
Conference Fees (members & students)	49	€	425.00	€	20,825.00
Conference Fees (Non-member)	15	€	625.00	€	9,375.00
Late payers (members & students)	3	€	487.50	€	1,462.50
Late payers (non-members)	3	€	700.00	€	2,100.00
Sponsors					
Special Sponsoring by ISAS	1	€	3,200.00	€	3,200.00
Platinum FOTEC	1	€	2,000.00	€	2,000.00
Mechatronik-Cluster/Kunststoff-Cluster	1	€	2,000.00	€	2,000.00
Platinum Alicona	1	€	2,000.00	€	2,000.00
Platinum Wittmann Battenfeld	1	€	2,000.00	€	2,000.00
Platinum ecoplus SMART FRAME	1	€	2,000.00	€	2,000.00
Gold FHWN	1	€	1,500.00	€	1,500.00
Gold Nanoscribe	1	€	1,500.00	€	1,500.00
Gold Sarix	1	€	1,500.00	€	1,500.00
Total Income					€ 51,462.50

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Expenditure	No.	Unit Cost		Budget Total	
130 X Conference Proceedings/CD/Published					
online/index by RPS	130	€	31.08	€	4,039.75
Proceeding Delivery (two addresses)	1	€	702.50	€	702.50
Rent of conference hall (EURO PLAZA), 3 days		€	-	€	6,500.00
Tea, coffee, lunch break etc. 9th October	120	€	43.50	€	5,220.00
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Catering equipmen 09th - 11th October	1	€	540.00	€	540.00
Flower decoration 09th - 11th October	1	€	130.00	€	130.00
Catering transports 09th - 11th October	1	€	180.00	€	180.00
Bus transfer to dinner event day 1	2	€	500.00	€	1,000.00
Dinner event day 1	120	€	40.00	€	4,800.00
Vienna travel card for 48h	120	€	9.00	€	1,080.00
Hire of exhibition booths for sponsors	1	€	2,000.00	€	2,000.00
Local organisation (FOTEC)	1	€	4,000.00	€	4,000.00
Total Cash Outflow				€	47,090.25



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