

Advancing molecular bioscience



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Biochemistry is the exploration of life at a fundamental and molecular level, providing the basis for understanding all biological processes. Founded in 1911, the Biochemical Society has been advancing molecular bioscience for over 100 years, promoting its importance as a discipline, highlighting its role in addressing societal challenges, and facilitating the sharing of expertise. Our diverse programme of scientific meetings and training events, grants and awards, publications, educational resources, policy work and public engagement delivers opportunities to share knowledge and collaborate, providing support for a broad community of molecular bioscientists across all career stages.

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Our impact



We provide education, careers, and public engagement resources to support current and future bioscientists



Our annual Awards recognize excellence and achievement across the sector



We provide more than £250,000 in grants and bursaries each year



Our webinar series has amassed 15,000 views from over 100 countries



We welcome over 1,600 delegates at our scientific events and training courses annually



Our Early Career Advisory Panel helps us support the needs of early career bioscientists



Our journals generate over 4 million article views per year



Our Policy Advisory Panel ensures the views of our community are foregrounded to policymakers



Our EDI Advisory Panel works to support a diverse and representative community

Visit [biochemistry.org](https://www.biochemistry.org) to find out more and get involved

Membership

Welcoming members from all over the world, we offer a range of tailored membership categories to support lifelong learning at every career stage.

Join our community of molecular bioscientists to stay connected and take advantage of key benefits, including discounted registration fees for our scientific meetings and training courses, exclusive access to a wide range of grants and bursaries, personal online access to two of our journals, and much more.

Tailored support at every stage of your career

Undergraduate membership	£16	Postgraduate membership	£27
Early Career membership	£47	Full membership	£84
Associate membership	£22	Emeritus membership	£27



Visit [biochemistry.org/membership](https://www.biochemistry.org/membership) to find out more about our full range of benefits

Events

From scientific meetings and training courses to our wide-ranging webinar series, we bring together leading bioscientists from across the sector to share knowledge and enhance their skills.

Our **scientific meetings** focus on key areas of research from across the molecular biosciences, hosting internationally renowned speakers and encouraging attendees across all career stages to share their work.



In person



Online

Our **training events and courses** help attendees gain knowledge and skills to support their careers, with the opportunity to discuss challenges with experts in the field and online courses that allow participants to learn at their own pace.



In person



Online

Our **Biochemistry Focus webinar series** covers specialist research areas and provides practical sessions to support professional development.



Online



Free to attend

Visit [biochemistry.org/events-and-training](https://www.biochemistry.org/events-and-training)
to view our full programme of events

Grants and bursaries

Each year, we provide over **£250,000 to support research and professional development**, attendance at scientific meetings, and the organization and hosting of events and activities through sponsorship.

Biochemical Society members can apply for a wide range of funding opportunities to support their careers.



Conferences and travel grants help our members cover the accommodation, travel, and registration costs of attending a scientific meeting, training course, or lab visit.



Bursaries support members attending Biochemical Society scientific meetings, training events, and courses, providing financial aid towards registration fees, travel, or additional care costs.



Research grants support summer laboratory placements, benchwork costs, research capacity building in lower-income economies, PhD scholarships, and outreach activities.



Sponsorship opportunities cover the hosting costs of biochemistry-focused events and activities, including independently organized meetings, lectures, seminars, and student societies.



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