

## Summary from 31st May Council Reports

The top 3 project groups with the most members are: Online Conference Group (12), World Summit (11) and IPCC Report Review (10). 25 people were involved in coordinating online events/webinars/conferences. 21 people posted to social media and 14 people organised project meetings. In addition to those mentioned above, Council members have been involved in a wide range of activities over this reporting period, including:

- Reviewing various applications
- Leading project group
- Organising in person events
- Working on development of new project groups
- Contributing to the Online Conference
- Serving as a temporary ExCom member

## Publications since the last report:

- APECS Polar Week summary
- APECS Norway logo competition  
<https://www.apecs.is/news/apecs-news/2415-apecs-norway-has-a-logo.html>
- APECS Norway Polar Week MeetUp  
<https://www.apecs.is/news/apecs-news/2416-apecs-norway-s-inaugural-event.html>
- APECS at EGU <https://www.apecs.is/news/apecs-news/2420-apecs-at-egu-2018.html>
- Guidelines to review IPCC
- Hindshaw et al. (under review). A decade of shaping the futures of polar early career researchers: A legacy of the International Polar Year. Polar Research
- "3 Years with SCAR AAA: Antarctic Astronomy" KU Astro Seminar, 2 May 2018
- Blog in local spanish newspaper (participation in Antarctica Day flag project)
- Article on APECS workshop at MEASO:  
<http://www.centroideal.cl/2018/en-australia-centro-ideal-participo-de-congreso-internacional-para-evaluar-el-ecosistema-marino-del-oceano-sur/>

## Conferences/workshops/seminars since the last council report:

- Online Conference (many people involved)
- APECS World Summit (planning and organisation)
- Polar Week (webinars, Haiku and Image Competition, online party)
- APECS Norway activities (Polar Week in-person event, social media posting, logo competition)
- APECS events at EGU2018
- APECS Netherlands was present at the Pool tot Pool dag in Leiden
- Talk about APECS in BELgian Antarctic Archives evening conference (March)
- VI International conference "New in the geology, and geophysics of Arctic, Antarctic and World Ocean"
- APECS workshop at the MEASO conference (Hobart, 08/04/2018)

- Science communication training at the Polar Prediction School
- Webinars (Harassment in the Field, Grant and Proposal Writing)
- Canadian Glaciers in Yukon Territory webinar
- Social event with APECS Russia and NERC at Polar2018 to discuss our future ECR projects
- 3rd APECS Germany workshop "Getting involved in Polar Organizations: Opportunities and Challenges" prior the International Polar Conference in Rostock (25 March 2018)

**Future planned responsibilities/tasks for APECS project groups:**

- Update SCAR websites
- Start work on next Polar Week
- Chair/be involved in organising the IPCC group review
- Organise/be involved in the World Summit 2018
- Complete database on webinars
- Continue review of the SROC, add NACI fellowship positions to APECS website
- Create non-academic career profiles
- Enhance presence of Alpine Cryosphere early career scientists within APECS
- INTERACT handbook

**Future planned representation of APECS at conferences/workshops/seminars:**

- POLAR 2018
- University of Kansas Astro Seminar
- APECS SA workshop during biennial South African National Antarctic Programme PI & Student Symposium
- American Geophysical Union 2018 Fall Meeting
- Minerals of the Ocean-9, 5-7 June, Saint-Petersburg, Russia.
- APECS Oceania ECR Symposium
- Meet-up at EUCCOP conference to strengthen alpine cryosphere membership
- 4th APECS Germany workshop prior the Koordinationsworkshop SPP Antarktisforschung in Gießen (September 2018)
- PYRN-APECS Workshop at the 10th AK Permafrost meeting in Bremerhaven (Nov/Dec 2018)
- UKPN-APECS poster at Polar2018.