

AN INVITATION FROM NICOLE TO ACADEMICS AND RESEARCHERS

Dear all,

This is an invitation aimed at academics and researchers on this list to attend the next NICOLE workshop in Lyon France - the topic is Smart Land Management Solutions.

NICOLE is Europe's forum on industrially coordinated sustainable land management. It promotes co-operation between industry, academia and service providers on the development and application of sustainable technologies.

Academics and active researchers are very welcome to join NICOLE and benefit from unique access to Europe's leading service providers and industrial organisations. Current academic members find NICOLE workshops are a great way of understanding industry challenges that can form the basis of research proposals or applying existing findings and making an impact. NICOLE members often provide support to research projects in the form of letters of support, involvement in a project advisory group, access to data, contaminated media or even parts of a site.

Our two workshops per year are free to attend for members (individual academic membership costs 150 euros per year) and invited presenters. Non-members pay a fee of 600 euros to attend. Our next workshop, in Lyon, France, will focus on Smart Land Management Solutions and we would be delighted to waive the fee and welcome academics and researchers as our guest so you can experience for yourself the benefits of being a member of NICOLE. You can also submit an abstract to present your work.

Your students are welcome like to attend any workshop that is relevant to their research. Our thematic working groups (such as the Innovation and Asbestos groups) meet online and on the day before a workshop. Occasional newsletters are sent by email.

If you'd like to find out more and how to join, please visit the NICOLE website (www.nicole.org) or email the [NICOLE secretariat](mailto:secretariat@nicole.org).

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