



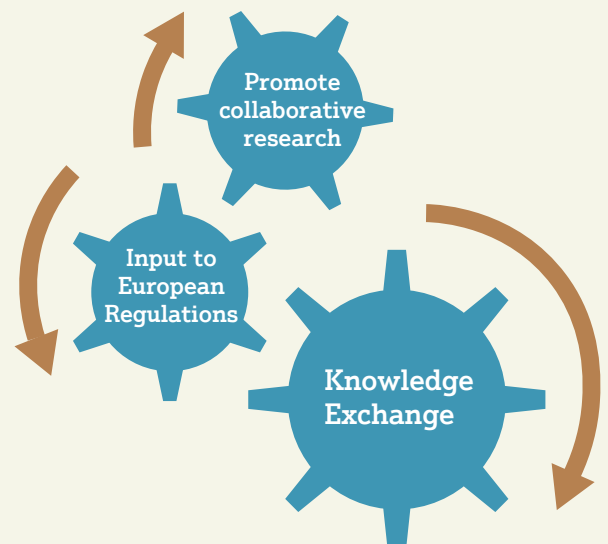
What is NICOLE?

NICOLE is the only European network combining industry, service providers and academics, formed in 1996 with the aim to bring together professionals involved in sustainable risk-based management of land and water in Europe.

Since its inception, NICOLE and its members have been focused on sustainable land management of industrial sites. Over the years, focus and insight have evolved, culminating in several publications on Land Stewardship and associated initiatives, which set out how to create value by connecting industrial land management to deliver societal, ecological and economic benefits.

The NICOLE activities provide an effective forum for peer to peer exchange of knowledge, experience and opinions across the whole of Europe in a friendly, open and, where necessary, confidential atmosphere.

The network members work together to produce and organise relevant documents, opinions, white papers and events, facilitated by a dedicated secretariat. NICOLE is a proud member of the EU Soil Expert Group and European Soil Observatory and benefits from strong relations with the European Commission, Common Forum (European network of contaminated land regulators) and partner networks in Africa, South America, Australia and North America.



Why join NICOLE?

NICOLE always welcomes new members, especially from industry and landowners to broaden its scope and impact. We are particularly interested to expand our members from the mining, transport (airport, port, rail, ...), pharma, redevelopment and energy sectors.

We would welcome to have a peer to peer meeting with you to explore the value NICOLE could bring to your organization. We also warmly invite you to participate in one of our upcoming workshops to get to know the network. Please refer to our website, NICOLE.org, for information about upcoming workshops.

Horst Herzog,
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As Infraserv Höchst, we own one of the largest and oldest chemical and pharmaceutical

production sites in Europe. We combine the challenges of a historic location with the requirements of modern production sites. As an Industry member, we appreciate the vast possibilities of exchange and informal

information within the NICOLE Network on sustainable soil and groundwater remediation techniques and the chance to bring our deep remediation experience into discussions with policymakers at the European level.

Frederic Coulon,
Cranfield University, UK

Being a member of NICOLE enables me to access expertise and real world applications to gain insight to identify and secure funding for research, to disseminate research findings to a wider audience to enhance impact and to translate research into field implementation.

Claudio Albano,
Jacobs, Italy

NICOLE is valuable for my company as it allows meaningful connections with industries, peer consultants and researchers about best practices, issues and smart solutions for sustainable land management.



How can I become a NICOLE member?

You can apply for a NICOLE membership by downloading the Membership Application Form at the NICOLE website www.NICOLE.org and returning the form to: Chayenne.vandijk@nicole.org

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