

## STUDENTS' FEEDBACK TO THE QUESTIONNAIRE

From the analysis of all the 60 answers provided by the students through the evaluation Questionnaire of the 14<sup>th</sup> Edition of the Green Chemistry Postgraduate Summer School 2022 it is possible to affirm that the Summer School in Venice occupies a prepositive and active role in the dissemination of scientific advancements in chemistry research.

The totality of the suggestions received on possible improvements of the Summer School has been divided into the following thematic area:

1. **Management of the Summer School ;**
2. **Connection among participants ;**
3. **Advertising the Summer School ;**
4. **Active role and University involvement.**

### Management of the Summer School

The students suggested: **extending the number of days** dedicated to the event, increasing the **time dedicated to the Poster Presentations, organizing meetings for students** to discuss specific topics, allow **comments and discussions** on Posters and Lectures even after the end of the event. Increasing the number of Sponsors in order to provide **more scholarships** and allow **more students** to attend, organize **parallel sessions**, organize a rotation of the event in **Africa** and in **Asia**, in addition, organize a **Green Chemistry Postgraduate School during wintertime**.

### Connection among all participants

The students demanded a way to connect with all the participants of the Summer School, including the ones from the previous editions, that can be possible through the implementation of an **online discussions platform, social networks (LinkedIn, Twitter, ecc.) and a newsletter**.

### Advertising the Summer School

The students suggested an increase in the **advertising material** for the Summer School, electing **Students Ambassador** among participants that can promote the Summer School in their universities, and receiving constant updates on **initiatives and activities** regarding green chemistry, by using also international networks such as **International Younger Chemists Network-IYCN** and **International Year of Basic Sciences for Sustainable Development 2022- IYBSSD**.

### Active role and University involvement

The students proposed to stipulate **memorandum of understanding** among the Green Science For Sustainable Development Foundation and Universities in order to establish the **number of credits** assigned for participation in the Summer School, invite Universities' leadership representatives to extend the network, and engage Ministries for outreach and support.

*Two of the most memorable comments from students:*

*"I'll be recognized scientist in the future!"*

*"This is the meeting of the future Nobel prizes winners"*

