

IUPAC Project Progress Report

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Project number: 2006-026-1-500

Project Title: Electrochemical DNA-based biosensors: terms and methodology

Report:

1. Current status of project: The project has started in July 2007, currently is in progress.
2. Progress relative to 'milestones': There was a special mid-term meeting on 6 September, 2008 in Seville, Spain, where terms and methodologies regarding to the project topic have been discussed widely in relation to parts of the draft report prepared by individual TG members.
3. Difficulties encountered (or concerns): No at present.
4. Projected completion date (documents ready for external review): June 2009
5. Please list all of the intended outputs and the dissemination plan for this project (viz. articles, CD, conference presentations; etc.). These may have been expanded since project approval:
 - Information in Chemistry International (prepared by J. Labuda, CI 30 (1), p. 23, 2008.
 - Special workshop relating the project at its mid-term meeting (6 September, 2008 in Seville, Spain),
 - Authors reports at analytical and electroanalytical scientific conferences, meetings of national chemical/ biochemical societies, other workshops
 - Letters to Editors of Analytical Chemistry, Analytical and Bioanalytical Chemistry, Electroanalysis, Bioelectrochemistry, Sensors, Sensors and Actuators
 - Distribution of the final report to the special workshop participants and their organizations.
6. If your project is within 6 months of completion, how do you plan to utilise any remaining budget for this project?
The budget is spent already to 100 %.
7. Work on this project may have identified new problems, issues, challenges, emerging topics, opportunities for related projects, etc. Please indicate these here so that the Division can follow up on them: No at present.