

## **ACHEMA, FRANKFURT, 11/15 JUNE 2018 GAMBICA GROUP - APPLICATION GUIDELINES**

As usual GAMBICA will be co-ordinating a British group presence in the Laboratory Technology sector in Hall 4.2. Much of the space in Hall 4.2 is now fully booked, and available space near the GAMBICA group is very limited.

If you would like to participate within the GAMBICA group first contact Kirsty Roberts (details below) for an update of the current space availability situation.

### **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

As in the past, group participants are required to submit their application document direct to Dechema. The contact at Dechema is Sabine Picard, email address [picard@dechema.de](mailto:picard@dechema.de). We suggest that companies wishing to join the GAMBICA group complete Section 7 on the form with "GAMBICA Group Area – Hall 4.2". It would also be useful, but not essential, if I am copied with your application form.

To download the application forms and information please visit [www.achema.de](http://www.achema.de). The forms can be completed online. Alternatively, please contact myself for a pdf version. If you would like to discuss possible participation within the GAMBICA group please also contact me (details below).

### **DIT TAP SUPPORT**

It is too early for confirmation of TAP support for Achema 2018 although we are confident that the event will receive TAP funding at a rate of £1,500 per company. We expect confirmation of support in late 2017, and will advise as and when.

### **MANAGEMENT FEES**

The management fees for Achema have not yet been calculated. As a budget guide they will, we think, increase over 2015 (Member rate £670, Non Member £845), but we will try to keep any increase to a minimum (exchange rates permitting!!). We will confirm the management fees very shortly.

### **STAND CONSTRUCTION**

As in the past, a number of British group participants arrange their own stand construction within the group. In addition, GAMBICA will once again offer a lower cost, good quality, shell scheme package option and we will be in touch nearer the time with details of this. Again, for budget purposes, we expect this to be in the region of £150/£160 per square metre.

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