2020 Report from SIG New Generation of Pharmaceutical Scientist

FIP Congress Seville 2019
In line with our work to establish collaborations within FIP, SIG NGPS is planning to co-host a social event with YPG at the congress in Seville.

FIP Congress Brisbane 2020
We have co-submitted 6 proposals to FIP Congress in Brisbane 2021 in collaboration with YPG, Academic Section, and SIGs PPR, New Medicines, and Regulatory Sciences and Quality. Additionally we are hoping to also co-host a social event with YPG during this congress.

Webinar series
Work has started on a webinar series to highlight different career pathways within the field of pharmaceutical science. The focus will be on mid-career, a few years past a postdoc position or a few years into an industry career. The Covid-19 crisis has pushed the timeframe and we hope to start this after the summer. We will be collaborating with YPG, whom will host a webinar ahead of our series to bridge between where our members are currently in their career and the career pathways we will showcase.

YPG collaboration on framework regarding skillsets
YPG has invited us to collaborate on a project aimed at mapping “soft skills” needed by pharmacists and pharmaceutical scientists. We are very excited about this opportunity and hope this work will be of use to members in FIP as well as to guide future work within both NGPS and YPG.

Establishing an internal structure
The leadership team of NGPS are discussing how the internal structure of the SIG should be arranged to aid the work of the SIG. We are aiming to present more defined roles connected to specific areas of responsibility within this year.