

## The monthly European Industrial Pharmacists' newsletter



### News from EIPG

#### *Bureau Elections & EU Pharma Legislation seminar in the EU Parliament*

At the General Assembly held on 10th September in Brussels, voting took place for the positions of EIPG Treasurer and Vice-Presidents of Communications, European Affairs and Education and Careers. To celebrate the 70th Anniversary of the foundation of the Belgian Association of Industrial Pharmacists (UIP-VAPI) a seminar on "The New Pharmaceutical Legislation" was held on 8th September in the European Parliament. The meeting was arranged in conjunction with the General Assembly of the European Industrial Pharmacists Group (EIPG) with attendance from participants of at least 15 European countries. >>



### Technology & Research

#### *EU's Industrial Forum, the future of advanced manufacturing technologies*

A report from the Industrial Forum discusses the current status of the deployment of advanced manufacturing technologies in the EU and identifies seven areas of attention for the Commission, linked to the ongoing revision of many different parts of the European legislative framework. >>

### Regulatory Affairs

#### *EMA's reflection paper on AI in the pharmaceutical lifecycle*

The ongoing debate on the use of AI and ML algorithms for regulatory decision making is still requiring the identification of possible risk, both from the patient and regulatory perspectives, to support the development of new guidelines. A new reflection paper currently under public consultation highlights the view of EU regulators on the AI/ML rapidly evolving field. >>

### Business and Policies

#### *UK will participate to European research programmes*

The agreement in principle includes Horizon Europe and Copernicus programmes, for a UK's overall average annual contribution of €2.6 billion. UK researchers will be again part of the European R&D community starting 1 January 2024. Switzerland now remains the only main European country not associated to EU's research programmes. >>