

Women in Physics Group

AGM Treasurer's Report for Nov. 2007 to Oct. 2008

The Group has completed a most successful year, with many high quality meetings and workshops covering a variety of topics. The newsletter is currently being prepared for release to members.

Highlights of this year include the second award of the Very Early Career Award, at a high profile event at IOP Headquarters in February. Around the country, workshops have been held at various locations, on subjects from Physics in Primary Schools to using the SDI (Strength Deployment Inventory) technique in challenging life situations. Looking further afield, the group has been represented at the European Platform for Women Scientists (EPWS) conference in Vilnius and the IUPAP (International Union of Pure and Applied Physics) conference in Seoul. For the latter, most of the required funding came from outwith the IOP.

For 2008, we were allocated £9000 for the year. To date, we are within our budget, and should finish the year with a small surplus. The budget has been managed effectively by finding new locations and suppliers, building on realistic initial estimates for costs. 0

Breakdown of Actual Expenditure from Jan. 2008 to end Oct. 2008

	Income	Outgoing
Allocation 2008	£9000.00	

Group misc. income	£0.00	
Committee expenses		£1672.00
Newsletter and communication		£ 861.00
Conferences		£1443.00
General		£ 29.00

Total		£4005.00
Total in account to end Oct. 2008		£4995.00

Further expected expenses:

Breakdown by "event"

	Income	Outgoing
<i>committee meeting 19.09.08</i>		<i>est. £400</i>
<i>newsletter Dec 08</i>		<i>est. £2000</i>
<i>AGM + meeting 03.12.08</i>		<i>est. £1300</i>
<i>EPWS subscription</i>		<i>est. £100</i>

<i>Est. Year End Total</i>		<i>£7805</i>
<i>Estimated balance at end of Dec. 2008</i>		<i>£1195</i>

The bidding for next year has taken place and we have been allocated £8700.

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