

Report 4- 2015 LAMU for BiO and NCMM, Monday, November 23rd 9.30– 11.30

Present: Ingrid Kjelsvik, Eshrat Babaie, Gladys Tjørhom, Ingrid Guldvik, and Liv Bjørland (secretary).

Not present: Elisa Bjørge, Sandra Lopez- Aviles, Knut Andresen, Espen Lyng Andersen

Item 1-4/15 The LAMU-report-2 from **21.09.15** was approved with minor corrections

Item 2-4/15 Short briefings.

1. The fume hoods at BiO and NCMM were inspected 05.10.15. All were approved except for one at BiO in room 52060. We have to replace monitor and volustat. Put up a warning on the hood in the meantime. *Done*
2. The backup freezer at BiO has been repaired after breakdown. Refilled with liquid nitrogen to avoid replacing compressor. The cooling unit Norcool CU900 in the old cold room at NCMM was replaced 12.11.15 due to several technical defects. Put up note to tell that this room can display unstable temp due to poor isolation of the walls.
3. New group leaders at BiO: Nikolina Sekulic will start working 11.01.16. She will move into the lab- and office area for the HN-group(moved out). The ML-group will during spring move to the old BT- preparation lab. Irep Gözen will start the 1st of September 2016. She will use the Nematode -lab for her super resolution confocal and move into the same lab area at E2 and the same office-corridor at E3. NCMM will have a new group leader in bioinformatics. He will stay either at BiO or NCMM depending on office-space available.
4. The mandatory fire course at UiO: 32 persons from BiO and NCMM joined the mandatory fire-course at UiO/Gaustad. Based on the fact that they needed to replace the Norwegian course with an English alternative, this was not bad.

Item 3-4/15 The formaldehyde measurements at the HTS-facility.

The HTS facility wanted support to do a risk assessment for the use of 3% Formaldehyde and 100% methanol on the Hamilton open platform. It was tested for Formaldehyde since this chemical has the lowest exposure limit value relating to pollutants. The exposure limit is 0,5ppm and with specific "ceiling values " of 1,0 ppm. The calculated 8-hours TWA was calculated to 0,007 ppm for Formaldehyde so the exposure through the time of analysis was very low. However it was commented that the ventilation was not balanced due to removing of a fume hood and that the risk-assessment should have been done for this room specifically, not only for the group.

Item 4-4/15 Résumé of safety inspection the 23rd and 24th of Sept,

The safety inspection disclosed a deviation in registration of new chemicals for some groups.

These groups are now in good process to catch up. Some are finished, and one group need more help from the coordinator to do the registration in ECO-online.

Item 5-4/15 Election of safety deputies and LAMU members. BiO and NCMM need to replace both safety deputies and their substitutes due to change of jobs, tasks and maternal leave. BiO and NCMM also need to go for election of some new LAMU-members due to end of period. We need to balance the members between the to centers.

Item 6-4/15 No other matter

Item 7-4/15 The 1st LAMU-meeting in 2016. Call for a new meeting in end of January.

Attached to agenda for this meeting

- Item 1 LAMU-report 3 21.09.15
- Item 3 Eksponeringsprøvetaking og risikovurdering av analysearbeid på lab-rom 52143, avdeling for kjemisk biologi