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Summary information

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Administrative history / Biographical sketch

The European Molecular Biology Organization (EMBO) was founded in 1964 by a group of leading European scientists to strengthen research in molecular biology and foster collaboration across Europe. Its establishment was closely linked to the creation of the European Molecular Biology Conference (EMBC, 1969), which provided intergovernmental support for EMBO's activities. EMBO promotes excellence in the life sciences through initiatives such as the election of distinguished researchers to its membership, the awarding of fellowships and grants, and the organization of scientific meetings, workshops, and training courses. In 1974, EMBO played a central role in establishing the European Molecular Biology Laboratory (EMBL), an intergovernmental research institution. Today, EMBO continues to support life scientists at all career stages and advocates for science policy across Europe and beyond.

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

The Federation of European Biochemical Societies (FEBS) was established in 1964 as a non-profit scientific organization to promote and support biochemistry, molecular biology, and related disciplines in Europe. It is one of the largest organizations of its kind in the region, bringing together national biochemical societies across Europe and neighbouring areas. FEBS organizes annual congresses, advanced courses, fellowships, and publications—including The FEBS Journal—to foster scientific exchange, training, and collaboration.

Scope and content

This collection comprises materials relating to the relationship between the European Molecular Biology Organisation (EMBO), and the Federation of European Biochemical Societies (FEBS). It contains correspondence, meeting documents, reports, and draft lease contracts.

Notes

Arrangement

These materials are arranged at the collection level.

Other notes

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- Administration (subject)