

Priorities

- Success of FM 2026 and FormaliSE 2025
- Continue the discussion of the issues related for Formal Methods Education
- Improve the support for publicity of FM
- Support coordination of conferences in formal methods.

Symposia

The main focus is the successful running of FM2026 and FormaliSE 2025. We will seek to take advantage of a consultation regarding FM2024 to improve the organisation of FM2026.

Responsible: Maurice ter Beek and Ana Cavalcanti/Consultation: Einar Johnsen

Membership

We have achieved a sustainable (modestly increasing) level of membership. We will continue to make sure that the membership reflects the active members of the society. In accordance with the new statutes, we will also cancel the membership of those that we cannot contact.

Responsible: Lars-Henrik Eriksson

Finances and sponsorship

We do not foresee a need to review our policies fundamentally in the coming year. We will discuss with the membership the possibility of inviting special initiatives to use surplus funds.

Responsible: Nico Plat

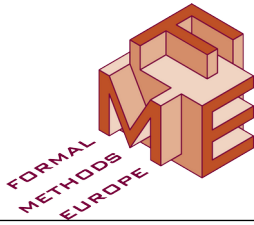
External relations

We will continue our cooperation with BCS-FACS and FMICS. We will continue to support the work of the committees.

Responsible: Ana Cavalcanti

Communications

We will continue to work with the Communications Committee to maintain the vitality of the various means of interaction with the community. Besides the website, which will remain as the FME's primary medium for disseminating its activities, we are using X, LinkedIn, and YouTube. We will continue holding the FME meetings also as webinars. We will revisit the publicity plans for FM and FormaliSE. We will seek to harmonise the publicity of the FM symposia via use of a website that is hosted by FME.



Responsible: Einar Johnsen, Carlo Furiá, and Ana Cavalcanti

FME Fellowship and Lucas Award

We will work with the Awards Committee to prepare to confer a Lucas Award during FM2026.

Responsible: Ana Cavalcanti and José Nuno Oliveira

Book reviews

We will continue to work with the Book Review Committee to establish a steady stream of publications.

Responsible: Matteo Rossi

Support for teaching

We will continue to work to ensure the success of FMTea and the tutorial series, and to maintain the course database. There will likely be no FMTea edition in 2025, since we usually associate it with the FM symposium; however, we need to setup a steering committee and reevaluate the periodicity of FMTea in light of FM becoming an yearly event. We will start two new directions as well. First, we plan the development of an FM book series to describe key approaches to formal methods techniques (foundations, tools, applications, education material). Second, we are going to run a worldwide effort, Know-FM, to define the FME guidelines to teaching Formal Methods to Computer Science students. As part of that effort, we will engage with ACM to contribute to their efforts on Computer Science curricula.

Responsible: Luigia Petre

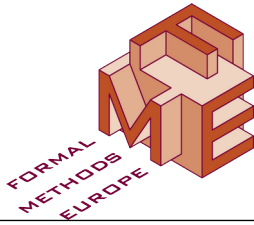
Formal methods in industry

Continue our InFM series of industry talks on the use of Formal Methods in industry; the recordings of these sessions contribute to an archive of talks on the use of Formal Methods in Industry. In addition, we plan to record at least one video of a tool demonstration and investigate whether there is an audience for such videos. We furthermore plan to explore how to better advertise our activities via LinkedIn and possibly other channels, and support other activities that increase the visibility of formal methods.

Responsible: Tim Willemse

Coordination of events

In cooperation with ETAPS, we will manage a list of representatives of the Steering Committee of conferences in the area of formal methods. We will encourage discussion and harmonisation of important dates for formal methods events. We will also keep the list



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of upcoming events in our homepage up to date and comprehensive to include major events in the area of formal methods.

Responsible: Ana Cavalcanti and Einar Johnsen