

Topic 5: Collaboration with Developing Countries

Comments from the Royal Society of Chemistry

1. The RSC has small activity programmes to support the chemical sciences in developing countries.

In the past we have supported the establishment of new national chemical societies in Africa; supported specific initiatives such as the recent conference in Malta or donation of journals or books; or worked through umbrella organisations such as FECS or IUPAC. The RSC has a travel fund that provides for visiting lecturers to stop-off en-route in a developing country to give a seminar presentation or to promote collaboration.