



The Graphene 2012 International Conference attracted more than 600 experts Next edition is currently being planned in Spain

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Graphene 2012 International Conference, organized by Phantoms Foundation, Université catholique de Louvain (UCL), Institut Català de Nanotecnologia (ICN) and Centre national de la recherche scientifique (CNRS), gathered more than 600 persons from the 10th to 13th of April in Belgium (Brussels). The event attracted the Graphene community, including researchers, industry, policymakers and investors.

The plenary session and the extensive thematic workshops allowed presenting the latest trends in the field and the global Graphene technology revolution. Companies and institutions also promoted their products/services, technologies and know-how, intent on finding commercial and technology partners and discussed new project ideas during the exhibition and the brokerage event (one-to-one meetings).

Graphene 2012 in numbers:

- 600 Participants from 41 countries
- 27 <u>Exhibitors</u> in the field
- 200 posters
- More than 100 <u>speakers</u>
- Top seven countries: United Kingdom, Germany, Belgium, Spain, France, Russia and United States.

This year edition proves that Graphene 2012 is now an established European event, attracting global participant's intent on sharing, exchanging and exploring new avenues of graphene-related scientific and commercial developments.

The 3rd edition of Graphene Conference will be held next spring under the umbrella of <u>ImagineNano</u> event in Spain, along with 3 other conferences (Nanospain, NanoBio&Med and Photonics).

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