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Method Validation Working Group

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MISSION

To function as a centre of expertise in the field by assembling and promoting best practice in method validation.

TERMS OF REFERENCE

The Eurachem Method Validation Working Group (MVWG) operates in accordance with the Constitution agreed in the Eurachem Memorandum of Understanding.

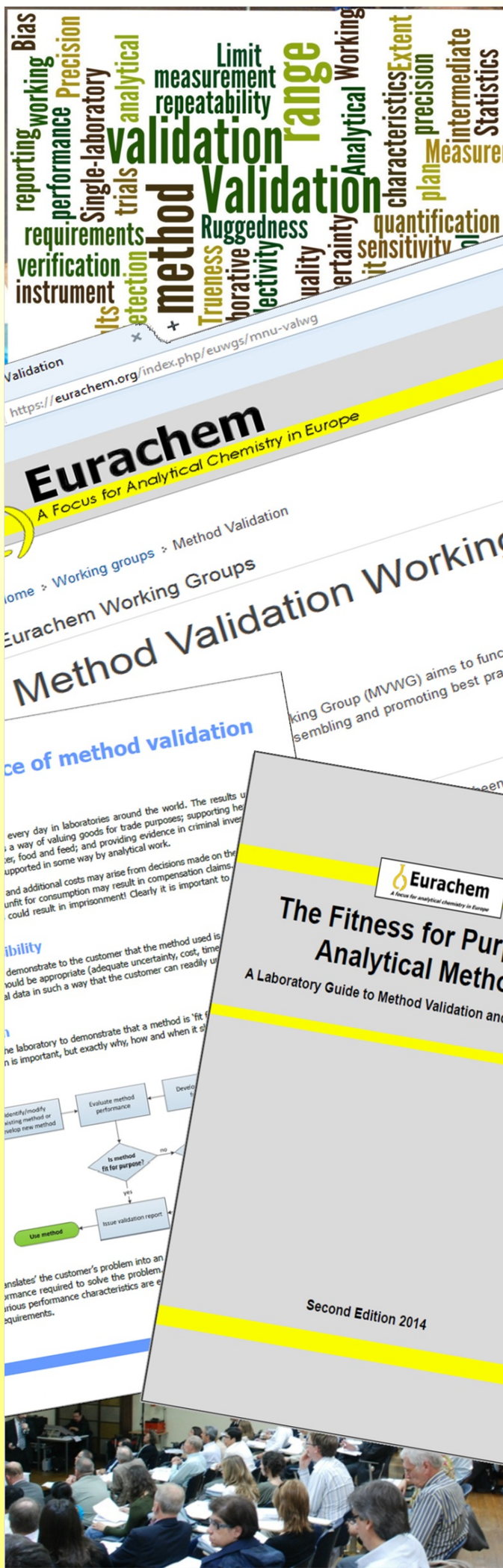
As such the group is working:

- To provide guidance on method validation. This guidance will be applicable to all chemical analytical laboratories and meet the requirements for accreditation;
- To organize and contribute to international seminars and workshops on issues related to method validation within analytical chemistry;
- To collaborate with other Eurachem working groups and provide input on method validation;
- To follow and discuss new developments within analytical chemistry, which may require new approaches regarding method validation;
- To assemble and keep updated a list of relevant references on method validation in analytical chemistry.

RECENT WORKSHOPS & PUBLICATIONS

- International workshop “Method Validation - Current Practices and Future Challenges” in Gent (BE), 9-10 May 2016.
- Eurachem Guide “The Fitness for Purpose of Analytical Methods: A Laboratory Guide to Method Validation and Related Topics” 2nd edition (2014).
- International workshop “Validation, Traceability & Measurement Uncertainty. Challenges for the 21st Century’s analysts” in Berlin (DE), 21-22 May 2012.

Selected papers are published in the journal “Accreditation and Quality Assurance”, while the workshop lectures are available from the Eurachem website.



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MEMBERSHIP

Membership is open to experts nominated by the respective Eurachem members.

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