

ECP4 PRIVACY POLICY

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ECP4, The European Composites, Plastics, and Polymer Processing Platform is an industry-driven collaboration that unites members from 15 countries amongst the top-level European research institutions, regional plastic clusters, and EU-level industrial organisations of plastics and composites converters.

ECP4 brings innovation partners together to identify opportunities for collaborative Research and Development efforts that yield industrial innovation.

The objectives of the platform are:

- To provide networking and collaboration among research institutions and the industry.
- To facilitate the access of the European plastics industry to EU research programs, thus enabling SMEs to innovate, gain competitiveness and fulfil sustainable goals.
- To communicate new technologies and their relevance for the plastics converters and the composites industry.

A. PURPOSE AND LEGAL BASIS OF THE PROCESSING OF PERSONAL DATA

In accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EU) 2016/679, of 27 April (General Data Protection Regulation - GDPR), the personal data we request is that necessary to carry out the objectives and activities of the association.

Processing shall be carried out under the legal bases provided for in Article 6.1 of the GDPR. You have the right to withdraw your consent at any time (see Your Rights hereunder).

1. When you subscribe to our newsletter:

Based on your consent (article 6.1.a) of the GDPR, your contact data will be part of our database of contacts, and we will use it to deliver our newsletter. You may unsubscribe from our newsletters at any time.

2. When you:

- complete a form we issue, whether on or off-line
- register and/or attend one of our events/forums on or off-line

Your contact data will be part of our database of contacts, and we may use it for further contact by email:

- to inform you of the progress of the association's activities
- to invite you to events/forums

3. When you email us or contact us directly:

We process your contact details, when required, in order to provide you with the requested support. All our emails are archived for audit purposes for the duration of our audit obligations.

This data processing is based on your consent (article 6.1.a of the GDPR).

4. When you contact us to make use of your data subject rights:

We process your contact details and the proof of your identity you send us in order to address your request. We can also, depending on your request, process other personal data we have collected also in order to address your request.

This data processing is for compliance with legal obligations to which we are subject (article 6.1.c of the GDPR).

We can also collect data that you otherwise made public in order to contact you when we think it is relevant for you and for us.

This data processing is based on our legitimate interests and aims at creating collaboration in our fields of activities (article 6.1.f of the GDPR).

B. TYPE OF DATA COLLECTED

To pursue the purposes indicated in paragraph A, the following personal data will be collected:

- name of the subject
- surname of the subject
- e-mail address
- Institution/Company name

C. CONTROLLERS OF PERSONAL DATA PROCESSING

Controller of the personal data processing is ECP4 European Composites Plastics and Polymer Processing Platform.

Address: Avenue De Cortenbergh 71, Brussels, Belgium

Contact point: Federica Gallicchio - Federica.gallicchio@ecp4.org

The data subject may exercise his or her rights under REGULATION (EU) 2016/679 in respect of and against the controller.

D. OBLIGATION OR OPTIONAL NATURE OF CONSENT FOR THE PURSUIT OF THE PURPOSES OF THE PROCESSING OF PERSONAL DATA

The provision of data by the data subject is optional but necessary to pursue the purposes of the processing. The refusal to provide the information will not allow, the data subject, to participate in the association activities and receiving updates.

E. COMMUNICATION AND DISSEMINATION OF PERSONAL DATA FOR THE PURSUIT OF THE PURPOSES OF THE PROCESSING

The data will be communicated exclusively to the controllers indicated in paragraph C and only in the cases provided by law to the EACEA for audit purposes.

The personal data will be processed only in the EU.

F. STORAGE PERIODS

We will retain those data as long as they are relevant to our activities. Should ECP4 cease to carry out its activities, the data collected will no longer be stored.

G. RIGHTS OF THE DATA SUBJECT

The data subjects may exercise their rights to access, rectification, erasure, restriction of processing, objection to processing, or portability of their personal data by addressing the contact point at: federica.gallicchio@ecp4.org.

H. CONTACTS

The ECP4 secretariat respects the provisions of REGULATION (EU) 2016/679.

For any doubts, questions, and requests regarding the processing of personal data please refer to the following email address managed by the association manager:

federica.gallicchio@ecp4.org

I. CHANGES TO THE POLICY We may update this privacy policy to reflect changes to our information practices. We encourage you to periodically review this page for the latest information on our privacy practices. This Privacy Notice was last updated on 27/05/2024