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European Federation of Geologists – EFG: a family of geologists making its mark online

PRESS RELEASE | October 2017 | Brussels – Once upon a time 1980, the **European Federation of Geologists (EFG)** was born with a bold ambition that would guide it throughout the years: build a strong family of competent geologists across Europe. 37 years later, we can humbly say this ambition, once a dream, has become a reality, growing more powerful everyday: as of today, EFG indeed proudly represents more than 45000 geologists, making its **mark on the continent**.

Throughout the years, EFG has also developed close collaborations with international partners, making its **mark across the globe**. A mark made even stronger with a **growing presence on the internet**. Today, EFG is proud to strengthen its online presence with the official launch of two exciting projects.

Firstly, EFG is launching a new **website** gathering all there is to know about the Federation, its members, activities and European projects. This new home was developed to be a welcoming place, inviting anyone for a visit and a better understanding of our work.



Secondly, EFG is launching its official **video "EFG: a Federation working for You"**, designed to present the many various fields in which our members are active and the variety and importance of EFG's many missions and activities. A unique way to meet the members of EFG growing European Family.

Find the new website on www.eurogeologists.eu

Find the video on the website and on:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QqMpZIE5vT0&feature=youtu.be>

***About EFG:** The European Federation of Geologists is a non-governmental organisation that was established in 1980 and includes today 26 national association members. EFG is a professional organisation whose main aims are to contribute to a safer and more sustainable use of the natural environment, to protect and inform the public and to promote a more responsible exploitation of natural resources. EFG's members are National Associations whose principal objectives are based in similar aims. The guidelines to achieve these aims are the promotion of excellence in the application of geology and the creation of public awareness of the importance of geoscience for the society.*

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