

Update on Norecopa for *ecopa*'s General Assembly

Please help us to spread information about these resources:

- Norecopa continues to offer a comprehensive website of global resources about Laboratory Animal Science and the 3Rs¹. The website has just under 10,000 pages at present, and attracts approx. 300,000 page-views per year.
- Norecopa issues an English-language newsletter 7-8 times a year, with the latest global news on the 3Rs, to nearly 900 subscribers worldwide².
- In March this year, Norecopa launched a Refinement Wiki, where scientists and animal care staff can post advances they have made in this area³.
- Norecopa maintains a comprehensive calendar of international Webinars and Meetings⁴. Since many of these are recorded, Norecopa has also established a website with links to these recordings⁵.
- Norecopa has established a list of resources to help animal facilities tackle the Covid-19 pandemic⁶, and has made a webpage listing resources that can be used by schoolchildren and students for home learning⁷.
- Norecopa continues to translate the PREPARE guidelines checklist for planning animal experiments. At present the checklist is available in 23 languages⁸.
- Norecopa maintains an interactive map of European 3R Centres⁹, and is a member of the European Network of 3R Centres (EUR3Rnet) established in 2018, which recently issued a Consensus Statement about its activities¹⁰ and applied for a COST Action to promote the 3Rs and improve the quality of biomedical science.

¹ <https://norecopa.no>

² <https://norecopa.no/news/newsletters>

³ <https://wiki.norecopa.no>

⁴ <https://norecopa.no/meetings/webinars-and-meetings-calendar>

⁵ <https://norecopa.no/meetings/recorded-webinars>

⁶ <https://norecopa.no/be-prepared>

⁷ <https://norecopa.no/databases-guidelines/norina-database/resources-for-home-learning>

⁸ <https://norecopa.no/prepare/prepare-checklist>

⁹ <https://norecopa.no/3REuropeOverview>

¹⁰ <https://www.altex.org/index.php/altex/article/view/2143/2092>