

FutureCHEM Europe 2026 – Participant Feedback Report

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Helsinki, Finland

Event Feedback at glance

A concise overview of participants responses to FutureCHEM Europe 2026.



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responses

Participants represented industry, academia and other organisations from Europe



Overall satisfaction

4.79 / 5



Event relevance
For your work/
organisation

4.64 / 5



Keynote presentations and discussions

4.43 / 5



Interactive workshops

4.21 / 5

All respondents rated the overall event and its relevance either 4 or 5 out of 5.

Priorities for future collaboration

Number of respondents selecting each follow-up activity (multiple selections allowed)



“A very relevant and well-organized event with high-quality presentations and valuable discussions between industry and academia”
- Participants feedback

Key insights

Qualitative themes from open ended responses.



What participants valued

- Expert presentations and industry perspectives, especially CCU and PtX developments
- Inspiring discussions between industry and academia
- International networking opportunities
- Relevant and timely topics



Topics for future work

- Technology development, piloting and scale-up
- CCU value chains and markets
- Industrial competitiveness and integration with renewable energy
- Financing and investment conditions
- Policy and regulatory frameworks
- Access to sustainable raw materials



Role of universities

- Facilitate industry-academia collaboration
- Build international networks
- Coordinate joint RDI projects
- Provide independent analysis and support technology development
- Support demonstration and scale-up



Suggestions for improving future events

- Increase industry participation
- Organise more focused thematic discussions
- Allow more time for collective reflection on workshop outcomes
- Explore ways to enhance the practical impact of workshop results