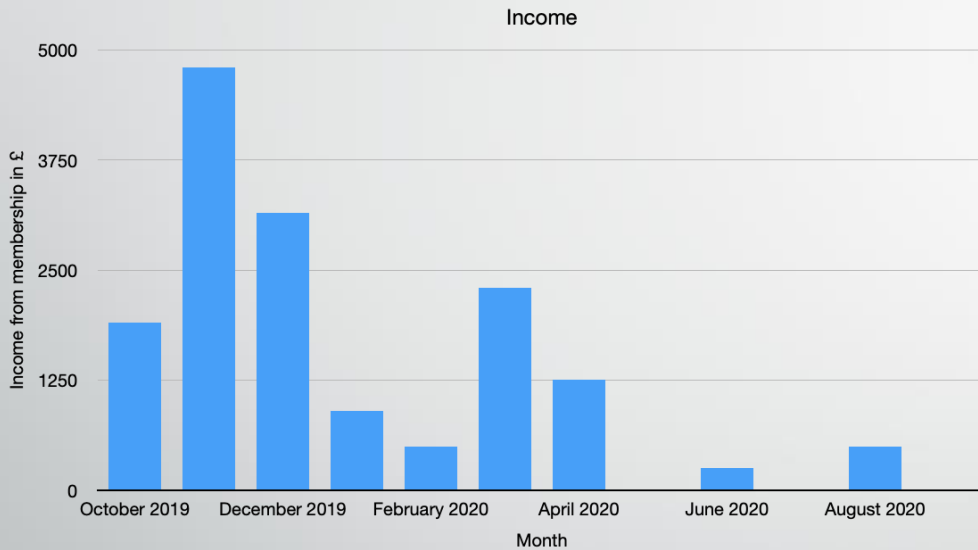


PLG Management accounts

Finance

Income

- Membership Oct. 19 – Sep 20 **£15,550**



Spending

- Subcontracting: **£10,800.00**
 - **Outstanding. £6,480.00**
- Travel: **£207.49**

- Webhosting: **£29.94**
- Accountancy Fees: **£678.00**
- Bank Charges **-£5.50**

• **Total Money spent: £17,280.00**

• **Paid to date: £11710.38**

• **We have £1,730.00 overspent compared to our income during the last 12 months.**

PLG activity update

Oct 19- Sept 20 Activities

Online and updated at <https://photonicsuk.org/contributors/plg-achievements>

- Support for parliamentary question on support for photonics
 - Input into the Foreign Affairs Committee on UK Government decisions on intervening in foreign takeovers
 - Facilitation of industrial sessions at Photonex 2020 covering the innovation ecosystem and post Covid-19 opportunities.
 - Report on the Future Horizons for Photonics Research 2030 and beyond, published with the APPG
 - Two surveys of the status of Covid-19 recovery in UK photonics
 - Presentation to the SPIE Industry and policy update series on the response of the UK to Covid-19
 - Submission to government consultation on the UK's 'Research and Development Roadmap
 - Development of a national photonic contact list. (100 subscribers+)
 - Input to BEIS 'UK quantum technologies international engagement plan'.
 - Submission to Science and Tech. Select Committee on "UK telecomms infrastructure and the UK's domestic capability"
 - Letter to Universities Vice-Chancellors supporting re-opening of research facilities as a priority
 - Rapid submission to the Business Secretary's Economic Recovery roundtables on measures supporting Covid recovery
 - Government and Trade press responses on the impact of coronavirus on UK photonics
 - Updates to the latest coronavirus business support measures
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- 38 Blog posts with pertinent news
 - 6617 visitors (50% growth)
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- Dissemination of fast track Innovate and DASA competition for coronavirus mitigation innovations
 - Input into process for developing National Strategy for Secure Quantum Communications
 - Horizon scanning workshop to develop a common vision for the future of photonics research in the UK
 - Summary of 2020 Spring Budget measures relevant to photonics
 - Participation in Quantum Computing Road-mapping workshop
 - Submission to the Government consultation on UK Global Tariffs
 - Survey of UK photonics to gather aggregate evidence of export, investment and growth enablers.
 - Parliamentary Question to Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy on steps being taken to support the development of photonics SMEs
 - Support the Photonics APPG AGM and reconstitution
 - Participation in the Electech Community Meeting
 - Input on SPIE photonic technician career videos
 - Interview for Optics and Photonics News on the impact of the UK 2019 election on the industry
 - Map of UK parliamentary constituencies containing photonics employers
 - Identification of outline priorities for physics investment
 - Meeting with Confederation of British Industry (CBI) on apprenticeships
 - Discussion of sectors deals with BEIS
 - Statistics on photonics in Scotland to Scottish Gov.
 - Participation in Quantum Technology Leadership Grp
 - Summary of Global Photonics Challenges
 - Analysis of the regional distribution of photonics productivity

PLG secretariat

- Running of PLG / APPG takes ~ 40 days a year
 - Core ~30 days
 - Major increase on request for input to consultations
 - Add activity e.g. Horizon scanning + ~10 days
- Plus Pro-bono
 - Treasurer input ~2 days
 - APPG secretariat ~4 days

