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Changing role & contacts at EFB

After four successful years as Secretary General of the EFB, Christian Suojanen will leave his position at the end of January 2009. During his term of office EFB's cooperation with the European Commission has significantly improved and major inputs to EU Research Programmes have been made. The European Congress in Biotechnology in Barcelona 2007 with an excellent Scientific Programme was also one further highlight, as was the launch of the EFB's journal New Biotechnology. Christian will continue with the EFB as Executive Board officer for Government & Industrial Relations and can be reached by email at cjs@fastmail.fm.

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