Tasks and Goals

We have set ourselves the goal of preserving and promoting knowledge about the history of water, energy supply, and pipeline technology. To this end, we support relevant research, and pass on knowledge about the history of water, energy and pipeline technology. The Frontinus Society also actively supports aspiring young researchers working in the field of technological history and offers a platform for information and knowledge for interested people.

To achieve these goals, we organise specialist events, national and international symposia, as well as excursions.

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Furthermore, we encourage scientists, especially students and young researchers, by supporting new research projects, by awarding scholarships, and by establishing professional networks. We also cooperate with other institutions and associations.

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