

# **Online cluster event 2023**

## Fostering the higher education sector in Europe: the role of citizen science in transforming universities

When: Monday, July 3 · 10am - 3pm CEST

**Who:** anyone involved in universities in any capacity

**Full programme and registration** 

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ecs-cluster-event-2023-tickets-640479891597?aff=oddtdtcreator

### Why an online event on the role of citizen science in transforming universities?

Universities are now venturing into citizen science as a means to engage the public in research, to teach science and promote alternative avenues of knowledge creation. Citizen science is not yet widely adopted as a standard approach in high education and academic culture. In this context, the European Citizen Science project provides a space to exchange experiences in using citizen science in universities and to gather recommendations for the European Commission and other stakeholders.

#### Who can attend the event? What can you expect from

Everyone such as academics, educators, university staff, citizen science practitioners, early career researchers, policy makers, civil servants, general public and industry representatives, interested in learning about and discussing the role of citizen integrating citizen science science in transforming universities in Europe.

Participants will receive a certificate of attendance

your participation in the **ECS Cluster Event 2023?** 

**Network** with the European Citizen Science community **Learn** about different citizen science initiatives Find solutions to overcome experienced challenge **Discuss ideas** for effectively

**Explore** ways for early career researchers to engage further with citizen

into universities.

science.

#### Learn more about citizen science

Citizen science is any activity that involves the public in scientific research. People can participate in many stages of the scientific process, from the design of the research question to publication and dissemination of results. Citizen sciences can also be used as a part of a broader scientific activity.

10 Principles of Citizen Science **ECSA Characteristics of Citizen Science** 

#### The **European Citizen Science project**

ECS is an EU-funded project with the overall objective to widen and strengthen the European citizen science community through capacity building and awareness raising activities.

Our vision is a globally connected, inclusive and strong citizen science community for societal change in Europe.

