

## Science with and for Society – Project Partner Search Form

### CALL: Science with and for Society 2016

- I offer my expertise to participate as a Partner in a Project
- I am planning to coordinate a project and I am looking for Project Partners

#### Topics

- SwafS-01-2016: Participatory research and innovation via Science Shops
- SwafS-03-2016-2017: Support to research organisations to implement gender equality plans
- SwafS-04-2016: Opening Research Organisations in the European Research Area
- SwafS-07-2016: Training on Open Science in the European Research Area
- SwafS-09-2016: Moving from constraints to openings, from red lines to new frames in Horizon 2020
- SwafS-15-2016: Open Schooling and collaboration on science education
- SwafS-16-2016: Mapping the Ethics and Research Integrity Normative Framework
- SwafS-17-2016: The Ethics of informed consent in novel treatment including a gender perspective
- SwafS-18-2016: The Ethics of technologies with high socio-economic impact and Human Rights relevance
- SwafS-19-2016: Networking of National representatives and resources centres on Gender in R&I
- SwafS-25-2016: Celebrating European Science

#### 1) PROJECT INFORMATION

##### Field of expertise related to the topic:

Space science education and public outreach activities (events, training, tools, practises...)  
 Leiden Observatory is leading several international projects in the field of space science education and public outreach like Space Awareness, Universe Awareness, and AstroEdu. With a solid experience as a partner and a coordinator in european and global projects, Leiden observatory has developed a wide network of partners within and outside Europe. Leiden Observatory benefit from a unique position, as an academic structure with a high level research insititute, and a close partnership with the European Space Agency (ESTEC).

##### Main areas of expertise

Development and coordination of international networks, support of underprivileged communities and minorities, development and animation of teacher trainings, training scientists in science communication, research and attention to gender balance, inquiry based science education, development of educational resources, career activities, communication, citizen science projects, open standards, science careers aspirations and attractiveness, global citizenship, science education research and innovation.

**Potential contribution to the project:** Dissemination through international networks, development of innovative activities in science education, developing educational material, training, and support material, developing frameworks for open education, building on any field of expertise mentioned above.

**Role in the project:**

Research                       Dissemination                       Other  
 Training                               Technology Development

Project idea:

Project description:

Already experience as a Coordinator:  yes    no

As a Partner:  yes    no

If "yes", which project: Coordinator of the FP7 Universe Awareness project ([www.unawe.org](http://www.unawe.org)), and the H2020 Space Awareness project ([www.space-awareness.org](http://www.space-awareness.org)), partner in FP7 TEMI ([www.teachingmysteries.eu](http://www.teachingmysteries.eu)) and H2020 Europlanet (<http://www.europlanet-eu.org/>).

Other partners in consortium already identified (with countries):

## 2) TARGET COORDINATOR / PARTNER SOUGHT

**Organisation details:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Higher education / university	<input type="checkbox"/> Industry / SME
<input type="checkbox"/> Research institution	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
<input type="checkbox"/> NGO	Please specify:
<input type="checkbox"/> Education	

**We are looking for following Expertise / Competencies:**

## 3) CONTACT DETAILS

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Short profile of the Organisation:

Leiden Observatory (Sterrewacht Leiden), the astronomy institute of Leiden University, is a leading European astronomy research department. It has 20 permanent academic staff, about 50 postdocs and more than 70 PhD students. Its Astronomy and Society group built up a tremendous experience managing and disseminating European and global space education programmes. The observatory's vision is to use the beauty and challenges of space to



inspire children and to encourage them to develop an interest in science and technology and a sense of European and global citizenship.

The group is leading several European and global astronomy educational programmes, essentially for elementary and secondary schools. These include Universe Awareness (<http://www.unawe.org/>), the IAU astroEDU (<http://astroedu.iau.org/>), and Space Awareness ([www.space-awareness.org](http://www.space-awareness.org)). Leiden Observatory is partner in TEMI ([www.teachingmysteries.eu](http://www.teachingmysteries.eu)) and Europlanet, developing teacher and scientists training.

Leiden Observatory is involved in science education research programmes, citizen science projects, and in the development of initiatives supporting the inclusion and development of underprivileged communities and ethnic minorities.

**Date:** 04/03/2016

**The offer is valid until:**

I agree with publication of my contact data on "Science with and for Society" network website

YES     NO

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