

Science with and for Society – Project Partner Search Form

CALL: Science with and for Society 2018

- 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

Strategic orientation 1. Accelerating and catalysing processes of institutional change

- SwafS-01-2018-2019: Open schooling and collaboration on science education
- SwafS-02-2018: Innovative methods for teaching ethics and research integrity
- SwafS-03-2018: Developing research integrity standard operating procedures
- SwafS-04-2018: Encouraging the re-use of research data generated by publically funded research projects
- SwafS-05-2018-2019: Grounding RRI practices in research and innovation funding and performing organisations

Strategic orientation 2. Stepping up support to Gender Equality in Research & Innovation policy

- SwafS-09-2018-2019: Supporting research organisations to implement gender equality plans
- SwafS-10-2018: Analysing gender gaps and biases in the allocation of grants
- SwafS-13-2018: Gender Equality Academy and dissemination of gender knowledge across Europe

Strategic orientation 3. Building the territorial dimension of SwafS partnerships

- SwafS-14-2018-2019: Supporting the development of territorial Responsible Research and Innovation
- SwafS-22-2018: Mobilising Research Excellence in EU Outermost Regions

Strategic orientation 4. Exploring and supporting citizen science

- SwafS-15-2018-2019: Exploring and supporting citizen science

Strategic orientation 5. Building the knowledge base for SwafS

- SwafS-18-2018: Taking stock of the application of the precautionary principle in R&I
- SwafS-19-2018-2019: Taking stock and re-examining the role of science communication
- SwafS-20-2018-2019: Building the SwafS knowledge base
- SwafS-21-2018: Advancing the Monitoring of the Evolution and Benefits of Responsible Research and Innovation

1) PROJECT INFORMATION

Field of expertise related to the topic:

Established in 1991, Wissenschaftsladen Wien - Science Shop Vienna is an independent interdisciplinary research institute that performs research in response to the needs and demands of non-profit organisations, such as human rights organisations, non-profit service organisations, local

authorities and social or environmental initiatives. As a research-based CSO located in Europe's largest self-governed cultural centre we are deeply rooted in civil society and have "street credibility" among civil society organisations.

The interdisciplinary team has a long time experience in organising public participation and mediation between academia and practitioners. Its expertise covers the whole range of empirical social scientific research and the whole lifecycle of public and stakeholder engagement: from design to implementation and documentation, even on a large scale. All team members participate in FP projects since FP5. Almost all of our FP projects were funded under the umbrella of the Science with and for Society Work Programme.

Supported by a Scientific Advisory Board, the Science Shop Vienna is a member of the Living Knowledge Network - the International Science Shop Network -, the Federation of Austrian Scientific Societies (VWGÖ), and the Alliance for Responsible Science.

Potential contribution to the project:

Social scientific research:

The Science Shop Vienna has worked on a broad range of topics such as citizen science, gender action plans, science communication, knowledge transfer, disability issues, housing, the situation of student moms, internet communication, employment policy and science policy. Quite often the Science Shop Vienna pioneers research topics and approaches. The experienced team has profound knowledge of a broad variety of methodological skills in quantitative and qualitative research. Just to name a few:

- Designing and conducting qualitative surveys
- Conducting expert interviews and Delphi studies
- Conducting qualitative interviews and group discussions with users, consumers and other target groups
- Scenario techniques

Public engagement and stakeholder involvement:

The expertise of the Science Shop Vienna covers its whole lifecycle: from design to implementation and documentation. Latest achievement: the co-ordination of 35 matched scenario workshops in 13 countries. We reach out beyond those frequently participating in consultations.

The team of the Science Shop Vienna combines the above mentioned skills and approaches to methodologies perfectly tailored to the transdisciplinary design of SwafS projects. The Science Shop Vienna is a perfect partner for organisations following a design thinking approach.

RRI:

Except governance - we are not policy makers -, the Science Shop Vienna has expertise on all key action points named by the European Commission - public engagement, gender equality, science education, open access, and ethics, resp. research integrity - and builds its research projects on the four RRI dimensions anticipation, reflexivity, inclusion, and responsiveness.

Other expert knowledge:

Adult education and school teaching: Two team members are experienced adult education trainers, one of them has a certification for secondary school teaching.

Ethics and research integrity: One team member has expertise on moral philosophy and is co-founder of an international research network on research integrity, media and evaluation.

As the name indicates, the Science Shop Vienna is a Science Shop. The European Commission considers Science Shops as good practice in public engagement, citizen science, collaborative research and science communication.

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:

- Improving Interaction of Universities, Science Shops and NGOs/INTERACTS (STRATA WP)
- Improving Science Shop Networking/ISSNET
- Participatory Communication Activities on E-Learning/PARCEL (coordinator)
- Increasing Capacity for Implementing Gender Action Plans in Science/GenSET
- Towards inclusive research programming for sustainable food innovations/INPROFOOD

Except INTERACTS, all projects were conducted under SwafS Work Programmes.

Other partners in consortium already identified (with countries): If demanded, we tap into our international network of reliable research partners to enlarge a consortium.

2) TARGET COORDINATOR / PARTNER SOUGHT

Organisation details:

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

We are looking for following Expertise / Competencies:

3) CONTACT DETAILS

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Date: 16/02/18

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YES NO

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