

PERSPECTIVES OF THE CITIZEN SCIENCE

On January 13th at 15.00 (EET), a webinar “Perspectives of the Citizen Science” with a lecture “Citizen Science and How Scientific Communication Will Develop in the Next Years” by Vanessa van den Bogaert (Ruhr University of Bochum) and a presentation “A Pan-European Citizen Science Campaign “Looking for Cowslips” – First Insights and Experiences” by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Tsipe Aavik (University of Tartu) will take place.

There are great expectations in regard to citizen science. Therefore, the lecture offers an overview on the landscape of citizen science in the German-speaking countries. As Vanessa van den Bogaert emphasizes, in addition to classifications, individual projects shall also be examined, therefore an overview is accompanied with an insight into the results of the think tank “#FactoryWissKomm”. But the presentation by Assoc. Prof. Aavik will provide an insight into the “Looking for Cowslips” campaign, which collected data on cowslips in nearly 30 countries to assess the effects of landscape change on the characteristic plants of semi-natural grasslands.

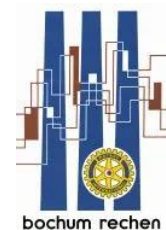
Vanessa van den Bogaert is working as a research assistant at the chair for teaching and learning research at the Institute for Educational Science of the Ruhr University Bochum. She was nominated as a member of the think tank “#FactoryWissKomm” and leads the working group “Science of Citizen Science in the network of Citizens create knowledge”.

Dr. Tsipe Aavik is an Associate Professor of Macroecology at the University of Tartu working in the Landscape Biodiversity Group. She is also one of the leaders of the citizen science initiative “Looking for Cowslips”.

The event is organized in cooperation with the Rotary Club Bochum/Rechen.

Language: **German and English**

Participation: **Free**



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