# **BiodivERsA Citizen Science Event**

Field Trip at Meise Botanic Garden

#### **Meise Botanic Garden**

One Garden many missions



#### Policy on Invasive species

The Convention on Biological Diversity

Target 9: By 2020, invasive alien species and pathways are identified and prioritized, priority species are controlled or eradicated and measures are in place to manage pathways to prevent their introduction and establishment

Regulation (EU) No 1143/2014 of the EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL

of 22 October 2014

On the prevention and management of the introduction and spread of invasive alien species

# BOUCHOUT DECLARATION

"The free and open use of digital resources about biodiversity and associated access services"

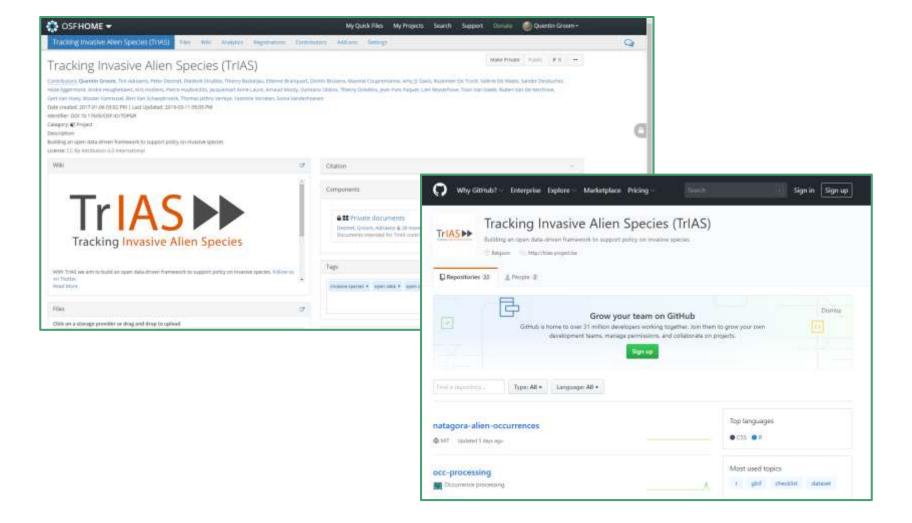


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## The project

Automated data mobilization framework

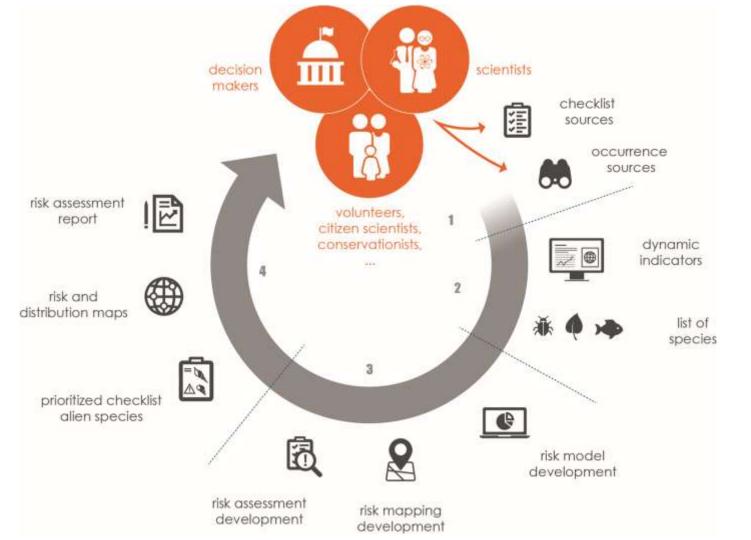
from diverse data sources

#### Data driven procedures for risk evaluation

- Risk maps
- Risk assessments

## Timely inform IAS policy

- Regional
- Belgian
- FU



#### Recommendations

- 1. Default <u>open</u> for data, software and communication.
- 2. Support data <u>infrastructure</u> for biodiversity.
- 3. Strengthen communication.

- 4. Mutual understanding.
- 5. Support citizen science globally.

#### Raising Awareness about Invasive Plants



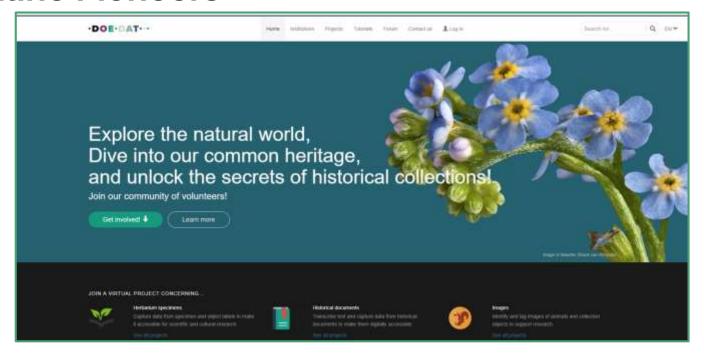
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#### **Visiteers**



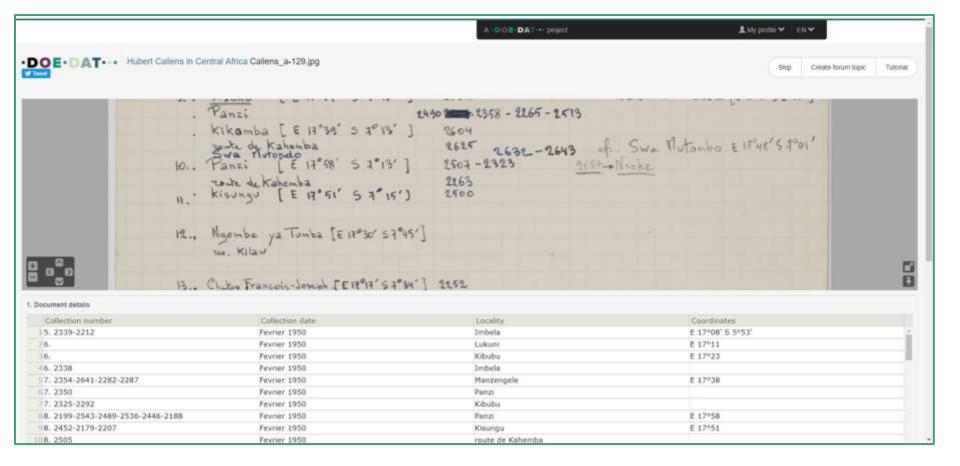


#### **Online Pioneers**

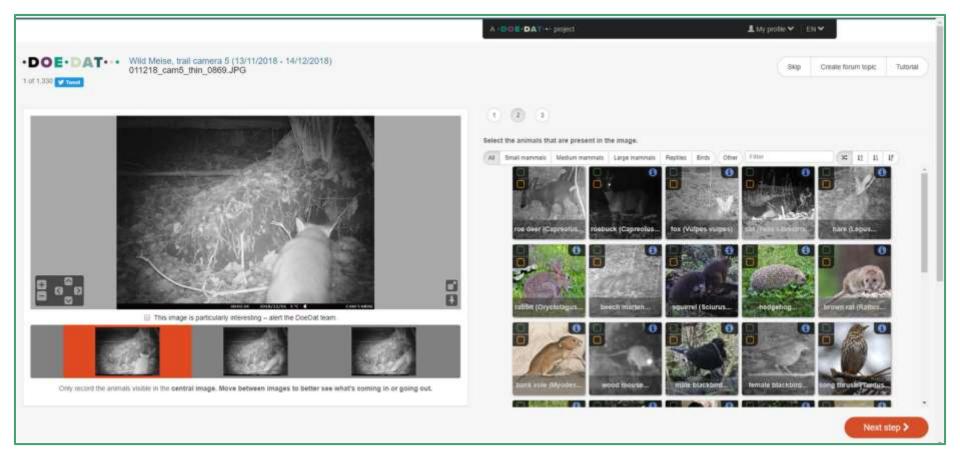


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Herbarium specimen label transcription



Transcribing field notes and registers



Camera trap pictures

#### **Bioblitz**















1,905 Observations496 Taxa50 Observers134 Identifiers



Increasing understanding of alien species through citizen science

### **Working Groups**

- → Engaging people
- → Approaches
- → Data management and standards
- → Analysis and visualisation
- → Cross-cutting initiatives for IAS across Europe



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#### **Activities**

- → Workshops
- → Short-term Scientific Missions
- → Dissemination



#### **Questions?**

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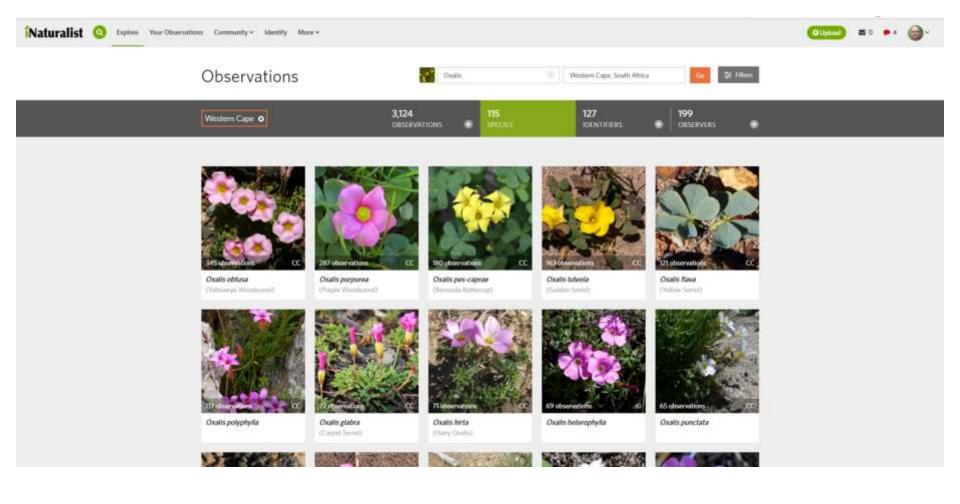


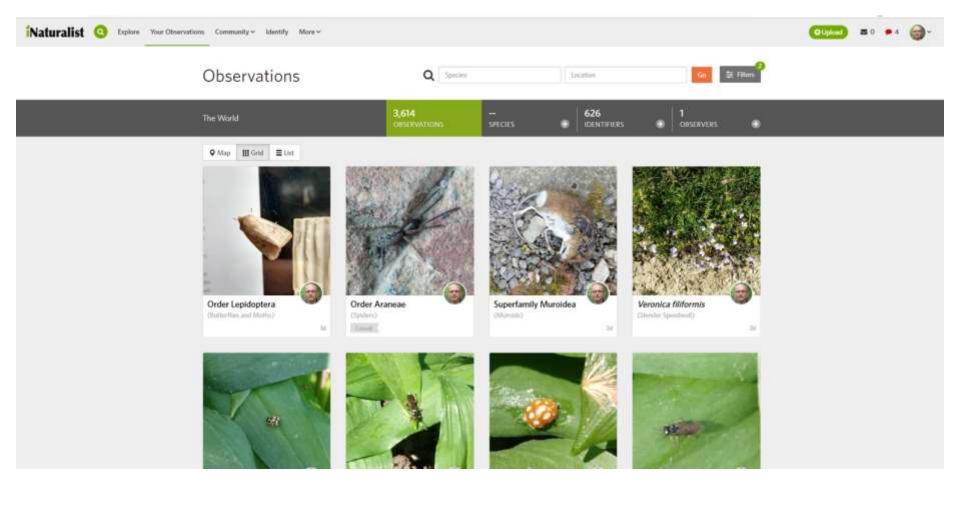






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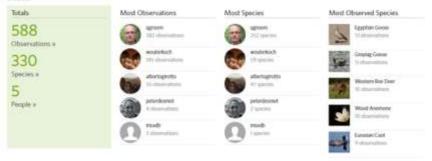




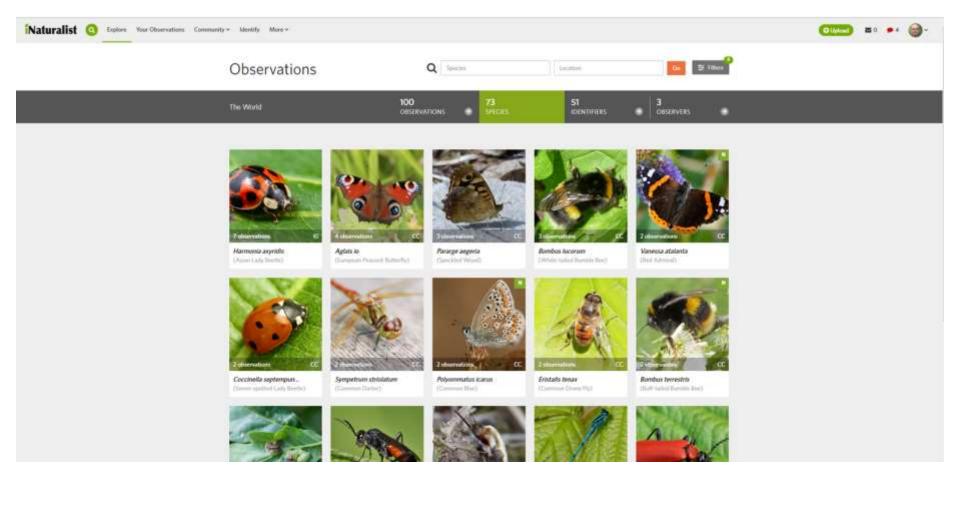




#### Stats















#### Identify

