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I AM LOOKING FOR : A PARTNER (FOR MY PROJECT) A PROJECT TO JOIN

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PARTNER SEARCH (*) (2-3 lines to be published on the website – the complete form will be available to download)

I am looking for projects that search for partners experienced in citizen science and open innovation or co-creation methods, respectively, in particular in the areas of ecology and zoology.

Please complete the information below depending if you are looking for a partner (to join your project), or a project (you would like to join) – Max 1 page.

DESCRIPTION OF YOUR EXPERTISE /SKILLS

I am one of the founders of the Austrian citizen science platform "Österreich forscht" (www.citizen-science.at), that currently hosts more than 50 citizen science projects from various institutions and disciplines. I am also one of the organizers of the annual Austrian citizen science conference and are actively involved in research on and with citizen science. I have conducted a citizen science project on my own on the invasive Spanish Slug in Austria (<https://shortly.cc/cVkt>).
Through my experience in the coordination of Austrias biggest national citizen science platform and in conducting my own citizen science project I have expertise in the development of large networks and the advantages and pitfalls when using citizen science as a method. I did a postgraduate course on open innovation in science and therefore also can offer insights in this approach.

DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PROJECT / THE PROJECT YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN

I am looking for projects, ideally in ecology or zoology, that want to include unusual actors in the scientific process to answer research questions that otherwise are hard or impossible to get.

DESCRIPTION OF THE EXPERTISE/SKILLS YOU ARE LOOKING FOR IN YOUR PROJECT

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