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# Community Engagement

Why is it key for Open Science

and how to unleash it

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## **Expanding FAIR Solutions across Europe**

#### Call HORIZON-INFRA-2021-EOSC-01-05

Enabling discovery and interoperability of federated research objects across scientific communities

**Expanding FAIR** solutions in Europe

Partly following up on FAIRsFAIR **EU funded project** 

**Coordination and Support Action** 

**10 million euro** 

36 months, starting 1 June 2022 28 partners and affiliate entities

From 10 EU member states: NL, FI, FR, DK, IT, DE, ES, NO, BE, RO

and the UK



## **FAIR-IMPACT overall objective**

#### WHAT:



to realise a FAIR EOSC by supporting the implementation of FAIR-enabling practices across scientific communities and research outputs at a European, national, and institutional level;

#### HOW:

- identifying current and emerging components for enabling FAIR (practices, policies, tools & technical specifications);
- translating viable solutions, guidelines and frameworks that have been developed for one domain or research output and supporting their application in others;
- taking the next step in implementation by defining the support, governance, and coordination mechanisms required to ensure the continuous function of FAIR-enabling practices in the EOSC.



## But first, a bit about you!

Please go to menti.com and enter code 5236-9540



## Aim of today

### ... explore opportunities for YOU

Share experiences...





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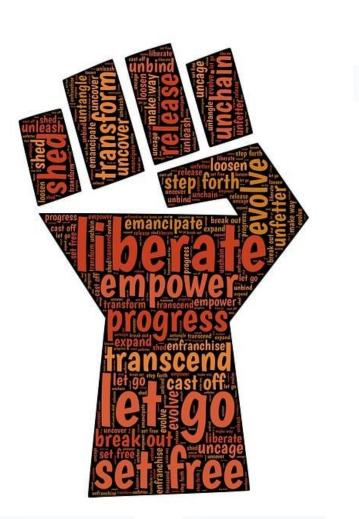


## What is a community?

Ingredients:

- Shared goal
- Connections & Opportunities
- Sense of belonging





Based on Chapter 1 of Jono Bacon' "The Art of Community" (freely available here)



## **The Power of Community**





## **The Power of Community: Food Forest Leusden**





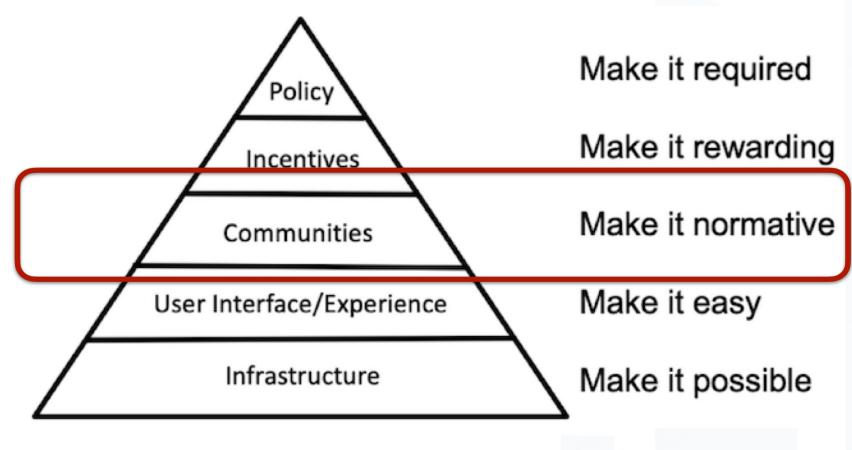
## What communities are you part of?



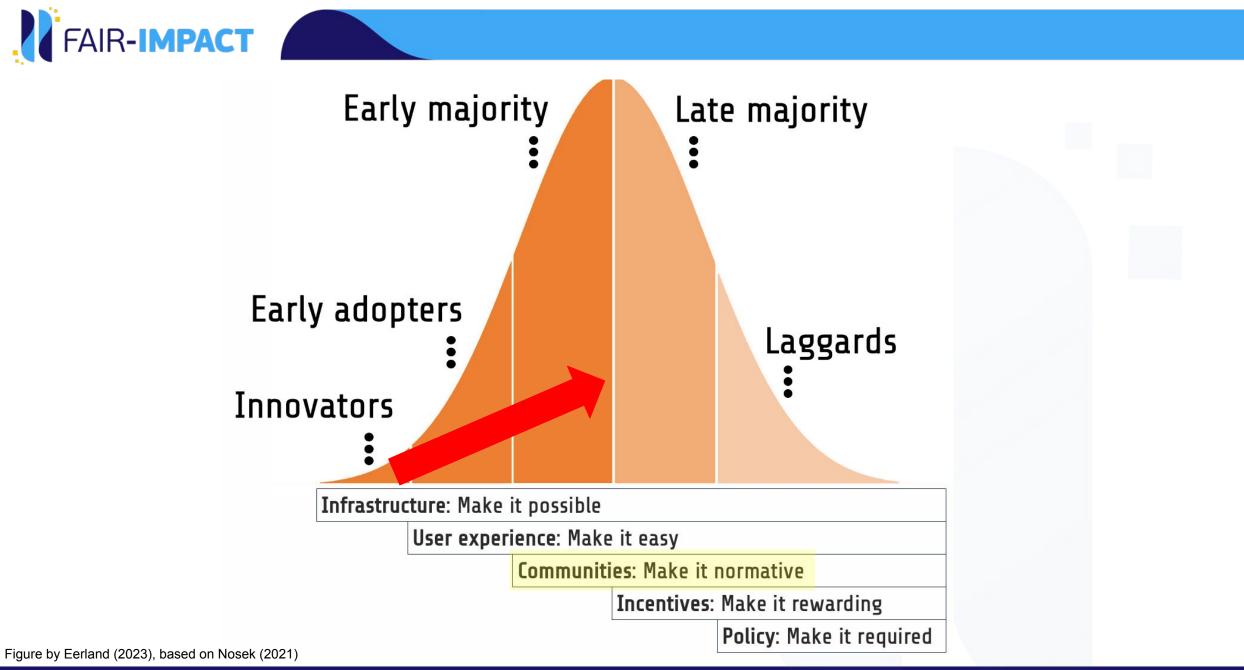
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## **Open Science & FAIR data:** a change of research culture



Nosek, 2021







International Network of Open Science & Scholarship Communities



**16 countries** 



**32 communities** 



2300+ members

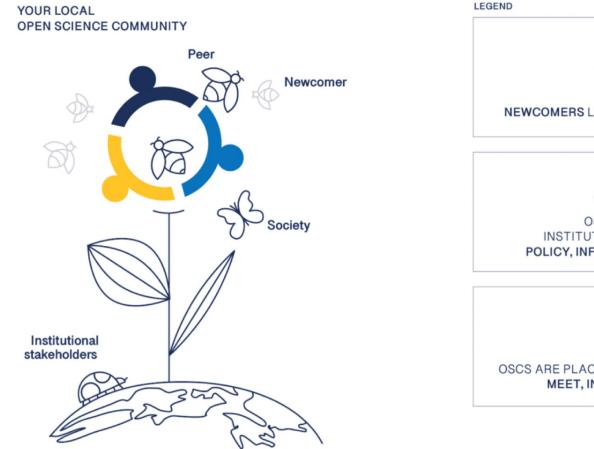








# Open Science Communities For researchers, by researchers

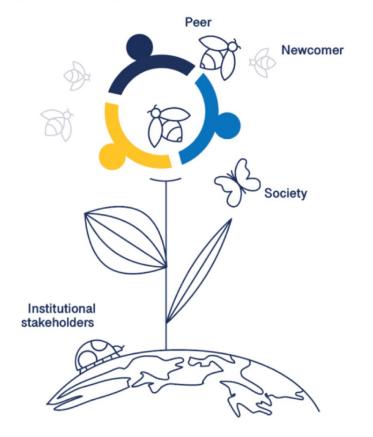


NEWCOMERS LEARN FROM EXPERIENCED PEERS OSCS INTERACT WITH INSTITUTIONAL STAKEHOLDERS ON POLICY, INFRASTRUCTURE AND SUPPORT OSCS ARE PLACES WERE ACADEMIA AND SOCIETY MEET, INTERACT AND CO-CREATE



# Open Science Communities For researchers, by researchers

YOUR LOCAL OPEN SCIENCE COMMUNITY



- Goal
  - Make Open Science the norm!
- Connections & Opportunities
  - Peer-to-peer learning
  - Input to policy, services and infra
- Sense of beloning
  - Membership, stickers, water

bottles, ...





Open Science Communi Our new YouTube video is A workshop run by @asch

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Tune in for more!

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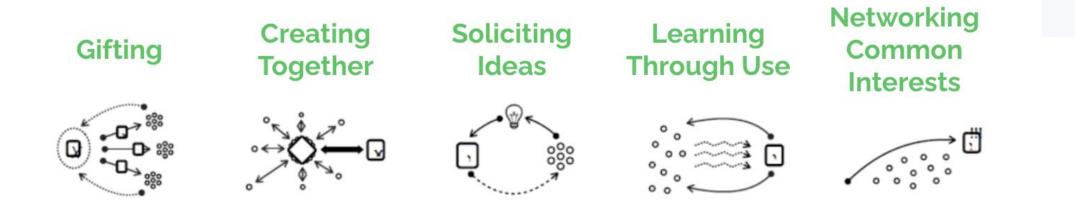
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Open Science 2030 in the Netherlands

NPOS2030 Ambition Document



# **Five Community Interactions**



#### A Framework of Open Practices

by Mozilla Open Innovation & the Copenhagen Institute for Interaction Design



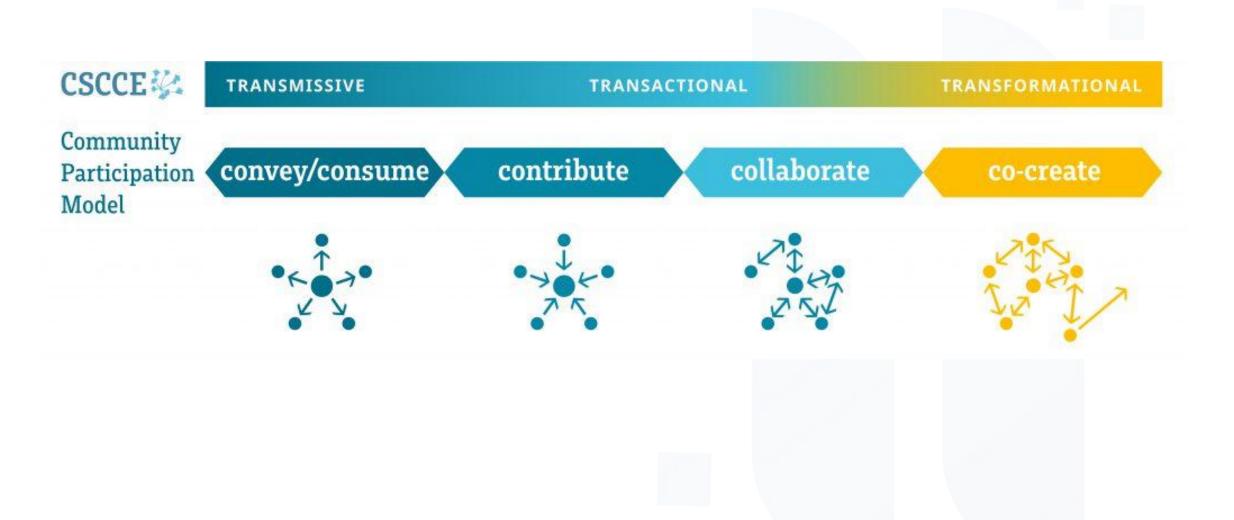


## **Social Capital**

- Belonging
- Interpersonal relations
- Based on trust
- Feels good!

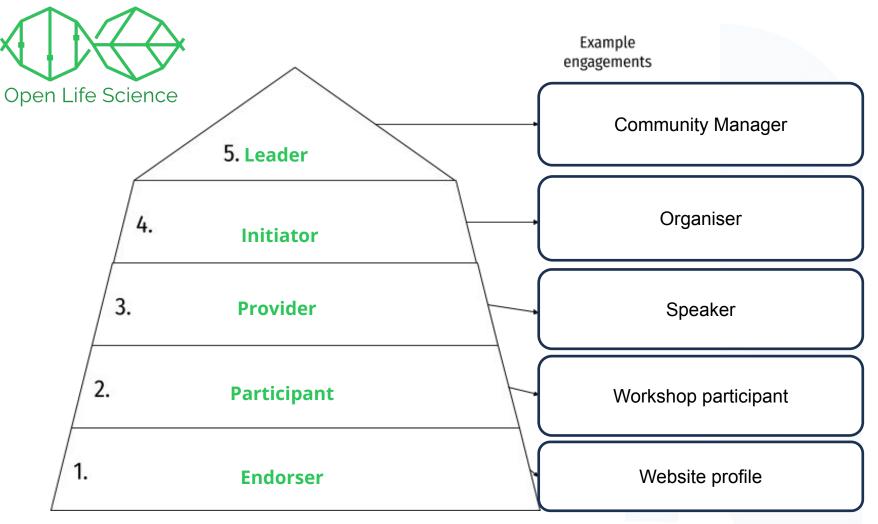








## **Mountain of Engagement**





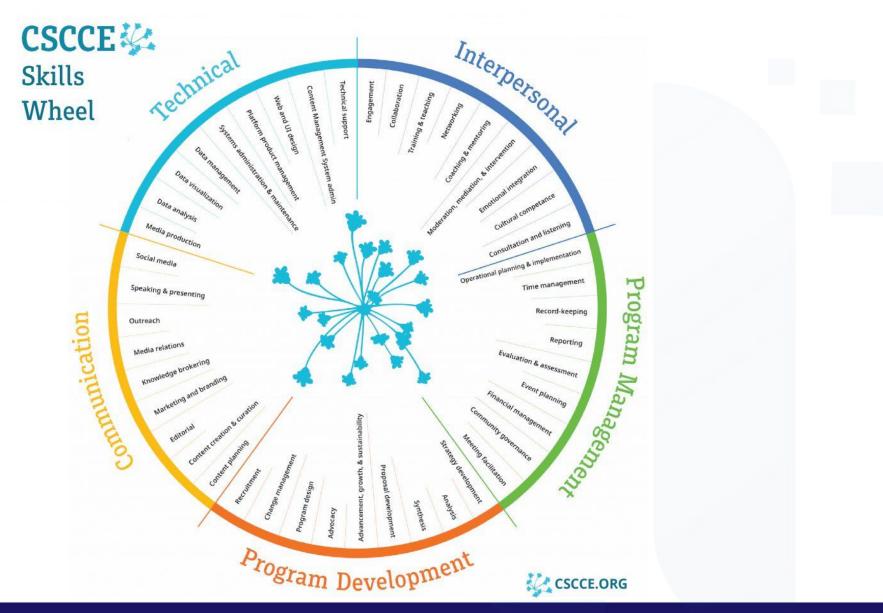


# The key to succes: Community Managers

A.k.a. Invisible Leaders









#### rolling agenda

#### strategic goals

2022 Launch NPOS 2030 Programme

The NPOS2030 Programme marks a new phase in the transition to Open Science in the Netherlands.



0.5 In 2025, all Open Science Communities (OSCs) are thriving, and form an entry point of research community engagement for NPOS actions. The scope of OSCs has extended beyond academia and includes all research performing organisations (e.g. Universities of Applied Science). There is structural financial support available to warrant the capacity for community building and community management in a sustainable manner.

lowards open scholarly communication



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2024-2016: National IvI investment of EUR 1.2M for local OSCs



Close collaboration between knowledge institutions, government, industry, and citizens to strengthen science and optimise the processes of creating, sharing, and communicating knowledge for the benefit of society

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Inclusive, efficient, and transparent processes of scientific (co-)creation, evaluation, quality assurance and communication

Removal of barriers to creating, reading, reusing and evaluating all Dutch scholarly output, so everyone can access scientific knowledge in a sustainable way and benefit from it

Products of and for knowledge creation, like data and software, being findable, accessible, interoperable, and reusable (FAIR), and open in as far regulations allow





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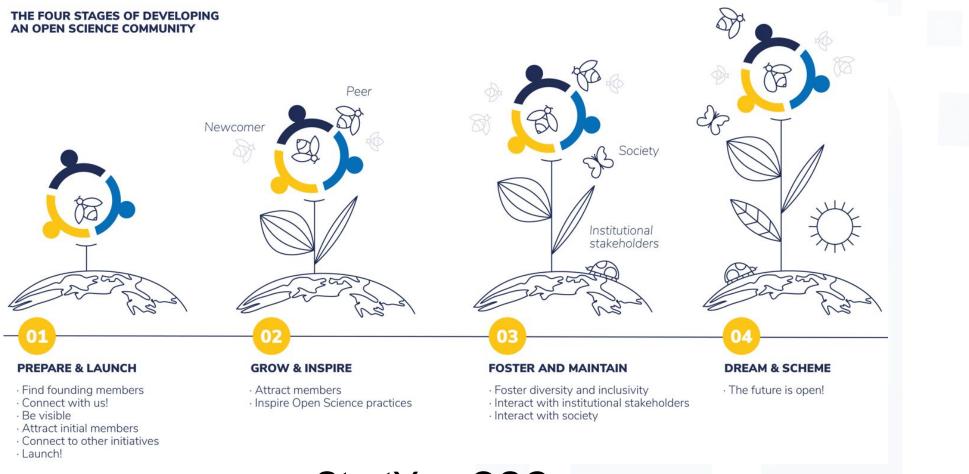


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## **OSC Starter Kit & Incubator program**



### www.StartYourOSC.com



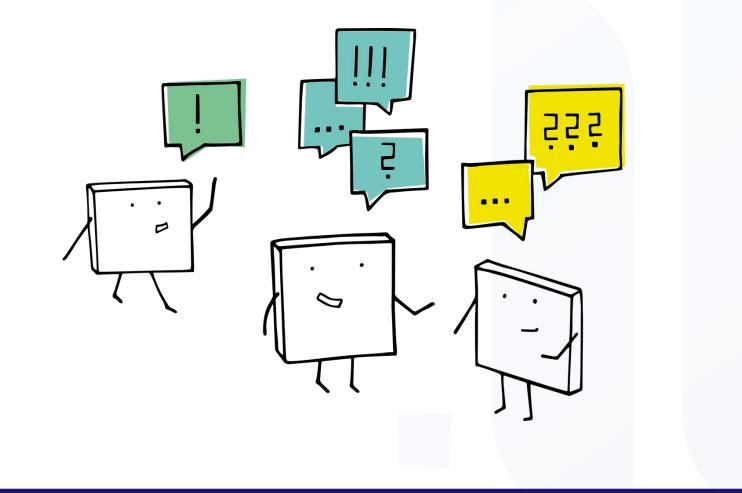
# **OSC Incubator Program**

- 12-week online program
- Set-up your OSC
- For researchers and support staff
- Offered twice per year
- Up to 10 participants
  - 2nd run starts Jan '24
  - <u>www.osc-international.com/start-your-own-osc</u>





# **Brainstorm: Opportunities for you!**





## Brainstorm: Community Engagement in your local context <u>www.tinyurl.com/ILOVECOMMUNITY</u> (in caps)

Group 1		
Names		
Question 1: Would an Open Science Community be useful in your local context?		
Question 2: Do you want to start an Open Science Community?		
Question 3: Can you apply the principles of community engagement in other ways in your local context?		
Email addresses		

- 5 min break
- 15 min break-out
- 10 min recap







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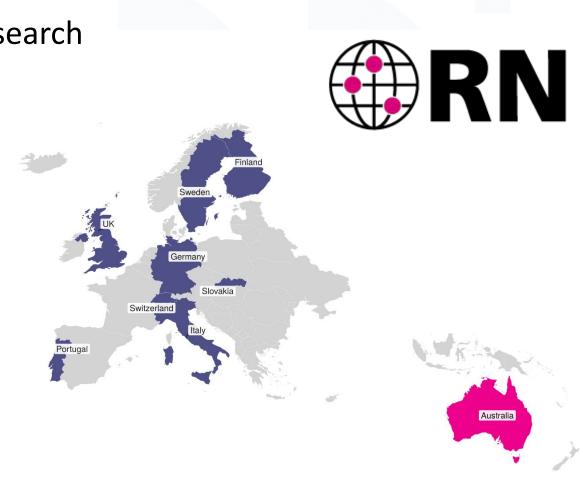




## **Open Science Communities & Reproducibility Networks**

- Foster reproducible and transparent research
- Stakeholder groups:
  - Institutional Members
  - External Stakeholders
  - Local Network Leads







## Out now!





OSC-NL and NLRN team up to collaborate on Open and Reproducible Science in the Netherlands By OSC-NL and NLRN

https://zenodo.org/records/10075257



Open Science Communities The Netherlands

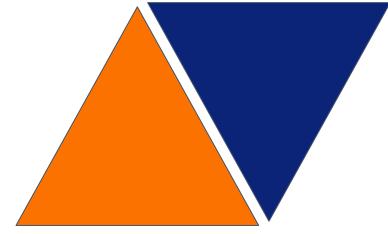
Members	•	Researchers and scholars Research supporters	
	•	Students	
Focus	•	Raising awareness	
	•	Outreach & onboarding	
	•	Peer-to-peer	
	•	Shifting norms and culture	
	•	Input to policy, infrastructure and	
		services	
	•	All aspects of OS	



- Institutes
- Other stakeholders (funders, publishers)
- Local initiatives
- Stakeholder alignment
- Agenda setting
- Training & support
- Reproducibility and meta-science









- Overlapping goals, different roles
- Combine bottom-up engagement with stakeholder alignment
- Joint activities on reproducibility
- Collaborate on Working Groups that promote reproducibility