

Ways to Integrate Open & **Citizen Science with Active** Learning Approaches in **Higher Education**

9. LEVERAGE THE ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES IN FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY INITIATIVES. Social movements asking for

more financial transparency on national & global levels should be supported by universities through citizen science.

8. ENGAGE IN OPEN **INNOVATION.**

Universities and their libraries, are expected to commit to new knowledge creation, thus becoming a

TO MEET AMBITIOUS SOCIAL OBJECTIVES. Whereas university staff may be involved in citizen science projects, university students are much less involved.

2. ADOPT INNOVATIVE APPROACHES IN ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENT FOR CIVIL SOCIETY. HE academic and library staff should go beyond mainstream solutions to reach out to new, groundbreaking initiatives.

> **3. INVOLVE ACADEMIC** & LIBRARY STAFF **IN THE DESIGN & IMPLEMENTATION OF CITIZEN SCIENCE.** Adopt more diversified roles at various stages of citizen science projects, beyond the 'observer' role of scientific validation or external evaluation.

key source of innovation in society.

7. BUILD TRUST & **SUSTAINABILITY BY INCLUDING CITIZENS.**

HEIs and academic libraries should look beyond the end of a citizen science project: take sustainability measures, strengthen community uptake and build trust with

volunteers.

5. SUPPORT LOCAL COMMUNITIES SEEKING SCIENTIFIC ADVICE. Collaboration between

4. DEVELOP CURRICULA THAT EMBRACE CITIZEN SCIENCE & PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN SHAPING SCIENCE. Include Citizen Science in HEI curricula as a means to mainstream it in university learning and teaching practice.

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scientists and citizens is of critical importance in environmental justice and public health advocacy. HEIs and their libraries play a key role in this.

Broad collaboration is needed to tackle social issues.

6. OPEN CITIZEN

SCIENCE PROJECTS

UP TO MANY

STAKEHOLDERS

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