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## KNM Workshop: Citizen Science

On Friday the 15th of February 2019, Kennisnetwerk Milieu is organising a workshop with the theme Citizen Science (incl. lunch). Spoken language is English. Citizen Science has become a popular notion in the past ten years, but many researchers and policy makers hardly know what the "citizen science" concept means and how "citizen science" can be applied in their own research. When and how can we involve citizens in scientific and policy oriented research? How reliable are the data created or gathered by citizens? What are the prospects and limitations of citizen science? In this workshop we will present some show cases of citizen science. In addition we will analyse the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threads of the methodologies used and we will discuss how citizen science can contribute in a unique and useful way to scientific and policy oriented research on environmental and sustainability issues. Aim: to develop a joint vision on new opportunities of citizen science for scientific and policy oriented research. Programme: 12:00 – 13:00: Welcome and lunch 13:00 – 13:15: Arnold van Vliet (ESA-WUR): the opportunities of citizen science for science and policy 13:15 – 13:30: Saskia Werners (WSG-WUR): citizen science and climate adaptation in South-East Asia 13:30 – 13:45: Arjan Droste (MAQ-WUR): urban citizen science: a hot issue 13:45 – 14:00: Anton Gerritsen (De Waterspin): national monitoring water quality by counting water organisms 14:00 – 14:05: intermezzo 14:05 – 14:15: Reina Kuiper (VO-HO network WUR): including students and school classes in scientific research 14:15 – 14:30: Gerben Mol (WENR-WUR): participative monitoring urban water quality 14:30 – 14:45: Marion Collewet (VU): participatory Value Evaluation: valuing public projects using citizen's preferences 14:45 – 15:05: coffee and tea break 15:05 – 15:50: workshop on the prospects, limitations, opportunities and risks of citizen science 15:50 – 16:00: presentation workgroup results 16:00 – 16:30: discussion and conclusions 16:30 – 17:00: drinks and bites Practical information: Registration: [here](#). Please transfer the required budget to: NL05INGB0004074415 tnv Studiekring Milieu. (registration includes lunch and drinks & bites) Price members KNM: €10,-- Price other participants: €20,-- Price students: free

**Locatie / location:** Room GAIA-1, GAIA building, Wageningen campus

**Datum / date:** 15-02-2019, 12:00

**Prijs leden / price members:** €10

**Prijs niet-leden / price non-members:** €20