



An Ecosystem of Citizen Observatories for Environmental Monitoring

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WEOBSERVE MISSION

Move citizen science into the mainstream by building a sustainable ecosystem of citizen observatories and related activities



7 Partner Institutions
7 Countries

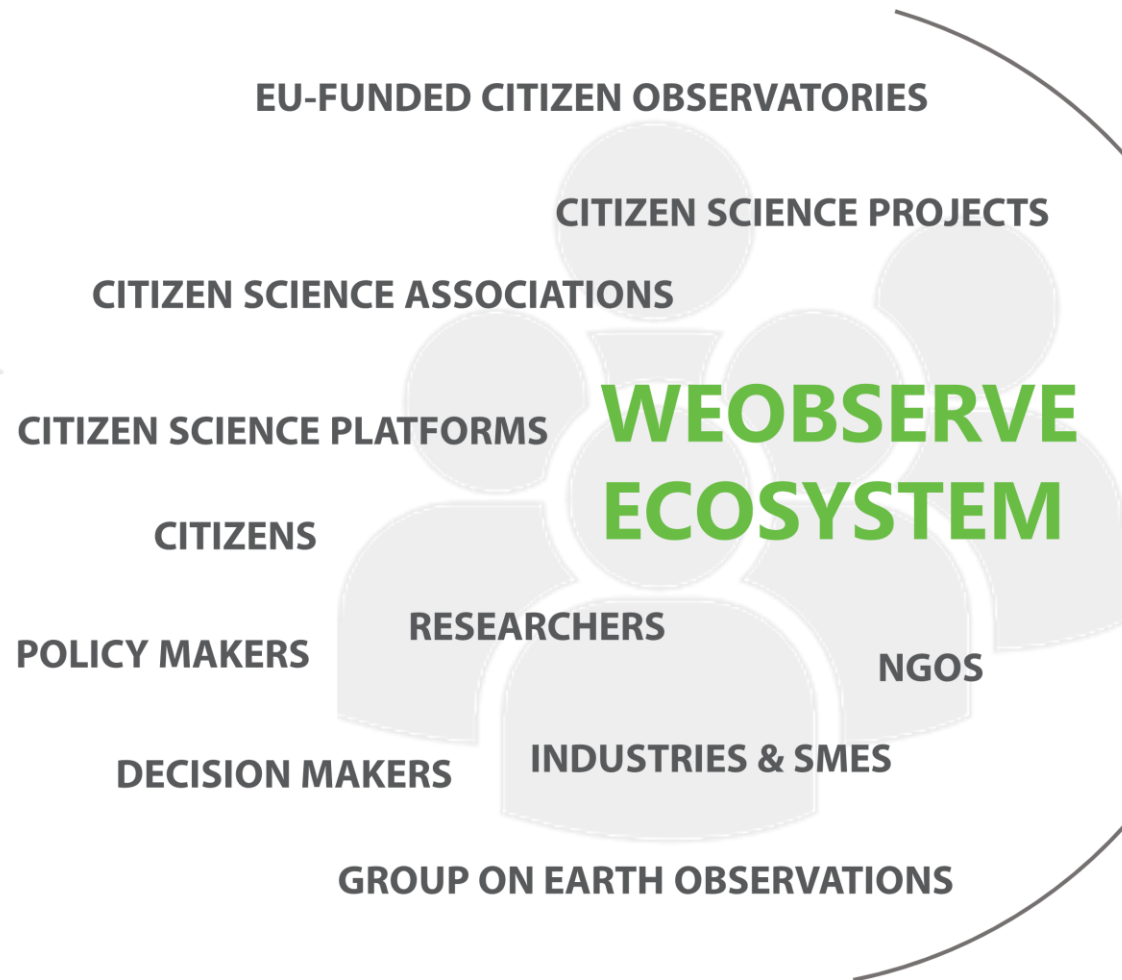


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WEOBSERVE OVERVIEW



KEY CHALLENGES TO MAINSTREAMING CITIZEN SCIENCE



AWARENESS

Generating awareness to build and sustain a critical mass to support citizen science initiatives



ACCEPTABILITY

Showcasing the added value of citizen-driven science to decision and policy makers



SUSTAINABILITY

Creating an ecosystem that can support and scale-up citizen science to various sectors



WE OBSERVE OBJECTIVES



1

Develop **communities of practices** around key topics to assess the current **CO knowledge base** and strengthen it to tackle future **environmental challenges** using CO-driven science

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Extend the **geographical coverage** of the CO knowledge base to **new communities** and support the implementation of **best practices and standards** across multiple sectors

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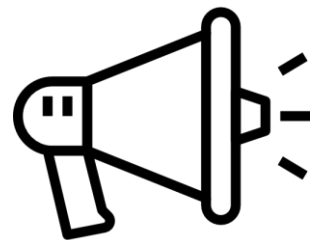
Demonstrate the added value of COs in environmental monitoring mechanisms within regional and global initiatives such as **GEOSS, Copernicus and the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)**

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Promote the **uptake of information** from CO-powered activities across various sectors and **foster new opportunities and innovation** in the business of in-situ earth observation



WE OBSERVE COMMUNITIES OF PRACTICE



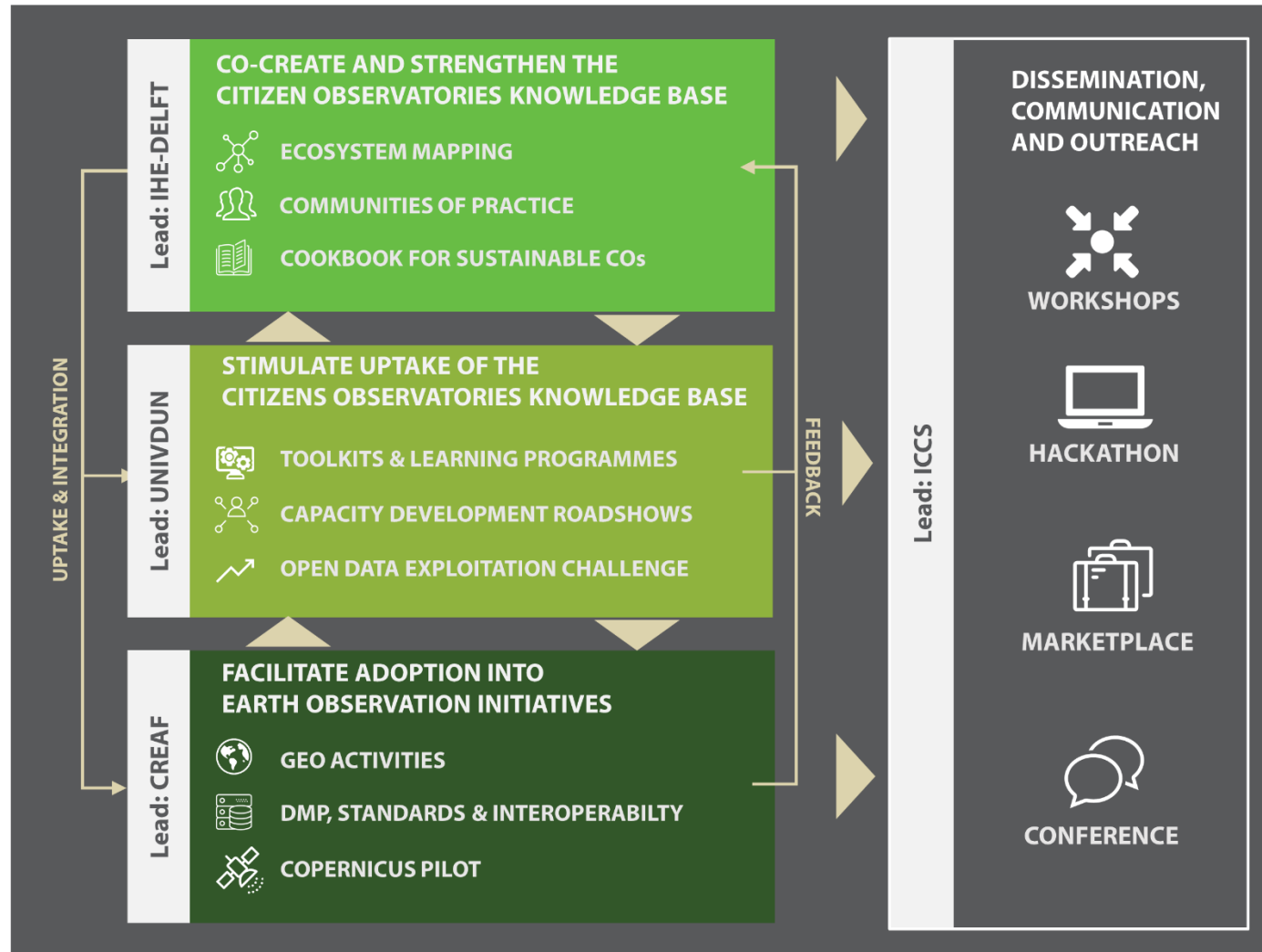
CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS

1st CoP Forum at ECSA Conference, Geneva – JUNE 6

<https://www.ecsa-conference.eu/>



WEOBSERVE PROCESS





THANK YOU!

Any Questions?

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