

Citizen Science for Water 2025 Call for Contributions: Submissions form

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Welcome to the submissions form of the CS4Water 2025 Conference! Here you can submit your proposed contribution to the Citizen Science for Water (CS4Water) Conference. The Call for Contributions is open from 31 October – 15 December 2024. You will be notified by 31 January 2025 whether your submission has been accepted. For questions, please contact our team at info@cs4water.net.



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☐ Yes

☐ No

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Q1 First Name

Q2 Last name

Q3 Organization/affiliation



Q4 Email



Q5 Confirm Email

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Start of Block: Submission characteristics

Q6 Which form of citizen science does your submission relate to? Please choose max. 2 options.

- ☐ Citizen science as part of the scientific method
- ☐ Environmental monitoring
- ☐ Public education in science
- ☐ Civic mobilisation
- ☐ Other

Q6b If other was selected, please share below:

Q7 What aspect of citizen science does your submission focus on? Please select max. 2 options.

- ☐ Community engagement & education
 - ☐ Inclusivity, diversity and accessibility
 - ☐ Learning from best practices and failures
 - ☐ Scalability and upscaling strategies
 - ☐ Data and knowledge-driven action
 - ☐ Policy advocacy and influence
 - ☐ Funding for citizen science
 - ☐ Impact assessment and evaluation
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Q8 Which water topic(s) does your submission relate to? Please select max. 3 topics.

- ☐ Sustainable Development Goal 6
- ☐ Groundwater management
- ☐ Hydrological modeling
- ☐ Water quality and monitoring
- ☐ Watershed management
- ☐ Flood Risk management
- ☐ Ecological restoration
- ☐ Wetland hydrology
- ☐ Wetland services valuation
- ☐ Wetland policy and legislation
- ☐ Non-point source pollution
- ☐ Water treatment technologies
- ☐ Pollutant monitoring and assessment
- ☐ Emerging contaminants management
- ☐ Adaptation and resilience strategies
- ☐ Water scarcity and drought management

- ☐ Flood and sea-level rise adaptation
- ☐ Water Governance and Policy
- ☐ Integrated water Resources management (IWRM)
- ☐ Legal and regulatory frameworks
- ☐ Public-private partnerships in water management
- ☐ Community-based water management
- ☐ Policy development and reform
- ☐ Ecosystem services valuation
- ☐ Biodiversity monitoring and protection
- ☐ Sustainable land use practices
- ☐ Urban water management
- ☐ Urban water management
- ☐ Water-energy nexus
- ☐ Water demand and supply management
- ☐ Groundwater-surface water interaction
- ☐ Groundwater depletion and conservation

- ☐ Water table and quality monitoring
 - ☐ Smart water management system
 - ☐ Data analytics and AI for water management
 - ☐ Decision support systems (DSS)
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Q9 Which CS4Water conference aim does your submission relate to?

- ☐ Promote collaborative research and knowledge sharing, fostering collaboration among an international community of scientists, practitioners, and citizens and communities to advance cooperative freshwater monitoring and management. (1)
 - ☐ Empower communities and institutions, boosting discourse surrounding decision-making, communication, and governance in the water commons to help restore, design, and ensure resilient freshwater bodies, groundwater, wetlands and deltas for the future of people and the planet. (2)
 - ☐ Advance sustainable solutions to the freshwater crises, co-exploring innovative, sustainable, citizen science- driven strategies for achieving the SDGs, especially in the Global South, and safeguarding water into the future. (3)
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Q10 What type of contribution do you wish to submit?

- ☐ Paper abstract for presentations (1)
- ☐ Workshop (7)
- ☐ Poster (8)
- ☐ Special interaction (9)
- ☐ Exhibition stand (10)
- ☐ Excursion (11)

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Start of Block: Paper abstract for presentations

Q11 Paper abstract title

Q12 Co-authors (name & affiliation)

Q13 Objectives

Q14 Please provide a brief summary of your scientific paper (context, objectives, methods, results) (200-350 words).

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Start of Block: Workshop

Q11 Workshop title

Q12 Workshop co-convenors

Q13 Keywords

Q14 Workshop objectives

Q15 Target audience

Q16 Workshop summary Please provide the workshop agenda and activities, the specific knowledge or practices it covers, learning outcomes, and any prerequisites, including the required level of experience (400 - 500 words)

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Start of Block: Poster

Q11 Poster title

Q12 Co-authors (name & affiliations)

Q13 Keywords

Q14 Please provide a brief summary of the poster you wish to present, along with an indication of why the topic is of significant value to the conference and its audience (200 - 350 words).

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Start of Block: Special interaction

Q11 Special interaction title

Q12 Name, affiliation and role of co-organisers

Q13 Keywords

Q14 Please provide a description of your proposed special interaction, specifying the form, objectives, target audience, timeframe and other requirements (300-500 words). Please note that you will be responsible for the content and organization of your special interaction (in case of acceptance)

Start of Block: Exhibition stand

Q11 Exhibition stand name

Q12 Exhibition stand team (name & affiliation)

Q14 Please provide the purpose and description of your exhibition stand and any special requests you might have.

Q15 Website link

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Start of Block: Excursion

Q11 Excursion title

Q12 (Co-)organisers

Q13 Keywords

Q14 Location

Q15 Please provide details of your proposed excursion and how it will offer conference participants a chance to explore relevant sites related to the conference theme (CS4Water) within South Holland. Please detail the objectives, target audience, length, main activities, and implementation requirements (tools, infrastructure, transport, etc.).

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