



INTERNATIONAL TRANSDISCIPLINARITY CONFERENCE 2019 - JOINING FORCES FOR CHANGE

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Our societies are facing critical points in their development, where large challenges are becoming increasingly difficult to handle. Numerous conflicts and complexities are surfacing – to which we can see societies responding with fragmentation, intolerance and exclusion.

Date: 10-13 September 2019

Location: Gothenburg, Sweden

More information and registration: www.transdisciplinarity.ch/itd2019

One way to address such developments is through societal transformation processes that implicitly include a variety of interest groups, stakeholders and organisations. Transdisciplinary (TD) research is one approach that focuses specifically on co-producing and integrating knowledge and expertise from a variety of sources, including communities, research, cities and businesses. It is an approach that is driven by the need to create processes where values and transformations towards a more just and sustainable society are openly debated.

The aim of this conference, Joining Forces for Change, is to bring together actors from different professional mandates, disciplines and sectors to engage and discuss practical examples and case studies that approach societal transformation through boundary breaking collaboration.

The conference invites practitioners and researchers from government and administrative organisations and agencies, interest groups from community and business, and researchers and students from across the university. The overall focus is on what we can learn from our collaborative experiences, case studies and practices regarding wider societal transformation, methodological innovations and theoretical development.

We will specifically search for “sites for change” in terms of spaces, practices and learnings where TD research and co-production play a crucial role.

The registration for the International Transdisciplinarity Conference 2019 is now open!

Do not miss the early bird fees valid until June 30.

We will have a very rich programme with outstanding keynote speakers, 36 sessions, 20 workshops, posters and exhibition – including more than 170 contributors from all continents.

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