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The tdAcademy is back from the summer break with many interesting offers, events and other opportunities to join and meet the transdisciplinary research community. We invite you to apply for a fellowship focussing on the scientific effects of TD research and to tell the community about yourselves - our ITD21 video might convince you to do so. And of course we hope to see you at one of the next events from the tdAcademy team, fellows and cooperation partners!

Research | Scientific Effects: Call for Fellows - Apply now!
The tdAcademy Topic Line 2 at ISOE invites applications for a fellow group to work on the topic of scientific effects of transdisciplinary research, funded by the Robert Bosch Stiftung. Application is possible until 30 September.

Learn more & apply

Community | Have you already joined and filled your profile?
The tDCommunity as an “interactive address book” works best if you provide some relevant information about your TD work. We made that simple for you by introducing fixed categories to choose from. We're looking forward to read more about you!

Register & edit your profile
New website area: Capacity Building online and on request

We expanded our website: You can now find all capacity building materials we provide online in one section. In addition, we offer a list of TD workshops on request - and the opportunity for tdCommunity members to promote their own TD trainings!

Learn more & send us your offers

Event | 12 October, 12-1.30pm (CEST), The responsive & constitutive character of TD

In this webinar, tdAcademy fellows Ulli Vilsmaier and Dena Fam elaborate on the responsive and constitutive character of transdisciplinarity as a research orientation, a methodological feature, and an attitude - with a focus on its consequences for higher education.

Learn more & register

Event | 17 October, 5-6.30pm (CEST): Let's talk about it: Transdisziplinarität & Co-Production

In our dialogue session, Matthias Wanner (Wuppertal Institut) and Christian Hampe (Utopiastadt) will discuss the premises of transdisciplinary and transformative research on truely equal footing. (Language: German)

Learn more & register

Event | 29 November, Reflexionsworkshop: Wirkungen kontinuierlich im Blick behalten

In this online workshop, the tdAcademy team at the ZTG presents their experiences with testing a set of methods for impact reflection in transdisciplinary research projects. Flurina Schneider and Armin Wiek will comment the results. (Language: German)

Learn more & register
Video | tdAcademy online platform at ITD21

We had the great opportunity to present the idea behind td-academy.org and how it works at last year's ITD Conference. You can now watch our short video at the conference website.

Event | 29 September, Partizipationstagung

Die Tagung beschäftigt sich mit den Chancen und Grenzen der Partizipation in der Wissenschaft. Sie findet am Museum für Naturkunde Berlin und online statt.

Ulli Vilsmaier & Dena Fam (2022): The Responsive and Constitutive Character of Transdisciplinarity: Consequences for Higher Education

This publication was produced by Dena Fam (UTS, Australia) and Ulli Vilsmaier (Responsive Research Collective, Switzerland) as part of the tdAcademy fellowship on the transformation of universities towards dynamic and relational inter- and transdisciplinary institutions. The paper outline challenges and opportunities in implementing transdisciplinarity in higher education that emerge from its dual role as both responsive and constitutive. It proposes various measures to create enabling environments for transdisciplinary education at universities.

Read article in the Journal of Educational Studies

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