

td-net Network for Transdisciplinary Research

## Swiss Inter- and transdisciplinarity Day 2016 University of Lucerne, November 7, 2016, 9:15-aprox. 17:00

How to develop a successful inter- and transdisciplinary proposal - Bringing together researcher's and funder's perspectives

## **Call For Contributions**

The 2016 Swiss Inter- and Transdisciplinarity Day is organised by td-net in cooperation with the University of Lucerne.

The Swiss Inter- and Transdisciplinarity Day 2016 addresses the framing phase of interand transdisciplinary projects. This very important phase includes elaborating the lifeworld and scientific goals, analysing context and actors in the field of the project, involving representatives from disciplines and stakeholders in the respective field, defining the scientific work plan and stakeholder engagement concept, finding potential funding bodies and writing a proposal.

The Framing phase poses several challenges, including:

The design oft the process, finding suitable methods to deliberatively frame a project with representatives from different disciplines and stakeholders, finding resources to conduct the funding phase and finding suitable research funders to submit the proposal.

At the Conference we want to share experiences of inter- and transdisciplinary project framing phases and proposal elaboration. Furthermore we invite research funders to discuss ideas about funding of framing phases as well as ways to submit the elaborated proposals.

Examples of inter- and transdisciplinary project framing and proposal development will be presented from projects funded by the "Sustainable Development at Universities Programme" (link) and from an open call.

We invite you to contribute your experiences in framing an inter- or transdisciplinary project, as well as experiences with funding schemes, either as **Oral presentation** or

**Poster** 

Please submit an abstract (200-400 words) to <a href="mailto:tobias.buser@scnat.ch">tobias.buser@scnat.ch</a>, including Title, Author(s) with affiliation, Abstract Text (text only) and remark if you prefer poster or oral presentation. Format: Word .doc, .docx, .rtf

Language: English or German or French

Deadline for abstract submission: July 11 2016

If you are envisaging to organise a workshop, please contact tobias.buser@scnat.ch