



## Citizen Science and Earth Observation II

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Dear Colleagues,

The term citizen science is used when scientific work is performed partially or completely by volunteers, which are usually non-experts. During the last decade, citizen science and projects which are based on user-generated content have dramatically increased. Citizen science in the field of Earth observation has started more recently and a number of projects have evolved which involve citizens in monitoring the environment. Furthermore, citizen-based observations can support earth observation in a number of different fields such as climate change, sustainable development, drought monitoring, land cover or land-use change. Moreover, there is the potential to use citizen-based observations in combination with other currently increasing earth observation data from new sensors such as the Sentinel family of satellites and Landsat. The proposed special issue welcomes contributions in the field of Earth observation and its applications.

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