



tdAcademy

Platform for Transdisciplinary Studies and Research

The tdAcademy is a research and community platform to strengthen the transdisciplinary research mode. tdAcademy pursues three objectives: **Research, Enable and Connect**.

As a project, we conduct research on core questions of transdisciplinarity. We focus on **four topic lines** for which we seek to derive new findings for transdisciplinary research.

Through our website, we support the direct **exchange between researchers** through community offers and information on events and projects related to transdisciplinary research.

Objectives

Research

Developing and consolidating state of the art insights with the transdisciplinary research community

Enable

Providing capacity building opportunities for transdisciplinary researchers

Connect

Supporting and further developing the transdisciplinary research community by providing a space for exchange, reflection, collaboration, and new ideas

Research focus

Topic line 1

Societal effects of transdisciplinary research, following up on the findings of the previous project TransImpact

Topic line 2

Scientific effects of transdisciplinary research, which have been insufficiently studied

Topic line 3

Contextual dependencies of transdisciplinary research with regard to the generalisability of case specific insights and the design of research projects within different cultural contexts

Topic line 4

New formats in which transdisciplinary research can be conducted or which apply specific participatory concepts that enrich transdisciplinary research

Guest and Fellowship Programme

The **Guest and Fellowship** Programme is funded by the Robert Bosch Stiftung and enables an active involvement of relevant actors of transdisciplinary research in the tdAcademy.



With this programme, researchers – especially early-career researchers – from the Global South and Global North have the opportunity to:

- Develop innovative approaches and ideas
- Discuss the latest developments of transdisciplinary research
- Work individually or collaboratively on specific topics, e.g. write publications or position papers
- Expand their network and exchange their research experiences
- Present their research to the global community

Networking in the tdCommunity

- Our website is a research platform and meeting point for transdisciplinary researchers and research about transdisciplinarity.
- Together with other experts of transdisciplinary research we discuss and widen our research results.
- Researchers with similar interests can meet in the tdCommunity area on our website where they can connect and find partners for new collaborations.
- We seek to jointly collect and publish projects in our database to provide an overview of the transdisciplinary research landscape.

Capacity building through tdEvents

- The transdisciplinary research landscape is manifold. The platform tdAcademy provides an overview of diverse events and capacity building offers.
- The event calendar on our website shows current conferences, webinars and workshops focused on transdisciplinary research.
- You are planning your own event on transdisciplinary research and would like to announce it? Events can be submitted via our event formular to our calendar.

Become a member of the tdCommunity!
Sign up here: <https://td-academy.org/en/home/>

