

Call for Contributions:

regiosuisse-Wissenschaftsforum 2021: «Forschungsupdate Regionalentwicklung, Regionalwirtschaft und Regionalpolitik» 13.–14. September 2021, Andermatt (UR)

Who can submit contributions?

The forum is open to all the people of any scientific disciplines and professional activities interested and/or working in the field of regional and urban economic and development. Young researchers and professionals with impactful ideas are particularly welcome.

Target areas and sectors of the contributions

The contributions should be targeted to the following main geographical/functional areas and sectors:

- Rural and mountain regions, peripheral spaces
- Urban spaces and agglomerations
- Industry and services
- Tourism and culture

Topics

We search for Contributions addressing visions, development approaches, tools and policies for sustainable and resilient regional development regional economy and regional policy.

The contributions can be inspired of the following topics:

- Innovation and creativity for development (agile innovation, design thinking, design sprint, etc.)
- Sustainable regional economic development
- Entrepreneurship and innovation
- Social capital and social innovation
- Development processes and dynamics and referring policy approaches
- Development management approaches and processes
- New forms of collaboration between research and practice
- Methods of territorial analysis, modelling, simulation and evaluation in the era of big data and artificial intelligence
- Sustainable landscape management as a basis for tourism and regional development
- Circular economy
- Sustainability, resilience, wellbeing and climate change
- Smart Villages, Smart Cities and Smart Regions
- Industry 4.0
- Presential economy
- Contributions targeting Covid / Post-Covid topics

Forms of the contributions

The contributions can be submitted to any forms:

- Scientific papers
- Posters
- Short movies
- Games (e.g. serious games)
- IT tools and applications (incl. Apps)
- etc.

Languages

German, French or English

Deadline for the submission: March 31, 2021

The selected contribution will be the bases to form 5–8 creating thematic clusters.
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