



# GYA Newsletter

## May 2022

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### *GYA AGM and Conference happening this month!*

Learn more about the Conference topic "Harmonising Reason with Sensibility", read the Conference Programme, and discover satellite sessions happening in June on our [Conference website here](#).

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## GYA News



"Harmonising Reason with Sensibility -  
Regenerating science for an inclusive  
and sustainable future"

## GYA International Conference of Young Scientists

14-17 June 2022 Fukuoka, Japan and online

### Happening soon! The GYA's AGM and International Conference of Young Scientists

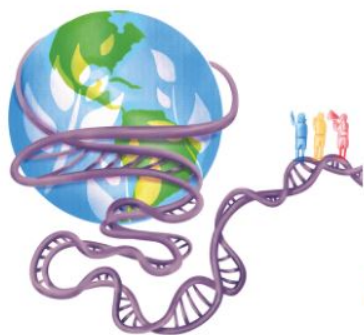
The 2022 **GYA Annual General Meeting (AGM)** will be held ONLINE from 13-17 June 2022, in connection with the International Conference of Young Scientists on the topic "Harmonising Reason with Sensibility: Regenerating science for an inclusive and sustainable future".

The International Conference will be hosted by the **Young Academy of Japan**, with support from the **Science Council of Japan (SCJ)**.

**The conference will include in-person meetings for those already living in Japan, with ONLINE participation for GYA members, alumni and partners from around the world.**

**Programme details are available on the Conference website here.**

Questions? Email [info@globalyoungacademy.net](mailto:info@globalyoungacademy.net)



## SCIENCE ADVICE RESOURCE CENTRE

GYA SCIENCE ADVICE WORKING GROUP

### Introducing the GYA's Science Advice Resource Centre

The GYA's **Science Advice Working Group** recently unveiled the **Science Advice Resource Centre**, a platform that features peer-reviewed articles on governmental science advice, science policy, science diplomacy, and science communication by and for early-career researchers (ECRs). The platform is intended to be an initial entry point



### Opening the library doors...

Executive Committee member [Anna Harris](#) (University of Maastricht, Netherlands) reflects on paywalls, Open Access and Open Science, and the GYA's collaboration with Open Research Europe in the newest GYA Blog entry, "[Opening the library doors...](#)"

### *GYA online*



### GYA unveils Science Leadership Programme video

Since 2014, more than 200 young scholars and scientists have taken part in GYA-supported capacity-building science leadership programmes or workshops. This

[Read the news item here.](#)



### Check out the SCISO video playlists

The Science with Society (SCISO) videos are now organized into three playlists: The Role of Science in Society; Basics of Science Communication; and From Inspiration to Practice.

**Science with Society** (SCISO) is a **Trust in (Young) Scientists** working group project in collaboration with the German National Institute for Science Communication (NaWik) and funded by the Volkswagen Foundation, which aims to help build trust in science among people through a series of tutorial videos.

**The #SCISO videos were unveiled in March, and are available on our YouTube channel here.** If you haven't already, please do subscribe!

### Items of interest

**Citizen Science in Deliberative Systems: Participation, Epistemic Injustice, and Civic Empowerment**, co-authored by GYA members **Lisa Herzog** (University of Groningen, Netherlands) and **Robert Lepenies** (Karlsruhe International University, Germany)





A number of GYA working groups are organising public and live online sessions as part of the 2022 GYA AGM and International Young Scientist Conference, to showcase their work to fellow GYA members and also beyond the GYA.

**GYA At-Risk Scholars initiative:** If scholars have to flee their countries, how can their knowledge be preserved?

**GYA Trust in (Young) Scientists working group:** SCISO - Behind the scenes of a project.

**Science Advice working group:** Science Advice for Policy Making workshop.

**Importance of Fundamental Research:** Back to Basics: Scientists' perception of the global state of funding for fundamental research.

The **Science + Art = Peace and Justice** and **Biodiversity for Survival via Biomedicine (Bio2Bio)** working groups are organising an exhibition on science and art. **Details for each event (including Zoom links and registration) can be found on the public GYA Conference website.**

## Call for New Voices in Global Health at WHS 2022

The GYA is seeking 4–5 contributions from the GYA and/or (National) Young Academies for a New Voices in Global Health session at the World Health Summit 2022.

**Deadline for applications is 15 June 2022.**

**Details are available here.**

## GYA project on the COVID-19 pandemic and art

The GYA **19and.ART** project asks for your help by emailing us links to the following: (1) short cartoon movies / anime; (2) street art; or (3) caricatures / cartoons that you find on the internet, to **19andART@gmail.com**. For cartoon movies, our focus is on short educational movies (2-3 minutes) from different contexts that do not use language. However, at this stage of our project, we will collect rather broadly, and are looking forward to receiving your hyperlinks.

**Deadline is 30 June 2022.**

## Science Advice in Latin America

In April 2022, **Science Advice working group** co-lead **Alma Cristal Hernández Mondragón** (Center for Research and Advanced Studies of the National Polytechnic Institute, Mexico), and group members **Felix Moronta** (International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, Venezuela), past EC member **Sandra López-Verges** (Gorgas Memorial Institute for Health Studies, Panama), **Luciana Balboa** (Institute of Experimental Medicine, National Academy of Medicine, Argentina), **Fernando Valiente** (Universidad de Chile Faculty of Medicine, Chile), as well as GYA alumnus **Alex Godoy** (Universidad del Desarrollo, Chile) organised and participated in the Regional Conference on Science Advice in Latin America.

The objective of the conference was to provide students and young researchers with an introductory perspective on science advice, and to highlight the participation of young Latin American scientists in crises such as the COVID-19 pandemic in their countries of residence, as well as on global challenges facing the Latin-American region.

## Science Diplomacy in the Americas

Two members from the GYA incubator on **Science Diplomacy in the Americas**, **Sandra López-Verges** (Gorgas Memorial Institute for Health Studies, Panama) and **Alma Cristal**

Spanish, which took place in April 2022 in San José, Costa Rica.

The course was organised by the University of Costa Rica in coordination with the Multicountry Office of UNESCO in San José, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship, the Red Government Scientific Advisory Council (INGSA Latin America) and the Central American Integration System and SciDipGLOBAL.

The course aimed to bring together the scientific and diplomatic communities in areas of priority for the region's sustainable development, to transfer skills in science diplomacy between both spheres, and thus support the construction of a bridge between the academy and decision-makers.

**SPECIAL CALL FOR PAPERS**

<https://bit.ly/JSPGOpenScience>

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AS AN ACCELERATOR OF  
THE SUSTAINABLE  
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## Special Topics Call for Submissions: Open Science Policies as an Accelerator for Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals

The **Journal of Science Policy & Governance (JSPG)**, the UN Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (**UNESCO**) and the Major Group for Children and Youth (**MGCY**) have launched a call for papers and competition on shaping the future of global scientific practices in the light of the COVID-19 pandemic, focused on Open Science Policies as an Accelerator for Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals.

The GYA **Open Science working group** acts as an outreach partner for this Special Issue.

Students, post-doctoral researchers, policy fellows, early-career researchers and young professionals from around the world are invited to develop bold and innovative policy and governance ideas for exploring the untapped potential of Open Science to create a better society, and push for the attainment of the **UN Agenda 2030 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)**.

**Submission deadline is 10 July 2022.**

For further information and submission guidelines, see [here](#).

Young Academies from all over Europe met in Brussels, Belgium, in May 2022. The meeting, organised and hosted by the [Belgian Young Academy](#), brought together representatives from 19 Young Academies and academy initiatives; some representatives joined online.

The GYA was represented by past Executive Committee member [Maral Dadvar](#) (TU Darmstadt, Germany), [Science Advice](#) working group co-lead [Markus Prutsch](#) (European Parliament, Belgium), and GYA Senior Project Officer Anna-Maria Gramatté. For the first time ever, this meeting was held in conjunction with the ALLEA General Assembly and Public Symposium, which provided opportunities for discussions and planning of future joint activities.

[Read the report here.](#)

## Survey on research funding by German Young Academy

Research funding from public sources is increasingly distributed by competitive grant calls rather than via base funding of universities. With their survey, the German Young Academy aim to get an impression of preferences among young academy members in Europe for distributing research funding via competitive grant calls vs. base funding. This survey is based on discussions within the [German Young Academy's](#) working group on [Science Policy](#), and is run by the [Donders Institute Sleep & Memory Lab](#). This survey is anonymous. The deadline is 10 June 2022, and all members of a young academy in Europe are invited to respond.

[Survey available here.](#)



## Young Academy of Spain

Five members from the [Young Academy of Spain](#) have been awarded for their outstanding contributions to their fields: Estrella Díaz Sánchez, Distinguished Researcher at the University of Castilla-La Mancha, and Fernando López Gallego, Ikerbasque Professor and director of the heterogeneous biocatalysis group at CIC biomAGUNE have been recognised by the Government of Castilla-La Mancha with the Young Researchers Award.



Bioengineering of Catalonia, César de la Fuente Núñez, Presidential Assistant Professor at the University of Pennsylvania and leader of the Machine Biology Group, and Beatriz Pelaz García, principal investigator at CiQUS of the University of Santiago de Compostela and co-director of the BioNanoTools group.

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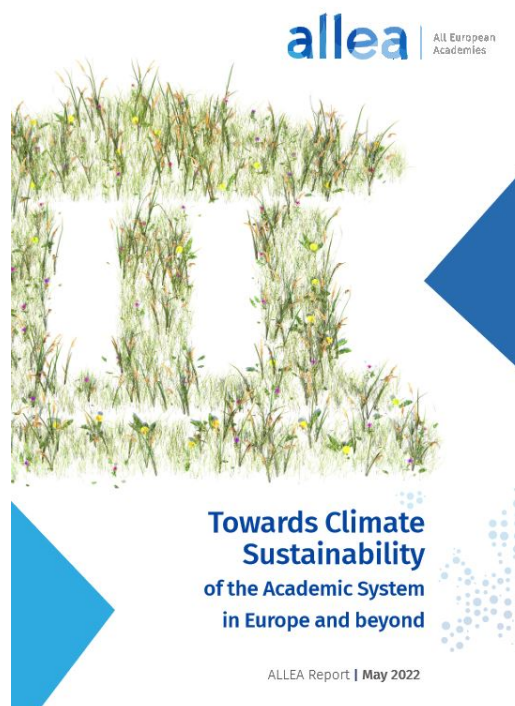
## Partners

### ALLEA Climate sustainability in academia report

This report delves into academia's impact on the climate through its own operations from the perspective of various stakeholders that play a key role in shaping the academic system. The report makes a series of tailored recommendations to mitigate detrimental effects.

Astrid Eichhorn, Speaker of the [German Young Academy](#), was Chair of the Drafting Group for this report.

[Read the report here.](#)



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### ALLEA launches call for applications for the European Fund for Displaced Scientists

ALLEA, the European Federation of Academies of Sciences and Humanities, is launching the call for applications for Funding Line 1 of the European Fund for Displaced Scientists (EFDS). Funding Line 1 provides funds to academic institutions (including universities, academies, and other research-performing organisations) within the Council of Europe region that are willing and able to host displaced Ukrainian scholars.

[More information on the call is available here.](#)

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## Events

13-17 June 2022

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**26 June - 1 July 2022**

#### **[Lindau Meeting on Chemistry](#)**

All five GYA nominees, who hail from Malaysia, Cameroon, Saudi Arabia, Mexico, and India, respectively, were selected to participate in the 71st Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting on Chemistry.

**23-27 August 2022**

#### **[Lindau Meeting on Economic Sciences](#)**

GYA nominee Bartosz Bartkowski, an early-career researcher at the Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research, Germany, was selected to participate in this meeting, which has been delayed since 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

**1-3 November 2022**

#### **[Worldwide Meeting of Young Academies/ Triennial IAP General Assembly and Joint Conference](#)**

The Worldwide Meeting of Young Academies 2022 is for the first time ever being organised in collaboration with the InterAcademy Partnership's General Assembly and will strengthen connections and collaborations between Young Academies and established science academies the world over.

Both events will take place online and at Biosphere 2, Arizona, USA.

**5-9 December 2022**

#### **[2022 World Science Forum](#)**

Every two years, scientist from all over the world gather for the World Science Forum with focus on the social and economic relevance, influence and responsibilities of science. This years iteration of this world-renowned event takes place in Cape Town, South Africa. The GYA has had a seat on the Steering Committee for the WSF since 2019, and has proposed several thematic sessions for this year's event.

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