



Concha Colomer
Symposium



9TH CONCHA COLOMER SYMPOSIUM

***Participatory approaches for strengthening communities to
enhance community health and wellbeing***

the 28th of July, 2021

This year we will work with a very special online interactive format

Every participant will have the opportunity to experience one or two workshops with a participatory method developed by the ETC- Summer School participants. The workshops focus on participatory approaches for strengthening communities and also have a training purpose for participants.

Participation in the symposium is **FREE**.

The deadline for registration is the 09th of July, 2021

Link for registration: <https://forms.office.com/r/PHEUJTGGY5>

PROGRAM

15:00 - 15:15	Welcome by Magdalena Wrzesinska		
15:15 - 16:45 Workshops round 1	Rhizomic Research (Tutors: Bengt Lindstrom & Claudia Magistretti)	Place standard tool (Tutors: Carlos Alvarez Dardet & Rosana Peiró Perez)	Structured Interview Matrix (SIM) (Tutors: Gwendolijn Boonekamp & Gaby Ortiz Barreda)
17:00 - 18:00 Workshops round 2	Photovoice (Tutors: Paolo Contu, Lynne Kennedy & Anna Bonmatí Tomàs)	Survey Feedback (Tutors: Arnd Hofmeister & Lenneke Vaandrager)	
18:00 - 18:30	Participatory Closure Giancarlo Pocetta, Patrizia Garista, Gordana Pavlekovic and Giuseppe Masanotti		

Information about the methods used in the workshops

Place Standard Tool: The Place Standard tool provides a simple framework to structure conversations about place. It allows you to think about the physical elements of a place as well as the social aspects. The tool pinpoints the assets of a place as well as areas where a place could improve.

Photovoice: Photovoice is a participatory method by which people create and discuss photographs as a means of catalyzing personal and community change.

Structured interview Matrix (SIM): The structured interview matrix (SIM) is a facilitation technique originally developed for organizational analysis and strategic planning. It can be employed to engage individuals and organisations in deliberations to map and synthesize assets and functional needs and discuss ways to employ them towards a common goal.

Survey Feedback: Survey Feedback is participatory tool which provides communities with an opinion of the wants and needs of a community and helps them in taking an informed decision for future steps. It is a mixed methods approach in which communities discuss how quantitative results of a survey can/ should be interpreted or understood.

Rhizomic Research: Conversely to trees, the rhizome is open at both ends. It has no central or governing structure; it has neither beginning nor end. As a rhizome has no center, it spreads continuously without beginning or ending and basically exists in a constant state of play. In the rhizomatic model, knowledge is negotiated, and the learning experience is a social as well as a personal knowledge creation process with mutable goals and constantly negotiated premises.