Annelies Zoomers new WOTRO chair

The NWO Executive board has appointed Prof. Annelies Zoomers as chair of the Steering Committee of WOTRO Science for Global Development with effect from 1 March 2019. WOTRO looks forward to a fruitful collaboration because of her decisive and connecting personality, strong profile in research for global development, managerial experience and broad network.

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UDW-call on Connecting Worlds of Knowledge

At the annual meeting of the Urbanising Deltas of the World (UDW) research and innovation programme, a call on enhancing the use and translation of UDW research results was launched by programme manager Han van Dijk.

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Stimulating research uptake through stories of change and networking

Calendar

1 May
Deadline Urbanising Deltas of the World - Connecting Worlds of Knowledge

2 May
Deadline Dutch National Research Agenda - Idea Generator

9 May
Deadline Dutch National Research Agenda - Research along Routes by Consortia (NWA-ORC)

25 Apr
Seminar 'Working towards Resilient...
‘If you are not ashamed of the first version of your story, you waited too long to share it’ - one of the valuable tips given by the ‘stories of change’ trainer during the midterm workshop for the SRHR research projects in Jordan. The workshop focused on research uptake, cross-learning, sharing preliminary research findings with the wider SRHR community in Jordan and receiving useful recommendations for linking research to policy from Jordan experts.

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Looking for final reviewer(s) for the Security and Rule of Law Programme

A final review for the Security and Rule of Law (SRoL) programme is tendered, since the programme will come to a close mid-2020. This final review on programme level will be aimed at learning and accountability; the reviewers will assess the performance of the programme in terms of results, and identify recommendations to improve research programming and funding for development. NWO-WOTRO invites interested parties to submit an application before 20 May 2019.

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Turning around a fishing dispute in Palk Bay

Three years after a WOTRO-funded research project in Sri Lanka and India had ended, a complex dispute over fisher rights in the Palk Bay changed in favour of the marginalised Tamil fishermen.

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Next round in funding senior CGIAR experts

Senior experts, employed by Dutch research organisations and involved in CGIAR research or management, are offered a chance to spend (more) time on their CGIAR activities. The call to cover some of their personnel costs has been reopened with an adjustment in requirements for the senior expert. The deadline for the next assessment round is 4 June 2019.

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The Campus Hero Cafe

Violence against women and girls is pervasive throughout Bangladeshi society and takes many forms. The Campus Hero Café project aims to initiate social change to prevent such violence. The project - with Dr Syed Saikh Imtiaz - aspires to trigger this change by making male adolescents reflect critically on what it implies to be a man.

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LEAP-Agri kick-off meeting

At 12 March 2019, Patricia Wagenmakers from the Dutch Ministry of Agriculture (LNV), as well as Cora Govers and Monika Brasser from NWO-WOTRO, welcomed researchers, stakeholders and policy makers at the Dutch LEAP-Agri kick-off meeting. The addresses as well as group discussions emphasised the need for cooperation with all kinds of partners in development.

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