

Plant Sciences and Policy: Science in Dialogue

Panel and Plenary Discussion

Wednesday 2 November 2011, 5.00 – 6.30 p.m.
ETH Main Building, HG F 33.1

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Sabine Ziegler, *member of the cantonal council of Zurich, Social democratic party*
Daniel Mietchen, *Online science strategist*
Daniel Saraga, *science journalist*

Moderation: Jacopo Pasotti, *Science journalist*

Free entrance, no registration required, language English

Nowadays, scientists are expected – and often also want to – engage in dialogue with the public, the media and policy-makers. How can this be done in an effective way? What are the criteria for a successful and active dialogue? How can a two-way communication be encouraged? In this roundtable discussion, experts from media, science and policy exchange their ideas and experiences of 'science in dialogue'.

Anybody interested in the limits and chances of dialogue between science and policy-making is welcome to attend and contribute to this event – PhD students, postdocs, and PIs alike.

