

Participatory action research for transformative placemaking

Dr. Marleen Buizer is a scholar at Wageningen University's Rural Sociology Group, where she teaches and researches the politics of participation and place-making in urban and rural settings. Her research focuses on the interactions between formal participatory processes and how people engage informally with places in their everyday lives, highlighting tensions and synergies. Employing interpretive methodologies, including participatory action research and storytelling, she aims to uncover the rich, lived dimensions of place-making.

This seminar, grounded in examples from the Netherlands, will explore how participatory place-making becomes manifest in urban and rural contexts, and what participatory research can mean in these diverse landscapes.

Free event, registration
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10.30-12.30**

10.30-11.30 Lecture & discussion (Online & on-site)

11.30-12.30 Interactive session (On-site only)

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