Biography Anne Dijkstra

Anne M. Dijkstra, PhD (University of Twente) is an associate professor in Science Communication at the University of Twente, faculty of Behavioural and Management Sciences. She studies the changing relationship between science, technology and society from a communication perspective. Her research focuses on understanding this science-society relationship. Key words in her research are public engagement, science communication, science journalism, risk communication, emerging technologies, and responsible research and innovation. She leads the Research Centre for Science Communication and Engagement. She organised the PCST2023 conference in Rotterdam with over 700 participants, is a Scientific Committee member and a life-member of the PCST network.

Anne is editor for the World Scientific Series on Science Communication. In 2020, the first book in this series *Science Communication. An Introduction* was published by World Scientific Publishers. In 2013, Anne was a visiting researcher at Newcastle University and a visitor at the Institute of Advanced Study at Durham University. In 2008, she defended her PhD dissertation with the title *Of publics and science. How publics engage with biotechnology and genomics.* Prior to her academic work she worked as a project manager and science communication advisor.

Anne is involved in European funded projects and national research projects. In ENJOI the science-media relationship is studied and indicators for quality science communication and science journalism were developed. Space4All improves mapping of African cities with citizen science data. In RRI2SCALE, how regions deal with responsible innovation is analysed. Other projects included NUCLEUS, aiming at analysing and facilitating the dialogue between science and society via the notions of Responsible Research and Innovation, while governing nanotechnologies through societal engagement was explored in GoNano.

Anne coordinates the Research Honours master programme. This successful extracurricular programme prepares students for an academic career. She coaches and supervises students. Furthermore, she develops and teaches courses for PhD students and (early career) staff, offered by the Twente Graduate School, such as Fundamentals of Science Communication and Citizen Science. Content relates to the science-society relationship, science communication, science journalism, citizen science, public engagement and visual storytelling.

As a volunteer, Anne co-organises public meetings for the Science Café Deventer. In addition, the team organizes science-art festivals in Deventer, with scientific lectures, music, and other experiences (Science Café Noir and KOP festival).