| MISSION | WIN ENGAGEMENT MISSION To support engaged research that delivers real world impact, we aim to involve diverse stakeholders, provide tools and resources, and share best practice. | | |
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| AIMS | INCREASE RESEARCH IMPACT THROUGH ENGAGED RESEARCH & DIVERSITY | PROVIDE PRACTICAL TOOLS FOR ENGAGED RESEARCH FOR RESEARCHERS | SHARE WIN'S ENGAGEMENT AND SCIENTIFIC EXPERTISE WIDELY TO INCREASE WIN IMPACT |
| MEANS / ACTIVITIES | Increase diversity in research by involving stakeholders from diverse backgrounds with different stages of the research process Inform and inspire diverse groups through engagement at all stages of education Consult and collaborate with community champions and ensure a thorough feedback loop to inform research processes | Support researchers to develop pathways to impact Build capacity within the Engagement team and wider PI network for early identification of opportunities Provide training, feedback and opportunities Develop pathways to impact mapped onto research programmes at WIN Create a database of diverse people wanting to be involved in our research development | Share our engagement practice Connect with relevant industry, policy, and scientific partners to share our research and engagement outcomes to maximise impact Write ups of engagement projects in academic and professional journals WIN presence at academic and engagement conferences and society events Collaborations with national partners (e.g. charities) to promote use of WIN 'products' to gain greater impact |
| OUTCOMES | Number of WIN research projects that can be described as engaged research increases Number of individual non-academic stakeholders involved in our research increases Stakeholders feel their views are considered | More researchers seek support from the engagement team Uptake of training in broad areas of engagement from engagement team and researchers Uptake of resources for inclusive research methods increases | Awareness of our engagement across a wider/national landscape increases |
| IMPACT (Projected) | Research outcomes are more relevant to diverse populations More diverse researcher profile at WIN as a result of higher visibility and drive for inclusive research practice Science literacy increases in communities where researchers engage with the public | WIN researchers have greater understanding of the value of engaged research Engaged research, with an intention to make an impact on society, becomes an embedded norm in WIN research culture | Greater benefit for stakeholders Our high-quality engagement has a wider reach |