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Methods and Approaches for Coproduction of Knowledge in Climate Change Adaptation Research

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Determining how the gap between climate science and adaptation actions can be bridged has become a major research challenge in recent years. Adaptation measures conducted in anticipation of projected climate change are inherently associated with uncertainty. Adaptation can therefore be seen as controversial and lead to conflicts. By recognizing and incorporating the different values and perspectives of stake- and rightsholders in the knowledge basis for adaptation, such controversies and conflicts can be mitigated. However, there is still a need to increase knowledge about what kind of methods and approaches best foster coproduction that results in implementation. This Special Issue calls for contributions that increase our knowledge and understanding of how participatory methods, citizen science, action research, and other approaches and methods for coproduction increase legitimacy, reduce conflicts, and increase usability and implementation of adaptation measures. **Keywords**

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