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PROFILE

I am a third-year PhD student and lecturer (Theology and Ethics) in UCSC. My ambit of research is Philosophical and Theological Anthropology. Since *Laudato Si'* was issued, I work on the human side of the ecological crisis.

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PROJECT TITLE

Agriculture and Citizen-Science: a Contribution of Philosophical and Theological Anthropology

Steps of the research

- Bibliographic research about the contemporary scientific rationality and the emerging epistemologies.
- Investigation of the nexus between the human experience and the production of knowledge.
- Identification and critical analysis of Citizen-Science case studies in the ambit of Agriculture.
- Proposal of a method of dialogue between researches, citizens, farmers and institutions.

Main Results

The common experience of the citizens, in its complexity, is source of a specific knowledge which must interact with the scientific disciplines and the decision-makers.

Research Contribution

The project is a contribution to elaborating a civic epistemology (S. Jasanoff), a new paradigm useful to face the complexity of the Agri-Food System in the present time. It proposes a method and a language for a sustainable and fruitful common dialogue

Collaborations

Facoltà Teologica dell'Italia Settentrionale (Prof. S. Ubbiali)
 Università di Parma (Prof. G. Garavaglia)

Why should you care?

Today, the complexity of the Agri-Food System requires answers not only in the ambit of production. It implies overcoming the over-simplifications of the economic and scientific rationality, enlarging the peer-communities, and involving all the different actors in a common dialogue.