

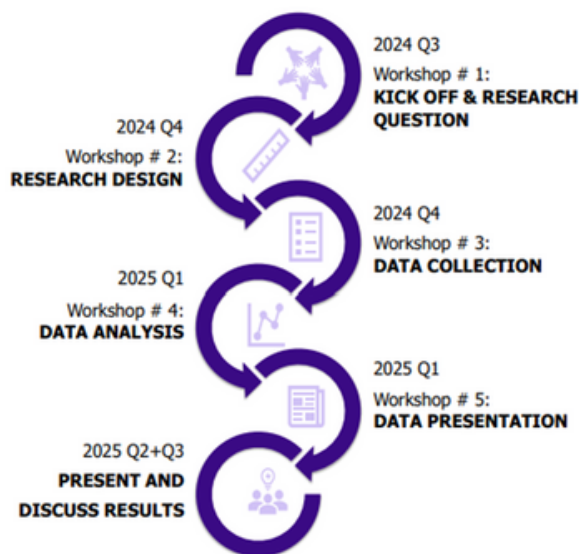
## Co-Creating Our City

### Young People and City Leaders Building Next-Level Engagement

Young people and city decision-makers rarely get to exchange ideas. Young people often seek out project-based opportunities, inclusive short-term formats as well as online platforms to express their wishes and ideas for vibrant communities. Cities, on the other hand, sometimes lack efficient ways to engage in productive exchange with young residents, especially with those who are underrepresented, at risk, or may have not yet have engaged with existing offerings.

Our collaborative project Co-Creating Our City – Young People and City Leaders Building Next-Level Engagement uses a novel Citizen Science approach to address the mismatch between opportunities for exchange offered in cities and what young people seek out in terms of engagement to realize their ideas of flourishing communities.

## Project Process



We would like to invite you to develop concrete proposals for Charlotte together with ~15 young people (aged 16-19) and ~5 other representatives from as diverse departments of politics and administration in order to bring the engagement and participation of young people to the next level.

As a Citizen Scientist, you will take part in five workshops in presence and create a research project on youth participation in Charlotte. You will be supported by Dr Anna Soßdorf (SCI:MOVE) and Dr Christine Hübner (d|part and University of Sheffield). Between the workshops, you will receive further insights and input online.

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