

Climate Adaptation: Local knOwledge and Resilience

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CALOR

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Involving citizens in researching the urban heat island's causes to organise an exhibition gathering policy-makers to propose new urban policies.



Summary

Barcelona's urban heat island effect exacerbates the intensity of heat waves, which are increasing due to global warming, and makes the city less livable, becoming a major health problem. The CALOR project aims to investigate the causes of the urban heat island effect through the principle of citizen science, empowering citizens to become agents of change by raising awareness through different tangible methods and different levels of analysis. The project aims to motivate action and build capacity to influence behavior, policy change and community resilience. At the same time, it stimulates intercultural dialogue on climate adaptation, with citizen exchanges, learning from communities, experiences and constructive practices. Finally, CALOR aims to combine approaches, analyses and interpretations to produce explicit scientific results and evidence accessible to all.