



**AlertHub Training School in Zurich, July 8-10**  
**Using A.I. for Your Research - Data Collection and Analysis with Large**  
**Language Models (LLM)**

**Local organizer:** Dr. Daniel Vogler, Co-Director, Research Institute for the Public Sphere and Society, University of Zurich

**Application procedure:**

The Training School is open to:

- ✓ Members of COST Action CA23126 (AlertHub)
- ✓ External researchers and innovators interested in contributing to the objectives of the Action

Applicants must be affiliated with a recognised academic institution, research organisation, public authority, NGO, or relevant stakeholder institution. Young Researchers and Innovators (40 years or younger) are especially encouraged to apply and will be prioritised in the selection process in line with the COST Excellence and Inclusiveness Policy.

**Please note:**

Financial support can only be provided to applicants who fulfil the COST eligibility rules for reimbursement.

External applicants who are selected may be invited to formally join the Action.

**Applicants must submit:**

- ✓ A short motivation letter
- ✓ A short CV including current affiliation, career stage, and involvement in
- ✓ AlertHub Working Groups (if applicable)

**Please send applications to: [daniel.vogler@foeg.uzh.ch](mailto:daniel.vogler@foeg.uzh.ch) (until March 20)**

**Core Selection Criteria**

- ✓ Quality of the application and motivation
- ✓ Priority given to Young Scholars
- ✓ Gender balance (target: ideally 50/50 representation)

- ✓ Geographical diversity and coverage of different countries/regions
- ✓ Inclusion of participants affiliated with Inclusiveness Target Countries (target: 50%)

#### **Soft Selection Criteria**

- ✓ Diversity of representation across AlertHub Working Groups
- ✓ Level of engagement in Working Groups

The final selection of participants will be approved by the Core Group of COST Action CA23126.

#### **Timeline and Dates**

- March 20 Deadline for applications
- March 31 Evaluation of applications and sending out of invitations
- July 8-10 Training school in Zurich