

## Invitation to CCCA Servicecentres' round table

On **December 9<sup>th</sup> at 6pm** the CCCA Servicecentre offers its members an opportunity to connect in an informal atmosphere at our round table in Graz. Taking place at **Luigis' Galileo** (Lessingstraße 25, 8010 Graz), this time we're teaming up with Uni Graz' Doctoral Programme "*Climate Change - Uncertainties, Thresholds and Coping Strategies*" round table and are extending the program with information about diverse CCCA opportunities.

### So what's going to happen?

- CCCA Update: Information and Q&A around CCCAs' **Young Scientists Program**, our **Call for Networking Projects** (max. 10.000€ p.a. for each project) and the **Austrian Climate Days** on April 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016 in Graz.
- ...and finally: **Powerpoint Karaoke**  
Volunteers get the chance to do something unexpected: presenting slides they haven't prepared and that are not even related to their own field of research.

### How does Powerpoint Karaoke work?

As classical karaoke is known for people enthusiastically singing songs written by others; Powerpoint-Karaoke follows (almost) the same principle: presenting slides (you've never seen before), produced by other climate scientists, as enthusiastically as if they were about your own research!

- Each volunteer provides a short set of slides (powerpoint or pdf, no formats that require internet connection like e.g. prezi). Please send your slides to [stefan.ropac@ccca.ac.at](mailto:stefan.ropac@ccca.ac.at) we need to print them beforehand so that the "performer" is able to prepare shortly.
- Therefore, please trim one of your already available presentations (e.g. a conference presentation) to a **max. of 5 slides**. The slides should be in English and suitable to tell a good story – either you put the most important key facts on them or you only give a certain train of thought, which is a central part of your work, to be presented by someone else! From last time playing we've learned that providing pictures, graphs and tables guarantees for good interpretations.
- We decided to hold the presentations in **English** to give international researchers in Graz the opportunity of partaking.
- Participants present the slides unknown to them (they will be raffled) in 5 minutes.

### What are your benefits of partaking?

- 1) Networking with other scientists in the CCCA network in a **relaxed atmosphere**.
- 2) Get information on various CCCA opportunities.
- 3) Karaoke participants can train their English presentation skills and learn **how their slides are perceived** by other climate scientists.
- 4) **It's fun!**

This event is free of charge but please register by sending an email to [stefan.ropac@ccca.ac.at](mailto:stefan.ropac@ccca.ac.at).

Time and place:

**December, 09<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

**Starting 6pm**

**Luigis' Galileo**

**Lessingstraße 25, 8010 Graz**