NEW TRAIN THE TRAINERS COURSE TAKES RESEARCH SAFETY AND SECURITY TO THE WORLD BENEFITING MILLIONS

1. Research Increasingly Unsafe: Illness, Delinquency and Violence

More than 90% of all researchers feel sick, loose data, or suffer from stress, violence and delinquency while conducting fieldwork or data collection.

Research participants, organizations, and collaborators also highly impacted and at risk.

Research quality, legitimacy and viability highly affected.

Universities and research centres have a duty of care but struggle to fulfill that responsibility.

2. Safety & Security Training in offer: Hundreds already trained in Europe

The course "Safety and Security from Fieldwork Research", offered by the ISS of Erasmus University, has trained hundreds of Master students, PhD researchers, and universities lecturers in the last years.

Universities, UN organizations, and research centres all over Europe have requested this training for their researchers.

This course "has been major game-changer in our work", shares the convener of a MA program.

3. Limited Offer of Training Courses on Research Safety & Security

"I can’t believe there is only one course in the whole world preparing our researcher to conduct fieldwork in a safe, secure, and ethical way" Says the Rector of the UN University of Peace

While many universities and research centres see that research is increasingly unsafe, impacting their work and the well-being of researchers and participants, they also see that there are not enough options to address this.

2022 course fully booked

4. New "Train the Trainers" course expands Safety & Security training offer

New program seeks to train trainers who can teach Safety and Security in their own organizations, countries, and beyond.

Universities, research centres and individuals might be able to participate in this training and start training others.

The impact and benefits of this for research, researchers, and their organization is immeasurable.

Next steps needed to make this real are:
- Validation study
- Business model study
- Trainer’s manual