



## Anabel Sánchez

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Anabel has a BSc in Biology and a PhD in Environment and Society. She's the Research Impact Officer at CREAM and previously was a researcher at the centre. As a researcher, she has extensive experience in developing EU projects and has coordinated citizen science and participatory initiatives, fostering collaboration between science and society to tackle environmental challenges. As Research Impact Officer, she launched the centre's impact unit and developed CREAM's inaugural Impact Strategy. Her role involves enhancing staff skills, building stakeholder connections, and monitoring and showcasing impact while embedding a culture of impact in the institution and its research. Moreover, she was the first ever Research Impact Officer in the Catalan research community and has contributed to the Spanish research evaluation system as part of ANECA's Commission tasked with advising on evaluation to the Spanish accreditation Agency.

