

# Deliberative resources

## Fall School on Citizens' Assemblies 2024

### General introduction

Title	Authors	Link
Citizens' Assemblies: An Introduction to Definitions & Guidelines	FIDE – North America	<a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RnYV6R8ZPbFmgboe4VB7aYSNebV60jAE/view?usp=drive_link">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RnYV6R8ZPbFmgboe4VB7aYSNebV60jAE/view?usp=drive_link</a>
Activated Citizenship: The Transformative Power of Citizens' Assemblies	Marjan Ehsassi	<a href="https://www.routledge.com/Activated-Citizenship-The-Transformative-Power-of-Citizens-Assemblies/Ehsassi/p/book/9781032798561">https://www.routledge.com/Activated-Citizenship-The-Transformative-Power-of-Citizens-Assemblies/Ehsassi/p/book/9781032798561</a>
Enabling National Initiatives to take democracy beyond elections	NewDemocracy Foundation and UNDEF	<a href="https://www.un.org/democracyfund/sites/www.un.org.democracyfund/files/newdemocracy-undef-handbook.pdf">https://www.un.org/democracyfund/sites/www.un.org.democracyfund/files/newdemocracy-undef-handbook.pdf</a>
Innovative Citizen Participation and New Democratic Institutions – Catching the deliberative wave	OECD	<a href="https://www.oecd.org/gov/innovative-citizen-participation-and-new-democratic-institutions-339306da-en.htm">https://www.oecd.org/gov/innovative-citizen-participation-and-new-democratic-institutions-339306da-en.htm</a>
Deliberative mini-publics: core design features	Centre for deliberative democracy and global governance	<a href="https://soc.kuleuven.be/centre-for-political-research/legit/files/deliberative-mini-publics-core-design-features.pdf">https://soc.kuleuven.be/centre-for-political-research/legit/files/deliberative-mini-publics-core-design-features.pdf</a>
Citizens' Participation Using Sortition. A practical guide to using random selection to guarantee diverse democratic participation	Bertelsmann Stiftung, AllianzVielfältige Demokratie	<a href="http://aei.pitt.edu/102678/1/181102_Citizens_Participation_Using_Sortition_mb_-_Copy.pdf">http://aei.pitt.edu/102678/1/181102_Citizens_Participation_Using_Sortition_mb_-_Copy.pdf</a>
Assembling an Assembly Guide	DemNext	<a href="https://assemblyguide.demnext.org/">https://assemblyguide.demnext.org/</a>
Putting the Public Back in Public Policy	NOEMA	<a href="https://www.noemamag.com/putting-the-public-back-in-public-policy/">https://www.noemamag.com/putting-the-public-back-in-public-policy/</a>

### Institutional recommendations

Recommendation of the Committee of Ministers to member States on deliberative democracy	Council of Europe	<a href="https://search.coe.int/cm/pages/result_details.aspx?objectid=0900001680ac627a">https://search.coe.int/cm/pages/result_details.aspx?objectid=0900001680ac627a</a>
EC recommendation on promoting the engagement and effective participation of citizens and civil society organisations in public policy-making processes	European Commission	<a href="https://commission.europa.eu/system/files/2023-12/C_2023_8627_1_EN_ACT_part1_v7.pdf">https://commission.europa.eu/system/files/2023-12/C_2023_8627_1_EN_ACT_part1_v7.pdf</a>

### Set-up

How to commission a Citizens' Assembly or reference panel	MassLBP	<a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1D0PuNZdtNmiiG1ud9MphSoiwymdz5HRK/view">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1D0PuNZdtNmiiG1ud9MphSoiwymdz5HRK/view</a>
How to link recommendations of citizens assemblies to policy-making?	FIDE	<a href="https://www.fide.eu/s/Policy-Note-01-How-to-link-citizens-assemblies-recommendations-to-policy-making.pdf">https://www.fide.eu/s/Policy-Note-01-How-to-link-citizens-assemblies-recommendations-to-policy-making.pdf</a>
How to run a citizens' assembly?	Innovation in Democracy Programme	<a href="https://www.thersa.org/globalassets/reports/2020/IIDP-citizens-assembly.pdf">https://www.thersa.org/globalassets/reports/2020/IIDP-citizens-assembly.pdf</a>

## Recruitment

How to run a civic lottery: designing fair selection mechanisms for deliberative public processes	MASSLBP	<a href="https://static1.squarespace.com/static/6005ceb747a6a51d636af58d/t/6010cf8f038cf00c5a546bd7/1611714451073/civiclottaryguide.pdf">https://static1.squarespace.com/static/6005ceb747a6a51d636af58d/t/6010cf8f038cf00c5a546bd7/1611714451073/civiclottaryguide.pdf</a>
Organising a democratic lottery	FIDE	<a href="https://www.fide.eu/research-and-documentation/organising-a-democratic-lottery">https://www.fide.eu/research-and-documentation/organising-a-democratic-lottery</a>

## Deliberation

What is deliberation and how it differs from usual political discussion	newDemocracy Foundation	<a href="https://newdemocracy.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/docs_researchnotes_2017_March_nDF_RN_20170322_Deliberation.pdf">https://newdemocracy.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/docs_researchnotes_2017_March_nDF_RN_20170322_Deliberation.pdf</a>
Facilitating meetings	Seeds for Change	<a href="#">Guide</a> & <a href="#">Exercises and games</a>
Facilitating deliberation: a practical guide	MosaicLab	<a href="https://www.mosaiclab.com.au/the-big-book">https://www.mosaiclab.com.au/the-big-book</a>
Consensus decision making	Seeds for Change	<a href="https://www.seedsforchange.org.uk/consensus.pdf">https://www.seedsforchange.org.uk/consensus.pdf</a>

## Follow-up and evaluation

Designing the Follow-up to Climate Assemblies: Embedding recommendations within the public administration	KNOCA	<a href="https://knoca.eu/designing-the-follow-up-to-climate-assemblies/">https://knoca.eu/designing-the-follow-up-to-climate-assemblies/</a>
The macro-impacts of citizen deliberation processes	newDemocracy Foundation	<a href="https://newdemocracy.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/docs_researchpapers_2017_DrAWendyRussell_nDF-ImpactReport_18Apr17.pdf">https://newdemocracy.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/docs_researchpapers_2017_DrAWendyRussell_nDF-ImpactReport_18Apr17.pdf</a>
Evaluation guidelines for Representative Deliberative Processes	OECD	<a href="https://www.oecd.org/gov/open-government/evaluation-guidelines-for-representative-deliberative-processes-10ccbfcben.htm">https://www.oecd.org/gov/open-government/evaluation-guidelines-for-representative-deliberative-processes-10ccbfcben.htm</a>
Lessons Learned from French Citizens' Convention on the End of Life	newDemocracy Foundation	<a href="https://www.newdemocracy.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2023/06/RD-Note-CCFV.pdf">https://www.newdemocracy.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2023/06/RD-Note-CCFV.pdf</a>

## Institutionalisation

Eight ways to institutionalise Deliberative Democracy	OECD	<a href="https://www.oecd.org/gov/open-government/eight-ways-to-institutionalise-deliberative-democracy.htm">https://www.oecd.org/gov/open-government/eight-ways-to-institutionalise-deliberative-democracy.htm</a>
Next level citizen participation in the EU Institutionalising European Citizens' Assemblies	BertelsmannStiftung	<a href="https://www.bertelsmann-stiftung.de/en/publications/publication/did/next-level-citizen-participation-in-the-eu-all">https://www.bertelsmann-stiftung.de/en/publications/publication/did/next-level-citizen-participation-in-the-eu-all</a>
Democratic Action Funds	San Francisco Chronicle	<a href="http://www.sfchronicle.com/opinion/article/joe-mathews-18187824.php">http://www.sfchronicle.com/opinion/article/joe-mathews-18187824.php</a>

## Models – case-studies

Beyond elections: The use of deliberative methods in European municipalities and regions	Council of Europe & FIDE	<a href="https://rm.coe.int/cg-2022-42-12-en-beyond-elections-the-use-of-deliberative-methods-in-e/1680a5b00d">https://rm.coe.int/cg-2022-42-12-en-beyond-elections-the-use-of-deliberative-methods-in-e/1680a5b00d</a>
Institutionalising Citizen Deliberation in Parliament: The Permanent Citizens' Dialogue in the German-speaking Community of Belgium	Christoph Niessen & Min Reuchamps	<a href="https://academic.oup.com/pa/article-abstract/75/1/135/5901861?redirectedFrom=full-text">https://academic.oup.com/pa/article-abstract/75/1/135/5901861?redirectedFrom=full-text</a> & <a href="https://www.buergerdialog.be/en/citizens-council/what-is-the-citizens-council">https://www.buergerdialog.be/en/citizens-council/what-is-the-citizens-council</a>
The Brussels Deliberative Committees Model	newDemocracy Foundation	<a href="https://www.newdemocracy.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/RD-Note-Brussels-Deliberative-Committees-Model.pdf">https://www.newdemocracy.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/RD-Note-Brussels-Deliberative-Committees-Model.pdf</a>
Electorate Engagement Using Deliberative Principles - Pilot process	newDemocracy Foundation	<a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/12PjucwvthVmfF_Fcoiw1CuY-DpFog5B8/view?usp=drive_link">https://drive.google.com/file/d/12PjucwvthVmfF_Fcoiw1CuY-DpFog5B8/view?usp=drive_link</a>
The Citizens' Assembly in Paris	FIDE	<a href="https://www.fide.eu/s/Policy-Note-02-The-Assemblee-Citoyenne-de-Paris.pdf">https://www.fide.eu/s/Policy-Note-02-The-Assemblee-Citoyenne-de-Paris.pdf</a>
The Citizens' Assembly in Petaluma, CA	Berggruen	<a href="https://berggruen.org/news/how-democracy-should-work-lesson-in-learning-building-cohesion-and-community">https://berggruen.org/news/how-democracy-should-work-lesson-in-learning-building-cohesion-and-community</a>
The French Citizens' Assembly on the End of Life	Bertelsmann Stiftung	<a href="https://www.bertelsmann-stiftung.de/en/our-projects/new-democracy/shortcut-archive/shortcut-11-the-french-citizens-convention-on-the-end-of-life">https://www.bertelsmann-stiftung.de/en/our-projects/new-democracy/shortcut-archive/shortcut-11-the-french-citizens-convention-on-the-end-of-life</a>

## Specific topics

### Climate

Climate Assemblies: emerging trends, challenges and opportunities	KNOCA	<a href="https://knoca.eu/app/uploads/2023/05/KNOCA_2023_Climate-assemblies_emerging-trends-challenges-and-opportunities.pdf">https://knoca.eu/app/uploads/2023/05/KNOCA_2023_Climate-assemblies_emerging-trends-challenges-and-opportunities.pdf</a>
Where to begin: Organizing a Climate Assembly	KNOCA	<a href="https://knoca.eu/how-to-organise-a-climate-assembly-2/">https://knoca.eu/how-to-organise-a-climate-assembly-2/</a>
Setting the remit	KNOCA	<a href="https://knoca.eu/setting-the-remit/">https://knoca.eu/setting-the-remit/</a>
Key drivers of impact: How to unleash the potential for climate assemblies	FIDE & KNOCA	<a href="https://knoca.eu/key-drivers-of-impact/">https://knoca.eu/key-drivers-of-impact/</a>
How can Climate Assemblies be integrated into the policy process?	KNOCA	<a href="https://knoca.eu/the-integration-of-climate-assemblies-into-the-policy-process/">https://knoca.eu/the-integration-of-climate-assemblies-into-the-policy-process/</a>
Governance Structures and Practices of Climate Assemblies	KNOCA	<a href="https://knoca.eu/governance-structures-and-practices-of-climate-assemblies/">https://knoca.eu/governance-structures-and-practices-of-climate-assemblies/</a>

### Inclusion

Including the underrepresented	FIDE	<a href="https://www.fide.eu/s/FIDE-Including-the-underrepresented.pdf">https://www.fide.eu/s/FIDE-Including-the-underrepresented.pdf</a>
'Hard to reach' or 'easy to ignore'? Promoting equality in community engagement	Scottish Government	<a href="http://whatworksscotland.ac.uk/publications/hard-to-reach-or-easy-to-ignore-promoting-equality-in-community-engagement-evidence-review/">http://whatworksscotland.ac.uk/publications/hard-to-reach-or-easy-to-ignore-promoting-equality-in-community-engagement-evidence-review/</a>
Beyond inclusion: equity in public engagement	SFU Morris J. Wosk Centre for Dialogue	<a href="https://www.sfu.ca/content/dam/sfu/dialogue/ImagesAndFiles/ProgramsPage/EDI/BeyondInclusion/Beyond%20Inclusion%20-%20Equity%20in%20Public%20Engagement.pdf">https://www.sfu.ca/content/dam/sfu/dialogue/ImagesAndFiles/ProgramsPage/EDI/BeyondInclusion/Beyond%20Inclusion%20-%20Equity%20in%20Public%20Engagement.pdf</a>