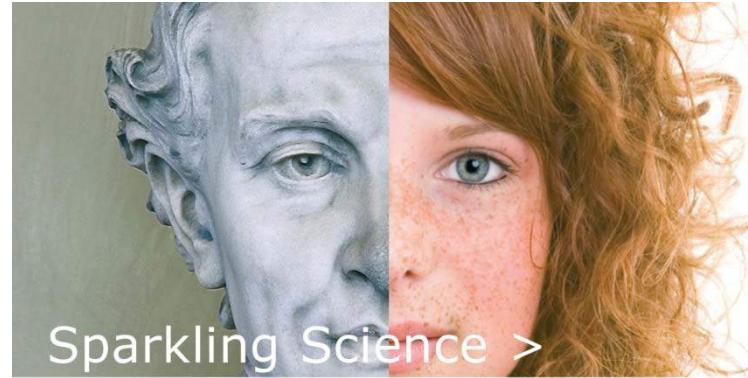
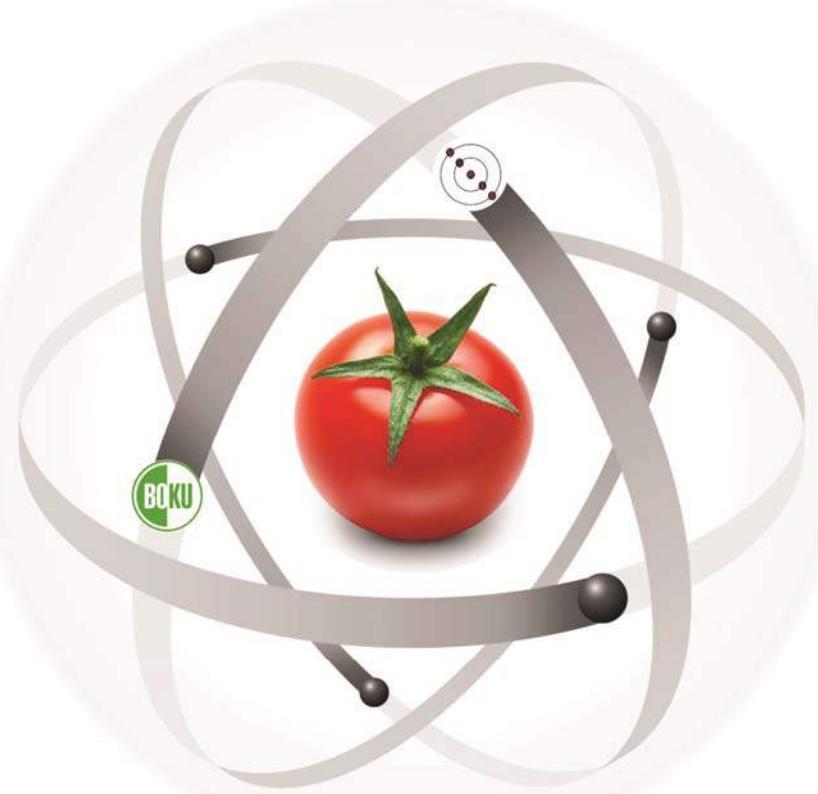
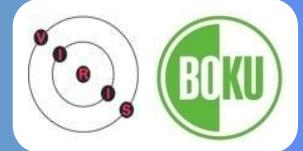


CSI:TRACE your FOOD!

Determination of provenance of food from regional production in Austria on the basis of multi-element and isotopic fingerprinting



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Science linking with School
School linking with Science

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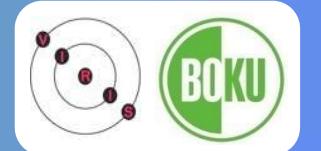
The logo for AMA (Agrarmarkt Austria Marketing) consists of the letters "AMA" in a white serif font, centered within a red oval decorated with a floral border.

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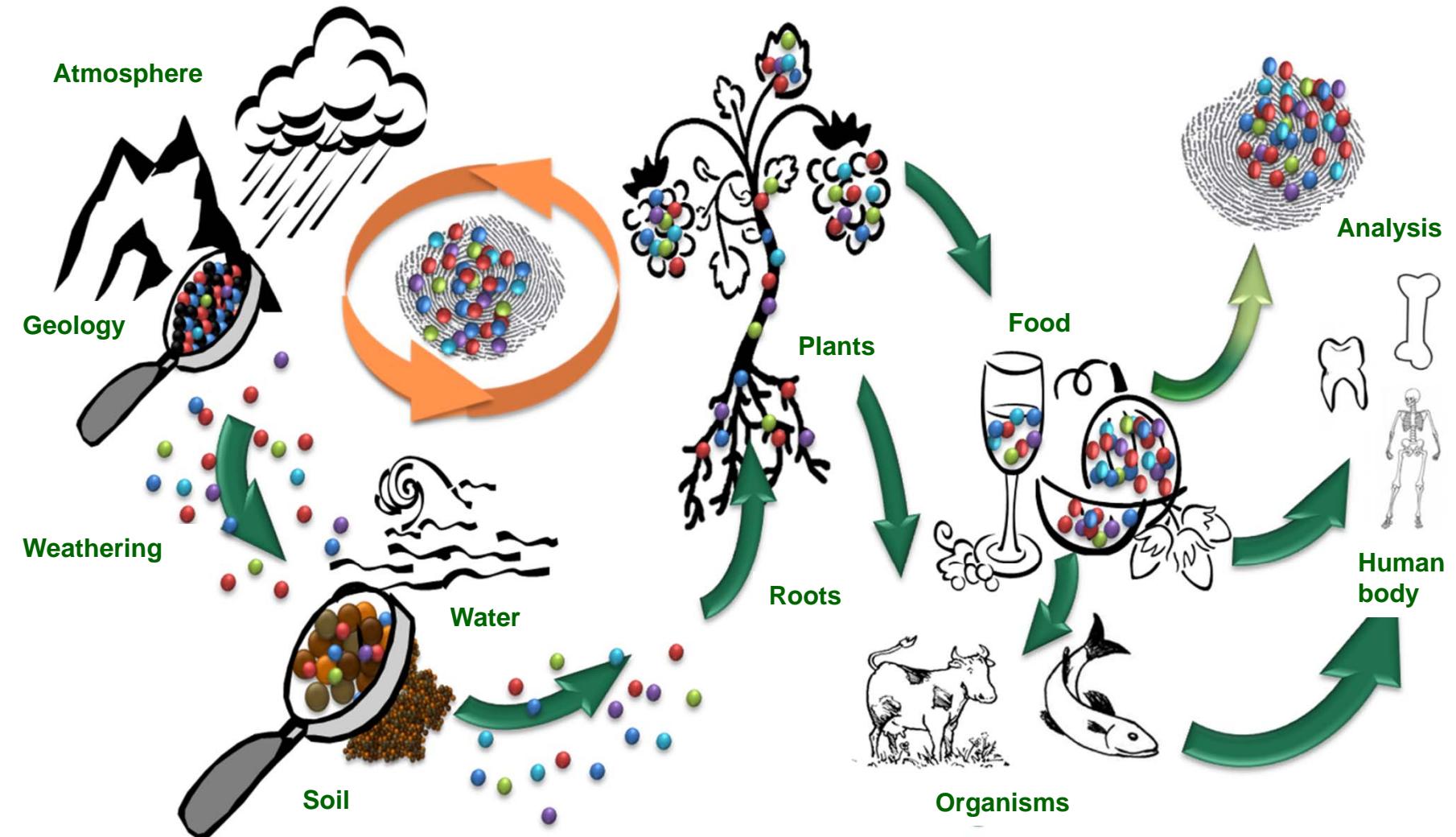
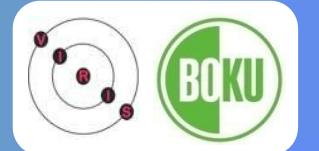
Food authenticity



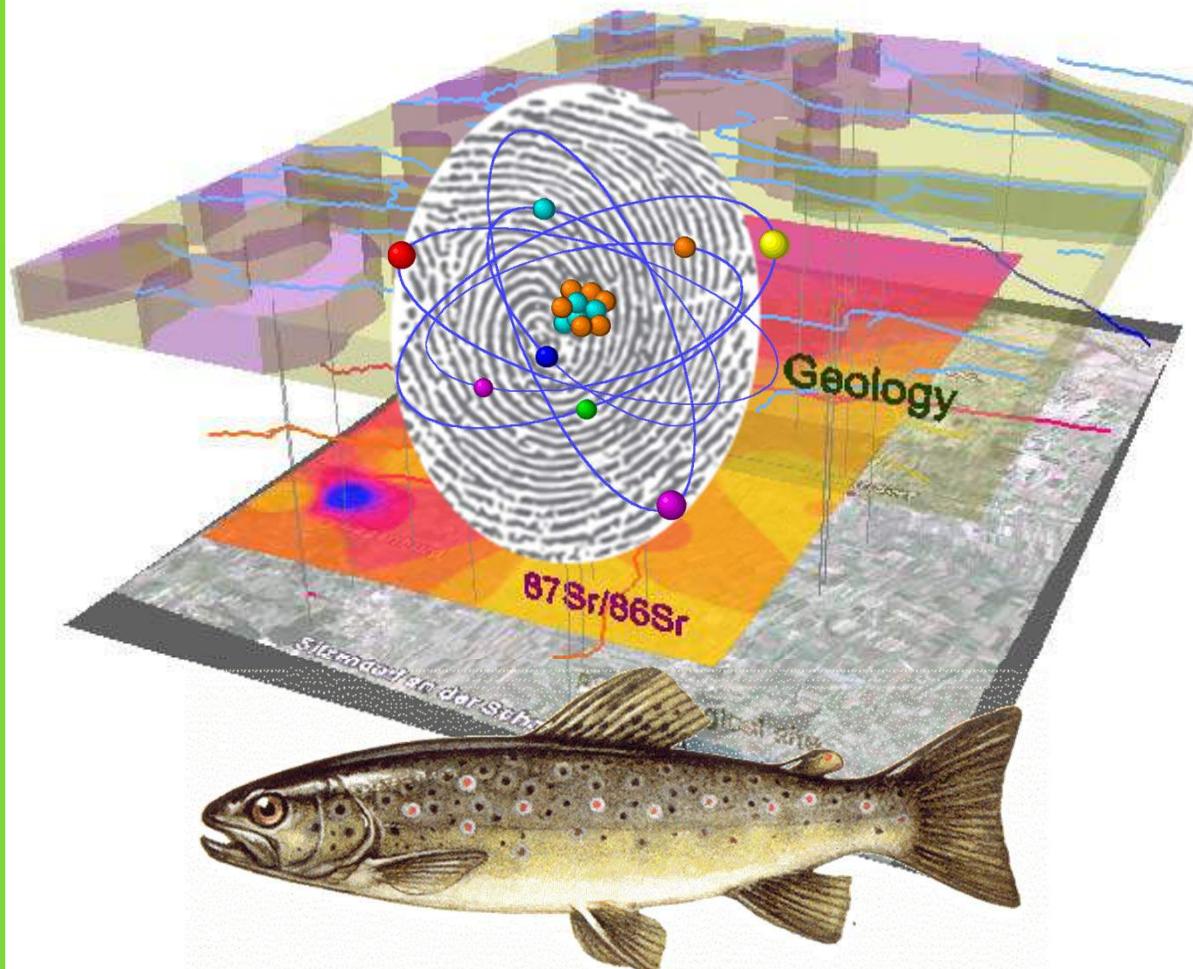
- Consumer protection:
 - Food security
 - Authenticity ('You get what you pay for')
- Producer protection
 - Competition
 - Prove of origin (and quality) of basic products (e.g. source of origin, fair trade, ...)



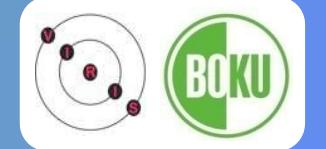
The way of elements and isotopes into food



Authentication by the local chemical elemental and isotopic fingerprint

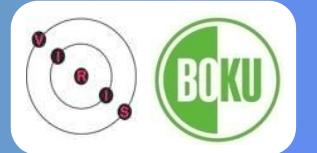


Main research questions



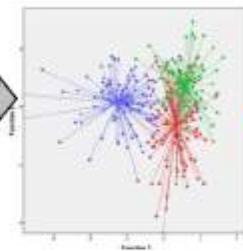
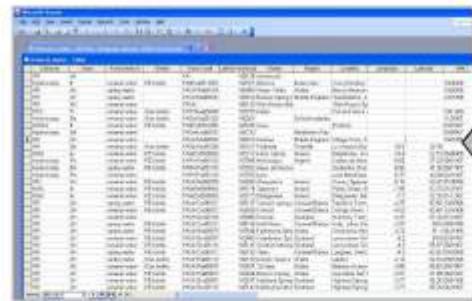
- 1. Differentiation of food on the basis of multi-element and isotopic pattern?**
- 2. Relationship between environmental conditions and the elemental and isotopic pattern in food -> prediction for unknown regions?**
- 3. Temporal resolution of the elemental and isotopic composition in fish otoliths to reconstruct life histories in aquaculture?**

Complementary approaches to food authentication



Two *complementary* approaches for the verification of food geographical origin:

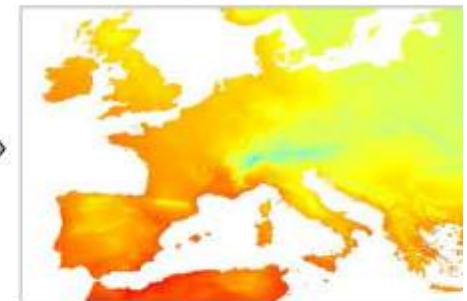
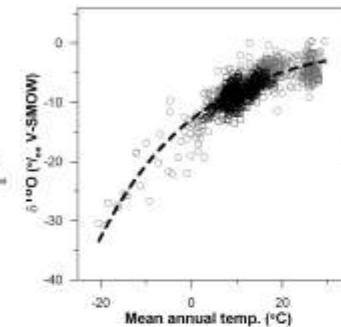
1. Database approach



Origin determined from a dedicated database

- * Requires data/specs from all producers
 - * Reliable but can be expensive
 - * Not necessarily the result of local factors;
 - * Needs regular update
- Works best for limited number of well defined producers e.g. PDO**

2. ISOSCAPE approach



Origin based on interpolation or relationship between geo-climatic factors and food isotopic composition

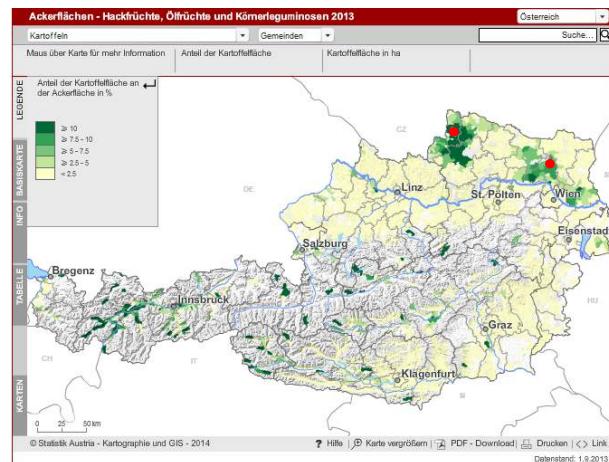
- * Predicts isotopes for unsampled areas
- * Potentially highly Cost effective
- * Based on "static" local factors

has the potential to work also for many 'unsampled' producers

Combination of a database and an isoscape approach in CSI: TRACE your FOOD!



1. Selection of relevant sites in regions/federal states



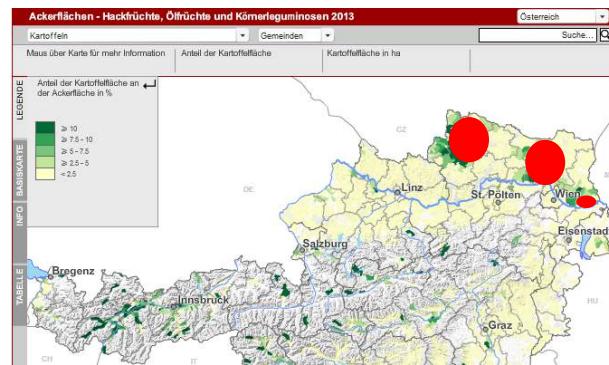
2. Characterization of selected food stuff – fish and vegetable/fruits („Data base approach“)



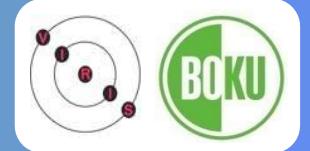
3. Characterization of soil and water



4. Regionalization and prediction of food composition in other regions (by the relation geology / soil / food)? ("Isoscape approach")



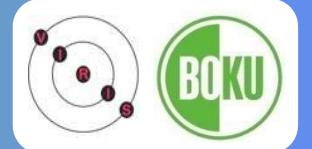
EU label for aquacultured fish



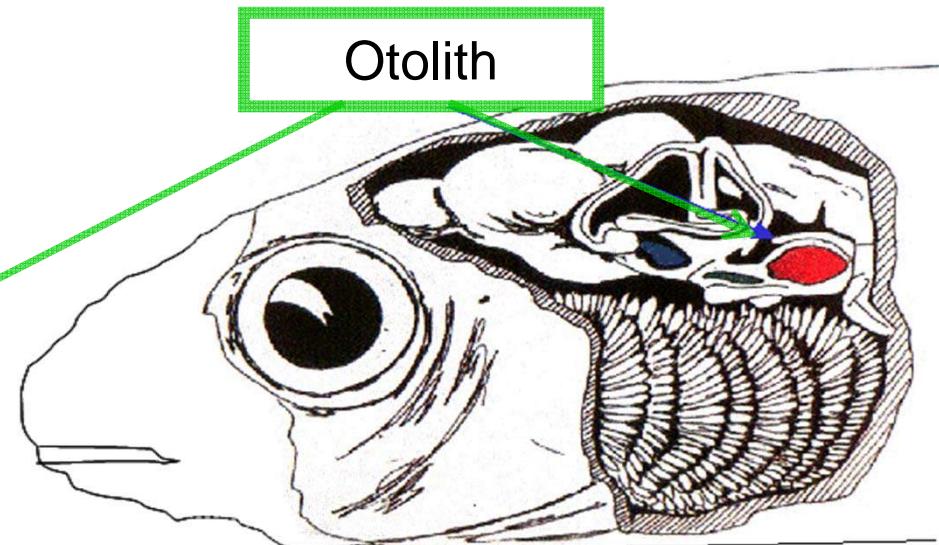
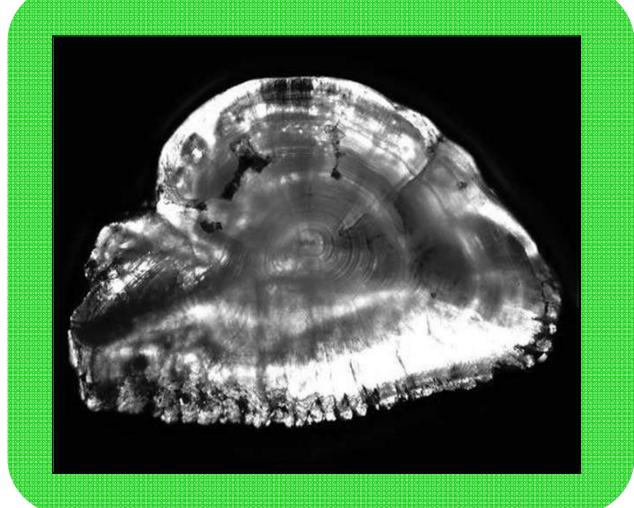
**EU-regulation Nr. 1379/2013 on
the common organisation of the
markets in fishery and
aquaculture products**

In the case of aquaculture products, a reference to the member State or third country **in which the product reached more than half of its final weight or stayed for more than half of the rearing period**

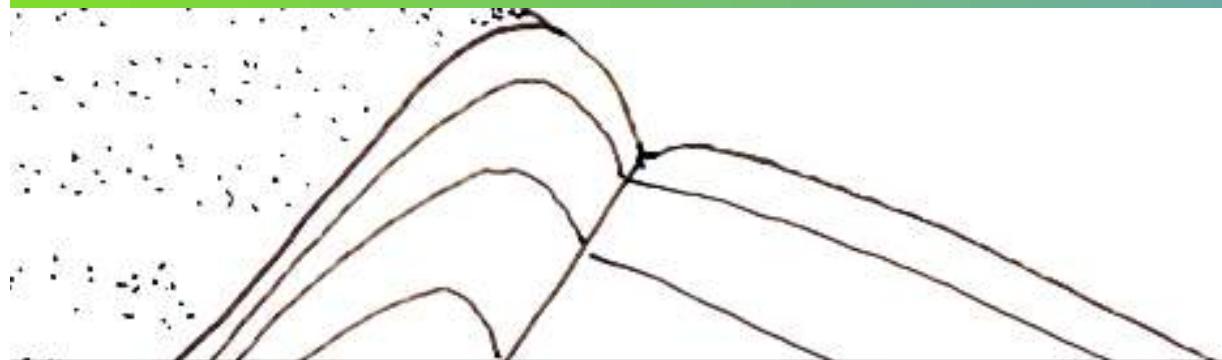
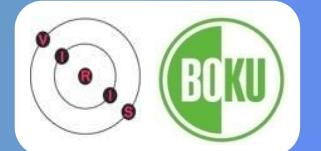
Otolith as life time recorder



- **Otolith = ear stone**
 - function: balance, hearing, orientation
 - metabolically inert
 - grows in discrete „tree-ring like“ layers



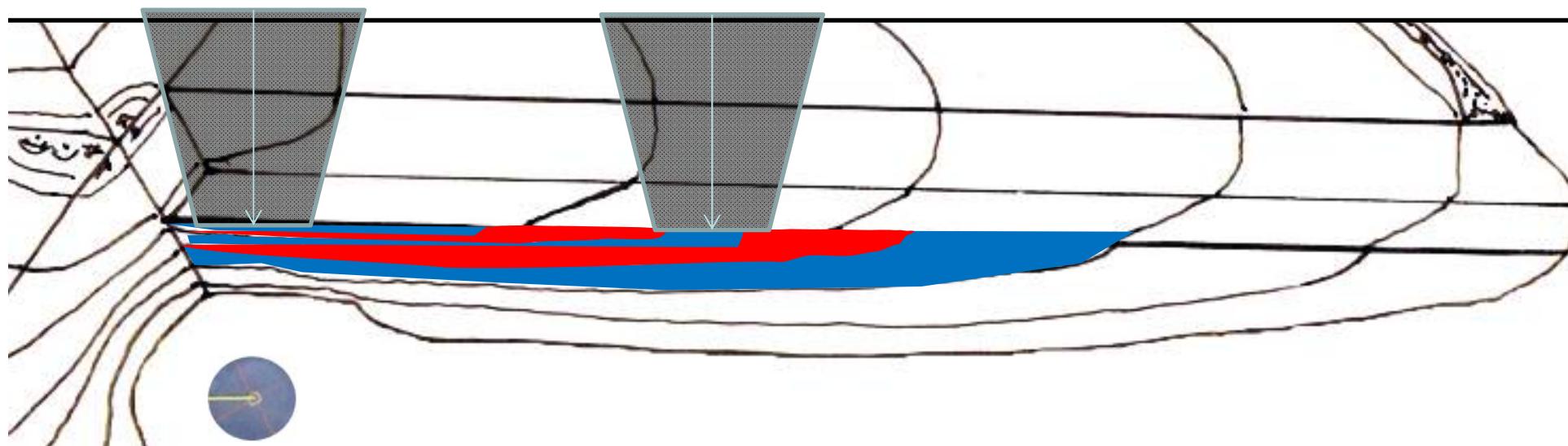
Spatial resolution of LA-ICP-MS



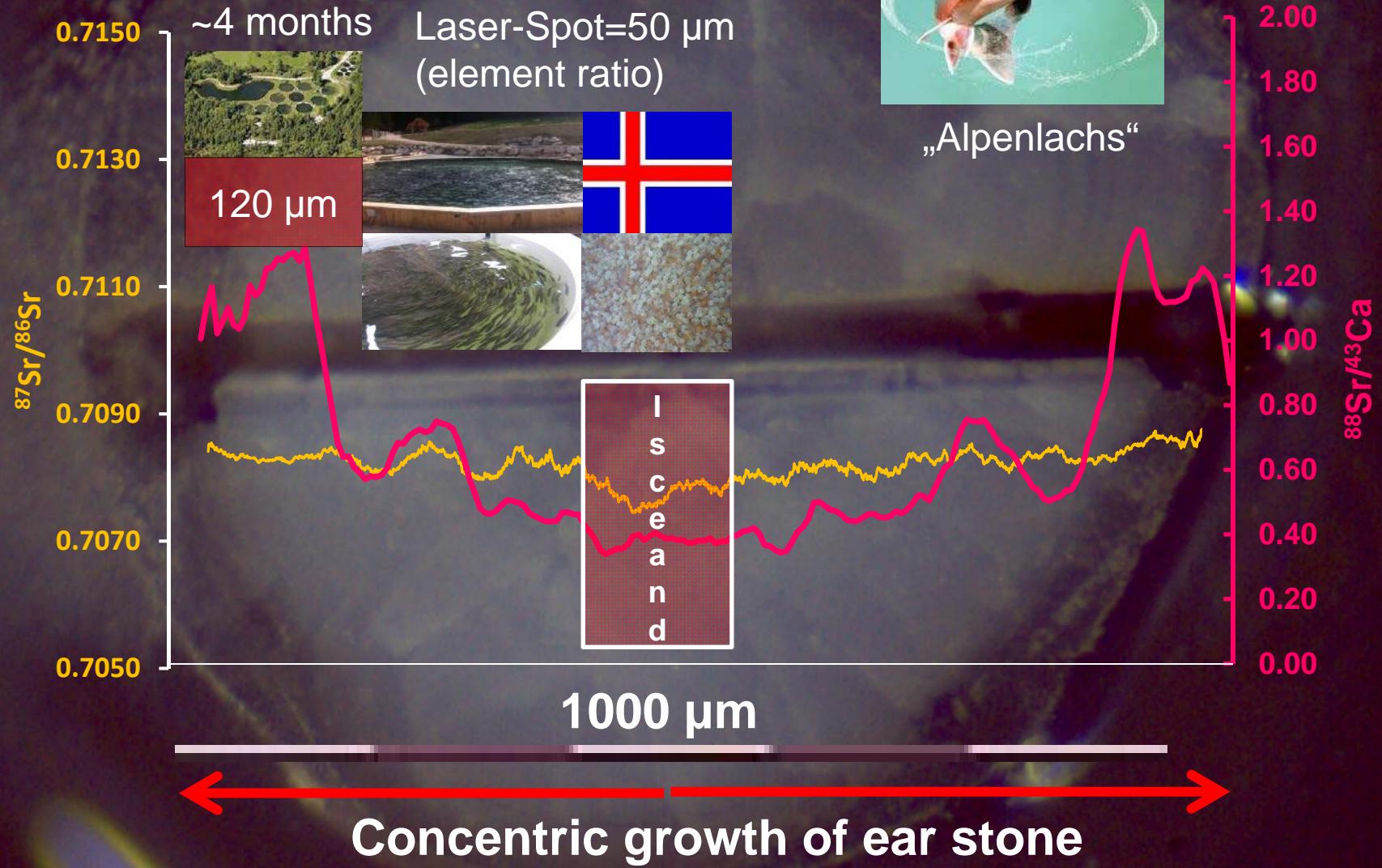
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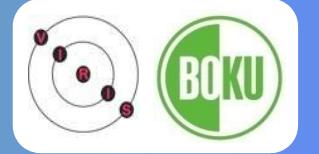
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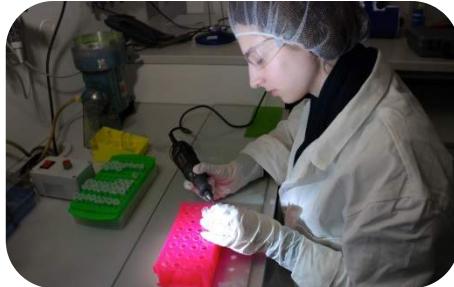
Chemical life history of a salmonid from aquaculture (Age: 12 months)



Analysis of elemental and isotopic patterns by ICP-MS



Sample preparation



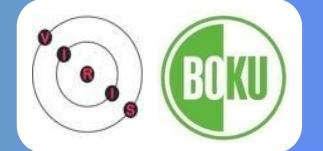
Measurement



Data evaluation,
analysis and
interpretation



How to connect BOKU with 10 schools in Austria and one school in Hungary?



CSI:TRACE your FOOD

WP 1. Management and organisation

Andreas Zitek, BOKU-VIRIS, Thomas Prohaska, BOKU-VIRIS



WP 2. Knowledge transfer and communication

Andreas Zitek, BOKU-VIRIS

Thomas Prohaska, BOKU-VIRIS

Anastassiya Tchaikovsky, BOKU-VIRIS

T 2.1. Teaching material and evaluation (BOKU-VIRIS)

T 2.2 „Virtual Science Lab“ (BOKU-VIRIS, BG und BRG Klosterneuburg)

T 2.3 „Science Tours“ (BOKU-VIRIS, Schulen)

T 2.4 „Science Camps“ (BOKU-VIRIS, Schulen)

T 2.5 „Austrian snack“ (BOKU-VIRIS, AGES, AMA, Schulen)

Schools

Sir Karl Popper Schule (W)

BG/BRG Klosterneuburg (NÖ)

HLW Frohndorf (NÖ)

HLW/HLT Pannoneum (B)

BORG Bad Radkersburg (ST)

HLW Bad Ischl (OOE)

HLT Bad Hofgastein (S)

HBLA Pitzelstätten (K)

Franziskaner Gymnasium (T)

HTL Dornbirn (V)



Cooperations

- AMA
- AGES
- BM:UKK IT/3

Subcontracting

- AIT
- IRV

WP 3. Scientific project

Anastassiya Tchaikovsky, BOKU-VIRIS

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Andreas Zitek, BOKU-VIRIS

Thomas Prohaska, BOKU-VIRIS

Karl Moder, BOKU-IASC

Christoph Höfer, BOKU-RHIZO

T 3.1 Selection of producers and regions (BOKU-VIRIS, AGES, AMA, Schulen)

Selected producers

1. Wien
2. Niederösterreich
3. Burgenland
4. Steiermark
5. Oberösterreich
6. Salzburg
7. Kärnten
8. Tirol
9. Vorarlberg



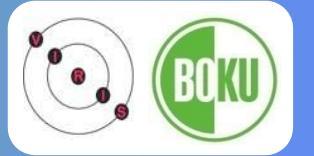
T 3.2 Field sampling and documentation (BOKU-VIRIS, BOKU-RHIZO, Schulen)

T 3.3 Sample preparation and analysis (BOKU-VIRIS, AIT)

T 3.4 Data management and analysis (BOKU-VIRIS, IRV, BOKU-IASC)

T 3.5 Final evaluation of results (BOKU-VIRIS, AGES, AMA)

Distant collaboration and lecturing - BOKU Science TV – Virtual Science Lab



Possibilities for integrating different information sources into BOKU Science TV



Computer screen
within the same
network



Webcam



Kamera und Teradec Cube
(WLAN, handy-net)



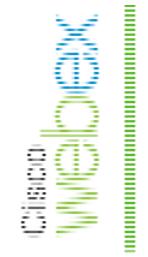
Wowza GoCoder App
(IOS, Android) – to local
installation of Wowza
streaming engine (WLAN,
handy-net)



Wirecast Cam (IOS)
(within same network)



<http://...>
Any stream with
known Url



**From Wirecast to Webex, or youtube
using the virtual camera and virtual microphone**

BOKU Science TV

Virtual Science Lab – interactive lectures (4-6 x)



BOKU Science TV



Wirecast/Telestream

SMART STUDENT RESPONSE



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Cisco
webex

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Warum WebEx? Produkte Vide

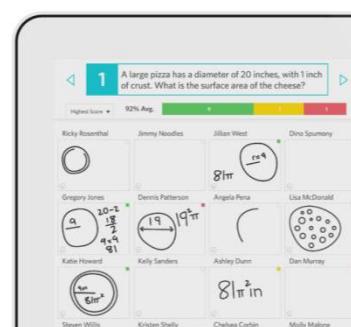
WebEx Meetings

Veranstalten Sie unbegrenzt Meetings mit HD-Video. Arbeiten Sie in virtuellen Meetingräumen zusammen.

formative

Intervene in the moments that matter most.

GET LIVE RESULTS!



IT classroom at school



Virtual Science Lab – collaborative research work (2 x)



BOKU Science TV

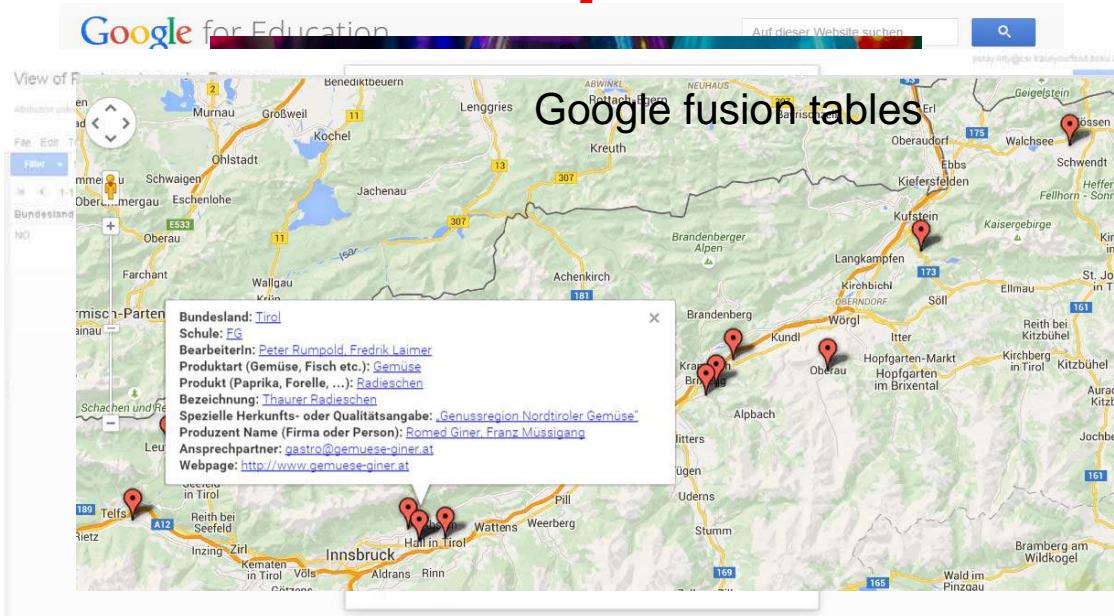


Wirecast/Telestream



The Cisco Webex homepage is shown. The top navigation bar includes "Deutschland", "Warum WebEx?", "Produkte", and "Videos". The main section is titled "WebEx Meetings" with the subtext "Veranstalten Sie unbegrenzt Meetings mit HD-Video. Arbeiten Sie in virtuellen Meetingräumen zusammen."

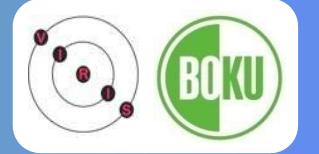
IT classroom at school



Some virtual classroom initiatives



Using google classroom



A screenshot of the Google for Education website. The main navigation bar includes "Google for Education", "Startseite", "Produkte" (which is underlined), "Schulungen", "Ressourcen", "Google-Produkte nutzen", "IT-Leitfaden", and "Ab Sekundarstufe II". The central content area features a green icon with three people and the text "Wir stellen vor: Classroom". Below it, a subtext explains that Classroom was developed in cooperation with teachers and integrates with Google Apps for Education. A blue "Zu Classroom" button is at the bottom. To the right, there's a section titled "Eine Lösung für Kursleiter und Kursteilnehmer" with a video thumbnail showing a teacher in a classroom. The video player has a play button in the center.

Procedure:

- Users can be created centrally
- Tasks are "copied" to all invited students
- Login dates and time are distributed by teachers
- Google Fusion Tables can be used online (without local installation and without "own" google account)
- Google Fusion Table is automatically updated enabling real time collaboration

Advantage:

- No own google accounts for students needed to use Google Fusion Tables, Google Docs, etc.
- no sharing of private email addresses by students
- No additional email traffic for pupils

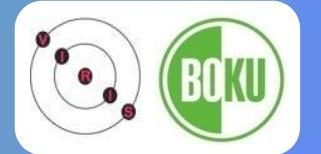
Involvement of scholars



1. Search producers
 - Enter data, such as product name, address, telephone number etc.
2. Search environmental data on production areas
 - Online maps (altitude, geology, soil)
3. Sampling
 - Food and environmental samples in the field
4. Visit the VIRIS laboratories
 - Path of the sample through the laboratory – from preparation, analysis to data interpretation



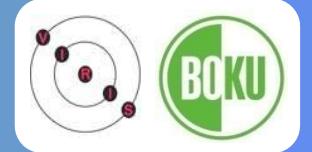
Important issues



- Technical conditions (number of computers, headsets and webcam availability, network capacity)
- Development of teaching units and synchronous interactions (BOKU Science TV, socrative, formative)
- Development "asynchronous" and other learning materials (record of teaching units, youtube channel, Cyber Lab, mass spectrometry learning material, conversion of an old mass spectrometer into a learning tool)
- Materials for learning management systems used at schools



Cyber Lab and MINT



- **Cyber Lab**

- Target: An interactive "virtual" learning tool
 - sampling
 - selection of instrumentation
 - sample preparation
 - measurement
 - Interpretation of the results
- Problem Based Learning
 - Step by step
 - Virtual and interactive!
- **Workshop for women in analytical chemistry by women**

Please select one of the instruments below



Project finalization – Austrian snack



- All schools linked together
- Live broadcast from each school
 - WOWZA GoCoder to WOWZA Streaming Server (locally installed) to Wirecast
- Wirecast live stream to Webex and YouTube



Streaming Products Pricing Downloads Customers Partners

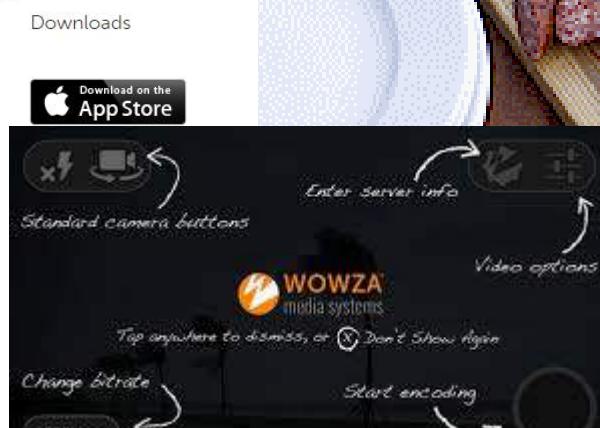
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Wowza GoCoder

Wowza® GoCoder™ is a live audio and video encoding application for iOS and Android devices.



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Web presence

<http://csi-traceyourfood.boku.ac.at>



A logo featuring a stylized atom with a red tomato at its center, surrounded by the text "CSI:TRACE YOUR FOOD!"

Herkunftsbestimmung von Nahrungsmitteln aus regionaler Produktion in Österreich anhand des Multielement- und Isotopenfingerabdrucks

A graphic showing two children's faces side-by-side, with the text "Sparkling Science > Wissenschaft ruft Schule Schule ruft Wissenschaft" and the logo for bmwfw.

A photograph of two scientists in white lab coats and purple gloves working in a laboratory, examining a sample under a microscope.

PROJEKT MINT CYBER LAB TEAM ZEITPLAN MATERIAL und METHODEN PUBLIKATIONEN ZUWEISUNGSTOOL LINKS BLOG

CSI:TRACE your FOOD!

Der thematische Schwerpunkt des Projektes Classroom-Science-Interaction „CSI: TRACE your FOOD!“ liegt auf der systematischen Bestimmung von eindeutigen chemischen Fingerabdrücken in Nahrungsmitteln aus unterschiedlichen Regionen in Österreich zur eindeutigen Herkunftsbestimmung.

Ein wesentliches Ziel ist die Ermittlung des Zusammenhangs zwischen Umweltfaktoren (Geologie, Boden, Wasserchemie, Seehöhe, etc.) und der chemischen Zusammensetzung der Lebensmittel (Abb. 1).

The diagram illustrates the cycle of elements and isotopes from geological sources through various environments and biological systems. It shows the movement of elements from the atmosphere, water, and soil through weathering and into plants via their roots. The plants then pass these elements along through the food chain to animals like cows and fish, and finally to humans through the food we eat. A magnifying glass highlights specific elements in the soil and water. The process is labeled with terms such as Atmosphäre, Geologie, Verwitterung, Wasser, Boden, Pflanze, Wurzeln, Organismus, Nahrungskette, and Analyse.

Abb. 1: Der Weg der Elemente und Isotope ins Nahrungsmittel.

AKTUELLES

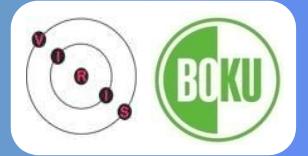
NEWS von CSI:TRACE your FOOD!

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<http://googleforeducation.blogspot.co.at/2015/01/Google-Classroom-mobile-app-and-new-teacher-goodies.html>

Artikel in der Presse über CSI: TRACE your FOOD!
Heute ist ein Artikel über unser ambitioniertes Forschungs- und E-learning Projekt in der Presse erschienen. Wir freuen uns sehr über die gute Öffentlichkeitswahrnehmung.
<http://diepresse.com/home/science/4640565/Spuren-in-regionalen-Produkten>

CSI: TRACE your FOOD! goes Google Apps for Education
Heute wurde uns der Zugang zur Verwendung der Google Education Apps für unser Projekt freigeschalten. Dies ermöglicht über alle Schulen hinweg ein vereinfachtes Nutzer-Management, d.h. die SchülerInnen müssen nicht selber google

Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/traceyourfood2>



CSI: TRACE your FOOD

Andreas Startseite 20+ Freunde finden

Seite Aktivität Statistiken Einstellungen Z

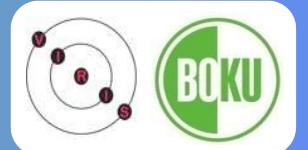
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CSI: TRACE your FOOD Webseite

Gefällt dir Abonniert Nachricht senden ...

Chronik Info Fotos „Gefällt mir“-Angaben Mehr

A screenshot of a Facebook page for "CSI: TRACE your FOOD". The page header shows the name and a profile picture. Below the header, there's a large image of a complex scientific apparatus with various tubes and a bright light source. On the left side of the main content area, there are two smaller images: one showing a tomato inside a circular atomic model, and another showing a close-up of two people's faces. The central text "CSI: TRACE your FOOD Webseite" is displayed over the apparatus image. At the bottom of the page, there are standard Facebook interaction buttons like "Gefällt dir", "Abonniert", and "Nachricht senden", along with navigation links for "Chronik", "Info", "Fotos", "„Gefällt mir“-Angaben", and "Mehr".



CSI: TRACE your FOOD!

Nahrungsmittelherkunftsbestimmung mittels Element- und Isotopenfingerabdruck

Search

Differences



Forum - discussion



BLOG - author



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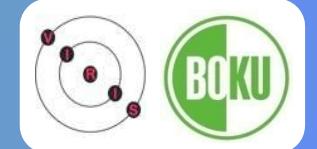
Neueste Artikel

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First impressions and questions



Student and teacher responses

- Widespread acceptance and great interest in the new learning and interaction form
- Difficulties with the internet connection are the biggest hurdles
- 3 pre-scientific student works (2 x fish ear stones and filets for tracing the origin of fish; 1 x selection criteria for girls for natural science studies)

Questions

- How can better Internet connections in schools be achieve/pushed?
- How can the educational content optimally prepared for e-learning including alternating phases between input on the part of teachers and input and feedback from the learners?
- Final evaluations should yield structured information about the interests, needs, criticisms and ideas for development of e-learning scenarios and a sustainable connection between school and university



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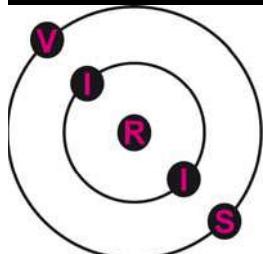
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