

Citizen science og arkæologi

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Abstract

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Next Generation Lab is an interdisciplinary project that introduces high school students to archaeology, history, and biotechnology. Students are taught to work in a laboratory and to analyse archaeological leather found primarily in the Copenhagen underground. The students examine archaeological leather, that otherwise would not be analysed, using both a morphological and protein-based method, Zooarchaeology by Mass Spectrometry (ZooMS). The project unveils archaeological results and has the potential to generate new knowledge of historical and prehistoric periods. It also inspires high school students to engage more actively in the investigation of our common past.

