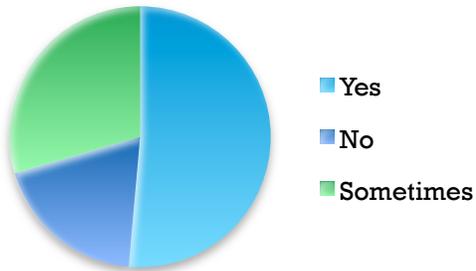
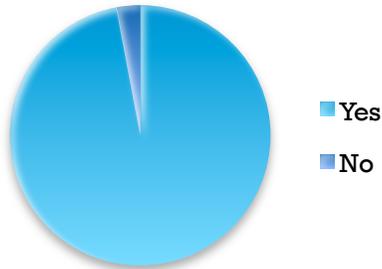


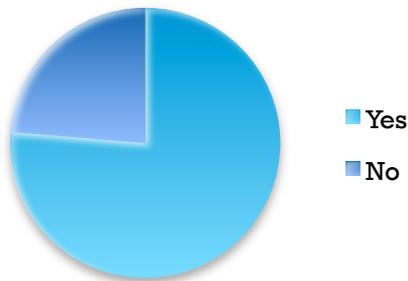
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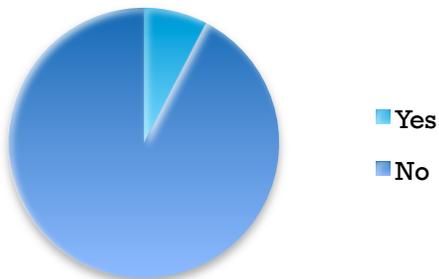
Do you have a formal sci degree?



Do you identify as a SciCommer?



Do you have a SciComm degree?



Big Take Aways

Live public science events are a nascent sector but they are comprised of many older well researched and established fields that can help support the work of professionals.

With over 170 survey respondents, the majority identified as scientists, science communicators, events practitioners and supplied over 100 different resource 'locations'.

In one-on-one practitioner interviews, science events professionals most wanted to see this field achieve validation in the future and to be recognized as a discrete and accredited field of study and work.

Defining the Sector & the work ahead!



The definition for live science events that was reached through the research of this dissertation was as follows:

Live Science Event: a gathering of people in real time, face to face, bounded by time, around a central theme or element, in a community space where science is discussed but may not be the main topic of discussion.

What are the ultimate next steps forward:

- ✚ Accreditation of live science events and practitioners
- ✚ Professionalization of the field
- ✚ Building ongoing training and professional development.

So... a lot more work!

