2025 was complicated...

...but we made it! We made it because of you. Your support, your commitment to the environment, and your belief that together we can make things better. To this, I can only say "Thank You" from the bottom of my heart. I want to specifically thank the U.S. Department of Education and Montgomery County, Maryland, who share our vision and funded us for the next stage of our development.

And most of all, I want to thank you, teachers, students, environmentalists, dreamers, fish nerds, and everyone who believes that we are better off with a healthy environment than without one. Not only are you making this possible, you are proving that we are on the right track.

So, what did we accomplish?

Quite a lot, actually. We launched our flagship Water Guardian, a low cost water quality sensor designed for citizen scientists and educators. Then you told us you

wanted nitrate and phosphate measurements, and so we **partnered with NECi** to bring you a **Photometer** that does exactly that. And now, we are launching "**GaiaXus Projects**", our new environmental science platform that allows teachers and citizen science program managers to develop and share projects, lesson plans, and research objectives. It also enables the generation of auditable water quality data and educational outcomes in one integrated system. **Try it out!**

Whats in store for 2026

Well, thanks to you, we have a lot planned for 2026. We will continue developing sensors for new measurements while expanding our project management and education platforms in parallel. We have exciting prototypes in development, **contact us** if you want to be a ~~guinea pig~~ beta-tester.

Our goal is to connect educators, scientists, and communities through data, insights, stories, and shared experience. That only works if we do this together.

Here is to 2026

A year where students, citizen scientists, and researchers come together to tackle environmental challenges. Because if it is not us, then who? If it is not now, then when?

See you by the water!

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Interested in bringing GaiaXus to your event,
classroom, or community? We would love to hear from you!

Get in touch

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