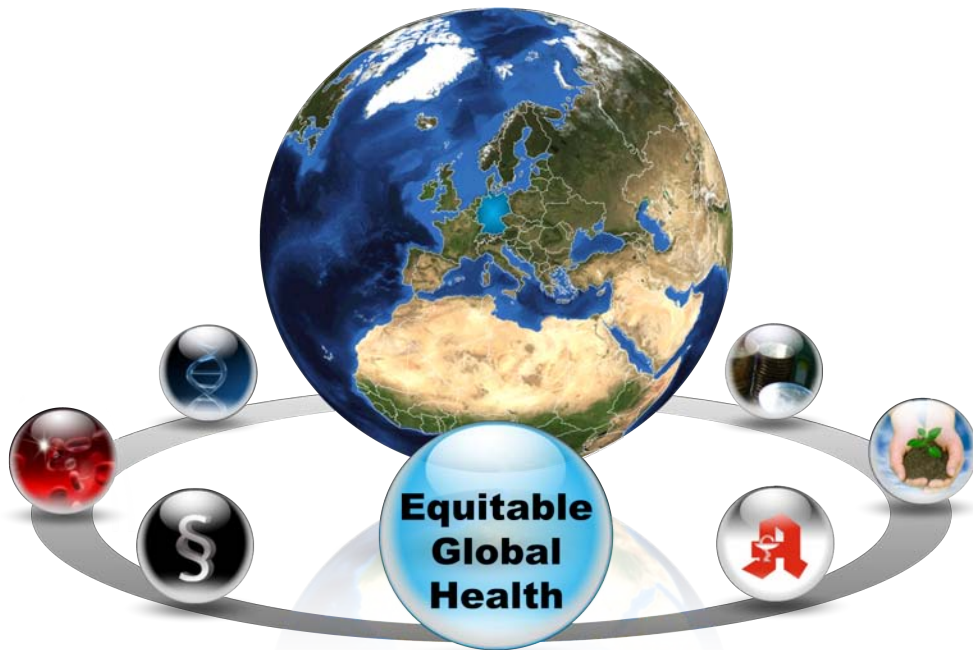


Equitable Global Health



Bochum (Germany)
October 7th - 8th, 2010

We invite you to the 1st International and Interdisciplinary Symposium

Equitable **Global** Health

organized by the Global Young Faculty
(Equitable Global Health Group)

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Chairman,
RUHR.2010 GmbH

Thursday, October 7th 2010

- 9:00** Registration and Coffee
- 10:00** Welcome and Introductory remarks
Stefan Raunser, Speaker of the Health Group - Global Young Faculty
Claus Leggewie, Director of the Institute for Advanced Study in the Humanities
Felix Streiter, Project Manager, Centre for Science and Humanities, Stiftung Mercator
Fritz Pleitgen, Chairman, RUHR.2010 GmbH
- 10:30** Global Perspectives on Cancer
Michael Lotze, Cancer Institute, University of Pittsburgh, USA
“Global Perspectives on Cancer: Facts and Figures”
Eveline Bleiker, National Cancer Institute, University of Amsterdam, NL
“Challenges in Psycho-Oncology”
Nisar Malek, Department of Molecular Biology, Hannover Medical School, Germany
“Novel Therapies in Cancer”
- 12:30** Round table discussion: **Michael Lotze, Eveline Bleiker, Nisar Malek**
- 13:00** Lunch

Thursday, October 7th 2010

14:00 Tackling Social Inequalities in Health

Nico Dragano, Department of Medical Sociology, University of Düsseldorf, Germany

“Social Determinants of Health: Concepts and Research Examples from a Population Based Study in the Ruhr Area”

Ulrike Ravens-Sieberer, Department of Psychosomatics in Children and Adolescents, University Medical Center Hamburg-Eppendorf, Germany

“Mental Health and Quality of Life of Children and Adolescents: International Developments and Perspectives”

16:00 Coffee Break

16:30 Tackling Social Inequalities in Health

Andrea Fischer, Former Federal Minister for Health, Healthcare Policy and Management Consultant, Germany

“Social Inequalities Do Not Only Matter in Poor Countries”

17:30 Closing Day 1

Friday, October 8th 2010

8:00 Registration and Coffee

9:00 Improving Health Systems

Daniel Strech, Department of the History, Ethics and Philosophy of Medicine, Hannover Medical School, Germany

“Priority Setting and Rationing. Two Unpopular But Unavoidable Responsibilities for Optimal Healthcare”

Tobias Luppe, Global Health Advocacy Advisor, Oxfam, Germany

“Access to Medicines in Developing Countries: Between Market Forces and Human Rights”

Torsten Strohmeyer, Director of Research and Medicine, GlaxoSmithKline GmbH & Co. KG, Germany

“The pharmaceutical industry – a partner in global health care. What has been achieved – what needs to be done?”

David Canter, Director of the North Campus Research Complex, University of Michigan, USA

“The Forgotten Aspect of Global Healthcare – Management Skills”

10:30 Coffee break

10:45 Improving Health Systems

Round table discussion: **Daniel Strech, Tobias Luppe, Torsten Strohmeyer, David Canter**

12:15 Lunch

Friday, October 8th 2010

13:00 Fighting Pandemic Infectious Diseases

Lyle Petersen, Director, Division of Vector-Borne Diseases at Center for Disease Control and Prevention, USA

“Global Biosecurity and Arboviral Disease Emergence”

Georg Bohn, Imperial College London, UK & Médecins Sans Frontières

“Infrastructural Problems and Well-informed Parents – Obstacles for the Implementation of Comprehensive Vaccination Programs”

15:15 Coffee Break

15:30 Fighting Pandemic Infectious Diseases

Heinz J. Schmitt, Vaccines Development & Diagnostics section at Novartis, Germany, Former Head of the Commission for Vaccination

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Michael Kramer, Head of Division at the Federal Ministry of Health in Berlin

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17:15 Concluding remarks

Stefan Raunser, Speaker of the Health Group - Global Young Faculty

17:30 Closing

The Equitable **Global** Health Symposium

With the **Equitable Global Health Symposium** we intend to bring together representatives from non-governmental organizations and the pharmaceutical industry, politicians, scientists, healthcare professionals, ethicists, and concerned citizens to...

- ... raise awareness of **social inequalities in health** that exist in different forms not only in a global but also in a local context.
- ... explore how current **health systems can be improved** given the resource constraints in different parts of the world.
- ... discuss **cancer** as one of the health challenges of increasing relevance in an aging population.
- ... engage in a discussion on how to **effectively fight pandemic infectious diseases**.

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Organizational Information

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- Online Registration:** www.equitable-global-health.de/sympreg
- Fee:** A conference fee is not imposed. Coffee and lunch will be provided.
- Moderation:** Fighting Pandemic Infectious Diseases –
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Tackling Social Inequalities in Health –
Oliver Rauprich, Institute for Medical Ethics and History of Medicine, Ruhr University Bochum
Improving Health Systems –
Julia Bandow, Department of Biology and Biotechnology, Ruhr University Bochum
Global Perspectives on Cancer –
Adina Carmen Rusu, Department of Medical Psychology and Medical Sociology, Ruhr University Bochum
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