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European Health Policies in the Era of Capitalist Crisis and Restructuring



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Guidelines for speakers and oral/poster presenters

Roundtable discussions

- Presentation length: Speakers will be allocated 15 min for their presentation and 5 min for questions and answers with the audience.
- Slide format: MS Power Point or Apple Keynote.
- Slide Submission: Speakers should preferably send their slides to the conference secretariat (IAHPEconference2017@gmail.com) 24h in advance of their presentation.

Oral Presentation Sessions

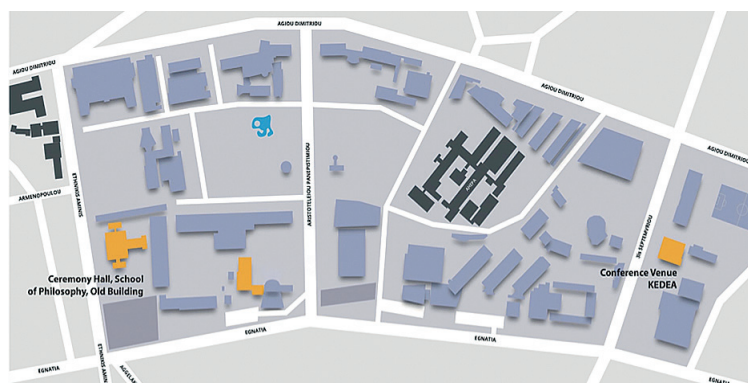
- Presentation length: Oral presenters will be allocated 10 min for their presentation and 3 min for questions and answers with the audience.
- Slide format: MS Power Point or Apple Keynote.
- Slide Submission: All presenters should preferably send their slides to the conference secretariat (IAHPEconference2017@gmail.com) 24h in advance of their presentation.

Poster Presentation Session

- Poster dimensions: 60X90cm (min) – 120X180cm (max).
- Presenting authors should print their physical poster and set it up at the designated area of the conference.
- During the poster presentation session (Saturday 23rd) presenting authors will be allocated 10 min to present their poster and answer any questions related to their research project.

Conference Venues

- Thursday 21st September: Ceremony hall, School of Philosophy – old building, Ethnikis Aminis str. Aristotle University of Thessaloniki Campus
- Friday 22nd – Sunday 24th September: AUTH Research Dissemination Centre (KEDEA Building), 3rd Septemvriou str. 54636 Thessaloniki



Registration

Registration is open online at <https://iahponline.wordpress.com>, and will also be available during the days of the conference at the conference secretariat stand.

Conference Fees

- Salaried and full-time employees: €100
- Students, unemployed and precarious workers: free of charge.

Payment

- Conference fees can be paid via Bank Transfer prior to the conference.

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- Or in cash at the conference secretariat, during the days of the conference.

Conference Programme Overview

Thursday 21st September	Friday 22nd September	Saturday 23rd September	Sunday 24th September
	09.00 - 11.00 am Round table I: Economic crisis and healthcare reform in Europe	09.00 - 10.30 am Oral presentations & Poster presentations II: Refugee crisis, social movements **	09.00 – 09.45 am Key note lecture IV: Christianne Vollaire
	11.00 - 11.30 am Coffee break	10.30 - 11.00 am Coffee break	09.45 – 10.00 am Coffee break
	11.30 - 13.00 pm Round table II: International trade and public health in Europe	11.00 - 13.00 pm Round table IV: Refugee crisis and public health in Europe	10.00 - 12.00 pm Round table VII: Social movements and public health
	13.00 - 14.00 pm Lunch break	13.00 - 14.00 pm Lunch break	12.00 - 12.15 pm Coffee break
	14.00 - 16.00 pm Oral presentations I: Economic crisis, International trade, privatisation *	14.00 - 16.00 pm Oral presentations I: Round table V: Ecology and public health	12.15 - 13.00 pm Key note lecture V: Howard Waitzkin
16.00 – 17.00 pm Registration	16.00 – 16.15 pm Coffee break	16.00 – 16.15 pm Coffee break	13.00 - 13.30 pm Closing of the conference
	16.15 - 17.15 pm Key note lectures II: Hans Ulrich Deppe, Miran Epstein, Matt Anderson	16.15 - 17.15 pm Key note lectures II: Asa Cristina Laurell	
17.00 – 18.00 pm Welcome	17.15 – 17.30 pm Coffee break	17.15 – 17.30 pm Coffee break	
18.00 - 18.30 pm 41st IAHPE Anniversary (Prof Vicente Navarro)	17.30 - 19.30 pm Round table III: Privatisation of healthcare in Europe	17.30 - 19.00 pm Round table VI: Academic freedom under threat	
18.30 - 19.30 pm Key note lecture I: David Himmelstein		19.30 - 21.00 pm IAHPE members' meeting, election of new steering board	* 2 parallel sessions ** 3 parallel sessions

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Thursday 21st September

17.00 – 18.00 pm	Registration	Ceremony Hall – School of Philosophy AUTH
18.00 – 19.00 pm	Welcome and opening of the conference Chair Prof Alexis Benos (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece) Welcome Representative from Aristotle University of Thessaloniki Prof Ioannis Nimatoudis (Deputy Dean of the Medical School, AUTH) Prof Theofilos Rosenberg (KEELPNO, Greek CDC)	Ceremony Hall – School of Philosophy AUTH
19.00 – 19.45 pm	41st IAHPE Anniversary Chair Prof Feride Aksu Tanik (President of IAHPE - Izmir Solidarity Academy, Turkey) Speakers Video Interview and Skype intervention by Prof Vicente Navarro (John Hopkins University, USA)	Ceremony Hall – School of Philosophy AUTH
19.45 – 20.30 pm	Keynote lecture I: “Privatization of healthcare in USA” Speaker Prof David Himmelstein (CUNY School of Public Health, USA)	Ceremony Hall – School of Philosophy AUTH

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Friday 22nd September

09.00 – 11.00 am	Round table discussion I: Economic crisis and healthcare reform Chair Dr Elias Kondilis (Queen Mary, University of London, UK) Speakers Dr Christos Laskos (Greece) “Capitalist Crisis and Austerity in the Eurozone”. Prof Alicia Stolkiner (University of Buenos Aires, Argentina) “Capitalist crisis and health policy reform in Argentina”. Dr Pol DeVos (Institute of Tropical Medicine, Antwerp) “Health for the people, by the people? Comparing Cuban and Greek policies”. Dr Jonnathan Kennedy (Queen Mary, University of London, UK) “Economic crisis, the rise of anti-establishment politics and vaccine skepticism in Europe”. Dr Ayse Dayi (Universite de Lausanne) “Privatisation of health care, debt and women’s sexual and reproductive rights in Turkey”.	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
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11.30 – 13.00 pm

Round table discussion II: International trade and public health

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Chair Prof Asa Cristina Laurell (Mexico)

Speakers Dr Roberto DeVogli (University of Padova, Italy) “International Trade Liberalisation and its impact on public health”.

Prof Ronald Labonte (University of Ottawa, Canada) “The Trans-Pacific Partnership: From Zombie Treaty to Progressive Public Health?”.

Dr Grigoris Zarotiadis (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece) “The Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership and its impact on Greece’s democracy, economy and society”.

13.00 – 14.00 pm

Lunch break

KEDEA Building AUTH

14.00 – 16.00 pm

Oral Presentations I: Economic crisis, international trade and privatization of healthcare (2 parallel sessions)

Lecture Theatre II-
KEDEA Building

Chair Dr Lori Hanson
Session IA (University of Saskatchewan, Canada)

Oral Presentations Session IA

▪ Cowan H. “Bone and blood money: how discourses of marketisation have become part of medical knowledge” (LSHTM, UK) ▪ Tukul R, Adiyaman S, Yilmaz BN, Ilhan B, Pala K, Kilic G, Erbas O. “Hidden privatization in health services in Turkey: city hospitals” (Turkish Medical Association, Turkey) ▪ Aksu Tanik F, Mut O, Taner S, Payzin S, Vatansever K, Yuk-sel K. “How minimum health package influence the clinical decision process: developing a scale” (Solidarity Academy of Izmir, Turkey) ▪ Ivicic S, Vracar A, Weygand L. “Community nursing service” (Organisation for Workers’ Initiative and Democratisation, Croatia) ▪ Wakeel J, Rotulo A, Filippou J, Kondilis E. “Corporate activity and competition levels in the PFI health-market: is there an oligopoly in the NHS?” (Queen Mary, University of London, UK) ▪ Rycroft E, Filippou J, Seretis S, Kondilis E. “The Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership and healthcare services: an impact analysis” (Queen Mary, University of London, UK) ▪ Rotulo A, Kondilis E, Filippou J, Seretis S. “Unfolding a fragmentation spectrum in healthcare: evidence of fiscal federalism and fiscal decentralization from the English, Italian and Spanish NHSs” (Queen Mary University of London, UK) ▪ Sotiriou S, Kondilis E, Seretis S, Benos A. “Europeanization of health systems: a review of fiscal governance and regulation of cross-border patients’ mobility in EU” (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece) ▪ Argyropoulos E, “The ethic of commercial conflict of interest in medicine: a radical critique” (Queen Mary, University of London, UK).

Chair Dr Pol de Vos
Session IB (Institute of Tropical Medicine, Antwerp)

Oral Presentations Session IB

▪ **Koufopoulou P**, Vozikis A, Souliotis K, Ithakisios D. "Informal payments in health in economic crisis era: the case of Greece – best practices for the future" (University of Piraeus, Greece) ▪ **Diomidous M**, Chardalias K, Matzourani V. "Human resources and staffing policies in the Greek NHS during the period 2009-2015" (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece) ▪ **Tsirona C**, Kaitelidou D, Siskou O, Galanis P, Sourtzi P, Dimoni C. "Investigating the unmet health care needs of Greek population" (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece) ▪ **Griva E**, Smyrnakis E, Haidich AB, Vekiloglou ER, Panagopoulou E. "Assessment of socio-economic status among graduate medical students and its association with brain drain" (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece) ▪ **Gogos C**, Douks ID, Papadopoulou E. "Spatial access to health care services: spatial inequalities in accessibility to health's rehabilitation services across a Greek prefecture area" (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece) ▪ **Puchner K**. "Economic crisis and globalization: emergence of novel patterns of epidemiological transition" (Medecins du Monde, Greece) ▪ **Blandina M**, Kondilis E, Rotulo A. "Economic crisis, Structural Adjustment Programmes and population health during the 1997-98 East Asian crisis: lessons for Europe" (Queen Mary, University of London, UK) ▪ Papadakis N, **Anestis A**. "Health policies in European Union under two major threats: economic crisis and climate change" (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece).

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16.00-16.15 pm	Coffee Break	KEDEA Building AUTH
16.15-17.45 pm	Keynote Lectures II: Medicine under capitalism Prof Hans-Ulrich Deppe (Goethe Universitat, Germany) "The physician-patient relationship is a mirror of the society" Associate Prof Miran Epstein (Queen Mary, University of London, UK) "Is medical ethics a capitalist ideology?" Dr Matt Anderson (Social Medicine, USA) "Understanding the medical industrial complex"	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
17.45-18.00 pm	Coffee Break	KEDEA Building AUTH
18.0-20.00 pm	Round table discussion III: Privatisation of healthcare in Europe Chair Dr Amit Sengupta (PHM, India), Dr Matt Anderson (Social Medicine, USA) Speakers Dr John Lister (Coventry University, UK) "Privatisation of healthcare: how far have they got ... and how far do they want to go?". Vivek Kotesha (Centre for Health and Public Interest, UK) "Transforming healthcare under austerity: Is England's NHS capable of handling the coming years of government underfunding?". Prof Kayihan Pala (Uludag University, Turkey) "The impact of neoliberal health reforms: Financial structure is changing in public hospitals in Turkey". Dr Nadja Rakowitz (VDAA, Germany) "German experiences with the DRG - Privatization and marketization of the German hospital sector". Zeynep Or (IRDES, France) "DRG-payments in France and their impact on hospital care".	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH

09.00 – 10.30 am

Oral presentations and Poster presentations II: Refugee crisis, social determinants of health, social movements and public health (3 parallel sessions)

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Chair **Dr Elias Kondilis**
Session IIA (Queen Mary, University of London, UK)

Lecture Theatre II-
KEDEA Building

Oral Presentations Session IIA

- **Varol Z**, Aksu Tanik F, Davas H. "Gap between rights and access to health services for Syrian refugees in Turkey" (Doctors Without Borders, Turkey).
- **Marinos N**, Puchner K, Buelens K. "The refugee crisis in Greece: data and lessons learned from MdM response" (Médécins du Monde, Greece).
- **Poulimas M**. "Health issues of the refugee crisis: the case of Lesbos" (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece).
- **Yahia MB**, Sabri B. "Impact of the refugee crisis on health sector and access to services in Tunisia since the 2011 revolution" (Tunisian Association Defending the Right to Health, Tunisia).
- **Hantouly A**, Kondilis E. "Health management of the Syrian refugee crisis in Jordan: a country case study and a lesson to Europe" (Queen Mary, University of London, UK).
- **Telli P**, Cesuroglu T, Aksu Tanik F. "Abortion policy and practice: how do pronatalist policies impact women's access to safe abortion services in Turkey" (Maastricht University, Netherlands).
- **Vekiloglou E**, Haidich AB, Benos A, Griva E, Smyrnakis E. "Socio-economic factors as barriers to weight loss in overweight or obese adults" (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece).

Chair **Dr John Lister**
Session IIB (Coventry University, UK)

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Oral Presentations Session IIB

- **Mura B**. "Tackle to together the crisis diseases: the EquibradaMent project in Barcelona" (University of Urbino Carlo, Italy).
- **Zencir M**, Turkmen A, Yurtdas K. "Ata Soyer school of health and politics and natural health perspective" (Ata Soyer School of health and politics, Turkey).
- **Amin S**, Kondilis E, Filippou J, Montag D. "Social movements in public health and public health policy: a literature review" (Queen Mary, University of London, UK).
- **Moisidou A**. "Health care system: positive or negative impact on health inequalities?" (Democritus University of Thrace, Greece).
- **Roberts M**. "Globalisation and neoliberalism – structural determinants of mental health?" (University of Bristol, UK)
- **Kosadinos E**, Martin JP. "European Network for Democratic Mental Health – Argument on the situation in Greece" (Greece).

▪ **Turkkan A**, Pala K. "Social determinants of health in Nilufer district, Bursa/Turkey" (Uludag University, Turkey).

Chair **Prof Kayihan Pala**
Session IIC (Uludag University, Turkey)

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Poster Presentations Session IIC

- **Thrasylvoulou C**, Kondilis E, Benos A. "The impact of economic crisis on population's health and health system in Cyprus: an ecological study using secondary data" (Open University of Cyprus, Cyprus).
- **Secco Torres da Silva M**, Seipt C, Filippon J, Kondilis E. "The emerging role of IMF as key health policy actor in Europe during the Great Recession (Queen Mary, University of London, UK).
- **Santos M**, Seretis S, Filippon J, Kondilis E. "Trade liberalization in Brazil and its effects on healthcare services sector" (Queen Mary, University of London, UK).
- **Zencir M**, Turk M, Davas A, Canivar C, Tutus M. "The health care workers' health is a strategic field of fight" (Ege University, Turkey).
- **Davas A**, Turk M. "Migrant workers' health" (Ege University, Turkey).
- **Lyne-Smith E**, Kondilis E, Sotiriou S, Benos A. "The role of the EU in the health management of the current refugee crisis" (Queen Mary, University of London, UK).
- **Stavrou P**, Kondilis E, Poulimas M, Benos A. "Health governance of the Syrian refugee crisis in Greece: a country case study" (Queen Mary University of London, UK).
- **Haddad LH**. "Assessment of drug use in Bethlehem district public primary healthcare clinics" (Palestine).

10.30-11.00 am **Coffee break**

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11.00 – 13.00 pm **Round table discussion IV: Refugee crisis and public health in Europe**

Chair **Prof Marianna Fotaki**
 (University of Warwick, UK)

Speakers

- Prof Cem Terzi** (Association of Bridging People, Turkey) "Health, shelter, and refugees: the case of Izmir".
- Lenio Kapsaskis** (Chatham House, UK) "Improving access to appropriate healthcare for asylum seekers, migrants and refugees in Greece".
- Dr Apostolos Veizis** (Medecins Sans Frontieres, Greece) "MSF assisting people on the move and stranded in Europe: experience and challenges".
- Dr Karl Puchner** (Medecins Du Monde, Greece) "The cumbersome path of Migrant/Refugee Health in Europe: the unmet need to move from emergency response and mass screening towards individualized health care provision for migrants/refugees".
- Vasia Lekka** (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece) "Bodies that matter"? Some thoughts on migration and health policy".

13.00 – 14.00 pm **Lunch break**

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14.00 – 16.00 pm	Round table discussion V: Ecology and public health	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
	<p>Chair Prof Alexis Benos (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)</p> <p>Speakers Dr Doreen Montag (Queen Mary, University of London, UK) “Anthropocene and the current ecological, global health challenges”. Prof Dave McCoy (QMUL/Medact, UK) “Fracking and public health”. Kostas Foteinakis (Nature Friends, Greece) “Environment and health - the case of the Fyli Landfill (XYTA)”. Dr Lori Hanson (University of Saskatchewan, Canada). “Canadian Imperialism, Nicaraguan State Complicity, and A Community’s Resistance to Mining”. Jamie Kneen (Mining Watch, Canada). Anni Vasileiou (SOS Halkidiki) “Whose wealth? Whose health? Challenging mega-mining projects in northeast Halkidiki”.</p>	
16.00 – 16.15 pm	Coffee break	KEDEA Building AUTH
16.15 - 17.15 pm	<p>Key note Lectures III: “Eliminating Economic Barriers in Healthcare: the Mexico City Government’s Experience 2000-6”</p> <p>Speaker Prof Asa Cristina Laurell (Mexico)</p>	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
17.15 – 17.30 pm	Coffee break	KEDEA Building AUTH
17.30 – 19.00 pm	<p>Round table discussion VI: Academic Freedom under threat</p> <p>Chair Prof Steffie Woolhandler (CUNY School of Public Health, USA)</p> <p>Speakers Prof Carolina Tetelboin Henroin (Universidad Autonoma Metropolitana, Mexico) Prof Feride Aksu Tanik (President of IAHPE - Izmir Solidarity Academy, Turkey), Prof Onur Hamzaoglu (Solidarity Academy of Kocaeli, Turkey), Prof Ozlem Ozkan (Solidarity Academy of Kocaeli, Turkey).</p>	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
19.30 – 21.00 pm	IAHPE members’ meeting and election of new steering board	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH

9.00 – 9.45 am	<p>Keynote lecture IV: “Solidarité organique et solidarité politique - un travail associant philosophie de terrain et photographie documentaire”</p> <p>Chair Prof Lila Antonopoulou (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)</p> <p>Speaker Dr Christiane Vollaire (Revue Chimères et Pratiques, France), Philippe Bazin (Ecole Nationale des Beaux-arts de Dijon, France)</p>	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
9.45 – 10.00 am	Coffee break	KEDEA Building AUTH
10.00 – 12.00 pm	<p>Round table discussion VII: Social movements and public health</p> <p>Chair Prof Hans-Ulrich Deppe (Honorary President of IAHPE)</p> <p>Speakers Prof Steffie Woolhandler (PNHP, USA). Dr Chiara Bodini, Vladimir Nieddu (PHM, Europe). Jean Vignes (Sud Sante Sociaux, France). Dr Theodoros Zdoukos (Member of Solidarity Clinic, Greece) Dr Sotiris Lainas (Self-help Promotion Program, Greece). Dr Belgacem Sabri (Tunisian Association for Defending the Right to Health, Tunisia).</p>	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
12.00 – 12.15 pm	Coffee break	KEDEA Building AUTH
12.15 – 13.00 pm	<p>Keynote lecture V: “Revolution now: teachings from the global South for public health revolutionaries in the global North”</p> <p>Speaker Prof Howard Waitzkin (University of New Mexico, USA)</p>	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
13.00 – 13.30 pm	Closing of the conference	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH
14.00 – 15.30 pm	PHM members’ meeting: 7th April campaign (World Health Day)	Lecture Theatre I – KEDEA Building AUTH

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