Health system strengthening: Health for all revisited

Norwegian Global Health Conference
Oslo, 10-11 April 2018
Networking, registration, coffee  
Time: 08:30-09:00. Please be seated by 09:00 / Place: Gamle Festsal

Welcome  
Time: 09:00-09:10 / Place: Gamle Festsal  
• Camilla Stoltenberg, Director-General, Norwegian Institute of Public Health  
• Frode Vartdal, Dean, Faculty of Medicine, University of Oslo

Keynote address: The 2030 Agenda and the Sustainable Development Goals – researching health for all  
Time: 09:10-09:40 / Place: Gamle Festsal  
• Göran Tomson, Senior Professor, Department of Learning, Informatics, Management and Ethics, Karolinska Institutet, and Senior Advisor and Co-Founder, Swedish Institute for Global Health Transformation – SIGHT

Symposium 1: Global health funders and priority setting for universal health coverage  
Time: 09:40-11:00 / Place: Gamle Festsal  
Chair: Unni Gopinathan, Associate Professor, Institute of Health and Society, University of Oslo  
Speakers:  
• Trygve Ottersen, Executive Director, Division for Health Services, Norwegian Institute of Public Health, and Associate Professor, Institute of Health and Society, University of Oslo  
• Kalipso Chalkidou, Professor, Imperial College London, and Director of Global Health Policy and Senior Fellow, Center for Global Development (by video conference)  
• Mariam Claeson, Director, The Global Financing Facility  
• Michael Borowitz, Head of Strategic Investment & Partnerships, The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria  
• Ingvart Thea Olsen, Senior Advisor and Co-Founder, Swedish Institute for Global Health Transformation – SIGHT

Poster session and coffee  
Time: 11:00-11:30 / Place: Gamle Festsal

Symposium 2: Digitalization of health information systems – old challenges, new opportunities  
Time: 11:30-12:45 / Place: Gamle Festsal  
Chair: Johan Sæbø, Senior Engineer, Department of Informatics, University of Oslo  
Speakers:  
• Sundeep Sahay, Professor, Department of Informatics, University of Oslo  
• Olav Poppe, Research Fellow, Department of Informatics, University of Oslo  
• Mike Frost, Senior Engineer, Department of Informatics, University of Oslo, and Senior Advisor, Norwegian Institute of Public Health

Lunch  
Time: 12:45-13:10 / Place: Gamle Festsal

Symposium 3A: Neglected Tropical Disease: Is it possible to eliminate? Successes and challenges  
Time: 13:15-14:20 / Place: Gamle Festsal  
Chair: Andrea Sylvia Winkler, Director, Centre for Global Health and Professor, Institute of Health and Society, University of Oslo, and Center for Global Health, Technical University of Munich  
Speakers:  
• Frank Olav Pettersen, Senior Consultant, Department of Infectious Diseases, Oslo University Hospital  
• Eyrun Kjetland, MD PhD, Norwegian Centre for Imported and Tropical Diseases, Department of Infectious Diseases Ulleval, Oslo University Hospital, and Discipline of Public Health Medicine, University of KwaZulu-Natal, Durban, South Africa  
• Lucy J. Robertson, Professor, Parasitology, Food Safety and Infection Biology, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Norwegian University of Life Sciences  
• Wendy Harrison, Executive Director, Schistosomiasis Control Initiative, Faculty of Medicine, School of Public Health, Imperial College London, UK

Symposium 3B: eRegistries: Digital health solutions for universal health coverage in reproductive, maternal, newborn and child health  
Time: 13:15-14:20 / Place: Professorboligen  
Chair: Frederik Freen, Head of Research, Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Oslo  
Speakers:  
• Mahima Venkateswaran, Doctoral Research Fellow, Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Oslo  
• Fatema Khatun, Postdoctoral Researcher, Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Oslo
• Binyam Bogale, Doctoral Research Fellow, Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Oslo
• Ingrid Fríberg, Senior Scientist, Norwegian Institute of Public Health
• Michael James Frost, Senior Advisor, Norwegian Institute of Public Health, and Senior Engineer, Department of Informatics, University of Oslo

Cultural entertainment
Time: 14:30-14:45 / Place: Gamle Festsal

Symposium 4A: Abortion and post abortion care: Politics, religion, public health, health care and legal systems
Time: 14:50-16:00 / Place: Gamle Festsal
Chairs: Berit Austveg, MD, retired civil servant, Oslo; Elisabeth Darj, Professor, Department of Public Health and Nursing, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim
Speakers:
  • Maria Lisa Odland, PhD student, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim
  • Emily McLean, MD/PhD student, University of Bergen, Bergen
  • Maren Kloster, PhD student, Centre for Development and Environment University of Oslo
  • Drabo Seydou, PhD student, Faculty of Medicine, University of Oslo, Oslo

Symposium 4B: Digital Health as enabler for Digital Literacy and Digital Inclusion
Time: 14:50-16:00 / Place: Professorboligen
Chair: Josef Noll, Secretary-General, Basic Internet Foundation, and Professor, Department of Technology Systems, University of Oslo
Speakers:
  • Sara Rivenes Lafontan, PhD student, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health, University of Oslo
  • Haitham el Noush, Senior Adviser, Global Health Innovation, Norad
  • Christine Holst, PhD student, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health, University of Oslo
  • Erwan Le Quentrec, Ideas for Development (ID4D), Orange Labs, Paris

Coffee in poster area
Time: 16:00-16:15 / Place: Gamle Festsal

Symposium 5: Diverting discrimination in a digital era: Opportunities and risks of information and communication technologies (ICT) to improve healthcare access among highly stigmatized and criminalised populations affected by HIV
Time: 16:15-17:30 / Place: Gamle Festsal
Chair: Marija Pantelic, Senior Research and Evaluation Advisor, International HIV/AIDS Alliance, and Associate Fellow, Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford
Speakers:
  • Claudia Nizigiyimana, Advisor, Réseau National des Jeunes vivant avec le VIH (RNJ+)
  • Béatrice Léuvre, Project Coordinator, The Swedish Programme for ICT in Developing Regions
  • Tina Luo, Executive Director, AIDS Care China
  • David Clark, Head of HIV Prevention, Treatment and Care Programmes, International HIV/AIDS Alliance

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Time: 17:30-17:35 / Place: Gamle Festsal

Round up of first day
Time: 17:35-17:50 / Place: Gamle Festsal
Speaker:
  • Nils Daulaire, former Assistant Secretary for Global Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and Visiting Professor, University of Tromsø

Dinner
Time: 18:00-20:00 / Place: Professorboligen
Day 2

Networking and coffee
Time: 08:30-08:45. Please be seated by 08:45 / Place: Gamle Festsal

Morning address
Time: 08:45-08:55 / Place: Gamle Festsal
Mariam Claeson, Director, The Global Financing Facility

Symposium 6A: Maternal and Newborn Health
– Reaching out to the underserved with quality services at an added cost
Time: 09:05-10:25 / Place: Gamle Festsal
Chair: Johanne Sundby, Professor, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health
Speakers:
- Andrea Solnes Miltinenburg, PhD student, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health, University of Oslo
- Ingvil Sørbye, MD PhD, Oslo University Hospital
- Cynthia Wangamati, PhD student, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health, University of Oslo
- Naomi Tschirhart, Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health, University of Oslo

Symposium 6B: Exploring the potential of a One Health approach in the areas of neglected and emerging diseases, as well as antimicrobial resistance
Time: 09:05-10:25 / Place: Professorboligen
Chairs: Cristoph Gradmann, Professor, Centre for Global Health, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health, Institute of Health and Society, University of Oslo
Speakers:
- Andrea Sylvia Winkler, Director, Centre for Global Health and Professor, Institute of Health and Society, University of Oslo, and Center for Global Health, Technical University of Munich
- Osama Hassan Ahmed, Postdoctoral Fellow, Centre for Global Health, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health, Institute of Health and Society, University of Oslo
- Ernst Kristian Rodland, Postdoctoral Fellow, Centre for Global Health, Department of Community Medicine and Global Health, Institute of Health and Society, University of Oslo

Coffee and Danish
Time: 10:25-10:50 / Place: Professorboligen

Symposium 7A: Supporting informed decisions about healthcare and health systems
Time: 11:00-12:20 / Place: Gamle Festsal
Chair: Andy Oxman, Research Director, Centre for Informed Health Choices, Norwegian Institute of Public Health
Speakers:
- Sarah Rosenbaum, Senior Advisor, Centre for Informed Health Choices, Norwegian Institute of Public Health
- Atle Fretheim, Research Director, Centre for Informed Health Choices, Norwegian Institute of Public Health
- Signe Flottorp, Senior Researcher, Centre for Informed Health Choices, Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Professor, Department of Health Management and Health Economics, University of Oslo
- Simon Lewin, Senior Researcher, Centre for Informed Health Choices, Norwegian Institute of Public Health

Symposium 7B: Improving adolescents’ sexual and reproductive health: What works?
Time: 11:00-12:20 / Place: Professorboligen
Chair: Ingvild Sandøy, Professor, Centre for Intervention Science in Maternal and Child Health, Department of Global Public Health and Primary Care, University of Bergen
Speakers:
- Venkatraman Chandra-Mouli, MD, Department of Reproductive Health and Research, WHO
- Vincent Somville, Postdoctoral Fellow, Norwegian School of Economics, and Affiliated Senior Researcher, Chr. Michelsen Institute, Bergen

Keynote address
Time: 12:30-13:00 / Place: Gamle Festsal
Speaker: Richard Horton, Editor-in-Chief, The Lancet, and Honorary Professor, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, University College London, and University of Oslo.

General Assembly for Norwegian Forum for Global Health Research
Time: 13:30-14:30 / Place: Professorboligen