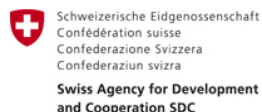




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Workshop on Aging, Health, Disability and Wellbeing



June 12 and 13, 2017
University of Lausanne - Switzerland
Anthropole building - Room 2024

The aim of this SSPH+ workshop is to bring together researchers from different fields working in the area of aging, health, disability and wellbeing. The workshop takes stock of ongoing research on aging, health, disability and wellbeing in Switzerland and provides opportunities for interaction with leading international experts and policy makers in the field on how to move the corresponding research agenda forward and how to make it most relevant for practitioners.

While the focus of the workshop will be on social and behavioral science research, researchers from other fields related to aging, health, disability and wellbeing such as biology, engineering or medicine are also welcome to attend and contribute to the workshop.

The workshop will provide opportunities for exchange regarding ongoing research in aging, health, disability and wellbeing, including an exchange between senior and junior researchers and PhD students, networking among like-minded researchers, as well as an exchange of ideas and the development of future collaborative public health research projects, proposals and papers in this research field.

The workshop is open to everyone and is free of charge but places are limited and registration is mandatory. We also strongly encourage attendance of the entire workshop and participants registered for the entire event will receive priority in case of space limitations. Interested research groups and individual researchers are also invited to display their ongoing research projects in the area of aging, health, disability and wellbeing by means of a poster. Interest in this opportunity should be indicated on the registration form.

[Registration and more information](#)

MONDAY, JUNE 12

AGING, HEALTH, DISABILITY AND WELLBEING IN HIGH-INCOME COUNTRIES

09:15 – 09:45	REGISTRATION AND WELCOME COFFEE
09:45 – 10:00	Welcome and objectives of the workshop
10:00 – 11:00	<i>Jinkook Lee (University of Southern California, United States)</i> <i>Harmonized international studies and data: Lessons learned on late-life health and cognition</i>
11:00 – 11:15	COFFEE BREAK
11:15 – 12:15	<i>Andrew Steptoe (University College London, United Kingdom)</i> <i>Life skills, wealth, health and wellbeing in later life</i>
12:15 – 13:15	LUNCH
13:15 – 14:15	<i>Lisa Berkman (Harvard, United States)</i> <i>Workplace policies and family dynamics impact healthy aging: The long arm of early and middle adulthood</i>
14:15 – 15:15	<i>Mauricio Avendano (Kings College, United Kingdom)</i> <i>Can social policy save lives? The impact of social programmes on health and mortality</i>
15:15 – 15:45	COFFEE BREAK
15:45 – 17:30	Policy Roundtable <i>Ageing, health, disability and wellbeing in high-income countries: Research and policy priorities for the future</i>
19:30	CONFERENCE DINNER

TUESDAY, JUNE 13

AGING, HEALTH, DISABILITY AND WELLBEING IN THE DEVELOPING WORLD

09:30 – 10:30	<i>Marc Suhrcke (University of York, United Kingdom)</i> <i>Disability and development: An economic perspective</i>
10:30 – 11:30	<i>Somnath Chatterji (World Health Organization, Switzerland)</i> <i>Ageing, health and wellbeing: Evidence from emerging economies</i>
11:30 – 11:45	COFFEE BREAK
11:45 – 12:45	<i>Daniel Cotlaer (World Bank, United States)</i> <i>Population aging in Latin America: Health system architecture and cost-inflation</i>
12:45 – 13:45	LUNCH
13:45 – 15:30	Policy Roundtable <i>Ageing, health, disability and wellbeing in developing world: Research and policy priorities for the future</i>
15:30 – 16:00	COFFEE BREAK
16:00 – 17:00	Wrap-up <i>Swiss research on ageing, health, disability and wellbeing - Ongoing and future work and scope for collaboration within SSPH+: Agenda for action</i>