



Annual Meeting 2011
Hilton Helsinki Kalastajatorppa, Helsinki, Finland
'Towards Strong and Connected Public Health Institutes'

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2011

10:00 – 14:00	Registration open	<i>Hotel Lobby</i>
12:00 – 18:00	IANPHI Executive Board Meeting	<i>Keltainen Sali</i>
17:00 – 19:00	Registration open	<i>Hotel Lobby</i>
19:00 – 22:00	Welcome Reception	<i>Vanha Torppa</i>

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2011

8:00	Registration opens	<i>Merisali, Conference Center</i>
9:00 – 10:00	Opening Plenary Video, Opening speeches: Pekka Puska, Jeffrey Koplan, Minister of Health and Social Services	<i>Merisali, Conference Center</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Break	
10:30 – 12:00	Plenary: <i>IANPHI from past to future</i> <u>Session outline:</u> <i>This interactive session gives an outline of IANPHI's past years: development of membership base, outline of current member institutes, current activities and future challenges. This plenary also aims for participants to be able to voice the areas of networking and institutional collaboration. The session invites the participants to test their knowledge about the association by using an electronic voting system. With the help of the voting system the participants can also share with each other their expectations for the present meeting.</i>	<i>Merisali, Conference Center</i>
	<u>Facilitator:</u> Pekka Puska	
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	<i>Round Room, Conference Center</i>

13:00 – 14:30

Plenary

Merisali, Conference Center

International Public Health instrument for NCDs and National Public Health Institutes –*The experience of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco***Session outline:**

WHO FCTC is an example of a global prevention tool available to combat the growing burden of NCDs, its unique legal and global health standing as the first international health treaty. The session also discusses the growing role of national legislation in implementing the treaty and how this can reinforce the role of national public health legislation in countries, and the international cooperation to implement the first public health treaty, the roles of national public health institutes at the national, regional and global levels.

Chair:

Haik Nikogosian, WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco control

Panelists:

Mario Henry Rodriguez, Mexico
 Innocent Ujah, Nigeria
 Wang Yu, China
 Tanja Knezevic, Serbia
 Arash Rashidian, Iran

14:30 – 15:00

Break

15:00 – 16:00

Concurrent Technical Sessions (select one of two):**1. Maternal Health**

Keltainen Sali, Conference Center

Session outline: *This session discusses maternal and newborn morbidity and mortality from global perspective: the session will have emphasis on underlying factors for high maternal mortality in low-income countries and how NPHIs work on the area, including challenges and success stories.*

Chair:

Rajae El Aouad, Morocco

Guest speaker: Heli Bathija, WHO Area Manager for the African and Eastern Mediterranean Regions, Department of Reproductive Health and Research

Facilitator:

Mika Gissler, Research Professor, THL

Panelists:

Elias Sory, Ghana,
 Chhea Chhorvann, Cambodia

2. Global challenge of NCD monitoring and surveillance

Merisali, Conference Center

Session outline: *This session tackles the various challenges different countries face in the field of NCD monitoring and surveillance, and how to overcome them: what are the current methods for monitoring and surveillance and what are being developed.*

Chair :

Sergei Boytsov, Russia

Speaker:

Pekka Puska

Panelists:

Mirosław J. Wysocki, Poland
 Janchiv Oyunbileg, Mongolia
 Mwele Ntuli Malecela, Tanzania

16:15 – 17:15

Concurrent Technical Sessions (select one of two):**1. HPV vaccines and screening in prevention of cervical cancer** *Keltainen Sali, Conference Center*

Session outline: *This session gives a scientific introduction to the topic, and then raises the question: which is the way forward in cervical cancer prevention - HPV vaccine or/and screening? What is the situation regarding HPV vaccination from member NPHIs' point of view?*

Chair : Andre N. Van der Zande, Netherlands

Speaker: Pekka Nieminen, Chief Physician, Helsinki University Hospital

Panelists: José Pereira-Miguel, Portugal
Lital Keinan Boker, Israel

2. Monitoring and Surveillance of Infectious Diseases *Merisali, Conference Center*

Session outline: *This session discusses the current trends in monitoring and surveillance of infectious disease - challenges and innovations in the field.*

Chair : Mahmudur Rahman, Bangladesh

Panelists : Ilesh V. Jani, Mozambique
Claude Pirmez , Brazil
Bashir Noormal, Afghanistan

18:30

Group photo*Location TBC*

19:00 – 22:00

Conference dinner*Siirtomaasali, Conference Center***TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2011**

8:00

Registration opens*Merisali, Conference Center*

8:30 – 10:30

General Assembly*Merisali, Conference Center***Chair:** Jeffrey Koplan

10:30 – 11:00

Break

11:00 – 12:00

Plenary*Merisali, Conference Center***Defining the core functions for Public Health Institutes**

Session outline: *Findings from consultation organized by WHO and IANPHI to discuss and develop a measureable set of essential public health functions for countries' National Public Health Institutes. This session gives a briefing and facilitates discussion of outcomes of the Bellagio meeting "Essential Public Health Functions for 21st Century".*

Chair: Jeffrey Koplan

Discussants: Elias Sory, Rajae El Aouad, Jean-Claude Desenclos, Ilesh Jani, Amabelia Rodrigues

12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Round Room, Conference Center
13:00 – 14:00	Panel Discussion: IANPHI Partnerships for Strengthened Public Health	Merisali, Conference Center
	<i>Session outline: What do different organizations working in the field of public health see as ways of collaboration with IANPHI. How to build win-win strategies and strengthen partnerships between institutions and organizations? How to recognize mutual goals? What is the experience from existing partnerships and what are the expectations for the future?</i>	
	Panelists: Heidi Hautala, Minister for International Development, Finland Marc Sprenger, Director, ECDC Matt Hanson, Program Officer, Vaccine Delivery, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation Ramesh Shademani, Technical Officer, WHO C. Anderson Johnson, Professor, Claremont University, USA Keizo Takemi, Fellow at the Sasakawa Memorial Health Foundation, Japan	
	Chair: Pekka Puska	
14:00 – 14:30	Break IANPHI Executive Board Meeting IANPHI Foundation Board Meeting	Kapteeni, Conference Center Kapteeni, Conference Center
14:30– 15:30	Plenary: Social Determinants of Health	Merisali, Conference Center
	<i>Session outline: The session will give an introduction to the topic, followed by discussion. The aim is to broaden the scope and to provide tools for advocacy for participant NPHIs.</i>	
	Chair: Sarah Wamala, Sweden	
	Panelists : Mohammed Hassar, Morocco Marija Seljak, Slovenia	
15:30 – 16:30	Plenary: Role of NPHIs in public health crisis	Merisali, Conference Center
	<i>Session outline: The session discusses experiences of the aftermath of crisis: what is the role of NPHI after the immediate crisis has been taken care of?</i>	
	Chair: David Butler-Jones, Canada	
	Panelists: Reinhard Burger, Germany Kenji Hayashi, Japan Peter Bloland, USA	
16:30 – 17:00	Closing session Concluding remarks Pekka Puska	Merisali, Conference Center

Tentative Program

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17:30 – 18:30

Continued: IANPHI Executive Board meeting
Continued: IANPHI Foundation Board meeting

Kapteeni, Conference Center
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Evening

Free time/Organized transportation to Helsinki city center (departures at 17:30 and 18:30)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2011 THL DAY

9:30 – 12:00

Introduction of THL

Tilkanmäki Campus, THL HQ

Optional day for participants interested to visit THL main campus (separate program)