

TUESDAY, AUGUST 26



13:00-17:00: Early Career Workshop

Friedrichstrasse 191, 5th Floor, Humboldt University

17:00-18:30: Registration

Charité Campus Mitte, Rahel-Hirsch-Weg 4

18:00: Opening of the conference

Hörsaal 29 (Hautklinik)

Dora Vargha, President of the EAHMH

18:30-20:00: Keynote by *Projit Mukharji*

Hörsaal 29 (Hautklinik)

Strangers in the Night: Ideology, materiality, and the nested legality of Bengali
Acupuncture, c. 1938 – 1999

20:00 Opening Reception

Berlin Museum of Medical History, Virchow Lecture Hall Ruin

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27

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7:40: Making the Sun Rise

Energizing Mind and Body

Morning martial art instruction with Amir Teicher, Monbijou Park

8:30-17:00

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Session 1

Consumers and Co-Designers (Room 1.101)

Chair: Lauren Kassell

1. From patients and users to co-designers and consumers: diabetics and their diabetes management tools in the twentieth century
Elizabeth Neswald
2. Studying personality between psychiatry and fashion
Chiara Lacroix
3. Beyond the Screen: Tracing the Legacy of Feminist Health Movements in Today's FemTech
Anne-Sophie Reichert

Health Beyond the State (Room 1.402)

Chair: Gisela Mateos

1. Childcare, health and gender: competing visions in socialist Ethiopia
Sarah Howard
2. Mozambique's Village Health Workers: from cornerstone of the primary health policy to a perceived failure (1977-1983)
Alila Brossard Antonielli
3. From Cross to Crescent: Identity and Aid in the Ottoman Red Crescent Society
Christin Zurbach

Spatial Imaginaries in the 19-20th Centuries (Room 1.403)

Chair: Chris Sandal-Wilson

1. Besieged by Contagion: The Contribution of Italo-Tunisian Physicians in the Development of a Contagionist-Besieging Imaginary
Giorgio Ennas
2. Ideal Locations for Vaccination? Stabilization of Cholera Vaccination Practices in Japan and the Geographical Considerations of Epidemics (1893–1926)
Shiori Nosaka
3. Hygiene, Space, and Belonging: Architecture, Rural Reform and Health Policies in Eastern Thrace (1930s-1940s)
Cansu Degirmencioglu
4. Where is Turkey? Geographical Imaginaries of Health and Epidemiological Occidentalism (1940s-1980s)
Léa Delmaire

Abortion Beyond Medicine* (Room 1.404)

Chair: Sylwia Kuźma-Markowska

1. Women on trial: The influence of forensic medicine in cases of abortion, infanticide, and child abandonment in Colombia (1905-1966)
Ángela Lucía Agudelo-González
2. Abortion on trial: Doctors, the courts, and media coverage in Spain and Canada, 1970s-1980s.
Agata Ignaciuk, Christabelle Sethna
3. Between punitiveness and autonomy: Social discourses around self-managed abortion in Spain (1985-2020)
María Mundi-López
4. Abortion as a criminal offense: Court cases in Greece during the first half of the 20th century
Martha Vasili

Producing and Negotiating Evidence (Room 1.405)

Chair: Gareth Millward

1. The Historical Debates Surrounding Aircraft Fume Events
Stephen Mawdsley
2. Competitive collaboration: international data-sharing in the treatment of end stage renal disease, 1964-1989
Alexandra Geissthövel
3. Creating a Global Pediatric Market: Child Health, Childhood Allergy and the Marketing of Antihistamines in the Post-World War II Period
Felix Rietmann
4. Against Reliability
Simon Brausch

Health, Diplomacy and Development (Room 1.502)

Chair: Lu Chen

1. Between health and diplomacy: The 1851 International Sanitary Conference and the Greek state
Yannis Gonatidis
2. Transnational Practice of Public Health: A Case Study of Rockefeller Foundation's Hookworm Disease Control Project in the Pinghsiang Colliery in China
Yexin Liu
3. "International agencies and the fight against hunger in the Cold War: The Food for Peace in Latin America"
Romulo de Paula Andrade

Environment and Health (Room 1.504)

Chair: Projit Mukharji

1. Transformations of Health in Agricultural Sciences and Technology in India's Punjab
Davina
Kaur Patel
2. "The Superflies Will Free Us": Zoonotic disease, atomic energy, and sterilization at the US-Mexico Border
Lauren Killingsworth

Patient Activism and Resistance to Unjust Policies (Room 1.401)

Chair: Birgit Nemec

1. Linas Hatsedek. Grassroots initiatives to organize medical care for Polish Jews in the first half of the 20th century
Marek Tuszewicki
2. "A Psychological Sort of Pressure": Mental Health, Activism, and the Prevention of Terrorism Act
Hannah Kempel

11:00–12:30
Session 2

Worlds of Labor, Worlds of Health: Occupational Health and Safety in State Socialism (Room 1.101)

Chair: Agata Ignaciuk

1. Translating workers' health across the Iron Curtain: transnational formation in occupational health and safety of Romanian professionals in the 1970s
Corina Dobos
2. Women experts, occupational health and the redefinition of women's work in the 1950s Poland
Natalia Jarska
3. Protecting Women's Bodies at Work: Early Soviet Debates on Occupational Health and Industrial Labor
Almira Sharafeeva

The Body in Parts (Room 1.402)

Chair: Jenny Bangham

1. Saving Infants: Rh Disease and Twentieth-Century Blood Transfusion Practices in France
Margaret Andersen
2. 'Respectful use': Defining norms for the handling of donated bodies in Dutch medical institutions, 1975–2025
Hieke Huistra

Migration and Health (Room 1.403)

Chair: Anne Kveim Lie

1. "These diseases are primarily those of [...] the enemy of European civilization": German Migrants and the Pathologization of "The Other" in Brazil, ca. 1850–1930
Markus Wahl
2. Refugees, illness, and care in interwar Greece: International organizations and the emergence of public health institutions
Aimilia (Emilia) Salvanou
3. 'She jabbers away in French': Experiences of Belgian Refugees in British Asylums 1914-1919.
Ute Oswald and Rob Ellis

Political Epistemologies (Room 1.404)

Chair: Amir Teicher

1. Nineteenth-Century Narratives and the Public Health Theory of Violence
Sophie Franklin
2. Pathologies of Power: Towards a History of Nazi Epidemiology
Lukas Engelmann
3. The Making of the 'Modern Thai Mind': Mental Hygiene, Child Guidance, Social Psychiatry, and Revolution
Krittapak Ngamvaseenont

Voicing Trauma: Emotional Suffering in the 20th Century* (Room 1.405)

Chair: Despo Kritsotaki

1. Life Lines: a case study of 20th century Irish parents lived experiences of grief following Stillbirth
Ciara Henderson
2. Men who cry: Disorderly emotions, sexuality, and the construction of neurasthenia in early 20th century Greece
Dimitra Vassiliadou
3. "Dependent on a device [...] a terrible thought!" An emotional history of artificial respiration from iron lung to home ventilation
Lea Münch

Women, Children and Medical Expertise (Room 1.502)

Chair: Friederike Kind-Kovacs

1. 'Kingdoms of Babes': Home Nurseries as 'Medico-Moral' Domains of Infants in America, 1850s-1920s
Elisabeth Yang
2. Neurotic child and the psychiatry in the 1960s in Poland
Natalia Pamula
3. Contested Care: Women Experts, Child Health, and Socialist Values in Cold War Czechoslovakia
Katerina Liskova
4. Promoting women's emancipation in socialist Hungary: pediatrician Emmi Pikler, early childhood care and transnational knowledge circulation, 1950s-1960s
Annina Gagyiova

Biomedical Technologies: Testing, Tracing, Planning (Room 1.504)

Chair: Lu Chen

1. Medical Research and the Human Genome Project in the United States, the United Kingdom, and France (1989-1993)
Raphaël Lavie
2. What is being tested? Making and debating HIV testing and screening policies in Greece (1983-2000)
Katerina Vlantoni, Marilena Pateraki, Kostas Raptis, Eirini Savaidou, Athanasios Barlagiannis
3. Track, Test, and Blame: Tracing 'Contacts' in British Contagion Narratives, c.1850-1920
Elise Smith

Political Ecologies as Cross-Disciplinary Networks – scales, directionality, and a multiplicity of objects (Room 1.401)

Discussant: Lara Keuck

1. Mapping a political ecology of human congenital toxoplasmosis at the intersection of history of medicine and historical epistemology of the life sciences
Hanna Lucia Worliczek
2. A political ecology of the opioid crisis: Constructing alternative understandings of a public health emergency
Ariane Hanemaayer
3. Political Ecologies of Personalized Medicine: Critical approaches to data-driven health
Saheli Datta Burton
4. Moderated round up discussion with the panelists
Lara Keuck

13:00–14:15
Lunchtime Roundtables and Conversation Sessions

The future of associations (Room 1.101)

Pablo Gomez, Claire Edington, Ahmed Ragab, Dora Vargha

Researching the ‘mundane’ (Room 1.402)

Victoria Bates and Barbara Caddick

Making the Medical Mask (Room 1.403)

Bruno J. Strasser & Thomas Schlich, The Mask: A History of Breathing Bad Air (Yale UP, 2025), with David Gentilcore, Christoph Gradmann, Anne Kveim Lie and Lu Chen.

14:30–16:00
Session 3

Challenging Narratives: Decentering the History of HIV/AIDS in Europe (Room 1.101)
Chair: Nikolaos Papadogiannis

1. People with HIV in Photographs of Valery Khristoforov and Jürgen Baldiga
Katerina Suverina and Andrei Zavadski
2. The HIV Text in the Russophone Contemporary Culture
Alexander Meienberger
3. HIV and AIDS campaigns, religious practices and Black African communities in the UK, 1996-2008
Nikolaos Papadogiannis
4. “To Europe — Yes, but...”: HIV/AIDS and the Negotiating of Global Concepts and Local Realities in Poland, 1985 — 1995
Katarzyna Szarla

Medicalizing and the Unconscious (Room 1.402)

Chair: Sarah Marks

1. The Therapeutic Language of Emotions: Medicalized Mindfulness in Mass Media in the 2000s
Josephine Selander, Laurence Monnais and Flavio Rossi
2. Medicalising the Unconscious in the Late Soviet Union (1950s–1980s)
Roman Mamin
3. Destroying the Brain to Cure the Mind: The History of Psychosurgery
Lukas J. Meier

Regulating the Disabled Body (Room 1.403)

Chair: Jonathan Reinartz

1. Medicine or Miracle?: Deaf Cure and Its Ideological Implications in Socialist China
Shu Wan
2. Workers' Health and Disability: Workplace accident trials in Greece, 1920-1940
Nikos Kastrinakis
3. Common, Dependent, or Educable? The Recognition of Physically Disabled Children's Educational Needs in Belgium via the Common Fund, 1900-1940
Marisa De Picker
4. Disabled Veterans Beyond Medicine: Spiritual Wounds During The 1930s
Michael Robinson

Informing Health from the Outside 1945-2000 (Room 1.404)

Chair: Lukas Engelmann

1. When Infectious Diseases Became Wild: Plague Reservoirs and Disease Ecology in the Americas (1940s-1970s)
Matheus Alves Duarte da Silva
2. Reframing Environmental Health: The Human Exposome in the early 21st century
Sammie Jansen
4. Evolving Concepts of Disease and Large-Scale Data and AI in Medicine
Marie-Christine Fritzsche

Experimenting with Public Health (Room 1.405)

Chair: Alila Brossard Antonielli

1. Global Histories of Community Health: A reflection on community participation in Global Health
Sebastián Fonseca
2. The road to community health programs: Mexico's experiments in applied anthropology (1920-1955)
Gisela Mateos and Edna Suárez-Díaz
3. Strategic Collaboration in Transition: Expanded Programme on Immunization in China
Lu Chen
4. Romania, Medicinal Plants and Counter-hegemonic Cooperation in Global Health during the late Cold War
Bogdan C. Iacob

Organizing Networks of Knowledge and Practice (Room 1.502)

Chair: Tillmann Taape

1. Beyond Medicine: Meeting Hygieia
Bastienne Klein
2. The 1950s provincial doctor crisis and the reorganisation of Swedish primary care
Helene Castenbrandt
3. The Hidden Pedagogical Networks of Dr. William Cullen
Jeffrey Wolf
4. Couching or Extraction? For a Historical Sociology of Cataract Surgery (18th -19th Century)
Corinne Doria

Religion and Medicine (Room 1.504)

Chair: Ahmed Ragab

1. Good Christian care ? Care practicing in the Jesuit missions of Paraguay (18th century)
Marie Vesco
2. "L'administration l'ignore." Religion, politics and 'patient activism' in the Salpêtrière (1880-1905)
Marie van Haaster

16.30–18:00

Keynote by Elaine Leong (University College London)
Fritz-Reuter-Saal

**This panel is supported by COST Action CA22159
National, International and Transnational Histories of
Healthcare, 1850-2000 (EuroHealthHist)*

19:00

Floating lecture - Andreas
Jüttemann: Berlin Medical
History Boat Tour (optional)

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Session 4

The Many Faces of Irish Alcohol and Drug Use (Room 1.101)

Chair: Gareth Millward

1. "Some people, when they need a drink, they don't care what they are drinking":
Treating Skid Row Alcoholism in London and New York in the 1960s
Steven J. Taylor
2. Traditional Music, Drug Use, and the Music Festival in Ireland, 1967-75
Morgan Wait
3. "New Irish", Old Problems? Drinking, Drug Use & Irish Migrants in New York City, c.
1980s-1990s
Alice Mauger

Therapeutic Spaces, Hospital Architecture (Room 1.402)

Chair: Guillaume Lachenal

1. Rethinking therapeutic landscapes: A more-than-human approach to hospital histories
Victoria Bates and Clare Hickman
2. Altnagelvin--The NHS's first hospital: Modernism, planning & politics in post-war hospital building in Northern Ireland
Sean Lucey
3. Medical Megastructures: Imaginaries and Conflicts in German Post-War Health Care Architecture
David Freis
4. The Social Democratic Carnavalesque: Herlev, a colorful hospital
Michael Baers

Beyond the State? Non-governmental Healthcare Providers During the 20th Century* (Room 1.403)

Chair: Sebastian Fonseca

1. Almoners and Charity Beyond the Hospital, 1895-1948
Lynsey Cullen
2. Public health nursing and non-governmental organisations during the long 1950s Europe
Yuliya Hilevych, Gijs Hoekstra and Ilmari Railo
3. Humanitarian aid and securitisation - Cottage hospitals by the Red Cross of Finland in the Eastern border zone, 1920–30s
Hanna Kuusi
4. Family Matters. The Dynamics Between the Dutch Family Movement in Mental Health Care and Policy Makers, 1980-2000
Irene Geerts

Disability in the Ancient World (Room 1.404)

Chair: Rebecca Flemming

1. Reorienting Illness: Crippling Aelius Aristides and Antony the Great
Kaitlin Karmen and SN Yeager
2. Disability and the Dynamics of Healing Authority in Greek and Egyptian Antiquity
Jasmine Sahu-Hough
3. Stigma and Disability Hierarchies in the Ancient Greco-Roman World
Katherine Petrusek

Lay Epistemologies (Room 1.405)

Chair: Marek Maj

1. Cancer and the doctor – patient relationship 1950 – 2000 in Sweden
Maria Josephson
2. An unnecessary anachronism? Lay death certification and causes of death in rural Denmark, 1832-1920
Anna Lodberg Sparre
3. Looking for meaningful patienthood. The case of the Dutch patient organisation for women with a gynaecological cancer
Nele Beyens

Socialist Health Goes Global (Room 1.502)

Chair: Bogdan Iacob

1. Medicine as propaganda. Representation of the wartime health crisis in North Korea in the Polish media
Sławomir Łotysz
2. Socialist Transnational Biomedicine: The Case of COMECON's "Complex Groups" of Oncology Clinical Trials
Nils Graber
3. Between Socialist Cosmopolitanism and Realities: China's Medical Aid to Tanzania during the Cold War Era 1960s to 1980s
Liang Wan
4. Gendered Mobilities? Hungarian Women Health Care Professionals and the Circulation of Socialist Medical Knowledge
Réka Krizmanics

Prevention and Preparedness (Room 1.504)

Chair: Fruzsina Müller

1. Two Hundred Years of Disease Carriers
Amir Teicher
2. Pandemic over-Preparedness: Japanese Public Health Experts and 1944 Influenza
Jorinde Wels
3. The role of women in rubella prevention in Spain and its autonomous communities (1960-2022)
María-Isabel Porras-Gallo
4. How Prevention Became Social: Public Health Atomism and Assemblage of the Dutch Immunization Programme, 1872-1959
Martijn van der Meer

Childbirth and Parenthood in the 19th and 20th Centuries (Room 1.401)

Chair: Sarah Howard

1. Health Beyond Medicine: Family Planning and Motherhood
Susan Birch
2. Frequently Asked Parenting Questions: A Topic Modeling Approach to Trends in Parenting Advice Columns in Dutch Periodicals, 1946-2024
Caro Lemmen
3. Pregnancy and Performance: Navigating Childbirth from Dublin Workhouses to New York Hospitals in the Mid-Nineteenth Century
Charlotte Rich

11:00–12:30
Session 5

After the Single Use I. (Room 1.101)

Chair: Anne Kveim Lie

1. How to dispose of the disposables? Single-use plastics and the making of medical waste
Jeremy Greene
2. Incineration of medical waste in Tanzania: past, futures and the plight of single use medical devices
Peter Mangesho
3. Ecologies of Medical Waste
Khoudia Sow

Patient Organizations Enacting Disease* (Room 1.402)

Chair: Ylva Soderfeldt

1. Between production and consumption: negotiating patient identities in the British Diabetic Association and British Rheumatic Association
Andrew Burchell
2. The British Diabetic Association and the 'Good Diabetic' in Scotland
Luke Whittle
3. The promise of medical innovation, disability activism and shifting enactments of patients in Belgian multiple sclerosis associations (1960s-1990s)
Tim Debroyer
4. Patient Organizations and the Rationing Regime in France (1940-1949)
Julia Reed

National and International Approaches to Children's Mental Health and Welfare in the 20th Century (Room 1.403)

Chair: Ana Cergol Paradiz

1. Postwar Child Welfare and Psychological Care: A Comparative Analysis of Italy and Slovenia (Yugoslavia)
Ana Cergol Paradiz
2. Child psychopathy in Denmark, 1909-1975
Jesper Vaczy Kragh
3. Mental Hygiene and the Child guidance movement in India
Shilpi Rajpal

Water and Health (Room 1.404)

Chair: Kaat Wills

1. The Knowledge and Practice of Water Quality in Early Modern Europe
David Gentilcore
2. Environment, Agency and Health in Airs Waters Places
Rebecca Flemming
3. Poisonous Waters: Land drainage, Maroon ecologies, and environmental health in colonial Guiana
Thomas Anderson

Disability, Deservingness and Social Security* (Room 1.405)

Chair: Felix Rietmann

1. 'Thanks for the moan!' Viewing British citizens ideas of disability and deservingness through the medium of complaint (c. 1970–2010)
Gareth Millward
2. From cold rationality to modern rehabilitation: The changing image of disabled soldiers in Finnish medical journals from the 1940s to the 1970s
Mona Mannevu
3. From Resistance to Recognition: The Evolution of Support for Danish World War II Victims 1945-1969
Søren Werther Kjær Rasmussen

Politics of Race in the long 19th century (Room 1.502)

Chair: Pablo Gomez

1. Cutting Through: Race, Class and the Historical Development of Cesarean Sections in Brazil (1845-1915)
Isabela De Oliveira Dornelas
2. Degeneration and Regeneration of Race and Class in Brain Studies (French and British Empires, 1750-1840)
Maxime Guttin
3. Slavery and Whitewashing 19th Century Medical Knowledge
Laura Smith

Entangled Temporalities of Health and Medicine in the Global World (Room 1.504)

Chair: Xinyi Wen

1. The Pulse-Watch Multiple: An Inquiry into the Temporalities of the Quantified Body
Yijie Huang
2. 'Health is subject to daly mutabilityes': the problem of timeliness in Theodore Turquet de Mayerne's epistolary medical practice
Sheryl Wombell
3. Inventing a Healing Tradition across Time and Space: A Reversed History of the Doctrine of Signatures, 1885-1609
Xinyi Wen
4. American Critique of European Models of Mental Health Care in Late 19th Century
James Thomas Ford

13:00–14:15
Special Lunchtime Roundtable

Care and Activism

Birgit Nemec, Edmund Bolger, Edina Nagy, Eszter Lázár

14:30–16:00
Session 6

Regional/Transnational Health Collaborations (Room 1.101)

Chair: Liang Wan

1. Intermedicine Case Report on Patient Care Between Eastern Bloc Countries
Tomas Filip
2. Diplomacy and Disease: The Establishment of the Superior Council of Health in Istanbul, 1831-1844
Evren Cakil
3. “Our severe limitations and handicaps”: Contestations in the making of health policy within Indian federalism, 1950-1960
Gourav Krishna Nandi

African Histories of Global Health (Room 1.402)

Chair: Guillaume Lachenal

1. Ugandan Virus Researchers and the Localities of Global Health
Julia Cummiskey
2. The Lives and Afterlives of Projet SIDA
Thomas McDow
3. The monkeypox research project in Zaire (1981-1986) : field-based perspectives
Jules Villa
4. Socialism in the history of African Health
David Bannister

Negotiating the Sexed Body (Room 1.403)

Chair: Ketil Slagstad

1. Slimy Vices and Unreliable Bodies: Sodomy and Subaltern (III)health in Early Modern Spain
Mónica Morado Vázquez
2. Beyond Diagnosis: Navigating Life with Congenital Adrenal Hyperplasia (CAH) and Long-Term Cortisone Therapy in West Germany, ca. 1950-1990
Sophia Wagemann
3. Timely Decisions. Temporal Contingencies in treating patients with DSD
Alik Mazukatow
4. Borderline cases: Reading 20th century medical case studies of variations of sex characteristics against histories of socio-political violence in Lebanon
Hannah Cowdell

Pharmaceutical Policies (Room 1.404)

Chair: Laurence Monnaïs

1. Identifying, reporting and managing drug-related risk: a look back at recent developments in French pharmacovigilance
Solène Lellinger
2. The Fault in Our Scars: Inscribing Smallpox Vaccination in Nineteenth-Century Britain
Matthew Newsom Kerr
3. Penicillin production in Post-War Hungary: Independent Yet Connected
Fruzsina Müller

Diagnoses and Identity in and Beyond Medicine (Room 1.405)

Chair: Dora Vargha

1. Approaching disease identities in late-modern medicine
Lara Keuck
2. History and memory in diagnoses of cancer and diabetes
Karin Tybjerg
3. 'Race', 'ethnicity' and gender in the delivery of genetic diagnoses and counselling in late-20th century Britain
Jenny Bangham
4. The "abdominal woman:" women's pain and the transformation of gastrointestinal health in twentieth-century Britain and the United States
Lisa Haushofer

Mental Health in Global and Postcolonial Settings (Room 1.502)

Chair: Hans Pols

1. Psychiatric Epidemiology and the Globalization of Mental Health
Alfred Freeborn
2. Partition and the politics of psychiatry: Palestine, 1947-49
Chris Sandal-Wilson
3. The Ghanaian Condition: Psychotherapeutics and Spirituality in Ghana since 1970
Sarah Marks

Health Through Art and Image (Room 1.504)

Chair: Jonathan Reinartz

1. Places of Rest: Crafting Care in early Occupational Therapy, 1909-1917
Sasha Mullally
2. Making hormones visible: patient photographs in early twentieth-century endocrinology
Disa Runeby
3. Shifting Strategies of Behaviour Transformation in the Early Soviet Health Education Film
Anna Toropova
4. The voices of psychiatric patients on BBC Radio: 1945 – 1970
Deborah Cohen

Interpreting Social Inequalities of Health from Cause of Death Data (Room 1.401)

Chair: Ciara Breathnach

1. Premature death in the Irish district asylum system
Oonagh Walsh
2. Recreating the portrait of social disease in Vilnius from 1917 to 1937
Aistis Žalnora
3. Space and Disease: Mapping health inequalities in Ireland, 1900-1922
Stuart Clancy
4. Infant mortality and vague cause of death categorisation in Irish 'Mother and Baby Homes', 1922-1970
Ciara Breathnach

16.30–18:00

**Keynote by Keith Wailoo (Princeton University)
Fritz-Reuter-Saal**

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Session 7

Spurious Sentinels (Room 1.101)

Chair: Julia Cummiskey

1. E is for the Environment – How Escherichia coli became a sentinel for environmental health
Claas Kirchhelle
2. From “vehicle of disease” to “canary in the coal mine”: the shellfish as sentinel in Great Britain, 1880-2000
Emily Webster

Spaces of Psychiatric Care (Room 1.402)

Chair: Sarah Marks

1. Disability in Psychiatric Discourse: The Case of the Moslavina-Popovača Psychiatric Hospital (1930s-1950s)
Jelena Seferović
2. How to diagnose a hysteric: doctors, patients and families negotiating at the Eginitio Hospital, Athens, Greece, c.1900-1950
Despo Kritsotaki
3. Imperial Plans, National Aspirations: Debates on Establishing Hungary's First Mental Asylum
Janka Kovács

Risk and Statistics in State Socialist Healthcare (Room 1.403)

Chair: Nils Graber

1. Socialist Automated Healthcare Utopia: Medical Statistics, Risk, and Planning in the Late Czech Socialist Republic
Jakub Střelec
2. Managing Institutional Risks, Controlling Health: The Politics of Nutrition in Late Socialist Romania
Mara Marginean
3. "Image: it is the international language:" Transnational Exchanges of the Polish Anti-abortion Movement (1970s-1990s)
Sylwia Kuźma-Markowska

How to be a Mother I. (Room 1.404)

Chair: Yuliya Hilevych

1. Village outreaches, "health talks", and education of women in child-rearing in Villa Maria and Mua Mission Hospitals, 1900s-1980s
Ivana Zečević
2. The Medical Missionaries of Mary and Baby Shows in Southern Nigeria, 1937-1960
James Akpu
3. Agents of change: from medical doctors to volunteers. Figures of the medicalisation of maternity in the Gold Coast (West Africa), 1920-1940.
Anne Hugon

Sexual Health Beyond the Clinic (Room 1.405)

Chair: Anne Hanley

1. Prevalence, propaganda and prophylaxis: The symbiosis between campaigns and clinics
Anne Hanley
2. Learning to care: Gay men and sexual health in Britain before AIDS
Claire Martin
3. Students and sexual-health activism in late-twentieth-century England
Joseph Price

11:00–12:30
Session 8

After the Single Use II. (Room 1.101)

Chair: Jeremy Greene

1. When Sterilization was Modern: Labor and Infrastructures of Reuse in Mid-20th Century Hospitals
Eloïse Richard
2. From Hospital Sterilization to Global Production Networks: The Hidden Costs of Disposability in Medicine
Anne Kveim Lie
3. Making Disposables Irresistible: Advertising Single-use Medical Masks in the 1960s
Bruno J. Strasser

Longterm Care Institutions (Room 1.402)

Chair: David Bannister

1. Tuberculosis Patient Demographic Trends in Twentieth-Century Canadian Maritime Sanatoria
Courtney Mrazek
2. Patients' Labour, Amusements and Sports: Beyond Medicine, Gender and Agency in the Colonial Asylums in British South India
Santhosh Abraham
3. (De)colonizing Congolese leprosy care: The interrelation of colonial medical networks, foreign development aid and primary health care (1960-2000)
Felix Deckx

Regulating the Doctor-Patient Encounter (Room 1.403)

Chair: Volker Hess

1. 'Playing with dolls: The emergence of simulation in twentieth-century British healthcare training'
Jonathan Reinartz and Gayle Davis
2. Regulating the medical profession: complaints to the Seine Medical Council (1940s)
Claire Barillé
3. The Programmed Patient: The Standardization of the Doctor-Patient Relationship in Medical Education, 1960-1990
Nora O'Neill
4. Beyond Vulnerability: Practices of Self-Advocacy and Patient Autonomy in Medical Context in the 1970s Hungary
Viola Lászlófi

How to Be a Mother II. (Room 1.404)

Chair: Ivana Zečević

1. Midwives and Reproductive Injustice in Colonial and Semi-Colonial Egypt
Laure Pesquet
2. Educating Mothers about 'Scientific' Child Healthcare: Medicine, Mothercraft and Baby Week Exhibitions in British India and Beyond
Ranjana Saha
3. A Drop of Milk (Goutte de lait) in the Indian Ocean – Counting the Dead Before Caring for the Living (1912-1951)
Thierry Buhé

Governing the Microbial (Room 1.405)

Chair: Claas Kirchhelle

1. Of Promiscuous Plasmids and Itinerant Patients: How Resistance Became a Global Health Crisis
Purbasha Mazumdar
2. 'Wild Bacteria and Friendly Germs: Battle Creek Sanitarium and the Science of the Gut'
Elsa Richardson

Situating Sexual Health (Room 1.502)

Chair: Katerina Liskova

1. Sex Work, Outreach Projects and Meanings of 'Health' at the Height of Britain's HIV Epidemic
Lola Dickinson
2. Adhunik Kamshastra: A Scientific Art of Love in 20th century Bengal
Sohini Mukhopadhyay
3. Curing the Body and Healing the Nation: Venereal Disease, Sexology and Social Hygiene in Inter-war India(1920-1950)
Arnav Bhattacharya
4. Migration Narratives and sexual health experiences in late twentieth-century London
Caroline Rusterholz and George Severs

Mental Health to Desinstitutionalisation (Room 1.504)

Chair: Catherine Coleborne

1. Practicing Aftercare: Patterns in 'Post-Institutional' Mental Health in Australia, 1907 to 1930
Catharine Coleborne
2. Understanding Deinstitutionalisation in the Capital: London, Community Care and the 1959 Mental Health Act
Rob Ellis
3. Positioning the mental health aftercare patient and soldier citizen in Trelowarren Rehabilitation Base, 1949-1970
Effie Karageorgos
4. Deinstitutionalisation and then What? How the Civil Sector Organised Community Care in NSW in the 1980s
Hans Pols

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Session 9

Strategies of Reproductive Health in the Postwar Era (Room 1.101)

Chair: Edna Suárez-Díaz

1. The emergence of Black Women's Centers: Programming the right to (sexual and reproductive) health in the 1980s
Naomi Samake-Bäckert
2. Genetic Counseling in Socialist Countries in the Interplay of Scientific Progress and Disability Politics
Victoria Shmidt and Barna Szamosi
3. Soviet Studies on Contraception and Infertility: The USSR in the WHO Program on Human Reproduction, 1970s-1980s
Anna Ivanova

Standardization and Social Inequalities in Health (Room 1.402)

Chair: Jean-Paul Gaudilliere

1. A Universal Housing Record? The Transnational History of the Casier sanitaire des maisons, 1871-1945
Stephan Strunz
2. "Evidence of the Lowest Social Class": Forensic Medicine, Public Health, and Social Realities in Greece (1913-1940)
Natalia Tsourma
3. Imperfect union: Population biology, social inequality, and the emergence of chronic disease epidemiology at Johns Hopkins
Carolina Mayes
4. Scarce Measurement: The Rise of Health Economics in Federal Health Planning, 1950s-1970s
George Aumoithe

Spaces of Health Beyond Medicine (Room 1.403)

Chair: Sebastian Fonseca

1. Figuring Hygiene: The Institute Dalcroze, the Deutsche Werksätten, and the Rhythm of the Series in Early Twentieth-Century Dresden
Brianne Wesolowski
2. From Normandy to Caspian: Medical Retreats, Birth of Tourism, and Urban Planning in Iran (1920s-1940s)
Kamyar Salavati

Psychiatric Practices and Migration in the Second Half of the 20th Century (Room 1.404)

Chair: Kaat Wils

1. Intertwined Contestations: Resisting the Psychiatricization of Immigrant Patients (Romandy, 1960s-1980s)
Alice Aigrain
2. Vulnerable Masculinities: Turkish Workers in Psychiatric Institutions (Berlin, 1960s-1970s)
Benoit Majerus
3. Spanish patients in Brookwood Psychiatric Hospital, England, 1950-1975
Lena Monème
4. Mid-20th-century French perspectives on migration: from the “ethnic factor” to the “social psychopathology” approach
Marianna Scarfone

Pain and Comfort in Women’s Healthcare (Room 1.405)

Chair: Elaine Leong

1. Voiceless or Painless? Tracing Attitudes and Agency in British Endometriosis Care in the 20th Century
Sophie Aimée Ahlemeyer
2. Beyond female healthcare – medicine, ritual and community in the Early medieval West
Lilian Diniz

Disease Ecologies (Room 1.502)

Chair: Warwick Anderson

1. ‘All except malaria’? An environmental history of malarias and neglect in the Belgian Congo (1910 – 1940)
Hannah de Korte
2. Entangled diseases: how malaria influenced Singapore’s dengue control program in the 1960s
Timothy Sim
3. From 1957 to 2007: the ecology of influenza from surveys in animals to viral sovereignty
Giacomo Simoncelli
4. America's Fight against Rabid Dogs and Human Rabies in the Philippines, 1910-1930
Arleigh Ross Dela Cruz

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Session 10

Child Patients in 20th Century Sanatoria* (Room 1.101)

Chair: Cansu Degirmencioglu

1. The Silesian paediatrician Adolph Baginsky and his concept of an open-air school for children with tuberculosis in the Berlin Grunewald Forest
Andreas Jüttemann
2. From the mountains to the sea: The therapeutic role of climate and the natural environment in Finnish paediatric tuberculosis sanatoria prior to WWII
Heini Hakosalo
3. Healing lungs and bodies: Children's sanatoria at Lake Balaton from the First to the Second World War
Friederike Kind-Kovács

Morality and Social Control (Room 1.402)

Chair: Markus Wahl

1. Between Stigma and Acceptance – The Role of Tattoos at the Beginning of the AIDS Epidemic in the Federal Republic of Germany
Claudia Schmidt
2. Alcoholism as a medical and social problem in Porto in the second half of the 19th century: science, morality and social control
Célia Oliveira
3. Drug dependency in Denmark 1920-1955
Ida Dorph Nørskov
4. Alcoholism and the colonial encounter in Portuguese occupied Africa
João Tavares

Epidemic Governance (Room 1.403)

Chair: Felix Rietmann

1. Sanitary Nationalism: Body, Germs, and State-Building in the Patriotic Health Campaign, 1952-60s
Han Zhang
2. 'An Infectious and Epidemic form:' "Kukuruku Disease" and Public Health Intervention in 1920s Colonial Benin Province
Adewale Onagbesan
3. Society, Health and Epidemic: Plague Regulations, Rumours, and Public Reactions in United Provinces (1897-1910)
Swapnil Chaudhary

Shifting Ontologies of Health (Room 1.404)

Chair: Bruno J. Strasser

1. The medical understanding of smell throughout history
Mojca Ramšak
2. Grooming and bathing: The political metaphysics of health in Habsburg Kraków
Marek Maj
3. Winds of War: The Revival of Miasma Theory in Europe During the 1918 Influenza Pandemic
John Eicher

Psychiatric research beyond medicine (Room 1.405)

Chair: Alfred Freeborn

1. Visualizing Schizophrenia in Mid-Twentieth Century Psychiatric Research
Ketil Slagstad
2. Rascals, deviants, and tyrants – the treatment and connotations of aggression in children and adolescents in German psychiatric institutions between 1945 and 1989
Tamara Mansaray
3. Child aggression in focus: the discovery of a new field of medical research (1960-1990)
Anne Oommen-Halbach
4. Diagnosis Beyond the Clinic: The Legal Guardianship of Schizophrenia Patients in Zurich, 1900-1930
Timo Houtekamer

Hypnotism and Treatment of Sexuality Since the Late 19th Century (Room 1.502)

Chair: Sophie Ahlmeyer

1. Curing sexual perversions through hypnosis in late 19th century Belgium
Kaat Wils
2. Trans in Trance: A Case Study of Hypnosis in Trans Healthcare
Esther Lamberts
3. Treating vaginismus through hypnosis: a story of rise and decline? (Belgium, 1960s-present)
Antje Van Kerckhove

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