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Sustainable employment: health indicators

keynote speaker: Prof. Niek Klazinga, University of
Amsterdam & OECD Paris

INVITATION



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April 25, 2016

C. building Room VIII

13:40-15:10

Budapest, Közraktár u. 4.¹

Conference chairpersons: Prof. László Gulácsi, Petra Baji, PhD, Department of Health Economics Corvinus University of Budapest

13.40-14.10

Sustainable employment: health indicators; a public health perspective

Prof. Niek Klazinga, Professor of Social Medicine at the Academic Medical Centre, University of Amsterdam; OECD Senior Policy Advisor, OECD Paris, Doctor Honoris Causa Corvinus University of Budapest

The relation between health care and economic development works in two ways. This presentation will explore the contribution of health to economic growth through sustainable employment. It will reflect on developments in morbidity and health

¹ Map: [link](#)

services developments in OECD countries and how they interact with occupational health.

14:10 – 14:25

Outpatient visits after retirement in Europe and the US

Anikó Bíró, Department of Health Economics Corvinus University of Budapest (funded by the postdoctoral fellowship program of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences), The University of Edinburgh

Retirees use more outpatient services than the rest of the population of similar age, both in Europe and in the US. Declining health after retirement, changing health preferences, decreasing opportunity cost of time and institutional settings can all lead to the observed positive relation. This paper analyses both theoretically and empirically the relation between outpatient care use and retirement, in an international setting.

14.25 – 14.40

Hungarian Sustainable Employment Programme; Occupational health economics

László Gulácsi, Department of Health Economics Corvinus University of Budapest

We analyze the health potentials for extending the retirement age in Hungary. Our aim is to evaluate and deepen our understanding of aging Hungarians' work patterns, focusing on the citizens' health status, and the needs for health care services, including informal care.

The project builds on ongoing research conducted at the Department of Health Economics, Corvinus University of Budapest. Using the Hungarian subsample of the The Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe, we investigate the possibilities for labor market participation, conditional on age and other individual characteristics. These data also allow us to estimate the prevalence, influencing factors, and consequences of the demand and supply of informal care. As another data source, we use administrative occupational data linked to health data, to investigate among others the health care use of retirees in Hungary, the prevalence of disability retirement, and the effects of changes in retirement age.

14.40-15.00

Discussion

15.00 – 15.10

Take home message & Closing

Prof. Niek Klazinga

Professor Niek S. Klazinga

Niek Klazinga (1957) holds a medical degree from Groningen State University (1984) and a Ph.D. from the Erasmus University Rotterdam (1996; quality management of medical specialist care in The Netherlands).



He is a Professor of Social Medicine at the Academic Medical Centre of the University of Amsterdam in The Netherlands, since 1999

From January 2007 till January 2011 Prof. Klazinga had on request of the Dutch Ministry for Health and Welfare been working at the OECD in Paris. In this capacity he has been coordinating the Health Care Quality Indicator work of the OECD. Off January 2011 he was directly employed by the OECD as senior policy advisor and lead of the work on Quality of Care. He is at present still combining his work at the OECD in Paris with his professorship in Amsterdam.

Professor Klazinga is a regular temporary adviser to WHO and the EU.

Between 2005 and 2011 he was president of the Dutch Public Health Federation (NPHF) and between 2005-2009 chairman of the College on Social Medicine (CSG), the Dutch national body responsible for specialty training in the domain of social medicine. Presently he is a member of advisory committees of the Canadian Institute for Health Information (Toronto), the Department of Health in London and the Irish Ministry of Health as well as a member of the board of trustees of a large teaching hospital in The Netherlands (Isala, Zwolle) and mental health care institute (Arkin, Amsterdam).

Niek Klazinga co(authored) 200 articles in peer-reviewed journals on the functioning and quality of health care services and health systems. His present research activities concentrate on public health and health services research, more specifically on the development and use of quality indicators, quality systems in health care and health system performance.

To date (March 2015) he has successfully supervised the completion of 30 PhD thesis and is in the process of supervising another 8.

February 2008 he obtained a visiting-professorship at the faculty of economics at the Corvinus University in Budapest.

The Senate of the Corvinus University of Budapest, in its meeting of June 25th 2012 awarded him with the title of DOCTOR HONORIS CAUSA in appreciation of his academic achievements in the field of health services research and pioneering work on quality of care and public health.

Anikó Bíró



EDUCATION

- 2005-2011 Ph.D. in Economics, Central European University
Thesis title: “Essays on Aging and Health”
- 1999-2004 M.Sc. in Economics, Budapest University of Economic Sciences and Public Administration (with distinction)

EMPLOYMENT

- 2016- Postdoctoral research fellow at the Department of Health Economics, Corvinus University of Budapest
Funded by the Hungarian Academy of Sciences
- 2011- Lecturer in Economics, The University of Edinburgh
On leave from January 2016.
On maternity leave between September 2013 – March 2014 (first child) and March 2015 – September 2015 (second child)
- 2009-2011 Assistant professor at Eötvös Loránd University (Budapest), Economics Department
- 2006-2007 Part-time analyst at Hungarian Ministry of Finance, Department of Economic Research
- 2004-2005 Derive Ltd (Budapest), financial risk analyst

OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2011-2012 Contributor to the Assessing Needs of Care in European Nations (ANCIEN) EU research project
- 2010-2011 Member of the Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe (SHARE)
- 2009 Visiting researcher at Mannheim Research Institute for the Economics of Ageing (MEA, Germany)

PUBLICATIONS

List of publications: <https://sites.google.com/site/aniko17biro/research>

Prof. László Gulácsi MD, MSc (econ) Ph.D. Ph.D., Ph.D. Ph.D., habil.

László Gulácsi works as a Professor and Head, Department of Health Economics, Corvinus University Budapest, Hungary. (<http://hecon.uni-corvinus.hu>) He is the head of the Hungarian Office for Health Technology Assessment (HunHTA).



By profession he is a physician (Debrecen University Medical School), having university degrees of mathematics (Kossuth University of Arts and Sciences, Debrecen), mathematical economics and sociology (Corvinus University of Budapest), and health economics (University of York).

He received PhD degrees from the Medical University of Amsterdam (public health and quality of care), from the Budapest University of Economic Sciences (health economics), from the Semmelweis Medical University Budapest (clinical epidemiology – infection control) and from the Debrecen Medical University (public health). He is qualified in social medicine.

He is a member of the Editorial Board of the European Journal of Health Economics (EJHE), the Value in Health Regional Issues (ViHRI) Editorial Advisory Board, and the Editorial Board of the Hungarian Medical Journal, and the Society and Economy and Academic Editor PLOS ONE Editorial Board, and Health Academy, University of Pécs.

He is the past President of the Health and Health Care Economics Section of the Hungarian Economics Association.

To date (March 2016) he (co)authored more than 270 articles in peer reviewed journals, published 11 books, 66 book chapters and on health economics, public health, health technology assessment, health policy and quality improvement. IF: 156,966. Citation:1221 (independent citations: 809). Hirsh index: 18.

He has successfully supervised the completion of 6 PhD thesis and in the process of supervising another 4.

Petra Baji, Ph.D., is an assistant professor at the Department of Health Economics Corvinus University of Budapest and she is the Deputy of International Studies at the Faculty of Economics, Corvinus University of Budapest.



She obtained an MSc in Economics at Corvinus University of Budapest in 2009 and a PhD from Maastricht University in 2013 with her dissertation titled “Out-of-pocket patient payments for health care services in Hungary: Past experience and future perspectives”.

Her publication list is available at:

<http://vm.mtmt.hu//search/slist.php?lang=0&AuthorID=10033563>