

A Future for All to INHERIT: Taking Action Now

10 December 2019, 9:00 – 17:00

PROGRAMME

8:30 – 9:00 Registration and welcome coffee

9:00 – 9:40 **OPENING STATEMENTS: Setting the scene**

- **The environmental crisis and urgent need for widespread change**
 - Prof. Andy Haines, Professor of Environmental Change and Public Health, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
- **The impact of inequity**
 - Sir Michael Marmot FRCP, Director, Institute of Health Equity, Department of Epidemiology and Public Health, UCL
- **INHERIT's approach**
 - Caroline Costongs, EuroHealthNet Director, INHERIT Consortium Coordinator

9:40 – 10:40 **NATIONAL-LEVEL DEBATE: A whole-of-government approach to achieving the SDGs from a national perspective**

- Saila Ruuth, State Secretary to Minister of Social Affairs and Health, Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, Finland (EU Presidency)
- Giuseppe Ruocco, Director General Ministry of Health, Italy
- Prof. Stanislav Špánik, State Secretary for Health, Slovakia

10:40 – 11:10 Coffee break (Foyer)

11:10 – 12:05 **SPOTLIGHT DEBATE: Environmentally, socially and economically sustainable growth – an achievable aim?**

- Philippe Lamberts, MEP and Co-president of the Greens/EFA Group
- Nick Meynen, Policy Officer for Environmental and Economic Justice, European Environmental Bureau
- Eelco Smit, Senior Director Sustainability, Group Sustainability, Philips International B.V.

12:05 – 13:00 **EU-LEVEL DEBATE: EU action on more systemic, integrated measures for more sustainable, healthier and equitable societies**

- Katarina Ivankovic-Knezevic, Director Social Affairs, Directorate-General for Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion (DG EMPL)
- John Ryan, Director Public Health, Directorate-General for Health and Food Safety (DG SANTE)
- Astrid Schomaker, Director Global Sustainable Development, Directorate-General for Environment (DG ENVI)

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch (Foyer)

14:00 – 15:00 **BREAKOUT: Acting for the triple-win**

Parallel sessions:

1. Ensuring healthy, sustainable affordable food

Led by: Nina van der Vliet (Netherlands National Institute for Public Health and the Environment), Sibila Marques (Lisbon University Institute); External expert: Nick Jacobs, IPES-Food

2. Fostering quality, accessible green spaces

Led by: Ruth Bell (University College London), Kirsti Anthun (Norwegian University of Science and Technology); External expert: Lise Gauvin, MUSE project Canada

3. Ensuring healthy and energy efficient housing for all

Led by: George Morris and Tim Taylor (University of Exeter); External expert: Julien Dijol, Housing Europe

4. Encouraging active transport across population groups

Led by: Brigit Staatsen (Netherlands National Institute for Public Health and the Environment), Iva Zverinova (Charles University Prague); External expert: Piotr Rapacz, European Commission

5. Fostering integrated governance to address key challenges

Led by: Ingrid Stegeman (EuroHealthNet), Rosa Strube (Collaborating Centre on Sustainable Consumption and Production); External expert: Laurent Bontoux, Joint Research Centre

15:00 – 15:30 Coffee break (Foyer)

15:30 – 16:30 **MUNICIPAL-LEVEL DEBATE: Sustainable changes in an urban context – how can we take it further?**

- Hon. Dr. Ricardo Baptista Leite, Former Deputy and current Member of Cascais City Assembly, Member of the Portuguese National Parliament, Head of Public Health, Catholic University of Portugal
- Elisabeth Bengtsson, Senior Officer Public Health Västra Götaland, Consultant WHO Healthy Cities Network
- Dr. Cory Neudorf, Professor, Department of Community Health & Epidemiology, University of Saskatchewan, and Coordinator of the Urban Public Health Network of Canada

16:30 – 16:50 **CLOSING DISCUSSION: Inspiring action for systemic change across generations**

- Ewa Rewers (Youth for Climate, Poland) and Dana Seggev (Fridays for Future, Utrecht) in conversation with Sir Michael Marmot

16:50 – 17:00 **AUDIENCE INPUT and CLOSING REMARKS: Actions for a more equitable, healthy and sustainable future**

- Caroline Costongs, EuroHealthNet Director, INHERIT Consortium Coordinator