



GLOBAL PUBLIC HEALTH ISSUES

International colloquium for master and doctoral students

Agenda

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STUDENTS' DORMITORY, TRNAVA UNIVERSITY IN TRNAVA

Slovak Republic

DRAFT AGENDA

8 am Registration

10 am **Opening remarks**

Marek Šmid, rector of Trnava University

Daniel West, professor at the University of Scranton

Martin Rusnák, professor at the Trnava University

10:30 Using Innovation to Improve Access to Study Abroad Courses

West, D.J. Univ. Scranton

Remarks on Analysing Public Health Data

Martin and Viera Rusnák, Univ. Trnava

Moodle in online education

Michael M. Costello Univ. Scranton

Perspectives of Distance and Blended Learning in the Trnava University

Majda Marek, Univ. Trnava

Questions and Answers

11:15 *Coffee Break*

11:30 **Students's Presentations (15 min plus 15 min discussion)**

Long-term Care in Austria and Slovakia: A Comparative Analysis of Healthcare Financing

Joseph Boino, Univ. Scranton

Long-term Care in USA and Slovakia: A Comparative Analysis of Healthcare Financing

Lucia Blažinská, Univ. Trnava

Health Promotion Strategies for the Prevention of Substance Abuse: Slovakia, Czech Republic, Austria

Elizabeth Lee, Univ. Scranton

Health Promotion Strategies for the Prevention of Substance Abuse: USA

Veronika Rechteríková, Univ. Trnava

Cultural Perceptions on the Role of Palliative Medicine in Central and Eastern Europe

Patrick O'Dell, Univ. Scranton

Cultural Perceptions on the Role of Palliative Medicine in USA

Róbert Duľa, Univ. Trnava

Hospice and Palliative Medicine in the Republic of Poland, Romania, and the Slovak Republic: Policy Implementation, Medical Economics, and Clinical Outcomes

Meagan Owens, Univ. Scranton

Hospice and Palliative Medicine in USA: Policy Implementation, Medical Economics, and Clinical Outcomes

Michaela Chodelková, Univ. Trnava

Social Determinants of Cardiac Disease in Slovakia, Hungary, and Austria

Ryan Stillman, Univ. Scranton and Natália Chvalníková, Univ. Trnava

Social Determinants of Cardiac Disease in USA

Michaela Chodelková, Univ. Trnava

How an Aging Population in Slovakia Impacts the Utilization of the Current Array of Long-Term Care Services

Kendall Whitehead, Univ. Scranton

How an Aging Population in USA Impacts the Utilization of the Current Array of Long-Term Care Services

Dominika Plančíková, Univ. Trnava

1:00 pm Lunch

2 pm Students to Students (moderated discussion)

Topic 1: Distance and blended education – students' benefits and limitations
Moderated by Meagan Owens, UoS and Dominika Plančíková, TU

Topic 2: Work perspectives after graduation for students of UoS and TU
Moderated by Ryan Stillman, UoS and Veronika Rechteríková, TU

Topic 3: Similarities and differences in students' life among US and Slovakia
Moderated by Elizabeth Lee, UoS and Robert Duľa, TU

Topic 4: How to teach effective and creative
Moderated by Joseph Boino, UoS and Lucia Blažinská, TU

Topic 5: Quiz on US and Slovakia
Moderated by Kendall Whitehead, UoS and Lucia Blažinská, TU

4 pm Sojourn

Students Walk streets of Trnava

Meeting of professors with the Rector of Trnava University

6 pm Dinner