



Programme



8th ATHEA Conference
„Status Quo and New Directions for Austrian Health Economics“
&
3rd ATHEA PhD Workshop
„Health Economics and Health Policy Research“

Vienna, 6th and 7th March 2025

Conference Venue

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Programme

Thursday 6 March

10:30-12:30	PhD Workshop
12:00-13:15	Registration Cold Lunch
13:15-13:30	Welcome
13:30-14:50	Parallel Sessions 1
14:50-15:00	Transfer Break
15:00-16:00	Parallel Sessions 2
16:00-16:30	Coffee Break
16:30-18:30	Plenary – Panel Discussion

Thursday 6 March 13:30-14:50 | Parallel Sessions 1

Health and the Labour Market | Lecture Room E02

Employment Histories and Cognition at Older Age in the Context of Different European Welfare Regimes
Thomas Arnhold, International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA)

The 'Care Penalty' in the Portuguese Labour Market: Examining Pay Differentials in Long-Term Care
Viktoria Szenkurök, Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien

Lost Productivity Associated with the Excess Physical Disease Burden of Severe Mental Health Disorders in 32 European Countries
Dennis Wienand, Medizinische Universität Wien

The Labor and Health Economics of Breast Cancer
Gerald J. Pruckner, Johannes Kepler Universität Linz

Intervention and/or Methodology | Seminar Room 101

Causal Effects of Robot-Assisted Surgery on Patient Outcomes in Austria
Stephanie Lackner, Gesundheit Österreich GmbH

„Goldstandard“ randomisiertes Experiment in der Langzeitpflege? Durchführungs- und Auswertungserfahrungen am Beispiel der PflegeApp in Österreich und Luxemburg
Benedikt Gobs & Birgit Trukeschitz, Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien

Homelessness and Health: Survival Analysis and Health Care Cost Comparison between Homeless and Non-Homeless Lung Cancer Patients
Daniel Heilig, Medizinische Universität Wien

Economic Impact of Labor Productivity Losses Induced by Heat Stress: An Agent-Based Macroeconomic Approach
Maurice Kinner, Institut für Höhere Studien (IHS)

Thursday 6 March 15:00-16:00 | Parallel Sessions 2

Socio-Economic and Regional Differences in Health | Lecture Room E02

Unearthing the Divide: Historical Development of Socioeconomic Inequalities in Lifespan in Vorarlberg/Austria

Susanne Mayer, Medizinische Universität Wien

Gender Gap in Unmet Need for Care in Later Life: The Moderating Role of Social Deprivation

Daniela Weber, Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien & International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA)

Urban–Rural Disparities in Hospital Admissions for Depression in Austria: A Spatial Panel Data Analysis

Michael Berger, Medizinische Universität Wien

Evaluation I | Seminar Room 101

Cost-Effectiveness of Non-Pharmacological Nicotine Replacement Interventions and Smoking Cessation in Europe: Results from a Systematic Literature Review

Alexander Braun, IMC Krems University of Applied Sciences

Performance and Cost-Benefit Analysis of Dalbavancin as Anti-Infective Medication in Prosthetic-Joint-Infections: Expert Reporting for Potential Mass Application

Tibor Spath, Medizinische Universität Wien

eCAN: Health Economic Evaluation of a Multi-National Telemedicine Intervention Applying Cost-Consequence and Cost-Utility Analysis

Gerald Gredinger, Gesundheit Österreich GmbH

Thursday 6 March 16:30-18:30 | Plenary – Panel Discussion

“Was kann die Gesundheitsökonomie für die Gesellschaft leisten, und welche Datenzugänge braucht sie dafür?” | Lecture Room E02

Panel:

- **Doris Behrens**, Professorin an der Universität für Weiterbildung Krems
- **Nikolaus Forgó**, Professor an der Universität Wien
- **Andreas Huss**, Obmann der Österreichischen Gesundheitskasse
- **Moritz Oberndorfer**, Researcher an der Universität Helsinki
- **Martina Rüscher**, Landesrätin für Gesundheit und Sport Vorarlberg

Moderation:

- **Thomas Czypionka**, Institut für Höhere Studien (IHS)

Friday 7 March

09:00-10:20	Parallel Sessions 3
10:20-10:50	Coffee Break
10:50-11:50	Plenary – Keynote Simone Ghislandi
11:50-12:00	Transfer Break
12:00-13:00	Parallel Sessions 4
13:00	Lunch

Friday 7 March 09:00-10:20 | Parallel Sessions 3

Health Care Services and Access | Lecture Room E02

Public Gaps and Private Bridges: Healthcare Access Barriers and Facilitators to Long COVID-19 Patients in Austria

Peter Gamillscheg, Medizinische Universität Wien

Projecting Future Care Gaps: The Case of Specialists in Internal Medicine in Austria

Monika Riedel, Institut für Höhere Studien (IHS)

Health Economics and Services Research in Symbiosis: STREAMLINEing Mental Health Services in Vienna

Judit Simon, Medizinische Universität Wien

Patient Steering in the Austrian Telephone-Based Triage System (1450)

Martin Zuba, Gesundheit Österreich GmbH

Evaluation II | Seminar Room 101

Economic Evaluation of Community Nursing in Austria

Birgit Aigner-Walder, Fachhochschule Kärnten

Threshold Values in Health Economic Evaluations and Decision-Making

Christoph Strohmaier, AIHTA GmbH

Cost Value vs. Utilities – A New Possibility to Discuss the Values of Health and Wealth?

Katharina Vizdal, UMIT TIROL

Friday 7 March 10:50-11:50 | Plenary – Keynote

“The Loneliness Epidemic: Implications for Health Outcomes and Healthcare Consumption” | Lecture Room E02

Keynote Speaker:

- **Simone Ghislandi**, Bocconi University

Friday 7 March 12:00-13:00 | Parallel Sessions 4

International Perspectives | Lecture Room E02

Reconfiguring Financing for Health and Climate Goals: A Framework and Evidence Review of Co-Financing Arrangements

Josephine Borghi, International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA)

Barriers and Facilitators in Biosimilar Policies: Insights from Literature Review, Exploratory Interviews, and Workshop

Timea Helter, Gesundheit Österreich GmbH

Made in Europe - Assessing the Feasibility of Reshoring Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient Production to Europe

Verena Knoll, Gesundheit Österreich GmbH

Survey Studies | Seminar Room 101

Community Pharmacy in Austria: Status-Quo and Developments Regarding the Services in an International Comparison

Sabine Vogler, Gesundheit Österreich GmbH

The Role of Beliefs in the Supply of Health Screenings

Silvia Angerer, UMIT TIROL

Willingness to Share Patient-Reported Measures in Austria: A Mixed-Methods Study

Susanne Drexler, Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien

PhD Workshop

Thursday 6 March

10:30-10:40	Registration Welcome
10:40-11:30	Paper 1
11:30-11:40	Coffee Break
11:40-12:30	Paper 2

Thursday 6 March 10:40-11:30

Paper 1 | Seminar Room 101

Macroeconomic Impacts of Health Expenditure Changes from Climate Change Mitigation in Transport
Samuel Duelli, Universität Graz

Discussant: Simone Ghislandi, Bocconi University

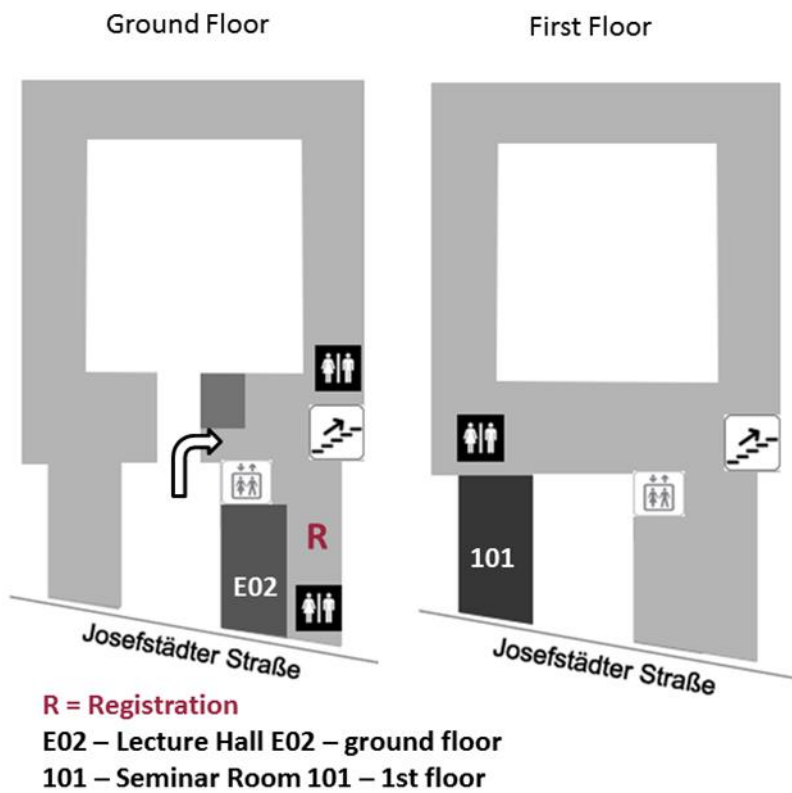
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Paper 2 | Seminar Room 101

Student Trauma: The Effect of Shootings on College Student Mental Health
Klara Kinnl, Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien

Discussant: Benedikt Till, Medizinische Universität Wien

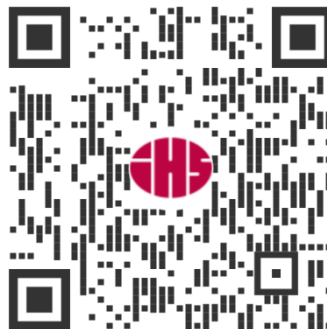
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