Institutions in Context: Healthcare Institutions and Policy

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Programme

Monday 5 June, 2017 Pinni B 1100

9.30   Registration – Pinni B, lobby

Welcome – Introductory Overview
9.55   Katri Sieberg, University of Tampere

Lecture Session I: Aging and Work
10.00  Supporting Living at Home by Recent Studies
       Jaakko Valvanne, University of Tampere

10.30  The Costs of Isolation: An Examination of the Association between Social
       Integration and Physical and Mental Health
       Bonnie Bui, University of California, Irvine

11.00  Coffee Break

11.30  Aging, Health and Work
       Clas-Håkan Nygård, University of Tampere

12.00  Lunch

Lecture Session II: Proposed Healthcare Policy Change
13.30  New Health Reform Strategies in an Era of Slow Economic Growth
       Richard Saltman, Emory University

14.00  Ilmo Keskimäki, National Institute for Health and Welfare
14.30  Competition, Quality and Choice of Provider: Empirical evidence  
*Visa Pitkänen, University of Tampere*

15.00  Coffee Break

**Lecture Session III: Healthcare – Doctors’ Perspectives**

15.30  Mishmash for Thought or Thoughtmash – Personal Experiences from an Anesthesiologist  
*Carola Lang-Schwärzler, Medical University of Innsbruck*

16.00  The US Wealth Care System: A Primary Care View from within the Medical-industrial Complex  
*Davis Yang, MacNeal Hospital*

**Lecture Session IV: Experiments and Healthcare**

16.30  Universal Basic Income and Health  
*Veera Jokipalo, University of Tampere*

17.00  Priority Setting in Health Care  
*Peter Martinsson, University of Gothenburg*

19.00  Reception Hosted by Vice Rector Harri Melin – Main Building Portrait Gallery

Tuesday 6 June – Pinni B 3107

**Lecture Session V: Policy Making**

10.00  Institutional Challenges to Market-Making in Healthcare Policy: Notes from the ACA Battlefield  
*Lawrence Brown, Columbia University*

10.30  The Affordable Care Act, Funding and Health  
*Clayton Thomas, Indiana University*

11.00  Coffee Break

11.30  The Effect of Interest Group Pressure on Favorable Regulation  
*Thomas Stratmann, George Mason University*

12.00  Lunch
Lecture Session VI: Public Versus Private Care
13.30 Public-Private Systems for Healthcare: Theory and Experiment
Giuseppe Attanas, University of Lille Science and Technology

14.00 Is There a Doctor in the House?
Katri Sieberg, University of Tampere

14.30 Coffee Break

14.45 Institutional Evolution of the Finnish Healthcare System and Healthcare Outcomes in Finland
Samuli Mäkelä, University of Tampere

15.15 Development of Voluntary Private Health Insurance in Nordic Countries – Exploring the Country-specific Contextual Factors
Liina-Kaisa Tynkynen, University of Tampere

Sauna Evening – Bus leaves from hotel 17.30 – remember your swimsuits!

Wednesday 7 June – Main Building D13

Lecture Session VII: Doctors and Policies
10.00 Prudential Healthcare Saving
AJ Bostian, University of Virginia

10.30 Evaluating Physician Preparedness for the United States’ New Medicare Payment Model
Sanjula Jain, Emory University

11.00 Coffee Break

11.30 Interactions Between Healthcare Providers and Clinical Documentation Professionals
Kartikeya Bajpai, Northwestern University

12.00 Lunch

15.00 Recreational Day Trip – cruise and light dinner
Thursday 8 June – Pinni B 3107

Lecture Session VIII: Health and Society
10.00 Screening Through Activation: Differential Effects of a Youth Activation Programme
Kaisa Kotakorpi, University of Turku

10.30 Workplace Activism, Corporate Institutions, and LGBT Health Benefits in the New Millennium
Apoorva Ghosh, University of California, Irvine

11.00 Coffee Break

11.30 Workplace Productivity and Healthcare
Tiffani Crippin, Binghamton University

12.00 Lunch

Lecture Session IX: Moral Hazard
13.00 US Healthcare Policy and Two Economic Institutions: RAND Health Insurance Experiment and the Moral Hazard Welfare Loss
John Nyman, University of Minnesota

13.30 Health Insurance Literacy: Implications for the Student Health Insurance Plan
Alicia Nobles, University of Virginia

14.00 Coffee Break

14.30 Finnish Healthcare Change and Moral Hazard
Harry Nguyen, University of Tampere

15.00 Ethical and legal institutions in the context of clinical decision-making
June Zhao, University of California, Irvine

15.30 Still ‘skiing their own race’? NPM Implementation in the Finnish and Swedish Health Systems: Patient Choice and the Drivers of Policy Change
Christopher Smith, University of Tampere

Restaurant Evening

Friday 9 June – Main Building C6

Lecture Session X: Global Health
10.00 Health, Environmental Issues and Dissent in China
Elena Labzina, Washington University St. Louis

10.30 The Impact of China’s One Child Policy on Societal Health
Julie Zhu, University of Tampere

11.00 Coffee Break

11.30 Selection and Moral Hazard in Health Insurance
Erik Grönqvist, Uppsala University

12.00 Lunch

Lecture Session XI: Health, and Well Being
13.30 How Stress Affects Decision-Making in Social Environments
Ryan Kendall, University College London

14.00 The Vaccination Game
Hanna Björkstedt, University of Tampere

14.30 The Health Care Preferences of Early Voters
Peter Miller, University of Tampere

15.30 Closing Reception – Pinni B 5th Floor Lobby

Saturday 10 June

Activity
Restaurant

Sunday 11 June
Departure