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11th EUROPEAN CONGRESS MENTAL HEALTH IN INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

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BETTER MENTAL HEALTH FOR PEOPLE WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

Even if mentioned in the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, access to mental health services for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities is still not guaranteed in most of our countries.

Like the rest of the population, the mental health of people with intellectual disabilities is best understood in a much wider context of their general well-being, their supports and networks, their family and social setting and the broader aspects of the society that have significant impacts on their health and health inequalities. The Congress will bring together current knowledge and expertise in this wider context, looking at how people with intellectual disabilities, their families and their social and professional networks all have important experience and skills to contribute and share in creating and developing effective, collaborative and co-productive models of service provision.

I hope you will join us and help us to ensure co-productive and constructive exchanges and partnerships. I sincerely look forward to welcome you in Luxembourg for EAMHID 2017!

On behalf of the Executive Board of EAMHID & APEMH Foundation, with kind regards,

Raymond Ceccotto
President of the European Association for Mental Health in Intellectual Disability
General Manager of APEMH Foundation

SPEAKERS ANNOUNCED

We are please pleased to announce 14 internationally renowed speakers, for keynotes[1] and focused communications:

- Johan De Groef (BE) • Critical Factors to promote Mental Health in ID. Against fragmentation and splitting at different organizational levels. Looking for a coherent and inclusive approach.
- Chris Oliver (UK) • On the aetiology of challenging behaviour: new findings.
- Régine Scelles (FR) • L'enfant avec handicap : désir de savoir et apprentissages avec les pairs.
- Randi Hagerman (USA) • Fragile X Syndrome: new findings, aetiology, new approaches in treatment.
- Michael Seidel (DE) • Mental health for people with ID - A challenge between human rights and scientific progress.
- Jane McCarthy (UK) • Autism Spectrum Disorders and offending. Towards an evidence based approach.
- Nick Bouras (UK) • Mental Health and Intellectual Disability: History, Concepts and Evidence based.
- Emmanuelle Jouet (FR) • Challenges of Partnerships between Patients and Healthcare Professionals.
- Gérard Zribi (FR) • Désinstitutionalisation et Inclusion … un vrai malentendu ?
- David Simo (ES) • Antecedent events associated with challenging behaviour exhibited by children with ID.
- Marco Bertelli (IT) • Psychopathology, Mental Health and Quality of Life.
- Nigel Beail (UK) • Psychotherapy and ID: new advances from research and clinical practice.
- Dieter Ferring (LU) • Enlarging the frame: Issues of inclusion and mental health in an ageing society.
- Brigitte Lueger-Schuster (DE) • Psychotraumatology.

[1] **Simultaneous translation in French, German and English for keynotes in plenary session.**

SOLICITED SYMPOSIA

- Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)
- Involvement & community participation
- Improving staff performance
- Challenging behaviours
- Young adults confronted with inclusive challenges
- Mental health & employment
- Empowerment & self-determination
- Social networks
- Mental health & quality of life issues
- Access to mental health services

PRE-COURSES

- Das sozio-emotionale Entwicklungsniveau (SEO) in der Diagnostik und Therapie von Menschen mit geistiger Behinderung (DE)
- Psychopharmacology (EN)
- Psychotherapy (EN)
- Dementia (DE)
- Assessing Emotional Development & Emotional Needs (EN)
- Coaching for front-line staff supporting people with DID and challenging behaviours (EN)
- DM-ID2 (EN)
- Reducing restraints and restrictive behaviour management practices (EN)
- Parcours de vie et d'insertion de publics fragilisés. Mutualisation et nouvelles formes « d'institutionnalisation » (FR)
- Le parcours institutionnel : un point de vue psychanalytique à deux voix (FR)
- ASD and challenging behaviours – causes and practical implications (EN)

POSTER AWARD

All the authors who will present a poster at the European Congress in Luxembourg will have the chance to discuss methods and results with experienced researchers. The best three posters will be awarded with The Mental Health and Intellectual Disability Poster Award. Judges from the Scientific Committee will rate the presented posters for excellence in communication, research, relevance and contribution to the goals of the Association.

DISSERTATION AWARD

For outstanding contributions to the field, dissertations defended between June 2015 and June 2017 can be nominated for the Mental Health and Intellectual Disability Dissertation Award.

CALL FOR PAPERS

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Participant Non Member	Euro 455	Euro 510
Student	Euro 200	Euro 255
Dinner	Euro 80	Euro 80