

Thursday, 2 October 2014 (Afternoon)  
Friday, 3 October 2014

## The 2<sup>nd</sup> GLOBAL HEALTH Workshop

### Events

Monday, 29 September 2014

19:00 "Get together" Dinner  
Paradies, Mathildenstr. 26-28

Tuesday, 30 September 2014

18:00 Guided City Tour and joint Dinner  
Alte Wache, Münsterplatz 38

Wednesday, 1 October 2014

18:00 Social get together and guided tour in  
the Uniseum Freiburg with dinner,  
Bertholdstr. 17



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## SYMPOSIUM

# Urban Health Urban Living Global and Local Perspectives



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## Program

**Tuesday, 30 September 2014**

08:00 **Registration**

08:30-09:00 **Symposium Opening**

Vice-Rector Gunther Neuhaus, Rectorate of the University of Freiburg,  
Bernd Kortmann, FRIAS Director  
Organisers (Michael Wirsching, Axel Kroeger, Sonia Diaz, Ursula Wittwer-Backofen)

**Unit 1 Background and Context**

09:00-09:20 **U. Wittwer-Backofen, Freiburg**  
Adaptability to urban living (1):  
**The historical perspective**

09:20-09:40 **B. Bogin, Loughborough**  
Adaptability to urban living (2):  
**The Evolutionary Perspective - Maya in Urban Mexico**

09:40-10:00 **W. Schiefenhövel, Andechs**  
Adaptability to urban living (3):  
**Crosscultural and human ethological perspective**

10:00-10:30 **N. Wetzel, Princeton**  
Urban development and health (1):  
**The issue of violence and security; Childhood and youth**

10:30-11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00-11:20 **K. Hackenbroch, Freiburg**  
**S. Baumgart, Dortmund**  
Urban development and health (2):  
**Urban planning perspectives in South Asian cities**

11:20-11:40 **R. Gminski, Freiburg**  
Health hazards in the urban environment (1):  
**Air Pollution and Health in Urban Areas**

11:40-12:00 **A. Matzarakis, Freiburg**  
Health hazards in the urban environment (2):  
**Climate Change and Heat Related Mortality**

**Unit 2 Health risks in urban environments**

12:00-12:20 **R. Fuchs, A. Zeeck, Freiburg**  
NCDs: Risk factors and interventions :  
**Enhancing physical activity**

12:20-12:40 **C. Donnelly, London**  
Communicable Diseases: Transmission dynamics and outbreaks (1):  
**Infectious disease transmission in urban environments**

12:40-13:00 **W. Kern, A. Kroeger, Freiburg**  
Communicable Diseases: Transmission dynamics and outbreaks (2):  
**Epidemics in urban environments**

13:00-14:00 **Lunch**

14:00-14:20 **H. Gündel, Ulm**  
Mental health (1):  
**Pathologies driven by the increased stress-load in urban living: novel biological pathways**

14:20-14:40 **M. Wirsching, Freiburg**  
Mental health (2):  
**Support at primary care level**

**Unit 3 A health systems view**

14:40-15:10 **B. Blinkert, Freiburg**  
Challenges of urban health systems (1):  
**Children living environment in urban settings**

15:10-15:30 **F. Dreves, Freiburg**  
Challenges of urban health systems (2):  
**Promoting health-related prosocial behaviour in urban areas**

15:30-16:00 **Coffee Break**

16:00-16:20 **J. Gärtner, Freiburg**  
Challenges of urban health systems (3):  
**Palliative Care Perspective on Urban Health: Aging and Dying**

16:20-16:40 **C. Dora, Genf**  
Challenges of urban health systems (4):  
**Building healthy urban futures**

18:00 **Guided City Tour and Dinner**

**Wednesday, 1 October 2014**

09:00-10:30 **Priority Research Areas and Capacity Building in Urban Health (Group work)**

*Research group:*

**Towards a research agenda on urban global health at Freiburg University and Partner Institutions**

*Capacity building group:*

**Developing capacity building in Urban Global Health including a Masters Program**

10:30-11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00-12:30 **Group work (continued)**

12:30-14:00 **Lunch**

14:00-15:30 **Group work (continued)**

15:30-16:00 **Coffee Break**

16:00-17:00 **Plenary session**  
**Presentation of Group work**

18:00 **Uniseum tour, social get together with Dinner**

**Thursday, 2 October 2014**

09:00-10:30 **Plenary session**  
Collins Airhihenbuwa, Robert Crane:  
**Summary of the 1st Global Health Workshop (May 2014, PSU)**

10:30-11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00-12:00 **Recommendations**  
**Networking and essential elements of Urban Health research and capacity building**

12:00-12:30 **Next steps**

12:30 **Closing session**

**SYMPOSIUM CLOSING**