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## HEALTH AND INNOVATION IN EUROPE

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16<sup>th</sup> European Conference on Public Health

2<sup>nd</sup> Announcement



## Welcome to the 16th European Conference on Public Health

A knowledge society is emerging in Europe and elsewhere. This is about co-operative networks that incorporate information, communication and technological innovation, changing the way people work and live, producing a new and different economy and providing new opportunities for Public Health.

The aim of the 2008 EUPHA Conference is to promote the exchange of ideas and experiences on health and innovation in Europe.

The Conference plenary sessions will provide the framework for the debate on health innovation. Through parallel sessions, workshops and posters presentations, the conference offers an attractive opportunity for the active participation of European public health policymakers, practitioners, researchers and students in this debate.

On behalf of the Local Organising Committee, EUPHA and the Portuguese Association for the Promotion of Public Health I would like to invite you to take full advantage of this opportunity to express your views and share your experiences in health innovation. We warmly welcome your participation in the 16th EUPHA conference and have been working hard to make your stay in Lisbon an innovative, pleasant, useful and memorable occasion.

Constantino Sakellarides  
Chairman of the Organising Committee  
EUPHA President 2008/2009



Terreiro do Paço Square, Lisbon

## Health and Innovation in Europe

Innovation is a major change engine in contemporary societies. We need to analyze and understand its implications for Public Health.

This implies looking at the same time to the theoretical underpinnings and to real-life developments in health innovation. A health innovation bank has been developed for this purpose.

### Health Innovation Bank (i-health bank)

As a starting point debate two kinds of health innovations are to be identified for inclusion in the i-health bank: (i) health policy innovations led by legitimate public authorities and (ii) product, service, process innovations, driven by community innovation stakeholders. Interested organization or individuals are welcome to submit innovation projects to the I-health Bank to be presented during the conference in the Innovation Health Fair until September 15, 2008. Detailed conditions of submission are available in the website: [www.ihealthbank.eu](http://www.ihealthbank.eu)

### Health Innovation Fair

A health innovation fair will take place from 5-8<sup>th</sup> November at the Conference venue. This is essentially a display and brokerage event, based on the i-health bank.

### Book launches

**POLICY INNOVATION FOR HEALTH** (to be published by Springer in English): a key reference on health innovation.

**HEALTH AND INNOVATION IN LISBON: FROM RENAISSANCE TO NOW** (to be published by Gradiva in Portuguese and English): a special journey through Lisbon's past and present, seen from a health innovation perspective.

## Registration

Registration is possible for satellite meetings, pre conference meetings and main conference activities or a combination of conferences.

There are two categories of registration:  
 - member registration: is open for members of EUPHA, ASPHER, SESPAS and ADPH  
 - non-members registration: is open for all others  
 Registration must be done online via [www.eupha.org](http://www.eupha.org). For payment and cancellation rules, please visit our website. Registration has been open since May 2, 2008.



25 de Abril Bridge, Lisbon

## Student Fees

There will be a special fee for pre-graduate students under 30 years. The rules for the student fee will be published on our website: [www.eupha.org](http://www.eupha.org)

## Subsidised Places

There is a possibility for subsidised places for delegates from Central and Eastern Europe, who are presenting an abstract. Applications for subsidised places should be addressed to the EUPHA office: [office@eupha.org](mailto:office@eupha.org)



Santa Justa elevator, Lisbon

## Registration Fees

	Until 15 September 2008	After 15 September 2008
<b>EUPHA ONLY</b>		
EUPHA members	370€	420€
Non EUPHA members	430€	480€
<b>ASPHER ONLY</b>		
ASPHER members	220€	280€
Non ASPHER members	260€	320€
<b>ASPHER/EUPHA COMBI</b>		
ASPHER/EUPHA members	500€	590€
Non ASPHER/EUPHA members	560€	650€
<b>SESPAS ONLY</b>		
SESPAS members	180€	240€
Non SESPAS members	250€	310€
<b>SESPAS/EUPHA COMBI</b>		
SESPAS/EUPHA members	460€	500€
Non SESPAS/EUPHA members	520€	580€
<b>APDH ONLY</b>		
APDH members	180€	240€
Non APDH members	250€	310€
<b>APDH/EUPHA COMBI</b>		
APDH/EUPHA members	460€	500€
Non APDH/EUPHA members	520€	580€
<b>EUPHA Pre conference meetings</b>		
Until 15 September 2008	80€ (halfday)	160€ (day)
<b>(extra meetings)</b>		
After 15 September 2008	100€	180€
Conference Dinner		65€

Registration fees includes conference documentation, coffee breaks, lunch and conference reception. Payment must be made by bank transfer, any bank charges must be paid by the subscriber.



# Preliminary Programme

Wednesday, 5 th Nov 08		Thursday, 6 th Nov 08		Friday, 7 th Nov 08		Saturday, 8th Nov 08	
08.30		08.30	Conference venue opens	08.30		08.30	
09.00		09.00	Satellite meetings	09.00	Plenary Session II - Innovation in health systems	09.00	Parallel Session 6
09.30		09.30	Pre conference activities	09.30		09.30	
10.00		10.00		10.00	Coffee	10.00	
10.30		10.30	Coffee	10.30	Parallel Session 3	10.30	Coffee
11.00		11.00	Satellite meetings	11.00		11.00	Plenary Session V - Leadership for health innovation
11.30		11.30	Pre conference activities	11.30		11.30	
12.00		12.00	POSTER Session	12.00	POSTER Session	12.00	Closing Ceremony
12.30	Conference venue opens	12.30	Lunch	12.30	Lunch	12.30	
13.00		13.00		13.00		13.00	
13.30	Satellite meetings	13.30	Opening Session	13.30	Plenary Session III - Innovation for health and wealth	13.30	Lunch
14.00	Pre conference activities	14.00		14.00		14.00	
14.30		14.30	Plenary Session I - European Health Strategy and innovation	14.30	Parallel Session 4	14.30	
15.00		15.00	Coffee	15.00		15.00	
15.30		15.30		15.30		15.30	
16.00	Satellite meetings	16.00	Parallel Session 1	16.00	Coffee	16.00	
16.30	Pre conference activities	16.30		16.30	Parallel Session 5	16.30	
17.00		17.00		17.00		17.00	
17.30		17.30	Parallel Session 2	17.30		17.30	
18.00	End	18.00		18.00	Plenary Session IV - Health literacy and Public Health Genomics	18.00	
18.30		18.30	End of day 1	18.30			
19.00		19.00		19.00	End of day 2		
19.30		19.30	Welcome Reception	19.30			
20.00		20.00		20.00	Conference Dinner		

The programme is also available on the EUPHA website: [www.eupha.org](http://www.eupha.org)

## Plenary Sessions

<b>6th Nov 08</b>	<b>- Plenary I - European Health Strategy and innovation: A constructive conversation on implementation challenges</b> Maria de Belém Roseira - Chairperson of the Health Parliamentary Committee, Portugal Andrzej Rys - Director for Public Health, EC, EU Walter Ricciardi - Chairman of EUPHA's Past Presidents Committee Ilona Kickbusch (moderator)
<b>7th Nov 08</b>	<b>- Plenary II - Innovation in health systems: Future health care organisations in the knowledge society</b> Josep Figueras - Director, European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies <b>- Plenary III - Innovation for health and wealth: knowledge clusters and citizen centred health information</b> Luis Magalhães - President of the Portuguese Agency for the Information and Knowledge Society Ida Strand - Project-director Mandag Morgen / Monday Morning Denmark <b>- Plenary IV - Health literacy and Public Health Genomics: Knowledge transfer to citizens</b> Angela Brand - Coordinator, European Public Health Genomics Network Serdar Savas - Director, GENAR Institute of Public Health
<b>8th Nov 08</b>	<b>- Plenary V - Leadership for health innovation: Public health education and entrepreneurship</b> Richard Parish - Chief Executive, Society for the Promotion of Health, UK

## Satellite Meetings

<b>5th / 8th Nov 08</b>	<b>- Innovation and Modernisation in Research and Education in Public Health - 30th ASPHER Annual Conference</b> - Health Innovation Fair - a display and brokerage event, based on the i-health bank - <a href="http://www.ihealthbank.eu">www.ihealthbank.eu</a>
<b>5th / 6th Nov 08</b>	<b>- Updating Health Planning - Spanish Association of Public Health and Health Administration (SESPAS) Conference</b> - 2nd International Hospital Congress - Innovation and Quality in Health - Portuguese Association for the Hospital Development (APDH) Conference
<b>6th Nov 08</b>	<b>- The Successful Implementation of Vaccination Policies: A Public Health Challenge - Sanofi Pasteur MSD seminar</b>

## Pre Conference Programme

<b>5th / 6th Nov 08</b>	<b>- Training seminar on measuring patient experiences in health care - EUPHA section on health services research</b> - Workshop - EUPHA section on migrant health
<b>5th Nov 08</b>	<b>- Workshop on child safety - EUPHA section on child and adolescent public health and the EUPHA section on injury prevention and safety promotion</b> - Workshop - EUPHA Section on social security and health - Workshop on Electronic child record - EUPHA section on child and adolescent public health - Workshop on public mental health and interpersonal and community violence - EUPHA section on public mental health - Workshop on European training in effective adolescent care and health - EUPHA section on child and adolescent public health

## Date and Venue

The 2008 EUPHA conference will be held from 6 to 8 November at the Lisbon Congress Center, located by the Tagus river, near one of the best known monuments of the city of Lisbon – The Belém Tower, a few minutes away from the city centre in an area served by many alternative means of transportation. For more information, visit the websites: [www.healthinnovation2008.com.pt](http://www.healthinnovation2008.com.pt) or [www.lisboacc.pt](http://www.lisboacc.pt)

## Language

The conference language will be English.

## Accommodation

Hotel rooms at different price levels have been reserved for the participants. Hotels are accessible by public transportation from/to the conference venue. Please find more booking information on the website: [www.eupha.org](http://www.eupha.org) [www.healthinnovation2008.com.pt](http://www.healthinnovation2008.com.pt)

## Cultural Activities

**City sightseeing tour**  
Wednesday 6 November 2008 from 9-11  
All are welcome on this bus tour, which will take you to all the major landmarks in the Portuguese capital. The tour will be in English and will be organised if a minimum of 35 persons sign up. Fee 25 €.  
For more information and other excursions please visit the website: [www.healthinnovation2008.com.pt](http://www.healthinnovation2008.com.pt)

**Conference dinner**  
For more information about the conference dinner please see our website [www.healthinnovation2008.com.pt](http://www.healthinnovation2008.com.pt)

## Next EUPHA Conferences

25 - 28 November 2009  
HUMAN ECOLOGY AND PUBLIC HEALTH  
Promoting Social and Environmental Conditions  
Conducive to Health  
Jagiellonian University, Krakow, Poland

10-13 November 2010  
INTEGRATED PUBLIC HEALTH  
RAI Conference Center, Amsterdam,  
The Netherlands

## Parallel Sessions and Posters

The parallel sessions and poster sessions will be filled with submitted abstracts and workshops. The just under 700 abstracts are scored by an independent International Scientific Committee, which consists of the following members:

Carlos Matias Dias, Portugal (chair)  
Elina Hemminki, Finland (past chair)  
Stanislaw Tarkowski, Poland (future chair)  
Diana Delnoij, EUPHA

Genc Burazeri, Albania  
Horst Noack, Austria  
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Tinka Troeva, Bulgaria  
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Girts Brigis, Latvia  
Ramune Kalediene, Lithuania  
Doncho Donev, Macedonia  
Julian Mamo, Malta  
Niek Klazinga, Netherlands  
Dag Bruusgaard, Norway  
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Luís Graça, Portugal  
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Iveta Rajnicova Nagyova, Slovakia  
Tit Albreht, Slovenia  
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Urban Janlert, Sweden  
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## International Organising Committee

Constantino Sakellarides, chair  
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Stanislaw Tarkowski, future chair  
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## Local Organising Committee

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### EUPHA-ASPHER 2008 Cooperation

This is the first time the EUPHA annual Conference is organised in close cooperation with ASPHER. During the Lisbon EUPHA Conference one of the plenaries is organised jointly with ASPHER and will be managed by ASPHER. Also, the parallel track on Public Health training will be managed by ASPHER.

The ASPHER annual Conference will take place in Lisbon from November the 5th to November the 6th (morning), in the same venue as 16th EUPHA Conference.

During the ASPHER Conference, a joint ASPHER/EUPHA intensive course on health innovation will be offered (please visit [www.ensp.unl.pt](http://www.ensp.unl.pt) for details).