

MEETING PROGRAMME

Göttingen 14th and 15th February 2011

Feb. 14th (pm) – arrival in Göttingen of participants from outside Germany, arrival at hotel, and group drinks/dinner at local café or restaurant for them in the evening.

FEB 15TH (MAIN BUSINESS DAY)

09:30 - 10:00	Arrival, informal introductions, tea and coffee.	
10:00 – 10:15	Welcome and introductory comments.	Prof. Steven Vertovec.
10:15 – 10:30	The MPI Medical Diversity Programme	Prof. Gabi Alex Prof. Özge Parkin and Kristine Krause
10:30 – 11:00	Some theoretical issues in the field of diversity and health and areas of potential interest for a multi-centred pilot project.	Presentation by Dr. Charlie Davison and full group discussion.
11:00 – 11:30	Round table contributions responding to and adding to the issues raised in the previous presentation.	Full group discussion with individual contributions.
11:30 – 12:00	Break, coffee, conversation.	
12:00 – 13:00	Round table contributions focusing on outline descriptions and potentially salient issues around diversity and health in Germany, Sweden, Spain, England.	Informal and formal contributions from participants.
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH	
2:00 – 15:30	Brief presentation of the 'original' Jaén/Essex research proposal and how a multi-centred pilot could be based on it. Followed by:- Ideas and comments aiming to agree a plan and a way forward for the multi-centre pilot work.	Dr. Charlie Davison. General discussion session.

Formal meeting to close at 15:30 (approx.) to allow some participants to travel home. Those staying in or based in Göttingen will then have time to return to their hotels, offices, homes and hopefully meet up for drinks and dinner in the evening to continue informal discussions and planning.