WORKSHOP

Re-thinking Health Policy: From Austria to Europe and back

DATE 9th April 2015, 4.00 pm – 7.00 pm
LOCATION Aula der Wissenschaften, Wollzeile 27A, 1010 Vienna

CONTENT

Based on the results of last year’s EHFG conference on “Electing health – the Europe we want!”, the European Health Forum Gastein (EHFG), in collaboration with the Forum for the Researching Pharmaceuticals Industry in Austria (FOPI), will discuss the following questions:

In which specific fields is the Europeanisation in Austria’s health policy noticeable?
How can Austria influence a sustainable health policy on European level?

After Dr. Azzopardi-Muscat’s keynote speech „European Health Policy and Austria – Achievements and Intentions“, participants will be divided into three working groups to discuss the following issues:

1) Patient-oriented health care – Long-term thinking (Dr. Josef Probst)
2) Health in All Policies – Collaboration between Europe and Austria (Dr. Matthias Wismar)
3) Investment in health – A contribution to growth? (Dr. Erich Eibensteiner)

PRESENTER
Barbara van Melle, ORF-Presenter / Entrepreneur

WELCOME
Dipl. Kfm. Marc Fähndrich, Advisor on Economic Governance and European Semester, European Commission in Austria

SPEAKERS
Dr. Natasha Azzopardi-Muscat, Lecturer Health Services Management, University of Malta / Former Chief Medical Officer for Malta / President Elect, European Public Health Association
Dr. Josef Probst, Director General, Main Association of Austrian Social Security Institutions in Austria
Dr. Matthias Wismar, Senior Health Policy Analyst, European Observatory on Health Systems & Policies, WHO
Dr. Erich Eibensteiner, General Manager Janssen-Cilag Pharma GmbH / Vice President FOPI
Mag. Ingo Raimon, President FOPI
Prof. Dr. Helmut Brand, President EHFG

PROGRAMME

3.30 pm Registration
4.00 pm Opening H Brand, I Raimon
4.15 pm Welcome M Fähndrich
4.30 pm Keynote Speech N Azzopardi-Muscat
5.00 pm Break-Out Sessions J Probst, M Wismar, E Eibensteiner
6.15 pm Presentation of Results & Discussion J Probst, M Wismar, E Eibensteiner, N Azzopardi-Muscat
6.45 pm Closing Statements H Brand, I Raimon
7.00 pm Networking

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