

5th SHE Summer School

10–13 June 2015

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Research-based and practice-based knowledge

- Are you an academic/PhD student researching school health promotion?
- Are you a professional working in the area of school health education or promotion?
- Are you interested in knowing more about how to conduct research, or document practice in schools?
- Are you interested to improve your competence to communicate research or practice experience in form of academic articles or practice-based cases?
- Would you like to be inspired by exchanging experience, work-in-progress, and debate along the continuum theory-research-practice?

If the answer is yes, the fifth SHE Summer School in Kuopio, Finland, is a good choice for you. Kuopio is located in the Eastern part of Finland.

The SHE Summer School will provide a unique opportunity to critically discuss research methodologies, analytical perspectives and dilemmas from practice in an international learning environment, with input by top experts from the field.

You will have the opportunity to exchange experience, knowledge and information in interactive and participatory ways. You will discuss and work in small groups with other practitioners and researchers on case studies of school health promotion.

The SHE Summer School will be organized in a dynamic and flexible way, to fit the interests and needs of the participants. The programme will be structured through joint dialogue sessions for all participants and a range of parallel workshops, for researchers /PhD students and practitioners, respectively.

PhD students will have an opportunity to present their study in smaller groups and get focused feedback on selected issues of their choice (e.g. methodology, data generation, data analysis, implications, recommendations). The other participants will be able to present their practice-based experience and get feedback on their activities.

When

10-13 June 2015

Deadline for registration: 5 May, 2015

Where

Department of Nursing Science, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Eastern Finland, Kuopio, Finland.

Who can attend

- Researchers/PhD students/academics (school health promotion, health and education sciences)
- Professionals working in practice (school health promotion, health education, physical activity/sport, voluntary sector etc.).

Max number of participants: 30

Language

English.

Aim

The Summer School aims to establish a creative and interactive space for researchers and practitioners within the field of school based health education and promotion. It focuses on sharing, exchanging and critically discussing issues related to conducting and communicating research in schools, and systematically documenting and communicating practice-based experience.

Content

The course will address and critically discuss current discourses in health education and health promotion research, including diversity and equality. There will be a particular focus on research methodologies and ethical considerations when doing research in schools, systematic documentation of practice, and effective communication of both research findings and practice-based cases.

Preparation

Prior to the course, the PhD students need to send a five page summary of their study, outlining the problem statement, research questions, theoretical/analytical framework and methodological approach. During the course, the PhD students present their study and receive feedback from the senior scholars. The other participants should prepare a five page description of a practice-based experience illustrating a problem, a dilemma, a challenge from the practice of school-based health promotion that they would like to address at the course. Deadline for the papers is 31 May.



Awards/ Credits

Participants will receive a certificate (6 ECTS for attendance and an accepted paper).

Fee

- 200 € , includes course materials + lunches and refreshments + one dinner/social programme
- Travel and accommodation costs are on your own account
- Remember to check the available grants, for example ERASMUS.

Important notice

Please do not make any travel arrangements before you have received a confirmation of your attendance.

Organizing institutions

Department of Nursing Science,
University of Eastern Finland, Kuopio,
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Guest lecturers

See the separate programme.

Course websites

www.schoolsforhealth.eu
www.uef.fi/shesummerschool2015

How to register

You can find the link to the electronic
registration form at the course
website.

Further information

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