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## INTERNATIONAL COURSE ON HEALTH AND IMMIGRATION



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The main purpose of this course, organized as part of the European project EUNAM “EU and North African Migrants: Health and Health Systems” (leadership: Prof. Kari Hemminki, German Cancer Research Center, Heidelberg, Germany) , is to depict the health status and disease, well-being, and use of health services in immigrants. The participants will have the opportunity to assess the complexity of the migration dynamics and the health risks associated to changes in lifestyle and in social and cultural environments, learning appropriate care strategies and preventive measures to improve health for immigrant populations.

All the course lectures will be held in room E3 at Polo Chimico-Biomedico, via Borsari n. 64, 44100 Ferrara (Italy).

Lecture plan and activities schedule, September 22-24, 2014

Day 1		Lecturer
8:00-8:45	Registration	
8:45-9:15	<i>Welcome</i>	Emanuela Gualdi, Kari Hemminki and University Authorities
9:15-10:00	History and evolution of migration in the Mediterranean area ( <i>with a boat refugees movie</i> )	Hassene Kassar <i>University of Tunis (Tunisia)</i>
10:15-11:00	Migration, health and socio-economic factors	Paul Dourgnon <i>IRDES, Paris (France)</i>
11:15-12:00	The law and policies for migration in Europe	Marco Stefan <i>University of Ferrara (Italy)</i>
12:15-13:00	Health care systems, health disparities and immigration	Vanessa Manzon <i>University of Ferrara (Italy)</i>
13:00- 14:00	lunch break	
14:15-15:00	Communicable diseases in NA	Meriem Khyatti <i>Pasteur Institute (Morocco)</i>
15:15-16:00	Infectious diseases in migrants	Carlo Contini <i>University of Ferrara (Italy)</i>
Day 2		Lecturer
9:00-9:15	<i>Notices of the day</i>	
9:15-10:00	Psychosocial adaptation in children of immigrants	Sabrina Masotti <i>University of Ferrara (Italy)</i>
10:15-11:00	Non communicable diseases in NA and in immigrants	Wagida Anwar <i>Ain Shams Univ., Cairo (Egypt)</i>
11:15-12:00	Cancer in immigrants	Kari Hemminki <i>DKFZ, Heidelberg (Germany)</i>
12:15-13:00	Immigration and mental health	Luigi Grassi <i>University of Ferrara (Italy)</i>
13:00- 14:00	lunch break	
14:15 ( <i>departure from Ferrara</i> ). 18:00 ( <i>departure from Bologna</i> )	Visit to to Amilcar Cabral Centre, Bologna : presentation on interethnic relations and foreign immigration ( <i>reserved to foreign students and lecturers</i> )	
Day 3		Lecturer
9:00-9:15	<i>Notices of the day</i>	
9:15-10:00	Migration and mobility – from language to DNA analyses.	Pavao Rudan <i>Zagreb University (Croatia)</i>
10:15-11:00	Perceived health among migrants	Florance Jusot <i>IRDES, Paris (France)</i>
11:15-12:00	Cardiovascular diseases in immigrants	Xinjun Li <i>Lund University (Sweden)</i>
12:15-13:00	Obesity among immigrants	Stefania Toselli <i>University of Bologna (Italy)</i>
13:00- 14:00	lunch break	
14:15-16:00	Research strategy: the assessment of nutritional status and body image perception on immigrants	Emanuela Gualdi (tutorial: Natascia Rinaldo) <i>University of Ferrara (Italy)</i>