



## COEHRE STUDENT CONFERENCE BUDAPEST, HUNGARY 20-24 APRIL 2015 THEME Diversity and Social Inclusion

From 19 till 25<sup>th</sup> of April 2015, we organize the Coehre Student Conference next to the Annual Conference of the consortium at Semmelweis University Budapest, Hungary.



**Time and Venue:** Budapest, Hungary, 20-24 April 2015

**Arrival:** 19<sup>th</sup> of April 2015

**Programme:** 20-24<sup>th</sup> of April 2015

**Departure:** 25<sup>th</sup> of April 2015

**Target group:** students of healthcare professions, social work or applied psychology

**Credits:** 3 ECTS

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### Description:

The coming three years the student conference attached to the Annual Conference of Coehre will focus on 'Diversity and social exclusion' as a central theme. The programme aims at enhancing awareness of different kinds of social inequalities in society and particular in the health care and social field. Students will work in multi-professional groups in a week programme to explore and analyse the topic. Subjects will be studied and adapted both from European perspective and related to the context of the hosting country and to focus on strategies to counter inequalities in society.

### Goals & learning outcomes:

*After completing the course:*

- *The student defines the central concepts of social inclusion; diversity, equality, freedom and responsibility*
- *The student is able to give examples of different kinds of social inequalities in key areas of social life: home life, work/school/studying and when having free time.*
- *The student describes and is aware about the importance of cultural sensitivity, intercultural communication and cooperation skills as core competences for future professionals*
- *The student is able to apply the knowledge by doing case based interdisciplinary grounded problem solving*

## Methodology:

During the programme we use 'city exploration' as a central method to put theory into practice. The urban environment provides a learning context for this assignment.

The city exploration starts with introducing the city and its different neighbourhoods by means of a lecture and a city walk. Students are divided in small groups with respect to mixed professional and cultural background. They receive more detailed information on one specific neighbourhood of the city. This information contains a 'survival kit', e.g. a map of the neighbourhood, contact information for places of interest, articles and figures on the area and contact information of a 'tutor'. A privileged contact or study visit is the starting point. They have to confront their new experiences with the experiences in their home country.

## Exchange of products and peer assessment:

At the end of the two days, the different groups exchange their products. The experience of a different area confronts them with the disparities between the different areas and as such the diversity that may exist within one city. After the visit, a peer evaluation session is organized based on the experience of the neighbourhood walks.

## Plenary debate during the Annual Coehre Conference

The final part of the student conference is a presentation and a debate on the learning outcomes with the participants of the annual conference. It allows the participants to share and discuss what they learned during this 5 day-programme.

## LET'S TALK MONEY!

STUDENT REGISTRATION FEES	
Early Bird fee (latest 12 March)	€ 200
Student fee (13 March-1 April)	€ 250
Semmelweis students	€ 100
1 student per institution	€ 0

As Budapest is a very popular and attractive city to visit, many hostels might be fully booked or not so well located. Therefore, Coehre has reserved rooms for a total of 40 students at the Maverick Hostel ([http://www.mavericklodges.com/eng/maverick\\_hostel\\_ensuites.php](http://www.mavericklodges.com/eng/maverick_hostel_ensuites.php)). The hostel is located in the heart of the city in a renovated royal mansion built by the Hapsburg dynasty, the Maverick Hostel is open to guests in its original magnificence.

There are 2 price categories:

1. 6 or 4 bed dorms with towels, shared bathroom and breakfast for 6 nights: €100/person
2. Double bedrooms with towels, shared bathroom for doubles, and breakfast for 6 nights: €150/person

Those rooms above will only be offered until the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 2015 and can only be booked via the COEHRE Administrative office: [isabelle.delariviere@arteveldes.be](mailto:isabelle.delariviere@arteveldes.be)

You are of course welcome to book your own accommodation but it might add to the group spirit to stay in one place.

If you wish to have a travel card for 5 days, which we do recommend, it would be € 15/person

## LET'S DO THE MATHS!

Example of a low-budget total for one student:

Early bird registration fee (incl. teaching, teaching materials, refreshments and lunches on teaching days as well as the social events in the program)	€ 200
1 bed in a dorm + towels + breakfast for 6 nights + Travel Card for 5 days	€ 100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>€300</b>

Please, do bear in mind that one student per institution doesn't pay the registration fee!!!!