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ceres, the Cologne Center for Ethics, Rights, Economics, and Social Sciences of Health, has recently been founded as a new cross-departmental center focussing on conducting interdisciplinary research, offering education and giving public and political advice. It is academically carried by five departments and the President's office of the University of Cologne.

The work at **ceres** is specifically inter- and transdisciplinary, bringing together areas of research that have seldom been combined so far. It therefore yields a new approach to wider knowledge and practice-relevant findings. **ceres** is a forum for international exchange both in scientific research and on all levels of academic education.

Specific areas of our work include research on aging and demographic change as well as health literacy in complex environments.

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Scientific Workshops

Justice during the Course of Life

Biographies in a Society of Long Lives



Friday, September 5th, 2014

Neuer Senatssaal, Main Building, University of Cologne
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About the Workshops

Both workshops will be conducted in English and are addressed to a selected scientific audience (registration required). The first workshop will be looking at health literacy and patient orientation with regard to their impact on health care. The second workshop will consider aspects of old age and justice. Two highly acclaimed, leading international experts will chair each session introducing the workshop themes from their own perspective and disciplinary background. After the introductory part, the chairs will engage in a profound discussion with the workshop participants. The workshop sessions will last for three hours each.

Workshop 1: Health Literacy, Patient Orientation, and Justice

10.00 a.m.

Kristine Sørensen, Ph.D.

Maastricht University

Health Literacy in Europe: The Concept, its Impact and Application Using the Example of Diabetes Literacy.

Oliver Groene, Ph.D.

London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

Patient-Orientation and the Quality of Hospital Care: Rationale, Assessment, Impact

1.00-2.00 p.m.

Lunch Break

How to Register

Both workshops are open to students, young researchers, post-docs and professors. To ensure an in-depth exchange, the number of participants will be limited. If you are interested in participating in one of the workshops, please register before **August 20th, 2014**. You can either do so online at:

www.ceres.uni-koeln.de/workshop-registration.html

or e-mail us a short motivational letter (up to 250 words, in English) to: ceres-symposium@uni-koeln.de.

Workshop 2: Aging and Justice

2.00 p.m.

Prof. Björn Schumacher, Ph.D.

CECAD Cologne

**Why we Age:
Insights from the Biology of Aging**

Prof. Jacqui Smith, Ph.D.

University of Michigan

Dilemmas of Justice in an Aging Society: It's Time to Consider the Active Young-Old and the Oldest-Old

5.30 p.m.

End of Workshops