

International University Week 2013

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Welcome

Care Work and Case Management is becoming more and more important.

Mental vulnerability, drug abuse, child protection as well as the ageing of the population and economic crises create an increasing demand for Care Work and Case Management. Social capital and social benefit are the key words in dealing with the challenge of the need for care and support as well as for facilitating social inclusion. Care Work and Case Management focuses on marginalised persons in a multiproblem condition and with a complex need for help.

Care Work and Case Management is defined as a collaborative process of assessment, planning, facilitation and advocacy for options and services to meet an individual's health needs through communication and available resources, in order to promote quality cost-effective outcomes (Case Management Society of America 2005 in Goger/Tordy 2006:11).

The International University Week offers an opportunity to exchange knowledge and cultural specificities as well as personal experiences. Field visits and excursions are organised and will be announced by the end of February. Participants may also expect an organised Welcome Evening as well as some sight-seeing tours and a farewell party.

St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences is happy to welcome Social Work students and professors from our partner universities for the second time to participate in our International University Week (IUW). The IUW takes place between April 15th and 19th, 2013.

Overview of workshops

Sylke Bartmann / Antje Handelsmann / University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer (Germany): "Vocational training and education in Germany – The dual system (A European comparison)"

Hilde Bloemen / Kath. University College Leuven (Belgium): "Care Work and Case Management from a radical structural approach"

Manuela Brandstetter / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria): "Regional culture of social care – diagnosis on society or practice studies?"

Jaap Bruijn / Hanzehogeschool Groningen (The Netherlands): "The most important, long-term needs"

Bachelor Students Kath. University College Leuven (Belgium): "Why case managers do what they do"

Madina Esmursaeva / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria): "Migration in St. Pölten, especially the work with Chechen refugees, their history, their escape and their life in (Lower) Austria"

Anja Gräbert and Anke Wegener-Sorge / University of Applied Sciences for Social Work, Dresden (Germany): "Human Behaviour and How It Is Commonly Misjudged"

James Hill (USA/Poland/Austria): "Working with children and families in crisis. Child protection cases. Working with sex offenders of children. Interviewing children"

Maria K. Jeppesen and Lise Rasmussen/ University College Lillebælt (Denmark): "Families at Risk from a Danish Perspective."

Gabriele Schäfer / Hochschule Bremen (Germany): "Psychological Interventions in Case Management"

Dennis Smolders / Xios University College, Hasselt (Belgium): „First things first: professional secrecy in dealing with victims and perpetrators"

Boudewijn de Viers / Saxion University of Applied Sciences, Enschede (The Netherlands): "What is Family Group Conferencing and how does it democratize help and welfare in Holland?"

Andrea Viertelmayr/ St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria): "Mentally vulnerable parents. Family members, professionals, social workers. Explanation and working with the Resilience Map – an online assessment tool."

Charlotte Wekker/ Hanzehogeschool Groningen (The Netherlands): "The concepts of welfare new style and the T-shaped professional. The social worker as a generalist and a specialist."

Martin Zauner / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria): "Case Management and social diagnoses"

Sunday, April 14: Arrival in St. Pölten

Monday, April 15: Arrival in St. Pölten

9 – 10 am: Registration at the University, coffee and cake

10 am: Welcome, information, getting to know your fellow students

12 am: Refectory: **Lunch**

1 pm: Opening workshops (optional)

Gabriele Schäfer / Hochschule Bremen (Germany)	“Psychological Interventions in Case Management”
Charlotte Wekker / Master students Hanzehogeschool Groningen (The Netherlands)	“The concepts of welfare new style and the T-shaped professional. The social worker as a generalist and a specialist.”
Sylke Bartmann / Antje Handelsmann / University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer (Germany)	“Vocational training and education in Germany – The dual system (A European comparison)”

4 pm: Guided tour and sightseeing in St. Pölten

8 pm: Musikcafé EGON <http://www.musikcafe-egon.at/>
Welcome Clubbing Social Work Department



Tuesday, April 16

9 am – 12.30 pm: Various classrooms – workshops (optional)

James Hill (USA, Poland, Austria)	“Working with children and families in crisis. Child protection cases. Working with sex offenders of children. Interviewing children“ (being continued till 17.4. afternoon)
Andrea Viertelmayr / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria)	Mentally vulnerable parents. Family members, professionals, social workers. Explanation and working with the Resilience Map – an online assessment tool.” (being continued till 17.4. afternoon)
Hilde Bloemen / Kath. University College Leuven (Belgium)	“Care Work and Case Management from a radical structural approach”

12.30 pm: Refectory: **Lunch**

2 pm – 6 pm: Various classrooms – workshops (optional)

James Hill (USA, Poland, Austria)	“Working with children and families in crisis. Child protection cases. Working with sex offenders of children. Interviewing children“ (being continued till 17.4. afternoon)
Andrea Viertelmayr / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria)	Mentally vulnerable parents. Family members, professionals, social workers. Explanation and working with the Resilience Map – an online assessment tool.” (being continued till 17.4. afternoon)
Dennis Smolders / Xios University College, Hasselt (Belgium)	„First things first: professional secrecy in dealing with victims and perpetrators“
Master's corner Esmursaeva Madina, Martin Zauner / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria)	“Migration in St. Pölten, especially the work with Chechen refugees, their history, their escape and their life in (Lower) Austria” “Case Management and social diagnoses“

7.30 pm: Lecturers' Dinner

Wednesday, April 17

9 am – 12.30 pm: Various classrooms – workshops (optional)

James Hill (USA, Poland, Austria)	“Working with children and families in crisis. Child protection cases. Working with sex offenders of children. Interviewing children”
Andrea Viertelmayr / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria)	Mentally vulnerable parents. Family members, professionals, social workers. Explanation and working with the Resilience Map – an online assessment tool.”
Bachelor Students Kath. University College Leuven (Belgium)	“Why case managers do what they do”
Manuela Brandstetter / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria)	“Regional culture of social care – diagnosis on society or practice studies?”

12.30 pm: Refectory: **Lunch**

Afternoon: Free time



Thursday, April 18

9 am – 12.30 pm: Various classrooms – workshops (optional)

Boudewijn de Viers / Saxion University of Applied Sciences, Enschede (The Netherlands)	"What is Family Group Conferencing and how does it democratize help and welfare in Holland?"
Maria K. Jeppesen and Lise Rasmussen / University College Lillebælt (Denmark)	"Families at Risk from a Danish Perspective."
Anja Gräbert and Anke Wegener-Sorge / University of Applied Sciences for Social Work, Dresden (Germany)	"Human behavior and how it is commonly misjudged"
Jaap Bruijn / Hanzehogeschool Groningen (The Netherlands)	"The most important, long-term needs"

12.30 pm: Lunch and field visit to Emmaus City Farm
<http://www.emmaus.at/default.php?ID=3&SUBID=11>

2 pm: Field visits in two groups:
Neustart St. Pölten – probation office
www.neustart.at/at/de/unsere_kontakte/niederoesterreich/
Lames St. Pölten, www.lames.at/about/

8 pm: Farewell Party – at Seedose, www.seedose.at/

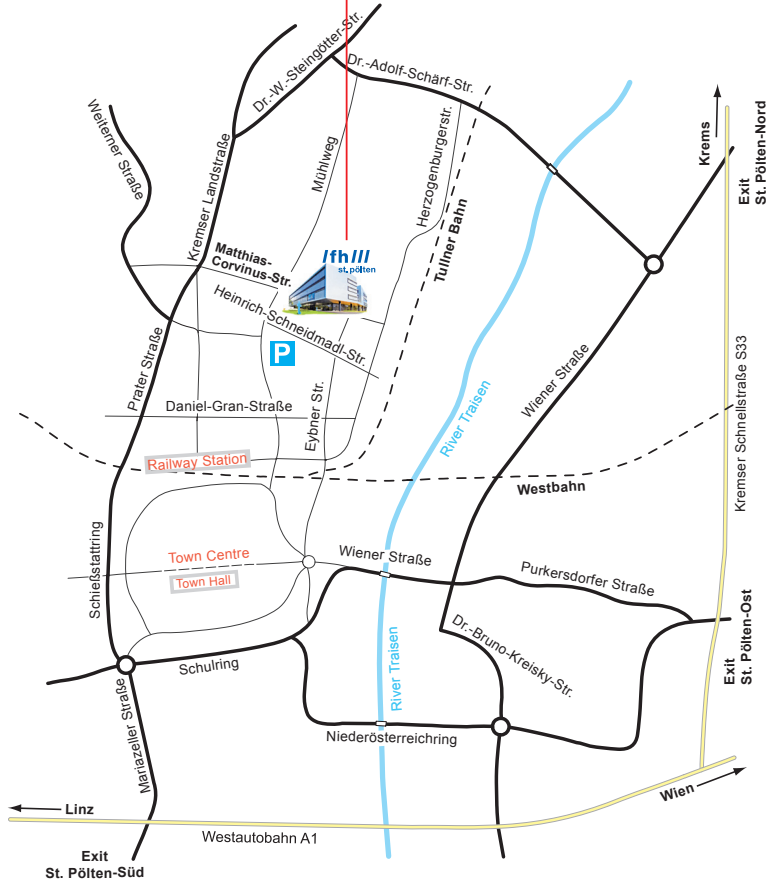
Friday, April 19

9 am: **Final Evaluation, Certifications**
Christine Haselbacher, Andrea Pilgerstorfer, Nina Hagenauer / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria)
Open International Office
Barbara Zimmer / St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences (Austria)

11 am: **Brunch**

Open end

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