



Age, Health and Nutrition in Europe

When: 25 March, 2009

Where: Queen Elizabeth II Conference Centre, Broad Sanctuary, Westminster, SW1P 3EE, London

08:30	Arrivals and registration
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09:00	Welcome address <i>James Goodwin, UK Age Research Forum Steering Group</i> <i>Hugh Philpott, Head of Europe Science and Innovation, Foreign and Commonwealth Office</i>
09:10	Age Research in the UK: Current status, future prospects and challenges <i>Peter Lansley, Director, SPARC - Strategic Promotion of Ageing Research Capacity</i>
09:30	UK stakeholder perspective - Age and Nutrition research opportunities <i>John Mathers, Professor of Human Nutrition, Newcastle University</i>
09:45	UK Policy perspective <i>Paul Cann, Director of Policy and External Relations, Help the Aged</i>
10:05	Q&A – Discussion
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	Each speaker will give an overview of age research in the respective country with a focus on nutrition and health
11:00	Germany <i>Joachim Fischer, Director Mannheimer Institute for Public Health</i>
11:15	Czech Republic <i>Iva Holmerová, President Czech Society of Gerontology and Geriatrics, Director Centre of Gerontology Prague</i>
11:30	Denmark <i>Kaare Christensen, Professor of Epidemiology & Director of The Danish Aging Research Centre</i>
11:45	France <i>Patrick Ritz, Professor of Nutrition, Gerontolope Toulouse</i>
12:00	Sweden <i>Lena Hulthén, Professor of Clinical Nutrition, University of Gothenburg</i>
12:15	Italy <i>Roberto Bernabei, Professor and chair of Geriatrics, Catholic University, Rome</i>
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13:45	European Funding Opportunities for Age and Nutrition Research <i>Jill Jones, International Strategy Manager, Medical Research Council & FP7 national contact point 'health'</i>
14:15	UK vs European interests and priorities <i>Jorge Pinto Antunes, DG SANCO</i>
14:45	Discussion, opportunities for collaboration and next steps
15:15	Closing remarks from the Chair
15:30	Close and departures