

The Essence of Biomedical Law

*Workshop for research students and young researchers
Nordic Network for Research in Biomedical Law
18-19 May 2011, Uppsala University, Sweden*

Programme

Wednesday 18 May 2011

- 9:30 – 10:00 Registration and refreshments
- 10:00 – 10:15 Welcome and short introduction to the network
Professor Elisabeth Rynning
- 10:15 – 11:45 *Biomedical law as a legal discipline*
Speaker: **Helle Bødker Madsen**, Professor in Health Law (Aarhus University)
Commentator: Professor Elisabeth Rynning
General discussion
- 11:45 – 13:30 Lunch at Restaurang Hyllan, Saluhallen
- 13:30 – 15:00 *Biomedical ethics and law in EU policy-making
– some personal reflections*
Speaker: **Göran Hermerén**, Professor emeritus of Medical Ethics (Lund University) and Chair of the European Group on Ethics during 2002-2010
Commentator: Professor Oddný Arnardóttir
General discussion
- 15:00 – 15:30 Refreshments
- 15:30 – 17:00 *Law and medicine – the perspective of the medical profession*
Speaker: **Ingemar Engström**, Professor of Psychiatry (Örebro University) and Chair of the Delegation for Medical Ethics, Swedish Society of Medicine
Commentator: Professor Mette Hartlev
General discussion
- 17:00 – 19:00 Free time for social activities and relaxation
- 19:00 Dinner at The Royal Society of Arts and Sciences of Uppsala (Åsgränd 1)

Thursday 19 May 2011

Chair for Day 2: Dr Anna-Sara Lind

- 09:15 – 10:00 Doctoral Project no. 1
General practitioner and practice characteristics associated with an increased risk of disciplinary proceedings – a socio-legal study
Speaker: Sören Birkeland
 Commentator: Kavot Zillen
 General discussion
- 10:00 – 10:30 Refreshments
- 10:30 – 11:15 Doctoral Project no. 2
Compensation for drug related injuries – Pandemrix swine flu vaccine and narcolepsy cases in Finland
Speaker: Matti Urho
 Commentator: Sandra Liede
 General discussion
- 11:15 – 12:00 Doctoral Project no. 3
Children's rights regarding medical treatment in Denmark
Speaker: Caroline Adolphsen
 Commentator: Jane Stoll
 General discussion
- 12:00 – 13:30 Lunch at Restaurang Hyllan, Saluhallen
- 13:30 – 15:00 *The Network as a resource for development*
 Discussion among research students and young researchers on ideas for future activities and collaboration
- 15:00 – 15:30 Refreshments
- 15:30 – 16:30 *Exploring the field of biomedical law*
 Concluding discussion with possibility to pose questions to senior representatives of the network and present suggestions for future activities
- 16:30– 16:45 Closing words – end of workshop