

Symposium

Global Mental Health

15 November 2024 | 10:00 – 14:00 | Lecture Hall Eye Clinic (Hörsaal Augenklinik, W40)

The Research Group on Migration and Psychosocial Health is pleased to invite you to the symposium on *Global Mental Health*. This event is part of the international and interdisciplinary project on "Multilingualism in Providing Quality Mental Health Care to Migrants: Needs, Resources, and Practices" (MiM2M). The project aims to enhance mental health care for migrants by focusing on language barriers and resources. The symposium will give valuable insights into general and regional Global Mental Health issues from the South African, Romanian, Malaysian and German contexts.

Program

10:00 – 10:10 **Welcome**

Prof Mike Mösko & Saskia Hanft-Robert - University Medical Centre Hamburg-Eppendorf

10:10 – 10:45 **Navigating sensitive interviews in multilingual contexts: Insights and recommendations from South Africa & discussion**

Rowan Madzamba, PhD – Stellenbosch University - South Africa

10:45 – 11:20 **Why are migrants who need care often invisible in the mental health care system - perspectives from a Western Cape study in South Africa & discussion**

Prof Christine Anthonissen - Stellenbosch University - South Africa

11:20 – 11:55 **Overcoming language barriers in mental healthcare through communication with technological tools: A qualitative study & discussion**

Annika Kreienbrinck, M.Sc. - University Medical Centre Hamburg-Eppendorf

11:55 – 12:15 *Coffee Break*

12:15 – 12:50 **Advancing migrant inclusion and overcoming barriers in Romania's refugee response & discussion**

Ovidiu Oltean, PhD - Babeş-Bolyai University - Romania

12:50 – 13:25 **Silent caregivers: Mental health of Indonesian domestic workers in Asian geriatric care & discussion**

Andrian Liem, PhD - Monash University Malaysia – Malaysia

13:25 – 13:55 **Q&A session with all speakers**