



Pre EPC Workshop (European Population Conference)

European Association for Population Studies Working Group on Health,
Morbidity and Mortality

Morbidity compression, morbidity expansion, and dynamic equilibrium:
conceptual considerations and new findings,

VUB Brussels, Room D3.04

6th June 2018

08:30 – 09:00 Morning Coffee

09:00 – 10:00 Session 1: Opening Session

Siegfried Geyer (Medical Sociology Unit, Hannover Medical School), Morbidity
compression: The concept and its ambiguities.

10:00 – 10:15 Coffee Break

10:15 – 11:45 Session 2*

Gabriele Doblhammer (Institute of Sociology and Demography, University of
Rostock), Regional differences in compression and expansion of care
need in Germany between 2001 and 2009: the effects of
socioeconomic characteristics of the place of residence

Marc Luy (Vienna Institute of Demography of the Austrian Academy of
Sciences), Morbidity compression and expansion effects in cross-
sectional context

Anat Ziv (Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Hebrew University,
Jerusalem, Israel), Health trends in a working-age population: Israel,
2002-2015.

11:45 – 12:15 coffee break



12:15 – 13:45 Session 3*

Remund A., Cullati S., Sieber S., Burton-Jeangros C., Oris M. (Institut de démographie et socioéconomie, Université de Genève, Faculté des Sciences de la Société), Living longer and healthier: the end of a rich (wo)man's privilege? Evidence from the Swiss case.

Karin Modig (Karolinska Institutet, Solna, Sweden), Incidence, recurrence and prevalence of stroke in an ageing society – Time trends in the past decades.

Maria Inês Azambuja (Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil), Neither expansion nor compression of morbidity: The underlying theories of degeneration and epidemiologic transition are wrong.

13:45 – 14:00 Conclusions

** - 20 minutes talk and 10 minutes discussion*