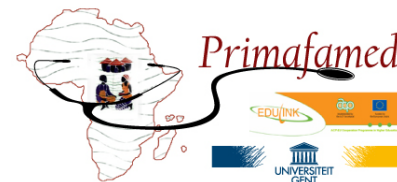


Primafamed Workshop



In August 2010 Primafamed will organize a workshop on
“Research integrated in the family medicine training; the master thesis”

Goals of Primafamed

Through linkages and exchange of academic institutions and input from experts

- To develop unified and harmonised understanding of Family Medicine
- To exchange information, resources and skills and develop comprehensive programs
- South-south cooperation and network strengthening
- Integration of PHC and family medicine in the national health systems

Content of the workshop

- Strategies for development of Family Medicine departments
- Core curriculum for Family Medicine with integrated research
- Accreditation and mutual recognition
- Quality assurance of academic programs
- Roles and responsibilities of African Family Physicians
- Research in Family Medicine
- Networking and project management
- Career paths for Family Physicians in the African context
- Training of trainers
- Recruitment and retention

Practical

- 23 – 25 August 2010
- Swaziland
- Royal Villas – Ezulwini
- www.royalvillasswaziland.com
- Costs:
 - low income countries €250
 - other participants €500



Call for abstracts

We ask all twinning partners in the VLIR project to prepare 3 posters

- On the health care system in your country, where does family medicine stand, how are the policies of the Ministry of Health concerning PHC and family medicine
- How is family medicine developing in your country, how is the curriculum structured, amount of registrars, capacity building
- How is the training focusing on research; what are the most relevant research questions for the needs of the community

Otherwise all are invited to send in **presentation** or **posters** on innovative or good examples of the following topics:

- accreditation and mutual recognition of family medicine training between universities
- involvement of the government/ ministry of health or education in family medicine training
- recruitment of students
- career path of qualified family physicians
- training of trainers
- development of training sites
- project management and networking
- funding for the development of family medicine training
- roles and responsibilities of family physicians
- social accountability in the family medicine training

Send an abstract of **one page** with the summary of your topic to Primafamed@ugent.be before 18/06/2010. Please clearly name your background and contact details.

Please return your abstract together with your registration form to
Primafamed@ugent.be before 18 June 2010