



# Danish initiative on global occupational and environmental health

Meeting 9th February 2017 at the NRCWE –  
the National Research Center for the Working Environment  
Lersø Park Allé 105, 2100 Copenhagen, Denmark



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The objective of the meeting is to facilitate and inspire a new Danish joint initiative on global health.

The mission of the new initiative is to improve working conditions globally by research, intervention, dissemination in collaboration with researchers and OHS specialists from countries where the protection of workers is still limited.

It is a joint initiative between the following institutes:  
Copenhagen School of Global Health/Copenhagen University  
Department of Occupational and Environmental Medicine/Odense University Hospital  
Department of Public Health/Aarhus University  
Department of Clinical Research/University of Southern Denmark  
National Research Center for the Working Environment, Copenhagen.



### **Registration: Before 20 January 2017**

<https://arbejdsmiljoforskning.wufoo.eu/forms/global-occupational-and-environmental-health/>

## **Final program 10:00 – 16:30**

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| 10.00-10.15  | Welcome: Inger Schaumburg, Director NRCWE  |
| 10.15-11.00  | Experiences from Finland on occupational health from a global perspective: Jorma Rantanen, Finnish Institute of Occupational Health, Helsinki, former ICOH president   |
| 11.00-11.45  | Experiences from Norway on occupational health from a global perspective: Bente Moen, Center for International Health, Bergen University   |
| 11.45-12.30  | Experiences from Sweden on occupational health from a global perspective: Kaj Elgstrand, Department of Medical Sciences, Occupational and Environmental Medicine, Uppsala University                           |
| 12.30-13.30  | Lunch  |
| 13.30-14.00  | Danida: How can we use the Danish Ministry of Foreign affairs organization DANIDA to facilitate projects on occupational health: Flemming Conradsen, Copenhagen School of Global Health, Copenhagen University |
| 14.00-14.30  | Experiences from a Danida project in the textile industry: Peter Hasle, center for industrial production, Aalborg University   |
| 14.30 -15.00 | Danish experiences with global research on the health impact of pesticides: Erik Jørs, Department of Occupational Medicine, Odense University Hospital   |
| 15.00-15.30  | Coffee   |
| 15.30-16.00  | Improving the Health and Safety of Workers in Bangladesh through the Strengthening of Labour Authorities: Helle Ekman Jensen, Division for International Affairs, Ministry of Employment, Denmark              |
| 16.00-16.30  | Danish experiences with global research on the health impact of mercury: Jane Frølund Thomsen, Department of Occupational and Environmental Medicine, Bispebjerg Hospital, Copenhagen                          |

After the meeting short presentations on current Global projects are given within the framework of DASAM's Committee for Global Health, ICOEPH. Everyone is also welcome to join