



## Project Overview of the International Collaboration for Participatory Health Research

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These are the projects in addition to the focus areas. For the focus area projects please go to <http://www.icphr.org/focus-areas-overview.html>

Project	Lead	Description	Contact
<b>Criteria for Writing-Up and Appraising PHR (New)</b>	Wendy Madsen	There are increasing opportunities to obtain grant money for PHR and to publish the results of PHR work; however, the criteria for reviewing PHR are highly varied and often do not set clear criteria regarding participation. This group is developing criteria to be distributed among funding agencies and publishers.	w.madsen@cqu.edu.au
<b>Fundraising and Strategy for the ICPHR (New)</b>	Michael Wright	This group is developing a strategy to support the further growth of the ICPHR.	michael.wright@khsb-berlin.de
<b>Supporting Post-Graduate Research Students Doing PHR (New)</b>	Cathy Vaughan	This group is identifying ways in which ICPHR members can support post-graduate students doing PHR.	c.vaughan@unimelb.edu.au
<b>Engaging NGOs in the Work of the ICPHR (New)</b>	Gillian Silver	This group is exploring ways to engaging more NGOs in the work of the ICPHR.	gillian.silver@morgan.edu
<b>Participatory Epidemiology (New)</b>	Mario Bach	This group is developing ways in which PHR can be applied to questions of epidemiology.	BachM@rki.de
<b>Migrant Health (New)</b>	Anne MacFarlane Sónia Dias	This group is considering the role which PHR can play regarding issues of migrant health.	Anne.MacFarlane@ul.ie SFDias@ihmt.unl.pt

<b>ICPHR Empowerment Group</b>	Maria Elisabeth Kleba Nina Wallerstein	The group was formed to define what empowerment in PHR is. An article shall be drafted by the next AWM in Malmö. The focus of the article will be on: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The lack of power experienced in times of ill health and the issue of empowerment in health, more generally</li> <li>2) How traditional research prevents empowerment through stigmatization</li> <li>3) Current political/policy context: How the neo-liberal economy uses empowerment to blame patients for not taking responsibility for their own health. There is also the issue of "healthism," which promotes the adherence to certain norms of a healthy lifestyle.</li> <li>4) The opportunities presented for promoting empowerment</li> </ol>	kleba@unochapeco.edu.br, nwallerstein@salud.unm.edu
<b>Health, Equity, Poverty and Participatory Research with Seniors</b>	Margareta Råmgård	Steps to be accomplished by the next AWM: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Case sampling from different countries on participatory health research with seniors, starting with the members in the group formed at the meeting. Compare the countries on similarities and differences.</li> <li>2) Student involvement from each country on collecting stories regarding how participation of seniors evolved over time</li> </ol>	margareta.ramgard@mah.se
<b>Position Paper on Impact in PHR</b>	Tina Cook	Based on the international meeting held in June 2015 by the ICPHR in Bielefeld, Germany, a paper will be written outlining the issues related to demonstrating the impact of PHR	tina.cook@northumbria.ac.uk
<b>Book on PHR from International Perspectives</b>	Michael Wright Krystyna Kongats	A companion volume to the textbook (see below) presenting PHR from various international perspectives	michael.wright@khsb-berlin.de krystyna.kongats@ualberta.ca

<b>Textbook on Participatory Research</b>	Tineke Abma	A comprehensive textbook to be published in several languages on how to conduct participatory research on health and social issues	t.abma@vumc.nl
<b>Position Paper on Implementation Research and Participatory Health Research</b>	Janet Harris	A paper comparing implementation research to participatory research, showing the contribution which participatory research approaches can make to understanding implementation issues	Janet.Harris@sheffield.ac.uk
<b>Building Stories</b>	Wendy Madsen	Learning from each other's experience is an important goal of the ICPHR. To this end, an oral history project has been conducted with the results being published in a peer-reviewed journal. Over the longer term a repository will be developed to collect and summarize the experiences of the members.	Madsenw63@gmail.com
<b>Short Course, Participatory Social Research</b>	Tina Cook, Irma Brito Michael Wright	A continuing education course introducing the participants to the concepts and methods of Participatory Health Research. The course began in January 2012 in Germany and the UK (see the website for more information).	tina.cook@northumbria.ac.uk michael.Wright@khsb-berlin.de
<b>Internet Site</b>	Krystyna Kongats	The ICPHR website will include more links to different networks associated with the ICPHR. Also planned is a database registering members' projects. Short blog posts will also feature projects of ICPHR members. More photos and videos on the site will be included as well as more links to other PHR resources.	krystyna.kongats@ualberta.ca