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Dear conference participants,

On behalf of the organizing committee, I am happy to welcome you to the second annual SIHI Sweden conference! We hope that you will be inspired by the presentations and workshops, get the opportunity to connect with new friends and potential future collaborators and be encouraged that change is possible in these times of multiple crises. Today, space for civil society is shrinking both globally and in Sweden, and actors striving to build trust, equity and strong communities are faced with increasing challenges. This makes it even more important to form connections and collaborations beyond one's own setting.

SIHI Sweden was launched in 2021 and is today hosted by SWEDESD, a center for health equity, sustainability and transformation at Uppsala University. Being a hub in a global network supported by WHO/TDR and Sida connects us to a larger context, where we can learn and share experiences, ideas and hopes for a better world. With a joint idea of utilizing social innovation as a vehicle for improved health and a more just society we share a vision with like-minded globally.

This year's conference theme, "Exploring Community Engagement for Social Innovation in Health" emphasizes the importance of not going alone, but to go together. There is power in community and it is through participation and co-creation we can unlock the ideas and energy needed for social transformation. So once again, welcome! Let's build community together!



Professor of Global Health
Director of SWEDESD

SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY 18TH OCTOBER

10:15 – 10:45	Registration and coffee	
10:45 – 11:15	Welcome Mats Målqvist, SWEDESD & Beatrice Halpaap, WHO	
11:15 – 12:00	KEYNOTE ADDRESS Identifying and implementing social innovations in health with the use of community-engaged, participatory methods Eneyi Kpokiri, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	
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13:00 – 13:30	SOCIAL INNOVATION PRESENTATION Co-designing family planning interventions in Sweden and Uganda – lessons learned Elin Larsson, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden & Jacquelyn Ssanyu, Makerere University School of Public Health, Uganda	
13:30 – 14:00	SOCIAL INNOVATION PRESENTATION Transferring a social innovation from South Africa to Sweden – insights and lessons learned Per Kåks, Linnea Stansert Katzen & Emma Oljans, SWEDESD	
14:00 – 14:30	Coffee	
14:30 – 14:40	Introduction to parallel workshops	
14:40 – 16:00	WORKSHOP Knowledge exchange between socially innovative organizations in family health and wellbeing forming collaboration for a way forward Facilitators: Per Kåks, Linnea Stansert Katzen & Emma Oljans	WORKSHOP Co-design of family planning interventions - how to do it! Facilitators: Elin Larsson & Jacquelyn Ssanyu
18:00	Conference dinner	

THURSDAY 19TH OCTOBER

9:00 – 9:30	Coffee and arrival	
9:30 – 10:00	<p>KEYNOTE ADDRESS</p> <p>The importance of social innovation and the need for a global initiative Uche Amazigo, Pan-African Community Initiative on Education and Health PACIEH</p>	
10:00 – 10:30	<p>SOCIAL INNOVATION PRESENTATION</p> <p>Building Bridges of Support: Co-creating a service model to enhance support for forced migrants affected by sexual and gender-based violence Anna Pérez-Aronsson, Uppsala University</p>	
10:30 – 11:00	<p>SOCIAL INNOVATION PRESENTATION</p> <p>Co-creating digital sexuality education with young people in Georgia Agnes Lidbrink Ekman, RFSU, Nino Tsereteli, Tanadgoma & Surabhi Srivastava, RNW Media.</p>	
11:00 – 12:00	Poster walk	
12:00 – 12:45	Lunch	
12:45 – 13:15	<p>ORAL PRESENTATIONS OF PROJECTS IN SOCIAL INNOVATIONS</p> <p>Supporting Social Innovation in the European Social Fund – a case study of the Swedish Competence Center Malin Lindberg, Luleå University of Technology</p> <p>Bräcke Innovation Annica Larsson, Bräcke Innovation & Sara Dahlin, Bräcke Diakoni</p>	
13:15 – 13:25	Introduction to parallel workshops	
13:25 – 14:45	<p>WORKSHOP</p> <p>Experience-based co-design in practice Facilitators: Georgina Warner, Eneyi Kpokiri & Anna Pérez-Aronsson</p>	<p>WORKSHOP</p> <p>Exploring Social Innovation Measurement in Online Environments Facilitators: Idil Shekh Mohamed, Jacob Brunner, RFSU, Surabhi Srivastava, RNW Media & Nino Tsereteli, Tanadgoma</p>
14:45 - 15:05	Coffee and fika	
15:05 – 15:50	<p>PANEL DISCUSSION</p> <p>Beyond “business as usual” - creating a path to change Panelists: Lina Nordquist, The Liberals & Theresa Soop, Sida Facilitator: Mats Målvist</p>	
15:50-16:00	Closing remarks	

PROGRAM WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 18TH

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

Identifying and implementing social innovations in health with the use of community-engaged, participatory methods

Speaker: Dr. Eneyi Kpokiri

Eneyi will be sharing on some projects employing community-engaged and participatory approaches to identify community-based social innovations in the area of hepatitis and HPV service delivery in low- and middle-income countries.

Eneyi Kpokiri, PhD is a Clinical Pharmacist and Assistant Professor at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, London, United Kingdom. Her research focuses on identifying and implementing social innovations in health with the use of community-engaged, participatory methods including crowdsourcing and hackathons. She has conducted several global crowdsourcing open calls, designathons and other public engagement methods for health research.

SOCIAL INNOVATION PRESENTATIONS

Co-designing family planning interventions in Sweden and Uganda - lessons learned

Speakers: Elin C Larsson, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden & Jacquellyn Ssanyu, Makerere University School of Public Health, Uganda

Elin and Jacquellyn will share their experience and lessons learned from their family planning projects. In Sweden, post-partum contraceptive counseling is being co-designed with migrant women, midwives, and researchers in the IMPROVE-it project. Using the co-design approach to adapt high-impact practices in family planning to emerging urban contexts in Eastern Uganda.

Elin is an associate professor in Global Health, a principal researcher and vice research group leader in the GloSH research group at the Department of Global Public Health, and affiliated to the Department of Women's and Children's Health, Karolinska Institutet.

Jacquellyn is part of the "Double PhD Degree" program between Uppsala University and Makerere University. She has a Bachelor's degree in Pharmacy and a Master's in Public Health, both obtained from Makerere University in Uganda.

Transferring a social innovation from South Africa to Sweden - insights and lessons learned

Speakers: Per Kåks, Linnea Stansert Katzen & Emma Oljans, SWEDESD. Anna Lindhe, Homaira Nomani & Shamima Yasmin, Yalla Trappan.

How can social innovations developed in one part of the world be contextualized and implemented in other places? The Mentor Mother program developed in Cape Town, South Africa, was adapted to the Swedish setting and implemented in two different locations. This presentation will describe this process and what we can learn from it.

Per Kåks is a physician conducting his PhD studies on the topic of migration and equity in child health in Sweden.

Linnea Stansert Katzen has a Master's degree in international development and management and has for several years worked as a researcher at Stellenbosch University, South Africa. Her research focuses on community health workers and innovative ways to support and strengthen this group of health workers.

Emma has a PhD from Uppsala University and did her doctorate in didactics. Her area of expertise includes learning for sustainable development, global health, co-creation, antibiotic resistance and consumer behavior, as well as health literacy.

Anna, Homaira and Shamima work at Yalla Trappan - a social enterprise and women's cooperative that runs a program to provide peer support for pregnant women and mothers of young children in socially disadvantaged areas in Malmö city.

PARALELL WORKSHOPS

Knowledge exchange between socially innovative organizations in family health and wellbeing – forming collaboration for a way forward

This workshop aims to facilitate dialogue between organizations working on the health and wellbeing of parents and children. We will discuss the possibilities of creating a standard for sharing of insights regarding strategies and methods that can be used to empower target groups.

Facilitators: Per Kåks, Linnea Stansert Katzen & Emma Oljans

Co-design of family planning interventions - how to do it!

This workshop will describe the methodology and practical tools used to co-design family planning interventions. The workshop participants will be engaged in co-design exercises, an important method in social innovation projects.

Facilitators: Elin Larsson & Jacquelyn Ssanyu

PROGRAM THURSDAY OCTOBER 19TH

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

The importance of social innovation and the need for a global initiative

Speaker: Dr. Uche Amazigo

Uche will present the global network SIHI - Social Innovation in Health Initiative and talk about the role of social innovation in tackling health challenges.

Dr. Uche Amazigo has been the Director of the World Health Organization African Programme for Onchocerciasis (river blindness) and she is one of the few Africans to have led a specialized UN Agency, overseeing a highly successful multilateral partnership in global health. She currently heads a Non-Governmental Organization – the Pan-African Community Initiative on Education and Health (PACIEH) (source: TDR).

SOCIAL INNOVATION PRESENTATIONS

Building Bridges of Support: Co-creating a service model to enhance support for forced migrants affected by sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV)

Speaker: Anna Pérez-Aronsson, Uppsala University

Anna will talk about her experiences of using a participatory workshop methodology to co-create a support service model with forced migrant SGBV survivors and providers from different services such as healthcare and language schools.

Anna has a medical degree and a master's in Public Health. In her PhD project, she explores how to improve access to support for forced migrants with experiences of SGBV.

Co-creating digital sexuality education with young people in Georgia

Speakers: Agnes Lidbrink Ekman, RFSU, Nino Tsereteli, Tanadgoma & Surabhi Srivastava, RNW Media.

RFSU will be presenting the journey of co-creating a digital sexuality education project together with Georgian civil society organization Tanadgoma, Dutch media organization RNW Media and young people in Georgia, discussing learnings, outputs and the way forward to ensure equal access to information for all.

Agnes Lidbrink Ekman is Project Manager at RFSU. She has a masters degree in International Development Studies from the University of Amsterdam and is pursuing a master's in Migration Studies .

Surabhi Srivastava is Partnerships Coordinator at the Dutch organization RNW Media – an international digital media accelerator leading on young-people-centered solutions that bring about social change. Surabhi has a double master's degree in public health and social policy for development.

Mrs. Nino Tsereteli, with a background as a psychologist, is a founder and currently Executive Director of a Non-Governmental Organization "Center for Information and Counseling on Reproductive Health – Tanadgoma". One of the main strategic directions of Tanadgoma is promotion of both formal and informal comprehensive sexuality education.

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Supporting social innovation in the European Social Fund – a case study of the Swedish competence center.

Malin Lindberg, Professor of Gender and Technology at the research division Design, at Luleå University of Technology

Bräcke Innovation

Annica Larsson, Bräcke Innovation & Sara Dahlin, Bräcke Diakoni

PARALELL WORKSHOPS

Experience-based co-design in practice

In this workshop, participants will be introduced to the method of experience-based co-design. Through case-based discussions, the group will explore face-to-face and virtual options for discovery, how to manage stakeholder relationships and communications, and making sense of data from the co-design process.

Facilitators: Eneyi Kpokiri, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Georgina Warner, & Anna Pérez-Aronsson, Uppsala University

Exploring Social Innovation Measurement in Online Environments

We invite you to join us for a captivating workshop as we embark on a journey to explore the intricacies of measuring social innovation in online spaces. This workshop promises to be both informative and interactive, showcasing real-life examples from RFSU's Digital Sexuality Education (DSE) project, implemented in collaboration with Tanadgoma and RNW Media. It's an opportunity for the academic community to actively participate and share their insights.

We'll delve into the fascinating realm of how traditional offline research methods can be skillfully adapted and leveraged in the ever-evolving digital landscape. Our discussions will encompass topics such as digital safe spaces research, the critical role played by online moderation in monitoring and assessing impact, and the nuances of online content analysis.

This workshop is designed to facilitate a rich exchange of ideas and perspectives among our diverse group of participants. Together, we aim to deepen our comprehension of social innovation in the context of the digital age, ultimately advancing our collective knowledge in this crucial field.

Facilitators: Agnes Lidbrink Ekman, Idil Shekh Mohamed, Jacob Brunner, RFSU & Surabhi Srivastava, RNW Media

Jacob Brunner is Acting Senior Advisor for Strategic Partnerships & Advisor for Design and Innovation at RFSU. He has a master's degree in Development Administration and Planning.

Idil Shekh Mohamed is an Assisting Advisor, Design & Innovation at the Swedish NGO RFSU. She has a master's in Public Health.

CONFERENCE DINNER

Those who have registered for the conference dinner, please arrive at the venue for 18.00. The dinner offers conference participants an excellent chance to enjoy delicious food in a relaxed setting while getting to know each other and making new connections outside the main conference environment.

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