

Hello Everyone,

Welcome to another Medsin UCL newsletter. Good to see so many of you at the conference on the weekend – I hope it has given you the inspiration to get involved with Medsin and global health.

I hope you have all joined Medsin by now and if you have not please do so at the CSC 2nd floor of the Bloomsbury building. The new Medsin UCL Global Health Magazine is available now, please read on to find out how you can get a FREE copy.

For more information on our latest events visit our website [www.uclmedsin.org](http://www.uclmedsin.org)  
Please also sign up to the Medsin National mailing list at [www.newsletter.medsin.org](http://www.newsletter.medsin.org)

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**Medsin UCL News:**

- 1. Global Health Magazine released
- 2. Healthy Planet Campaign

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**1. Global Health Magazine**

The most important news of this week is that the new Medsin UCL Global Health Magazine "Perspectives" is out now!

Please email [medsinmagazine@gmail.com](mailto:medsinmagazine@gmail.com) to request a free printed copy. Printed copies are also available in the CSC 2nd floor of the Bloomsbury building, in Huntley street and the Cruciform Library

Alternatively you can view the magazine in PDF format on our website [www.uclmedsin.org](http://www.uclmedsin.org)

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**2. Healthy Planet Campaign**

"Climate change will have a devastating impact on global health. Natural disasters will increase in frequency and intensity; sea level rises and flooding will create millions of environmentally-induced migrants; and the geographical range of infectious diseases such as malaria will expand. These impacts, and many more, will mean a catastrophic environment in which to live."

Climate change is a public health hazard and so we have started the Healthy Planet Campaign against this global health issue.

Our main aims are: 1. To highlight the link between the environment and health; 2. To campaign for greener policies within the NHS; 3. To get climate & health into medical education; and 4. To get all medical schools in the country signed up to the Climate & Health Council ([www.climateandhealth.org](http://www.climateandhealth.org)).

Email [healthyplanet@medsin.org](mailto:healthyplanet@medsin.org) to register your interest, find out more, and get involved!

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Other Related Events:

**1. Exporting innovative social policy in a global age: Brazil's community prisons, HIV and poverty reduction policies**

Date: Wednesday 29th October (today)

Time: 5:00 pm

Venue: Institute for the Study of the Americas, University of London, 31 Tavistock Square, WC1.

Speaker: Fiona Macaulay. See <http://americas.sas.ac.uk/events.php> for more information

**2. Global Health and Global Justice**

Date: Thursday 30th October

Time: 4.00 - 5.30pm

Venue: Stevenson Lecture Theatre, The British Museum, Great Russell Street, London

Speaker: Nils Daulaire (President and CEO, Global Health Council)

**3. Inequalities in Health in a Global Context**

Date: Thursday 30th October

Time: 6:30 - 8.00pm

Venue: Hong Kong Theatre, Clement House, London School of Economics

Speakers: Professor Julian Le Grand, Professor Michael Marmot

Chair: Dr Adam Oliver

See <http://www.lse.ac.uk/resources/search/events> for more information

**4. Managing land and water in an integrated way**

Date: Friday 31 October

Time: 6.30pm

Venue: Birkbeck, Torrington Square, WC1

Speaker: Pam Gilder

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**Action of the Week**

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