





# ESU Northern and Baltic Countries Regional Conference 19.- 21. mai 2022

Venue: Hestia Hotel Europa Paadi Str. 5 10151 Tallinn, Estonia Estonian - English simultaneous translation

Life with Covid-19. New tasks and challenges for senior members of society. Possible solutions and social adaptation to the new situation.

# **Thursday, 19. May 2022**

Arrival and check-in hotel

# 15.30 - 16.45 Transfer to the Keila-Joa Manor

# 17.00 – 21.00 Guided tour in the Keila–Joa Schloss Fall Dinner with former MEP Tunne Kelam and Mari-Ann Kelam A small concert - vignette

# 21.15 Transfer to the Hotel

# Friday, 20. May 2022

**08.45 - 9.15** Registration

# 09.15 - 9.40 Opening of the Conference and Welcome Speeches

Em. Prof. Dr An Hermans – President of the ESU
Riina Solman – Vice Chairman of the ISAMAA
Ann Räämet – Vice-President of the ESU
Dr Georg Männik, Chairman of the Senior's Association of ISAMAA

# The First Session: Pandemic results in the countries of our region 09.40 – 10.15 Lars O. Molin, Sweden

Sweden's experience in dealing with the Covid-19 pandemic

# 10.15 – 10.50 Jackūnas Žibartas, Leedu

Lithuania in the face of present-day challenges

# 10.50 – 11.25 Leena Jääskeläinen, Soome

Finland's experience in dealing with the Covid-19 pandemic

# 11.25 - 11.55 Coffee Break

# 11.55 - 12.40 Tatsiana Zelko, Belarus

Management and problems with pandemic situation in Belarus

#### 12.40 - 13.00 Discussion

# 13.00 - 14.00 Lunch

The Second Session: How has the pandemic changed our lives?

# 14.00 - 14.40 Mr Heinz Becker- former MEP/ Vice-President of the ESU

Serious problems for older generations in the pandemic era – but together we will overcome it!

# 14.40 – 15.15 Prof. Lidmila Nemcova – Vice President of the ESU

Reflexion: Building the Czech resilient society

# 15.15 – 15.45 **Prof. Peep Talvik, Eesti**

Practical lessons for healthcare in controlling a pandemic

# 15.45 – 16.30 Prof. Peeter Ross, Eesti

Possible solutions of e-Health tools to protect the health of the population

# 16.30 - 17.00 Discussion

#### 18.30 Dinner with:

Helir-Valdor Seeder, Chairman of the ISAMAA

# Saturday, 21. May 2022

# 09.00 - 09.10 Opening the last session

Dr Georg Männik – Chairman of the Senior's Association of the ISAMAA

# The Third Session: what should we do differently in the future?

# 09.10 – 09.35 Prof. Dr Steven Van Hecke, KU Leuven, Belgia

The effects of the pandemic on the coping of senior members of Society

# 09.45 – 10.10 Prof. Dr An Hermans, ESU President

ESU activities during the pandemic and future prospects

# 10.10 - 10.50 Discussion

# 10.50 – 11.10 Discussion and adoption of the declaration

# 11.10 - 12.00 Summary and closing remarks

Em. Prof. Dr An Hermans – President of the ESU Dr Georg Männik – Chairman of the Senior's Association of the ISAMAA

# 12.00 Lunch

# **Bon Voyage and Departure!**

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