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International Conference on Shared Parenting 2014

Bridging the Gap between Empirical Evidence and Socio-Legal Practice

Bonn, Germany, 9-11 July 2014

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Advanced Program

The conference language is English, simultaneous translation in French and German will be provided for Plenary Sessions on 10-11 July and for Workshop III on 10 July.

Wednesday, 9 July 2014

Pre-Conference Institutes (separate registration required)

Venue: Universitätsclub Bonn, Konviktstrasse 9, 53113 Bonn

14:00 - 17:00 Pre-Conference Institute 1 Prof.

(language: German): Wechselmodell/paritätische Doppelresidenz in der aktuellen

Rechtsprechung in Deutschland

Pre-Conference Institute 2 (language: English):

Shared Parenting Arrangements -

Content and Form

Prof. Dr. jur. Hildegund Sünderhauf, Lutheran University Nuremberg,

Germany

Jan Piet de Man, Child and Family Psychologist and Family

Mediator, Belgium

Welcome Reception at the Old Town Hall of the City of Bonn

Venue: Altes Rathaus der Stadt Bonn, Markt 2, 53111 Bonn

17:30 Welcome Address Representative of the City of

Bonn

Plenary Session I: Conference Opening

Venue: Universitätsclub Bonn, Konviktstr. 9, 53113 Bonn

19:00 Welcome Prof. Edward Kruk, MSW, PhD,
University of British Columbia,

ICSP President, Canada

19:10 Introduction to the Conference Prof. Dr. Hildegund Sünderhauf,

Lutheran University Nuremberg, Chair of ICSP Scientific Committee, Germany

19:30 Keynote Speech Dr. Ned Holstein, Founder and

Chairman of the Board of National Parents Organization

(NPO), USA

Thursday, 10 July 2014Venue: Wissenschaftszentrum Bonn, Ahrstrasse 45, 53175 Bonn

08:00	On-site Registration of Participants		
09:00	Welcome Addresses	N.N. (Representatives of Politics and/or Social Organizations)	

Plenary Session II: Empirical Evidence on Shared Parenting

09:20	Shared Parenting (Résidence alternée) in France: a Course Revealing Resistance to the Democratization of Family	Prof. Gérard Neyrand, Université Toulouse III Paul Sabatier, France
10:00	Status of International Research on Shared Parenting	Prof. Dr. jur. Hildegund Sünderhauf, Lutheran University Nuremberg, Germany
10:30	Refreshment Break	
11:00	The Essential Needs of Children after Parental Separation	Prof. Edward Kruk, MSW, PhD, University of British Columbia, Canada
11:30	Mental Health and Life Quality of Children Living in a Shared Parenting Arrangement	Malin Bergström, PhD, Centre for Health Equity Studies (CHESS), Sweden
12:00	Panel Discussion	Speakers / Moderator: N.N. (Journalist)
13:00	Lunch	

Workshops with Paper Presentations

14:30	Workshops with paper presentations (see next pages)	
16:00	Refreshment Break	
16:30	Workshops with paper presentations (continued)	
18:00	End of Workshops	
All day	Film presentation: "La médiation familiale, une aide à la co- responsabilité des parents séparés (hébergement alterné ou non)"	Helene van den Steen, mediator, Belgium
20:00	Conference Dinner: Cruise on Rhine River (optional booking)	









Workshop I: Psychology & Health

adjustment

The relationships among post-divorce custody arrangement, family processes and children's

Early childhood trauma - chronic transcriptome reprogramming as result of adverse (social) environments

What further empirical scientific research do we need?

Psychological effects of joint physical custody on children in Sweden

Genetics in support of Shared Parenting

Self-esteem, psychovampires and life-balance: Psychological barriers and challenges for separated parents

Self Esteem of French Children in Shared Residential Custody

Chair: Malin Bergström, PhD, Sweden Co-chair: Jan Piet de Man, Child and Family Psychologist and Family Mediator, Belgium

Amandine Baude, PhD, Centre de Recherche JEFAR, Canada

Prof. Dr. rer nat. Peter Beyerlein, Technical University of applied sciences Wildau, Germany

Jan Piet de Man, Belgium

Emma Fransson, PhD, Centre for Health Equity Studies (CHESS), Sweden

Nicholas Grammatikakis, PhD, National Centre for Scientific Research "Demokritos", and John Paparigopoulos, Greece

Dr. med. habil. Hamid Peseschkian, Wiesbaden Academy of Psychotherapy (WIAP) and Psychotherapy Center, Germany

Prof. em. Gérard Poussin, Université Pierre Mendès, France

Workshop II: Sociology & Demography

Swedish children's narratives about growing up in shared residence

The importance of egalitarian role-sharing for parents and children – in the case of married couples as well as in the case of separated or divorced couples – two studies from Switzerland.

Co-parenting rhythms of care post-separation: how law, culture and society are shaping the development of shared residence in comparative perspective

The parental conflict against shared parenting in French justice decisions

Judicial Separation and Divorce in the Circuit Court in Ireland (title to be confirmed)

Prevalence and Constellations of Separated and Stepfamilies in Europe

Chair: Prof. Lluís Flaquer Vilardebò, Universitat Autonòma de Barcelona, Spain Co-chair: Dr. Alexander Masardo, University of Bath, United Kingdom

Rakel Berman, PhD Student, University of Gothenburg, Sweden

Dr. Margret Bürgisser, Switzerland

Dr. Alexander Masardo, University of Bath, United Kingdom

Dr. Sahra Mekboul, CIMERSS, France

Dr. Róisín O'Shea, Dip, BA (Hons Law), PhD, mediator, Ireland

Prof. Dr. Anja Steinbach, University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany









Workshop III: Child and Family Policy and Practice

Chair: Prof. Edward Kruk, MSW, PhD, Canada

Co-chair: Dr. Chantal Clot-Grangeat, Docteure en psychologie clinique, ICSP Vice-President. France

The Politics of Shared Parenting

Prof. Dr. Stephen Baskerville, Patrick Henry College, USA

The Myth and Reality of Joint custody - or the right of access to alternating residence and alternating residence parity

Stéphane Ditchev, mediator, France

The Gap between Empirical Evidence and Political and Legal Practice in France

Prof. Michel Grangeat, University Grenoble Alpes, France

The Fall of Icarus: The Presumptions of Egalitarian Fatherhood

Prof. Edward Kruk, MSW, PhD, Canada

Case for Shared Parenting as "Best Interests" Standard

George Piskor, Lawyers 4 Shared Parenting, Canada

Effects of the loss of parental care on the well-being of children after parental separation

Dr. med. Vittorio Vezzetti, Italian Association of Professionals of the Family, Italy

Workshop IV: Law

Chair: Prof. Dr. jur. Hildegund Sünderhauf, Germany

Co-chair: Martin Widrig, MLaw, University of Fribourg, Switzerland

Shared Parenting at Family Courts in Germany: Barriers – Barriers to the Barriers Dr. Jorge Guerra González, Leuphana University, Germany

The factors which affect courts in deciding applications for relocation

Prof. Dr. Yoav Mazeh, Ono Academic College, Israel

Policies and proposals for the reconciliation of the parental couple after separation and divorce

Dr. Simone Pillon, Forum of Family Associations, Italy

Shared Physical Custody and Human Rights

Martin Widrig, MLaw, Switzerland







Friday, 11 July 2014

Venue: Wissenschaftszentrum Bonn, Ahrstrasse 45, 53175 Bonn

Plenary Session III: Solutions for Socio-Legal Practice of Shared Parenting

09:00	Breaking the systematic link of parental conflict with shared parenting impossibility	Dr. Chantal Clot-Grangeat, Docteure en psychologie clinique, ICSP Vice-President, France
09:30	Rights TO / OVER /OF Children Children`s current legal status, a stress test of our society. In the name of the child – how to separate without tearing each other apart	Anne Reiser, Attorney-at-law, Switzerland
10:00	Presentation (to be defined)	N.N.
10:30	Refreshment Break	

Plenary Session IV: Interdisciplinary Cooperation on Shared Parenting

11:00	Results of Workshop I: Psychology & Health	Malin Bergström, PhD, Chair of Workshop I
11:15	Results of Workshop II: Sociology & Demography	Prof. Lluís Flaquer, Chair of Workshop II
11:30	Results of Workshop III: Child and Family Policy and Practice	Prof. Edward Kruk, MSW, PhD, Chair of Workshop III
11:45	Results of Workshop IV: Law	Prof. Dr. jur. Hildegund Sünderhauf, Chair of Workshop IV
12:00	Plenary Debate: Bridging the gap between empirical evidence and socio-legal practice	Moderator: Oliver Hunziker, President of the Swiss Association for Shared Parenting (GeCoBi), ICSP Vice-President
12:30	Conference Conclusions	Prof. Dr. jur. Hildegund Sünderhauf, Chair of Scientific Committee / Prof. Edward Kruk, MSW, PhD, ICSP President
12:50	Closing Remarks	Angela Hoffmeyer, ICSP Secretary General
13:00	Farewell	







