## FINAL NOTIFICATION Revised last date for receiving abstracts: October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014

Department of Social Work (UGC Centre of Advanced Study), Faculty of Social Sciences, Jamia Millia Islamia (A Central University), New Delhi, India and School of Public Health, University of Minnesota (Twin Cities Campus), Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA announces a joint International Conference and Summer School on "Public Health Infrastructure in Transition: Challenges and a Way Forward" that will take place in Jamia Millia Islamia (A Central University), New Delhi, India, from February 16th to 20th 2015.

## THEMATIC AREA(S) OF THE CONFERENCE ARE

- Social and economic dimensions of health;
- Political economy of health and social development;
- Rural to urban migration and urban infrastructure including access to drinking water, sanitation, housing, roads, transport, electricity and communication;
- Rural, primary healthcare & institutional referral services; inequalities in urban versus rural health systems and access to adequate healthcare facilities;
- Infrastructure for handling emerging diseases (communicable and non communicable diseases):
- Institutional infrastructure affecting reproductive, adolescent health, maternal, child health, family planning and nutrition;
- Universal health coverage including health insurance;
- Occupational health and safety (formal and informal sectors) and corporate practicesworkers health, labour welfare measures and workers compensation;
- Public health education, training & research;
- Evidence based public health policy; strengthening public health organizations (infrastructure, management systems, health management information systems, health audit, health financing and insurance, trained manpower);
- New public health management (health policy, planning, regulation, licensing and accreditation):
- Infrastructure for regulation of health service providers;
- Public-private partnerships (PPP) in healthcare service delivery and NGO's in health service delivery and mobile health, telemedicine (e-health infrastructure), and
- Health communication.

Those who intend to present papers in the conference are requested to submit the abstracts of their papers by email before <u>October 10<sup>th</sup></u> 2014 (Abstract) **December 15th, 2014** (Full length paper).

The conference announcement can be found at: <a href="http://jmi.ac.in/upload/EventDetail/icss">http://jmi.ac.in/upload/EventDetail/icss</a> 2015february16 20.pdf

Any questions regarding the conference or Abstract submission may be sent to conference email: **iph2015@gmail.com** 

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