



ROBERT KOCH COLLOQUIUM 2023

# Social Inequities in Health: What is known, what is needed?

21 AND 22 JUNE 2023 · LECTURE HALL AND ONLINE

Each year, the Robert Koch Institute, Germany's Public Health Institute, invites leading experts to present and discuss their area of work at the Robert Koch Colloquium. This year's colloquium focuses on social inequities and their impact on population health. Over two days, a series of lectures addresses specific aspects of inequities research. A final panel discussion with experts treats the role of Public Health Institutes in addressing health inequities, with a focus on Germany.

## FURTHER INFORMATIONEN

The RKC takes place in a hybrid format from Wednesday 21 June, 12pm - 6pm (1pm via WebEx) through Thursday 22 June 2023, 9am - 4pm (10am via WebEx). Lectures will be held in English at the headquarters of the RKI (Hörsaal Nordufer) in Berlin and concurrently livestreamed via WebEx.

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## PROGRAM

### Wednesday, 21 June 2023

- 12:00 **Arrival, Registration, Refreshments for on-site guests**
- 13:00 **Official Start; Welcome and Greetings**
- 13:15 **Michelle Kelly-Irving** (INSERM, France)  
Topic: Theoretical Foundations of Health Inequities
- 14:15 **Terje Andreas Eikemo** (Professor of sociology, leader of CHAIN at NTNU, Editor-in-Chief, Scand J Public Health)  
Topic: Monitoring of Health Inequities
- 15:20 Coffee Break (25 min)
- 15:45 **Anuj Kapilashrami** (Professor in Global Health Policy & Equity; Founding Chair, Migration Health South Asia (MiHSA) network; Chair, Medact and People's Health Movement, UK)  
Topic: Migration, Precarity and Health from a gender and intersectional lens
- 16:45 **Rajesh Tandon** (Society for Participatory Research in Asia/PRIA, India)  
Topic: Participation and Community Based Research and Practice
- 17:50 Reception for on-site guests

### Thursday, 22 June 2023

- 09:00 **Arrival, Refreshments for on-site guests**
- 10:00 **Welcome - Summary Day 1**
- 10:05 **RKI Talk - Claudia Hövener** (RKI)  
Topic: Health Inequities in Germany – A Research Perspective from the Robert Koch Institute
- 11:00 **Mbulawa Mugabe** (Special Advisor, HIV and Pandemics, UNAIDS)  
Topic: Title to be confirmed
- 12:05 Lunch Break (2h)
- 14:05 **Panel discussion: Why should Public Health Institutes care about Health Inequities?**  
Host: Hajo Zeeb, University of Bremen
- 15:45 Closing