

# ASSETS 2023

## ASPHER MENTORING SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAMME

Monday-Thursday, July 3-6 Brussels

***Co-directors:***

**Jose M Martin-Moreno**

**Selma Šogorić**

**John Middleton**

**Kasia Czabanowska & Selma Šogorić**

***pre-ASSETS leadership story-telling session***

Wednesday, June 28 (online): 11:30-13:30 CEST

***ASSETS 2023 coordinator:***

**Arianna Maviglia**

***Guest speakers & mentors for individual sessions:***

**Monika Kosinska (WHO)**

**Milka Sokolović & Frazer Goodwin (EPHA)**

**Elena Val (IOM)**

**Josep Figueras & Dorli Kahr-Gottlieb (OBS & EHFG)**

**with Young Forum Gastein team**

**Carlo Signorelli & Henrique Barros (ASPHER)**

**with ASPHER Executive Board members**

***Catching up with ASSETS alumni***

**Charles Hamilton, Naomi Nathan, Elnaz Nouri  
& Tobias Weitzel**

# Programme outline

## Monday 3 July

- 16:30** Welcome and introduction by co-directors
- 17:00** Round of introductions by ASSETS 2023 participants
- 17:45** Presentation by John Middleton
- 18:30** Reception

## Tuesday 4 July

- 09:00** Introduction to day 1 by co-directors & Presentation by Selma Šogorić  
**GUEST SPEAKER & MENTOR: Monika Kosinska (WHO)**
- 10:00** Participants' projects I
- 11:45** Presentation by Monika Kosinska  
Lunch
- GUEST SPEAKERS & MENTORS: Milka Sokolović & Frazer Goodwin (EPHA)**
- 14:00** Interactive session by EPHA
- 15:45** Participants' projects II
- 16:45** Wrap up session by co-directors
- 19:30** ASSETS 2023 dinner

## Wednesday 5 July

- GUEST SPEAKERS & MENTORS:  
Carlo Signorelli (ASPHER President) & Elena Val (IOM)**
- 09:00** Introduction to day 2 by co-directors & Presentation by Carlo Signorelli
- 10:00** Participants' projects III
- 11:45** Presentation by Elena Val (IOM)  
Lunch
- GUEST SPEAKER & MENTOR: Henrique Barros (ASPHER President-Elect)**
- 14:00** Presentation by Henrique Barros
- 14:30** Participants' projects IV
- 15:30** Presentation by ASPHER Executive Board members
- 16:45** Wrap up session by co-directors
- 19:30** ASPHER EB & ASSETS 2023 dinner

## Thursday 6 July

- GUEST SPEAKERS & MENTORS: Josep Figueras (OBS) & Dorli Kahr-Gottlieb (EHFG)**
- 09:00** Introduction to day 3 by co-directors & Interactive session by YFG team  
w/Josep Figueras (OBS) and Dorli Kahr-Gottlieb (EHFG)
- 10:45** Participants' projects wrap up session moderated by co-directors  
& catching up with ASSETS alumni featuring  
Charles Hamilton, Naomi Nathan, Elnaz Nouri & Tobias Weitzel
- 12:30** Certificates and farewell lunch with ASPHER EB

# ASSETS 2023 Core Faculty



**Jose M Martin-Moreno** is a highly accomplished professional in the field of Preventive Medicine and Public Health Policy & Management. He currently serves as a full Professor of Medicine and Public Health at the University of Valencia. He has also held influential positions at WHO Europe and the Spanish government, and has contributed extensively to research with over 400 scientific papers published in reputable journals.



**Selma Šogoric** is a professor at the Andrija Štampar School of Public Health, School of Medicine at the University of Zagreb, Croatia. She specializes in community health, health policy, and the organization of the health system. She is recognized for her contributions to the Healthy Cities and Countries movement in Europe and contributed extensively to research on the topic.



**John Middleton** is an Honorary Professor of Public Health at Wolverhampton University. He was President of the Faculty of Public Health, the standard setting body for public health professionals in the UK. He was Director of Public Health for Sandwell in the West Midlands of England for 26 years. He was awarded Fellowship of the Royal College of Physicians (London) in September 2015.



**Kasia Czabanowska** is a Professor at Maastricht University. She specializes in public health workforce development, leadership, and competence-based education. She is actively involved in WHO projects and holds leadership positions in various public health organizations. With over 100 publications, she is recognized for her contributions to the field of public health.

## ASSETS 2023 Coordinator



**Arianna Maviglia** is an intern affiliated with ASPHER and she is the Coordinator of the ASSETS Summer School programme. With a background in Global Governance and previous experience as a medical writer, Arianna is presently pursuing her studies in Governance and Leadership in European Public Health at Maastricht University.

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## Guest Mentors & Speakers



**Monika Kosinska** is the global Head of Economic and Commercial Determinants at the WHO. Previously, she served as the Programme Manager for Governance for Health at the WHO Regional Office for Europe, supporting Member States in strengthening intersectoral governance for health. She also led the WHO European Healthy Cities Network as the Regional Focal Point for Healthy Cities.



**Milka Sokolović** is the Director General of the European Public Health Alliance (EPHA). Through her research and academic roles at the Universities of Belgrade and Amsterdam, and her leadership roles at EUFIC and ENLP, she has developed a remarkable expertise in scientific research, communication, and strategic partnerships.



**Frazer Goodwin** is the Senior Communications & Advocacy Manager at EPHA. He has worked in Brussels on transport, environment, development, health, and children's rights for more than 25 years. This includes a period working at EPHA on Global Health from 2007 to 2012.



**Carlo Signorelli** is the President of ASPHER. He is Past-President of the Italian Society of Hygiene, Preventive Medicine and Public Health (SIIP) and Professor of Hygiene and Public Health at the University of Parma and at the University Vita-Salute San Raffaele of Milan. He is Director of the Post-Graduate School in Hygiene and Preventive Medicine.



**Elena Val** is a Migration Health Officer at the International Organization for Migration (IOM), Migrant Health Division. Previously, she worked for WHO International Health Regulations during the Ebola Virus outbreak in West Africa; she served as Senior Health Policy Advisor on a project of the Italian MoH; and worked for the International Society of Travel Medicine.



**Henrique Barros** is the President of the Institute of Public Health, University of Porto, and a Full Professor of Epidemiology at Medical School of Porto University. Currently, he is member of the Executive Commission of the National Ethical Committee for Clinical Investigation (CEIC) and of the Medical Sciences (MED) Scientific Committee of Science Europe.



**Joseph Figueras** is the Director and co-founder of the European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies. In addition to the WHO, he has served major multilateral agencies such as the European Commission and the World Bank and has worked as policy advisor in more than forty countries within the European region and beyond.



**Dorli Kahr-Gottlieb** has been in her position as Secretary General of the European Health Forum Gastein (EHFG) since 2012. She is responsible for the overall management of the association and the joint development of the association with the team, EHFG Board and Advisory Committee members and national and international partners.

## YOUNG FORUM GASTEIN TEAM



**Dimitra Panteli**  
YFG alumni  
European Observatory



**Mari Pollari**  
Project Manager,  
YFG - EHFG



**Thomas van Cangh**  
YFG alumni  
European Commission

## ASSETS ALUMNI CATCHING UP SESSION



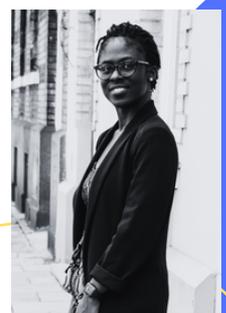
**Charles Hamilton**  
Climate Change Advisor -  
Office of The Prime Minister,  
The Bahamas



**Elnaz Nour**  
Public Health Researcher  
& Entrepreneur,  
Co-founder - UrbView



**Tobias Weitzel**  
Global Health Equity,  
Novo Nordisk



**Naomi Limaro Nathan**  
Public Health Consultant  
Health Systems Governance,  
WHO Europe