

MAYS (Medical Anthropology Young Scholars) Annual Report 2017

This interest group is a subsection of the Medical Anthropology Network. Our aim is to provide space to matters that concern European students and postdocs of Medical Anthropology. Our website is <https://mayseasa.org>.

We circulate information on a Google Group with 548 members, and use this space for communication, exchange, tools for research and studies, and a discussion board among others. MAYS' coordinators are Lilian Kennedy (University of Edinburgh) and Erica Lee Niebauer (Universität Heidelberg), who can be reached at mays.easa@gmail.com

CHANGES/NEWS in 2017:

MAYS 2017 Annual Meeting:

"Medical Anthropology Beyond Medical Borders", 15-16 June, 2017 at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland.

During the two-day meeting, 25 participants from countries around the world, presented their work in three different parallel groups based on themes pertinent to attendee's research. The MAYS meeting included keynote speeches by leading academics in the field of Medical Anthropology, as well as workshops from professionals in fields outside of academia who earned PhDs in Anthropology. Thanks to the generous support of the EASA network, we were able to provide more than 10 travel grants to MAYS members attending the conference.

MAYS has a new representative:

Erica Lee Niebauer from the University of Heidelberg, has taken over the role together with Lilian Kennedy (from Edinburgh),

New MAYS website:

<https://mayseasa.org>.

MAYS 2018 Annual Meeting:

Erica Lee Niebauer and Lilian Kennedy are currently planning the 9th Annual MAYS meeting, to be held at Heidelberg University in June 2018. The theme will be "Creative Research and Artistic Methods in Medical Anthropology Research." Full Cfp will go out in January 2018.