

SUPPORTING PERSONHOOD IN DEMENTIA CARE: DRESS, GROOMING AND EVERYDAY PRACTICE



EVENT PROGRAMME

TUESDAY 17TH JUNE 2014, 10– 4,
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LONDON, NW1 2DB

SCHEDULE FOR THE DAY

10:00-10:30	<i>Arrivals, registration and coffee / tea</i>
10:30-10:35	Julia Twigg (University of Kent): <i>Welcome</i>
10:35-10:55	Des Kelly (National Care Forum): <i>Individual needs and quality of life</i>
10:55-11:05	Discussion / questions
11:05-11:20	Julia Twigg: <i>The new agenda for research in age</i>
11:20-11:40	Christina Buse (University of Kent): <i>The way we wear: Clothing, memories and identity in dementia care</i>
11:40-11:50	Discussion: Clothing and care practice
<i>Coffee / tea and refreshments</i>	
12:10-12:30	Richard Ward (University of Stirling): <i>So much more than just a hairdo: Finding out what goes on in the care-based hair salon</i>
12:30 -12:40	Discussion: Hairdressing, appearance and care
12:40-1:00	Sarah Campbell (University of Manchester): <i>'A close shave': Masculinity and bodywork in dementia care</i>
1:00-1:10	Discussion: personal grooming and care
<i>Lunch</i>	
2:10-2:30	Pam Schweitzer (European Reminiscence Network): <i>Remembering yesterday, caring today: Sharing and exploring memories of going out, looking good and courting days</i>
2:30-2:40	Discussion: reminiscence, appearance and objects
2:40- 3:00	Wendy Martin (Brunel University): <i>Dementia, embodiment and sleep</i>
3:00-3:10	Discussion: sleep and dementia care
3:10-3:30	Rhidian Hughes: <i>Maximising our impact and influence</i>
3:30-3:40	Discussion / questions
3:40-4:00	Closing thoughts / final questions

DELEGATE LIST

Name	Affiliation
Tokunbo Agunbiade	Barnet Council
Sharon Arad	Clore Manor Care home
Tom Ashcroft	Westminster Adult Services
Judy Ayris	Age UK
Valeria Barratta	Queens Court Care Home
John Barter	Westminster Adult Services
Rosemary Bradley	Bradford Dementia Group
Amanda Burns	University of Kent
Susan Burton	Alzheimer's Society
Christina Buse	University of Kent
Jeanne Callahan	The Beeches Care Home
Sarah Campbell	University of Manchester
Laurent Cheuret	Iden Manor Care Home
Saskia Dijk	Dementia Care Innovation Hub Canterbury Christchurch University
Liz Donaldson	Cliveden Manor
Jane Flynn	Barnet Council
Rebecca Ford	Priory Mews Nursing Home
Jo Freeman	Priory Mews Nursing Home
Cindy Glover	Mental Health Foundation
Robert Goodliffe	
Debbie Green	Quantum Care
Cheryl Griffith	Hidden voices

Sam Herbert	Gallions View Nursing Home
Rhidian Hughes	
Kara Jarrold	Sense
Sharon Jones	Bradford Dementia Group School of Health Studies
Des Kelly	National Care Forum
Abigail Khandaker	Sydmar Lodge Care home
Mihaela Labau	Queens Court Care Home
Jo Lindley	Signature Senior Lifestyle
Liz Lloyd	Bristol University
Wendy Martin	Brunel University
Anselma Merschhaus	Nightingale
James Middleton	Kent and Medway NHS
Alisoun Milne	University of Kent
Imran Mohammed	Dudley Council
Janet Morgan	Croydon Care Support Team
Karen Morse	Skills for Care
Madeline Naick	Shared Lives Dementia Project
Corina Naughton	Florence Nightingale School of Nursing and Midwifery
Saira Nawaz	Highgate Mental Health Centre
Denise O'Dell	Cliveden Manor
Karen Pain	Iden Manor Care Home
Carolyn Penfold	St Catherine's Care Home
Debbie Phipps	Lewisham Council
Susan Powis	Gallions View Nursing Home
Bridgit Sam-Bailey	

Jo Savill	Dementia Trainers
Pam Schweitzer	European Reminiscence Network
Audra Streeting	Age UK
Agota Szilagy	Nightingale
Toyin Taniyum	Colour in Health
Julia Twigg	University of Kent
Jo Vavasour	Alzheimer's Society
Richard Ward	University of Stirling
Jodie Warren	Iden Manor Care Home
Jacky Watkins	Sydmar Lodge Care home
Coral Weaire	The Beeches Care Home
David Wilkie	Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust
Swee-Ling Yeow	Westminster City Council

SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

Christina Buse is a Research Associate at the University of Kent, working on the ‘Dress and Dementia’ project. She completed her PhD in Sociology in 2009 at the University of York, examining older people’s usage of new information and communication technologies. She previously worked at CIRCLE, University of Leeds, conducting qualitative research on initiatives to support family carers and older people with dementia.

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Sarah Campbell is a Research Associate within the Dementia and Ageing Research team at The University of Manchester. Currently working on a 5 year ESRC/NIHR study exploring definitions of neighbourhoods for people with dementia. She is also a part-time doctoral candidate undertaking ‘An ethnographic study into the everyday lives of men with dementia living in care settings’.

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Rhidian Hughes was educated at the University of York. He is an experienced strategic leader, author and communicator. His career spans a range of policy, research and senior management roles in health and social care.

Des Kelly has been Executive Director of the National Care Forum since 2003, a membership based organisation established to promote quality care outcomes for people receiving care and support services through the not-for-profit sector. Des was awarded an OBE in the Queen’s Birthday Honours in June 2007 for services to social care. He was the founder Chair of the Care Provider Alliance, is currently the Chair of the charity the Centre for Policy on Ageing (CPA), national advisor for the Centre for Workforce Intelligence and chairs the Advisory Group of the ‘My Home Life’ culture change programme and the TLAP Quality Forum. Des is a Director of both the National Skills Academy for Social Care and the charity the Residential Forum.

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Wendy Martin is a Lecturer and Programme Leader for the MSc Public Health and Health Promotion in the School of Health Sciences and Social Care, Brunel University, UK. Her research focuses on ageing, embodiment and daily life; memory and dementia; and the use of

visual methods in ageing research. She was Principal Investigator for the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) research project *Photographing Everyday Life: Ageing, Lived Experiences, Time and Space* and is co-editor of the forthcoming Routledge Handbook of Cultural Gerontology (with Prof Julia Twigg). Wendy is Co-Convenor of the British Sociological Association (BSA) Ageing, Body and Society study group.

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Pam Schweitzer has spent the last thirty years developing reminiscence arts work, especially original reminiscence theatre productions, both professional and amateur. She founded the Age Exchange Theatre Trust and the Reminiscence Centre and was its Artistic Director between 1983 and 2005. She directs the European Reminiscence Network (1993 to the present) specialising in international reminiscence festivals and conferences and co-ordinating Europe-wide projects on reminiscence in dementia care.

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Julia Twigg is Professor of Social Policy and Sociology at the University of Kent. She is currently working on a series of projects exploring the role of clothing and dress in the changing constitution of age, including the Dementia and Dress project. She has published widely in the areas of health and social care, bodywork, gerontology, and embodiment, and is currently co-editing the *Routledge Handbook of Cultural Gerontology* to be published in 2014.

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Richard Ward is a lecturer in Dementia Studies at the University of Stirling. He is a qualified social worker with a particular interest in dementia care practice. Richard's recent research includes the Hair and Care project a 28-month study of appearance and how it is managed in dementia care settings with a particular focus on hairdressing. He is also interested in the development of dementia friendly communities and is currently leading a 5-year investigation into the role that neighbourhoods play in the lives of people living with dementia and their carers. For anyone interested in dementia friendly communities, Richard is currently building an inter-disciplinary network called 'Memory Friendly Neighbourhoods'. You can find out how to join by visiting the website: <http://memoryfriendly.org.uk/>.

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