

## European Network Gerontological Social Work Special Interest Group

### ECSWR 2021 Pre- Conference Programme for 6<sup>th</sup> April 2021

SIG name: Special Interest group on Gerontological Social work (GSW SIG)/ European Network for Gerontological social work

Type of event: SIG-programme event prior to conference, 5<sup>th</sup> April 2021 (Full Day)

Title of event: *Special Interest Group in Gerontological Social Work: What have we achieved and what are we planning to achieve going forward?'*

Time	Program full day SIG
09:00 – 09:30	Registration and coffee
09:30 – 10.00	<b>Welcome, Introductions and Overview of Aims and Objectives of SIG</b> Prof. Janet Anand and Dr. Sarah Donnelly, SIG Convenors
10.00-10.30am	A (good practice) example of the SIG's work & potential: Care homes and social work Prof. Alisoun Milne and Dr. Sarah Donnelly
10.30-11am	Coffee break
11-12pm	<b>Updates from SIG Working Groups (Research, Publications and Visibility Groups)</b>
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch break
13:00 – 13:45	Discussion Session 1- <b>Do we need a specific Convention for Older People?</b> Dr. Sarah Donnelly
13:45-14:00	Coffee Break
14:00-14:45	Discussion Session 2- <b>Developing a Gerontological Social Work Education Module/Online Course</b> Prof. Janet Anand
14:45- 15:30	<b>Summary Discussion and Forward Planning</b> Prof. Alisoun Milne What are the issues that need addressing in Europe re: SW with older people? How can we contribute building on what we've already done? What are the barriers & facilitators? How can we attract countries to join us we do not already have signed up?
15:30	<b>Close</b>