

Program for the Regional European IASYM conference, Denmark 2023

(As per 11. April)

Wednesday, 12. April	
From 10.30	Arrival and check.in at University of Copenhagen, Amager . Njalsgade 76, Building 4A and B
12.15 - 13.00	Lunch 6A Jur. Kantinen
13.00 - 14.30	Keynote: Mikkel Christoffersen (34), <i>Ideals, Anger, and Shame: Contemporary (Danish) Youth between Agency and Despair.</i> Responder: Monique van Dijk Chair: Christian Noval 4A.0.69
14.30 - 14.45	Break
14.45 - 16.15	<p>JoAnn D Long et al (2), <i>Youth Perceptions of Issues Associated with Being "Christian" in a Global World</i> Responder: Daniel Puia-Dumitrescu</p> <p>Jeremy G. Wyngaard (7), <i>Youth as agents of change in community development: tangible hope through sport in schools in Kensington, Cape Town.</i> Responder: Tobias Faix Chair: Monique van Dijk 4A.1.46</p> <p>Clara Petersen (5), <i>"Diaconia in the State Church and Christianity as resources to mistriving young people of today."</i> Responder: Kati Tervo-Niemelä</p> <p>Shantelle Weber and Gretchen Schoon-Tanis (18), <i>Listening to the Prophetic Voices of Youth: Choral music, faith and young people</i> Responder: Jari Pulkkinen Chair: Jooko Porkka 4A.1.60</p>
16.15 - 16.45	Coffee break 4A.0.69
16.45 - 18.15	<p>Amy Casteel (1), <i>Forced diversity? Changing faith practices of youth migrating to/in Europe.</i> Responder: Bert Roebben Chair: Ron Becker 4A.1.49</p> <p>Becca Dean (9), <i>Intergenerational dialogue as a means of church regeneration?</i> Responder: Scott Paget</p> <p>Kati Tervo-Niemelä (19), <i>Religious change is not only about decline – The complexity of religious change from a family perspective</i> Responder: Monique van Dijk Chair: Linn Sæbø Rystad 4A.1.60</p>
18.15 - 19.00	Dinner 6A Jur. Kantinen
19.30 - ?	<p>Prayer, Theology and Pub 19:30 Prayer service (Kathrine Fischer) 20:00 Book presentations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Jos de Koch and Bård Norheim present their book (13), <i>The Future of Youth Ministry (Research): Lessons from and Reactions to "The Five Questions: An Academic Handbook in Youth Ministry Research."</i> (45 minutes) 2) Other books. Please bring what you want to present. <p>21:00 Open mic. The KFUM house, Amager</p>

Thursday, 13. April	
08.30 - 09.00	Morning song Markedspladsen, 7C.0
09.00 - 10.30	<p>Patrick Höring (6), <i>Youth – Agents of Change, really? European Views on a Paradigm Shift</i> Responder: Bård Norheim Chair: Christian Noval 4A.1.46</p> <p>Frantisek Stech (29), <i>Young people as digital natives, prophets, and agents of change?</i> Responder: Gareth Crispin Chair: Michael Droege 4A.1.60</p>
10.30 - 10.45	Coffee break 4A.1.46
10.45 - 12.15	<p>Berit W. Berg (12), <i>Pre-confirmation baptism among youth – task or change?</i> Responder: Andreas Jägers Scott Paget (15), <i>The growing absence of Youth Ministry.</i> Responder: Patrick Höring Chair: Ingvild Kro 4A.1.46</p> <p>Laura Kallatsa et al (11), <i>Religious Agency in Finnish Families</i> Responder: Helen Blier Porkka & Valtonen (21), <i>The Child and youth workers' connection to worship life communities in local parishes in Finland</i> Responder: Astrid Sandsmark Chair: JoAnn Long 4A.1.60</p>
12.15 - 13.00	Lunch 6A Jur. Kantine
13.00 - 14.30	Keynote: Daniel Puia-Dumitrescu (17), <i>Youth Ministry in an Eastern Christian Orthodox context: the Romanian Orthodox Church, a story of teaching Youth “inside the walls”.</i> Responder: Frantisek Stech Chair: Jeremy Smith 23.0.50 (other building)
14.30 - 14.45	Break
14.45 - 16.15	<p>Monique van Dijk & Berit W. Berg (16), <i>How are you talking to God?</i> Ronelle Sonnenberg (27), <i>Liturgical-historical consciousness of West European adolescents and young adults</i> Chair: Robin Barfield 4A.1.46</p> <p>Kipeläinen, Laine, Pulkkinen & Vappula (34), <i>Young adults as church members: Diversity and cultural changes</i> Ingvild Thu Kro (4), <i>Film in confirmation teaching; framing or being framed?</i> Chair: Kati Tervo-Niemela 4A.1.60</p>
16.15 - 16.45	Coffee break 4A.0.69
16.45 - 18.15	<p>Suzi Farrant (3), <i>Youth Ministry in the Church of Scotland: Lessons from Dietrich Bonhoeffer's 8 Theses on Youth Work</i> Responder: Andrew Root Chair: Helen Blier PhD and Research WORKSHOP: <i>Workshop for those new into research, whether PhD students or interested in doing research, by Helen Blier and Monique van Dijk</i> 4A.1.46</p> <p>Porkka & Ritokoski (23), <i>How did the COVID-19 pandemic change the occupational identity of church youth workers in Finland?</i> Responder: Gretchen Schoon Tanis Porkka, Tervo-Niemelä & Pulkkinen (24), <i>Does confirmation time contribute to youth well-being? The influence of confirmation time to the mental well-being of the young people</i> Responder: Anders Damtoft Kaufmann Chair: Katrine Fischer 4A.1.60</p>
18.15 - 19.00	Dinner 6A Jur. Kantine
19.00 - ?	Two optional tours (free): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>In the steps of Kierkegaard</i> – A guided walk of the town, visiting important places in Kierkegaard life. We have asked an historian to guide us. <i>Copenhagen Spring</i> - A guided tour to some of the sites of Copenhagen in the spring. Christian will guide us.

Friday, 14. April	
08.30 - 09.00	Morning song Markedspladsen, 7C.0
09.00 - 10.30	<p>Christian Noval (10), <i>Youth and eschatology: Are young people wired to be agents of change?</i> Responder: Ronelle Sonnenberg Chair: Benjamin König 4A.1.46</p> <p>Gareth Grispin & Robin Barfield (14), <i>Healing a fracture in modern youth ministry: Analysing top-down and bottom-up approaches and suggesting a way forward</i> Responder: Jos de Kock Chair: Jesse Long 4A.1.60</p>
10.30 - 10.45	Coffee break 4A.1.46
10.45 - 12.00	<p>Keynote: Bert Roebben: (31) <i>Children and Youth as Participants in Theological Research</i> Chair: Bård Norheim 4A.0.69</p>
12.00 - 12.15	Presentation IASYM Manchester conference, January 2024 4A.0.69
12.15 - 13.00	Lunch 6A Jur. Kantinen
13.00 – 14.30	<p>Panel debate: “... teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you” (Mt 28:20): But who teach the teachers? Panel participants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ulla Thorbjørn Hansen, Bishop of Roskilde • Bert Roebben, Professor of Religious Education at University of Bonn • Birgitte Lerheim, Associated Professor at Systematic Theology at University of Oslo • Rasmus Bro Henriksen, principal at Århus Efterskole • Therese Møller, Minister at uKirke – Youthchurch in Copenhagen • Mikkel Gabriel Christoffersen, Associated Professor at Systematic Theology at University of Copenhagen <p>Chair: Berit W. Berg 4A.0.69</p>
14.30 – 15.15	<p>Astrid Sandsmark (25), <i>Youth leadership programs: Fire and friction in the collaboration between local congregations and para-church organizations.</i> Responder: Mark Scanlan Chair: Birgitte Lerheim 4A.0.69</p>
15.15 – 16.00	Transport to uKirke
16.00 – 16.15	Coffee at uKirke
16.15 – 17.00	Presentation of uKirke
17.00 – 18.30	Presentation of ”Fairhus”
18.30 – 19.30	Dinner at uKirke
19.30 – 21.00	A typical night at uKirke
21.00 - ?	Hang out at KFUM&K (optional) The KFUM house, Amager

Saturday, 15. April			
08.30 - 09.00	Morning song Markedspladsen, 7C.0		
09.00 - 10.30	“The challenge” – an encounter between the researchers and the practitioners by Morten S Sørensen . Chair: Berit W. Berg Markedspladsen, 7C.0		
10.30 - 10.45	Coffee break 9A.0.01		
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12.15 - 12.30	Closing ceremony Markedspladsen, 7C.0		
12.30 -	Lunch Markedspladsen, 7C.0		
	If anyone stays in Copenhagen this afternoon, we can organize to do something together.		

Color chart:

Keynote or keypapers

Papers

Common events

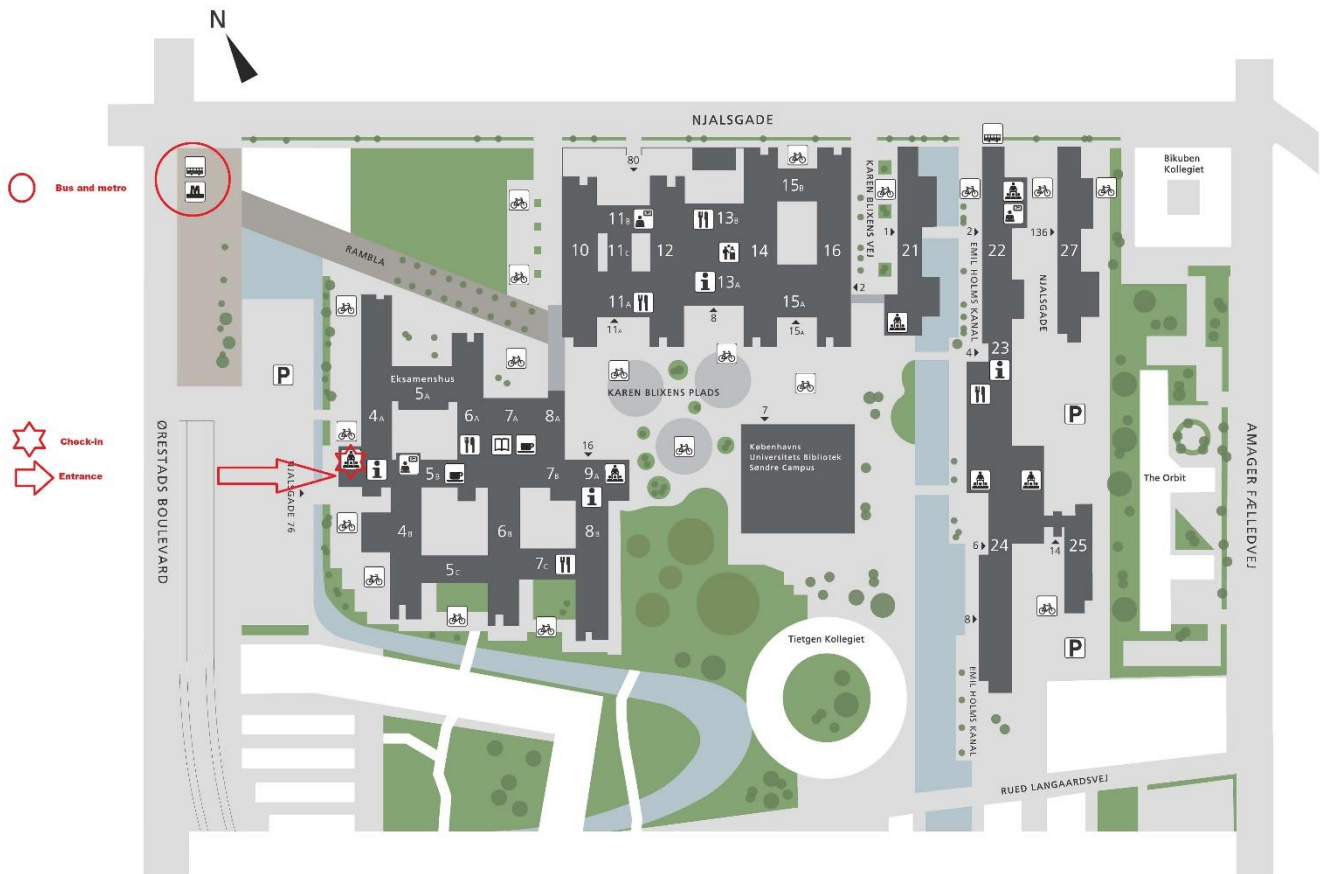
Optional events

Practice oriented program

Location

Wifi at the university: Please use “KUA Guest”. Once registered the access is valid for 24 hours. So you have to register every day.

Locations KUA:



Other locations in Copenhagen:

- **Københavns Universitet Søndre Campus (KUA)**, Njalsgade 76, 2300 København
- **KFUM-huset på Amager**, Oliebladsgade 7, 2300 Copenhagen S (1,3 km from KUA, 16 minutes walk)
- **uKirke**, Getsemane Kirke, Dannebrogsgade 53, 1660 Copenhagen V (2,9 km from KUA, 40 minutes walk or public transportation: Metro or bus)
- **Wakeup Copenhagen**, Bernstorffsgade 35, 1577 København V (2 km from KUA, 25 minutes walk or public transportation: Bus)

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