Socialist Medicine: An Alternative Global Health History

Fact Sheet

Project Information

**SOCMED**

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**Coordinated by**

HUMBOLDT-UNIVERSITAET ZU BERLIN

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Project description

Rewriting medical history through a different perspective

The history of medicine and its effects on our lives has mostly been told through the eyes of the capitalist West. However, this often omits how healthcare is viewed in socialist nations – regions affected by vastly different socio-political developments – and how it shapes health cultures specific to those nations. The EU-funded SOCMED project seeks to rewrite global health history by incorporating networks, knowledges and technologies from socialist countries and the way they influenced international health and medicine in the 20th century. The goal is to enhance our understanding of historical developments in medicine while revealing the true foundations modern global healthcare is built on.
Fields of science

medical and health sciences > health sciences > public health

humanities > history and archaeology > history

Programme(s)

H2020-EU.1.1. - EXCELLENT SCIENCE - European Research Council (ERC)

Topic(s)

ERC-2020-STG - ERC STARTING GRANTS

Call for proposal

ERC-2020-STG

See other projects for this call

Funding Scheme

ERC-STG - Starting Grant

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Net EU contribution

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Beneficiaries (2)

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Other funding
€ 0,00

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