



LAUNCH OF EUROPEAN RESEARCH INSTITUTE FOR CHAPLAINS IN HEALTHCARE

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A celebratory event will be held at KU Leuven, Belgium on 6th June 2017, to mark the launch of the European Research Institute for Chaplains in Healthcare (ERICH).

ERICH is an initiative of the European Network of Healthcare Chaplains (ENHCC) which aims to enhance spiritual care through equipping and supporting chaplains to perform research. It is a research body formed by chaplains, for chaplains in order to enhance patient care. ERICH is hosted by the Academic Centre for Practical Theology at KU Leuven.

Amongst the keynote speakers will be:

Prof Christina Puchalski

Director of the George Washington Institute for Spirituality and Health, School of Medicine and Health Sciences, George Washington University – a world leader in integrating spiritual care into healthcare practice

Prof George Fitchett

Director of Research in the Department of Religion, Health, and Human Values, Rush University Medical Center, Chicago – innovative leader in the promotion of research education within the global healthcare chaplaincy community.

Prof Anne Vandenhoeck

Director of ERICH and Chair of the Academic Centre for Practical Theology,
KU Leuven

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To book a place at ERICH's launch, fill out the [Registrationform](#).

The venue: [Naamsestraat 22, 3000 Leuven](#)

Conference fee: €40 / Conference fee for members of VGVZ or members of 'Beroepsvereniging voor pastores: € 25

This amount should be transferred to BE60 7340 0666 0370 with the structured communication 400/0014/68779

Students are welcomed free of charge.

