

**The 25th International Nursing Ethics Conference**  
**The value of nursing ethics research and scholarship**  
*University of Turku, Turku Finland on 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> August 2025*



**Day 1 – Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2025**

08:00	Registration	
09:00	<p>Welcome</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference chair/University of Turku <b>Riitta Suhonen</b></li> <li>University of Turku representative</li> <li>Editor-in-Chief Nursing Ethics <b>Ann Gallagher</b></li> </ul> <p>Introduction to conference House keeping <b>Minna Stolt</b></p>	Alhopuro Auditorium
09:30	<p><b>Opening 2 keynotes</b>– Introducing the Conference Theme Chair: TBA, NEJ Editorial board</p> <p>Professor <b>Teppo Kröger</b>: Care poverty: seeking an approach to long-term care that calls for action”? Associate professor <b>Michael Dunn</b>: The value of empirical ethics in nursing research</p>	Alhopuro Auditorium
11:00	Tea and Coffee	Tiedonkolu
11:30	<p><b>Parallel Sessions (1a) Themes (Chair)</b>  1a1 <b>Rights and responsibilities (TBA)</b>  1a2 <b>Nursing education/ training (TBA)</b>  1a3 <b>Older people nursing (TBA)</b>  1a4 <b>Dignity and vulnerability (TBA)</b>  1a5 <b>Poster session themes 1, 2, 3 (Dr Marja Hult)</b></p>	<p>Alhopuro (231)  Lauren 2 (158)  Blokki 1+2 (28+30)  Upokas (22+8=30)  Aistikattila</p>
13:15	Lunch	Flavoria
14:00	<p><b>Parallel Sessions (1b) Themes (Chair)</b>  1b1 <b>Main topics of professional ethics (TBA)</b>  1b2 <b>Use of AI and ethics (TBA)</b>  1b3 <b>Ethics concepts and theory (TBA)</b>  1b4 <b>Clinical ethics through lifespan (TBA)</b>  1b5 <b>Ethical issues in nursing &amp; care (TBA)</b></p>	<p>Alhopuro  Lauren 2  Blokki 1+2  Upokas  Aistikattila</p>
15:30	Tea and Coffee	Tiedonkolu
16:00	<p><b>Plenary Panel</b> “From local to global ethics” Chair: <b>Robert Jago</b>, NEJ Editorial Board</p> <p>Docent <b>Susanne Uusitalo</b>: "Ethical considerations on AI as the key to health care challenges" PhD <b>Helena Siipi</b>: Are climate nudges ethically different from health nudges? Professor <b>Seppo Virtanen</b>: Trends in cybersecurity</p>	Alhopuro Auditorium
17:30	<p><b>Human Rights and Nursing Awards</b> Chair: <b>Jane Leng, UK</b></p>	Alhopuro Auditorium
19:00	<b>Conference Dinner</b>	Suomalainen Pohja

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**Day 2 – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2025**

08:30	<b>Meet the Editors/Writing for Publication – Q &amp; A</b> <i>Editor-in-Chief prof Anna Gallagher, Nursing Ethics</i> <i>Editor-in-Chief prof Fiona Timmins</i>	Alhopuro Auditorium
	<b>Opening of the day 2 Mari Kangasniemi</b>	
09:30	<b>Plenary Panel 2</b> “Perspectives on prioritization” Chair: Paul Snelling, NEJ Editorial board  Professor <b>P Anne Scott</b> : Rationing of nursing care - Ethical issues Adjunct professor <b>Ilona Autti-Rämö</b> : “Ethics in prioritization regarding healthcare services” Professor <b>Helena Leino-Kilpi</b> : Patients’ rights- what we know based on empirical research	Alhopuro Auditorium
11:00	Tea and Coffee	Tiedonkolu
11:30	<b>Parallel Sessions (2a) – Themes (Chair)</b> 2a1 <b>Ethics and workforce issues (TBA)</b> 2a2 <b>Ethics and education (TBA)</b> 2a3 <b>Vulnerability (TBA)</b> 2a4 <b>Evaluation and measurement of ethical topics (TBA)</b> 2a5 <b>Poster session, themes 4, 5 (Dr Marja Hult)</b>	Alhopuro Lauren 2 Blokki 1+2 Upokas Aistikattila
13:15	Lunch	Flavoria
14:00	<b>Parallel Sessions (2b) – Themes (Chair)</b> 2b1 <b>Professional ethics (TBA)</b> 2b2 <b>Ethics in challenging situations (TBA)</b> 2b3 <b>Ethics in different nursing contexts (TBA)</b> 2b4 <b>Research methodology in ethical topics (TBA)</b> 2b5 <b>Ethics, diversity and cultures (TBA)</b>	Alhopuro Lauren 2 Blokki 1+2 Upokas Aistikattila
15:30	Tea and Coffee	Flavoria
16.00	<b>Closing 2 Keynotes &amp; Commentary</b> Chair: TBA NEJ Editorial Board  Professor <b>Bernadette Dierckx de Casterlé</b> : Tired for life- findings from a qualitative research Professor <b>Elizabeth Peter</b> : Can Nursing Ethics Help Foster Leadership in an Evolving World?	Alhopuro Auditorium
17.30	<b>Conference Close</b> Professor <b>Ann Gallagher</b> , UK and Professor <b>Riitta Suhonen</b> , UTU <b>Ebin Arries</b> , welcome to the next conference in Canada	Alhopuro Auditorium