

# *Social Dimensions of Health Institute*

## **Annual Postgraduate Retreat**

**Are you a postgraduate student or early career researcher engaged in applied health research at the University of St Andrews or the University of Dundee?**

**Would you be interested in attending a 2-day retreat in 2016?**

The purpose of the retreat is to enable informal sharing and learning about research practice, the context of research, and the development of research careers. The retreat provides a chance to discuss all those ticklish issues that are troubling or impeding your progress in an informal and supportive environment.

The two day retreats in the past have allowed health-related PhD students and early postdoctoral researchers to:

- ◆ discuss key methodological issues with fellow health researchers, and to become more familiar with a wider range of related research methods;
- ◆ present and discuss their research in a supportive and friendly environment;
- ◆ make contact with health related researchers from across the Universities of Dundee and St Andrews to help future collaboration and employment options;
- ◆ become familiar with wider inter-disciplinary perspectives on health related research, essential for current and future collaborative working.

Feedback from previous retreats has been extremely positive. The retreat is largely discussion based and to help us tailor the programme and discussion to attendees' needs, we would be delighted to accept suggestions of content from anyone thinking of attending.

**If you would be interested in attending or would like further information please contact Rosanne Bell [r.c.bell@dundee.ac.uk](mailto:r.c.bell@dundee.ac.uk)**



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