

On Monday 2nd June 2014, around 40 of the leading thinkers, strategists and practitioners in dementia-friendly communities will come together in Glasgow to exchange knowledge and ideas about their work.



The event is organised by collaborators at the Universities of Stirling and Edinburgh, funded by the Scottish Universities Insight Institute (SUII) and supported by the Centre for Dementia Research at the University of Linköping, Alzheimer Scotland, Anderson Bell Christie Architects and Architecture and Design Scotland.

Invited participants will be joining us from across Scotland, the UK, Europe and North America and we want to make the most of everyone's time and expertise.

If you are a postgraduate student or are early career (within the first three years of starting a research or knowledge exchange post) and would like to join us, we are competitively awarding a bursary (covering travel within the EU and accommodation) to attend.

How to apply

This programme is about the creation and use of memory-friendly neighbourhoods. It is designed to meet the urgent need for insights to guide the development of environments for ageing-in-place and lifelong social inclusion for those affected by dementia. Successful bursary applicants will have an interest in the subject from a particular perspective (health and social care, the built environment, new technologies etc.). You will also have a flair for knowledge exchange and fresh ideas on how to engage a mid-sized group of people from various backgrounds and disciplines in sharing thoughts and ideas.

As part of your award, you will be expected to work with the programme team on running an hour-long activity at our one-day seminar on Monday 2nd June 2014 at the SUII venue in Glasgow, UK. To apply, please submit a proposal (max two sides A4 paper) for this activity to richard.ward1@stir.ac.uk by **17.00** on **Monday 28th April 2014**.

Your proposal should reflect the following:

- there will be around 40 participants, a number of whom will be visiting from outside the UK
- the participants will be from a range of backgrounds, including academia, policy and practice
- there will be two activities on the day, interspersed with short presentations from invited speakers and discussions
- the activity will take place in a single room and be recorded for sharing online
- audio visual facilities will be available

Applications are invited from individuals or pairs working in partnership.

If you would like any further information about this opportunity, please email richard.ward1@stir.ac.uk

