

**Agenda**  
**Global Health Policy Forum**  
**16 June 2011 (11.30 – 13.15)**

**ACCESS TO MEDICINES IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES**

1. Dr. Anne Roemer-Mahler, Research Fellow in Global Health Politics  
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (30 minutes)
  - *The impact of patents on access to medicines in developing countries – what evidence from empirical research?*
  - *The sustainability of current international mechanisms for the facilitation of access to medicines*
  
2. Alexandra Heumber, MSF – Brussels; Access to Essential Medicines Campaign (30 minutes)
  - *How to mitigate impact on access to medicines of international trade agreements on intellectual property rights and investments*
  - *European Parliament Working Group on Innovation, Access and Poverty Related diseases*
  
3. Response from the Commission and Discussion (30 minutes)
  
4. Q&A to the Commission on Global Health Issues (15 minutes)