

# INVITATION TO SEMINAR

## MCI@work Public seminar 2022

**Tuesday | 26<sup>th</sup> | April | 9–12 am**

**Language Centre, Festive Hall,  
Fabianinkatu 26, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Helsinki**

**Dementia or Mild Cognitive Impairment@work in progress (MCI@work) is an international project examining the situation of people with Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI) or dementia who are still working. In this public lecture the international team of Occupational Therapists, Psychologists, Lawyers, Political Scientists and Engineers will present the different strands of the project and our findings.**

Join us for the presentation of the unique MCI@work research project of multiple disciplines and its present status. This seminar is for everyone interested in the topic of people with dementia or Mild Cognitive Impairment in the workplace, in particular anyone interested in multidisciplinary approaches, including qualitative research, the role of technology, legislation and citizenship. Researchers as well as clinical practitioners are warmly invited.

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**Welcome!**

### PROGRAMME

#### 9.00-9.30 Coffee

**Welcome and Introduction to the MCI@work project**  
**Professor Anna Mäki-Petäjä-Leinonen**

Lead of the Finnish team: Law School, University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu, Finland

**Professor Louise Nygård**

Project Lead: Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden

**Resources and impediments for influencing one's life when living with mild cognitive impairment or early onset dementia**

**Dr Mervi Issakainen**

Department of Social Sciences, University of Eastern Finland, Kuopio, Finland

**Citizenship for employees living with dementia – how agents in the welfare system responsible for the transition from work reason and act**

**Dr Ann-Charlotte Nedlund**

Medical & Health Sciences, Linköping University, Linköping, Sweden

**Workplace accommodations for people with young-onset dementia or MCI**

**Professor Arlene Astell**

University of Toronto, & KITE Research Institute, University Health Network, Toronto, Canada

**Reflections on the legal framework as a tool to uphold working ability – norms and experiences of people with mild cognitive impairment**

**Associate Professor Marjo Ylhäinen**

Law School, University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu, Finland

**TaskIt: A digital app co-designed with people living with dementia for supporting task planning and tracking at work**

**Dr Jennifer Boger**

Systems Design Engineering, University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Canada

**Key findings**

**Joint reflections**