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THE COVID GAP –

THEOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES

ON BARRIERS AND PRIVILEGES

DIGITAL ERASMUS CONFERENCE

OCTOBER 21ST-22ND 2022

SCHEDULE

Please note: all times are in CEST (Greece/Finland +1:00).

Friday 21.10.2022

15:00–15:15 OPENING STATEMENT

Maria Chaita, Doctoral Researcher, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

15:15–16:00 KEYNOTE 1

Vasiliki Mitropoulou, Professor, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

16:15–17:45 SESSION 1 – RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DURING THE PANDEMIC

Chair: Anna Neumann, Doctoral Researcher, Paderborn University

Heidi Toivanen: COVID-19, hybrid learning and pedagogy in Finnish Lutheran confirmation training

Vera Uppenkamp: The importance of religious education for underprivileged children in times of crisis

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Saturday 22.10.2022

10:00–10:15 OPENING STATEMENT

Rony Ojajärvi, Doctoral Researcher, University of Eastern Finland

10:15–11:00 KEYNOTE 2

Jonna Ojalammi, Postdoctoral Researcher, University of Eastern Finland

11:00–12:00 LUNCH

12:00–13:30 SESSION 2 – CHANGING PERCEPTIONS AND WORLDVIEWS
DURING THE COVID

Chair: Rony Ojajärvi, Doctoral Researcher, University of Eastern Finland

Noora Palmi: Perceptions on the meaning of life among Finnish people with different worldviews

Anna Neumann: Nobody knows. Ableism and Otherness in Teaching Professions during a Global Pandemic

13:45–15:15 SESSION 3 – CHALLENGES OF COVID

Chair: Vera Uppenkamp, Postdoctoral Researcher, Paderborn University

Maria Chaita: Marginalized groups and COVID-19: The case of children of Roma origin in Greece

Rony Ojajärvi: The consequences of COVID to research work

15:15–15:30 CLOSING STATEMENT

Vera Uppenkamp, Postdoctoral Researcher, Paderborn University

