



*“The HUNT Study – A Longitudinal Population Health Study in Nord-Trøndelag, Norway”*

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Dr. Jessica Gabin is a visiting scholar at USF in the Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics at the College of Public Health, working with Drs. Amy Borenstein and James Mortimer. She received her M.D. degree in 2005 from the Medical University of Warsaw, Poland and is currently a PhD Candidate at HUNT Research Center, which is part of the Faculty of Medicine at the Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU) in Trondheim, Norway. The HUNT study is a unique database of personal and family medical histories, clinical measurements, exposure variables and biological material collected in three consecutive studies from 1984-2008. In total, more than 100,000 people from the County of Nord-Trøndelag in Norway have participated. Jessica will talk about the HUNT study and its findings on important health challenges, such as diabetes, cancer, musculoskeletal disease, mental illness, migraine, prostate problems, urinary incontinence, reproduction, weight and cardiovascular disease.