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**PROGRAMME**

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Riga, Latvia



**THURSDAY  
26<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER  
VENUE: MICROSOFT INNOVATION CENTRE, KALPAKA BULVĀRIS 4**

**9:00 – 9:30 Registration**

**9:30 – 10:00 Welcome, introduction, housekeeping**

<b>Session 1: Drug use and drug policy representation Moderator: Dirk Korf</b>		
10:00 – 10:15	Jenni Savonen	Social representations of illicit drug use
10:15 – 10:30	Kristiana Bebre	Drug and user constructs within the Latvian media
10:30 – 10:45	Cécilia Comelli	A comparative analysis of drug issues coverage in French and German print news media using Lexicometric approaches
<i>10:45 – 11:05 Discussion</i>		

**11:05 – 11:30 COFFEE BREAK**

<b>Session 2: Cannabis Moderator: Gary Potter</b>		
11:30 – 11:45	<u>Kostas Skliamis</u> , Dirk J. Korf	Cannabis festivals and their attendees in four European cities with different national cannabis policies
11:45 – 12:00	Frédérique Bawin	Cognitive and behavioural stigma management strategies among medicinal cannabis users
12:00 – 12:15	Marthe Ongenaert	The emerging cannabis industry: corporate misconduct on the horizon?
<i>12:15 – 12:35 Discussion</i>		

**12:35 – 13:45 LUNCH**

<b>Session 3: Research methods and ethics</b> <b>Moderator: Zsuzsa Kaló</b>		
13:45 – 14:00	Giulia Federica Zampini	People and dancefloors: narratives of drug-taking - reflections on a collaborative multi-media project
14:00 – 14:15	Camille Stengel	'Chicks day' in Budapest: reflecting on visual methods research at a women-only needle and syringe exchange programme
<i>14:15 – 14:30 Discussion</i>		
14:30 – 14:45	Eva Devaney	A new Foucault-influenced post-structural approach to analysis of interview data and its application in social drug research
14:45 – 15:00	<u>Gary R. Potter</u> , Judith Aldridge, Monica Barratt, Anna Ross	'Coming out': stigma, reflexivity and the drug researcher's drug use
<i>15:00 – 15:15 Discussion</i>		

**15:15 – 15:45 COFFEE BREAK**

<b>Session 4: Online and darknet drug markets</b> <b>Moderator: Annemieke Benschop</b>		
15:45 – 16:00	Meropi Tzanetakis	Self-governance by darknet drug markets
16:00 – 16:15	<u>Caroline Chatwin</u> , Jennifer Fleetwood, Judith Aldridge	Gendering online illicit drug markets
<i>16:15 – 16:30 Discussion</i>		

**SOCIAL EVENT AND SITE VISIT**

**FRIDAY  
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VENUE: MICROSOFT INNOVATION CENTRE, KALPAKA BULVĀRIS 4**

<b>Session 5: Drug use patterns in different groups Moderator: Bernd Werse</b>		
9:30 – 9:45	James Morgan	Variations in the accomplishment of persistent heroin use: A typology of users' lifestyles
9:45 – 10:00	Susanna Prepeliczay	“Junkies” versus “zombies“: changes in drug use patterns within open drug scenes
10:00 – 10:15	<u>Jakub Greń</u> , K. Ostaszewski, K. Dąbrowska, Ł. Wieczorek	Risk taking and management. Adolescents voice on psychoactive substance use and harm reduction
<i>10:15 – 10:35 Discussion</i>		

**10:35 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK**

<b>Session 6: Drug use in different settings Moderator: Agnese Zile-Veisberga</b>		
11:00 – 11:15	Sigrid Vorobjov	Patterns of cannabis use among students in Estonia and neighbouring countries 2003-2015
11:15 – 11:30	Franziska Schneider	Substance use among prisoners: an attempt to conduct a complete survey in Wittlich prison
11:30 – 11:45	Laura Isajeva	Substance use among people living in prison (PLIP) in seven European countries
<i>11:45 – 12:00 Discussion</i>		

**12:00 – 13:30 LUNCH**

<b>Session 7: Interventions and policy</b> <b>Moderator: Susana Henriques</b>		
13:30 – 13:45	<u>Luise Klaus</u> , Anna Dichtl	„Just between the cars, kneel down, boil it up, get ready...“ - lived spaces of drug users in cities with and without drug consumption rooms
13:45 – 14:00	<u>Zsuzsa Kaló</u> , Peter Sarosi, Katalin Felvinczi	The shift from harm reduction to pathology drug discourse and its consequences - drug policy in Hungary 2010-2018
14:00 – 14:15	Lena Theodoropoulou	Rethinking policy through comparative research: an exploration of the recovery assemblage
<i>14:15 – 14:30 Discussion</i>		

**14:30– 15:00 – COFFEE BREAK**

<b>Session 8: Patterns and Pathways</b> <b>Moderator: Caroline Chatwin</b>		
15:00 – 15:15	<u>Moritz Rosenkranz</u> , M. Martens, H. Zurhold, P. Degkwitz, U. Verthein	ATTUNE. Understanding Pathways to Stimulant Use: first results from the quantitative study module
15:15 – 15:30	Thomas Solgard Svendsen	Using systematic monitoring and feedback on data results in a 10 year follow up study for individuals with problematic substance use
15:30 – 15:45	Alfred Uhl	Problems when interpreting correlation causally
<i>15:45 – 16:15 Discussion</i>		

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VENUE: THE NATIONAL MUSEUM OF HISTORY, BRĪVĪBAS BULVĀRIS 32**

<b>Session 9: Problems and risks Moderator: Alfred Uhl</b>		
10:00 – 10:15	<u>Artur Malczewski</u> , K. Abel-Ollo, L. Isajeva, L. Jurgelaitienė	Opioid-related problems in the Baltic states and Poland: has the turning point come?
10:15 – 10:30	<u>Michaela Roubalova</u> , K. Grohmannova; I. Travnickova; P. Zeman	How to measure drug related crime? Discussion and suggestions for data collection
<i>10:30 – 10:45 Discussion</i>		

<b>Session 10: Perspectives on prevention and treatment Moderator: Jane Fountain</b>		
10:45 – 11:00	Susana Henriques	European curriculum for prevention workforce (EUPC) - online in Portuguese
11:00 – 11:15	Tuuli Pitkänen	Drug use and treatment needs – rural perspective
<i>11:15 – 11:30 Discussion</i>		

**11:30 – 12:00 COFFEE BREAK**

**12:00 – 13:00 Closing Session**

ESSD Early Career Researcher Award ceremony

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