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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2ND

08.45 Registration

09.15 Welcome
Tom DECORTE and Dirk KORF

09.45 **Session 1: Gender, ethnicity and drugs (1)**
Chair: Tom Decorte ^(BELGIUM)

Paula MAYOCK ^(SCOTLAND)

“Risky identities”? Young women, drugs and the inner-city

Discussion

10.30 Coffee break

11.00 **Session 2: Gender, ethnicity and drugs (2)**
Chair: Aileen O’Gorman ^(IRELAND)

Annemieke BENSCHOP ^(THE NETHERLANDS)

Ethnicity and gender specific patterns of drug use

Pekka HAKKARAINEN ^(FINLAND)

Gender and different patterns of drug use

Discussion

11.45 **Session 3: Gender, ethnicity and drugs (3)**
Chair: Aileen O’Gorman ^(IRELAND)

Jane FOUNTAIN ^(UNITED KINGDOM)

Why are black and minority ethnic populations in the European Union so poorly served by drug services? Findings from an EMCDDA-project.

Jag KHURANA and Susan UNDERWOOD ^(UNITED KINGDOM)

Engaging black and minority ethnic groups in social research

Discussion

12.30 Lunch

14.00

Session 4: Drug education and prevention (1)

Chair: Marie-Claire Lambrechts ^(BELGIUM)

Niamh FITZGERALD ^(IRELAND)

Methodological and ethical issues in a qualitative school-based drug education research

Alfred UHL ^(AUSTRIA)

How not to do primary prevention in the field of substance use: results from a qualitative evaluation

Discussion

14.45

Session 5: Drug education and prevention (2)

Chair: Marie-Claire Lambrechts ^(BELGIUM)

Richard BOREHAM ^(UNITED KINGDOM)

Relationships between knowledge of drugs and drug use among secondary school children in England

Gebhard HÜSLER ^(SWITZERLAND)

Effects of a national secondary prevention program

Discussion

15.30

Coffee break

16.00

Session 6: Policy and evaluation (1)

Chair: Dirk Korf ^(THE NETHERLANDS)

Vibeke ASMUSSEN ^(DENMARK)

The legal response to illegal coffeeshops in Denmark

Hermann FAHRENKRUG ^(GERMANY)

The Swiss hemp business: another struggle for the normalization of cannabis use

Discussion

16.45

Session 7: Policy and evaluation (2)

Chair: Dirk Korf ^(THE NETHERLANDS)

Arthur KREUZER ^(GERMANY)

The German study on heroin assisted treatment of intravenous drug addicts: criminological and methodological aspects

Peter VON AARBURG and Michael STAUFFACHER ^(SWITZERLAND)

Heroin-Times: historically contextualized forms and meanings of heroin use in Switzerland between 1970 and 2000

Discussion

18.00

End of day 1

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3RD

09.00 **Session 8: Methodological and ethical issues in drug research (1)**
Chair: Michael Agar ^(USA)

Cas BARENDREGT ^(THE NETHERLANDS)
Recruiting a hidden population of drug users and tracing selection effects

Riikka PERÄLÄ ^(FINLAND)
An opponent, an advocate, or what? The role of the ethnographer in the field of drug treatment

Discussion

09.45 **Session 9: Methodological and ethical issues in drug research (2)**
Chair: Michael Agar ^(USA)

Tina VAN HAVERE ^(BELGIUM)
Paying drug users in scientific research

Discussion

10.30 Coffee break

11.00 **Session 10: Methodological and ethical issues in drug research (3)**
Chair: Jane Fountain ^(UNITED KINGDOM)

Michael AGAR ^(USA)
Computers on drugs

François BECK and Stéphane LEGLEYE ^(FRANCE)
Improving telephone survey methodology: the case of French drug use general population surveys

Discussion

- 11.45 **Session 11: Theoretical issues in drug research**
Chair: Jane Fountain ^(UNITED KINGDOM)
- Jan VAN OVERMEIRE ^(BELGIUM)
Processes of acquisition of identity within the ecstasy-culture as a semi-autonomous field
- Discussion
- 12.30 Lunch
- 14.00 **Session 12: Analysis of theoretical concepts**
Chair: Pekka Hakkarainen ^(FINLAND)
- Dike VAN DE MHEEN en H. JANSEN ^(THE NETHERLANDS)
Problematic substance use and addictive behaviour: definitions and meanings
- Alfred SPRINGER ^(AUSTRIA)
Desiring the extreme: psychonauts and bodynauts
- Discussion
- 14.45 **Session 13: Drug trends and patterns: drugs in prison**
Chair: Pekka Hakkarainen ^(FINLAND)
- Heather Schacht REISINGER ^(USA)
A face in the crowd: connections between ethnographic and aggregate data in the understanding of social trends
- Sarah LIRIANO and Malcolm RAMSAY ^(UNITED KINGDOM)
Pre-prison drug use by prisoners: epidemiological issues
- Discussion
- 15.30 Coffee break

- 16.00 **Session 14: Drug trends and patterns: cocaine**
Chair: Dike van de Mheen ^(THE NETHERLANDS)
- Michael PRINZLEVE and Peter DEGKWITZ ^(GERMANY)
Patterns of cocaine and crack use in Europe. Preliminary results of a European multi-centre study (“CocinEU”)
- Niamh RYDER ^(IRELAND)
Cocaine/crack use among methadone maintained drug users in Dublin
- Discussion
- 16.45 **Session 15: Drug trends and patterns: ecstasy**
Chair: Dike van de Mheen ^(THE NETHERLANDS)
- Jacek MOSKALEWICZ ^(POLAND)
Ecstasy use in Warsaw. Do cultural norms prevent harm?
- Airi-Alina ALLASTE ^(ESTONIA)
Changing Circles: how recreational drug users become problem users
- Discussion
- 17.30 End of day 2
- 18.00 Reception hosted by the city of Ghent
- 20.00 Conference dinner

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4TH

- 10.00 **Session 16: Drug trends and patterns: cannabis**
Chair: Monique Bolognini ^(SWITZERLAND)
- Ludwig KRAUS, Rita AUGUSTIN, Sabine KUNZ-EBRECHT & Boris ORTH
^(GERMANY)
- Is there a shift in age of first cannabis use towards younger ages? Data revisited in Germany, France, Greece and Spain*
- Marije WOUTERS ^(THE NETHERLANDS)
- Relationship between strength of cannabis and aspects of cannabis use*
- Discussion
- 10.45 **Session 17: Drug trends and patterns**
Chair: Monique Bolognini ^(SWITZERLAND)
- Lana HARRISON ^(USA), Patricia ERICKSON ^(CANADA) & Dirk KORF ^(THE NETHERLANDS)
- The relationship between drugs and violence*
- Marie-Claire LAMBRECHTS ^(BELGIUM)
- Individual and job-related factors and the problematic use of alcohol*
- Discussion
- 11.30 Coffee break
- 12.00 **Session 18: Drug trends and patterns**
Chair: Alfred Uhl ^(AUSTRIA)
- Börje OLSSON ^(SWEDEN)
- Drug use among the general population in Sweden – prevalence, social characteristics and relation to alcohol consumption*
- Bernard PLANCHEREL, Monique BOLOGNINI and Olivier HALFON ^(SWITZERLAND)
- Follow-up study of adolescent drug users: longitudinal analysis of substance use trajectories*
- Discussion
- 13.00 Closing session
Chair: Dirk KORF
- 13.30 End of day 3