



EUROPEAN ALCOHOL POLICY CONFERENCE

BUILDING CAPACITY FOR ACTION

Barcelona, 3RD-5TH April 2008

Provisional Programme

Wednesday 2nd April

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| 14.00-18.00 | Registration |
| 14.00-18.00 | Alcohol Policy Network Meeting (by invitation only) |
| 15.00-18.00 | Member State Meeting (by invitation only) |
| 20.00-21.00 | Reception |

Thursday 3rd April

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| 08.00-09.00 | Registration |
| 09.00-10.00 | Opening session |
| 10.00-11.00 | <i>Chair: Joan Colom, Spain</i> Introduction to the conference Scope of the conference and state of the art, <i>Dr. Peter Anderson , UK</i> The economic arguments to reduce alcohol-related harm, <i>Dr. Dan Chisholm, WHO</i> |
| 11.00-11.30 | Coffee break |
| 11.30-13.00 | Round table discussion on the alcohol policy environment <i>Mr. Robert Madelin, Director General, Health and Consumer Protection, EC</i> <i>Dr Marc Danzon, WHO Regional Director for Europe</i> <i>Mrs Sabine Baetzing, Federal Drug Commissioner, Germany</i> <i>Jillian van Turnhout, Vice President, European Economic and Social Committee</i> Representatives of ministries of Health of European countries and other European bodies Facilitated by Deborah Davies, Channel 4, UK |
| 13.00-14.30 | Lunch |
| 14.30-16.00 | <i>Chair: Maria Renström, WHO</i> Alcohol and co-morbidity: some other considerations Alcohol and injuries, <i>Professor Witold Zatonski, Poland</i> Alcohol and mental health, <i>Dr. Eva Jané Llopis, Spain</i> Alcohol and cancer, <i>Professor Jürgen Rehm, Canada</i> Alcohol and liver disease, <i>Dr. Nick Sheron, UK</i> |
| 16.00-16.30 | Coffee Break |
| 16.30-18.00 | Debate and Dialogue Reducing alcohol-related harm Views of the alcohol industry and of public health Facilitated by Deborah Davies, Channel 4, UK |
| 18.00 | Close of day |
| 20.30 | Social programme |

Friday 4th April

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| 09.00-10.45 | <i>Chair: Professor Ian Gilmore, UK</i> Ethics and alcohol policy The ethics of alcohol policy, <i>Sir Ken Calman, UK (to be confirmed)</i> Culture and ethics in the relation of alcohol research and policy, <i>Robin Room, Australia</i> Alcohol and rights, <i>Jillian van Turnout, Ireland</i> Alcohol and communications, <i>Mr. Alejandro Perales, Spain</i> |
| 10.45-11.30 | Coffee Break |
| 11.30-13.00 | Eight parallel sessions: Protecting young people Preventing Injuries Preventing harm among adults Building the evidence base for alcohol policy Building alliances for alcohol policy Building capacity for local and regional policy Building capacity for national policy Working with stakeholders and sectors |
| 13.00-14.30 | Lunch break |
| 14.30-16.00 | <i>Chair: Anne Hope, Ireland</i> Alcohol Policy at EU level Presentations and discussion representing DG SANCO and different EU activities, including health and consumer protection, transport, taxation, education and culture, agriculture, and a reflection on health in all policies. |
| 16.00-16.30 | Coffee Break |
| 16.30-18.00 | Eight parallel sessions: Protecting young people Preventing Injuries Preventing harm among adults Building the evidence base for alcohol policy Building alliances for alcohol policy Building capacity for local and regional policy Building capacity for national policy Working with stakeholders and sectors |
| 18.00 | Close of day |

Saturday 5th April

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| 09.00-10.30 | Eight parallel sessions: Protecting young people Preventing Injuries Preventing harm among adults Building the evidence base for alcohol policy Building alliances for alcohol policy Building capacity for local and regional policy Building capacity for national policy Working with stakeholders and sectors |
| 10.30-11.00 | Coffee break |
| 11.00-12.00 | <i>Chair: Vesna Petric, Slovenia</i> Conference Conclusions and Recommendations Conference Conclusions: <i>Marion Rackard, Ireland and Lauri Beekman, Estonia</i> Recommendations for alcohol policy and programme development: <i>Tiziana Codenotti, Italy and Cees Goos, Austria</i> Recommendations to reduce alcohol-related accidents, injuries, and inter-personal violence: <i>Marta Manczuk, Poland and Andrej Marusic, Slovenia</i> |
| 12.00 | Outlook on the future <i>Clive Needle, EuroHealthNet</i> |
| 12.30 | Close of conference |