2021 NIDA INTERNATIONAL FORUM
Building International Collaborative Research on Drug Abuse

Monday, June 21—Thursday, June 24, 2021
Joint NIDA International Forum
Poster Session and CPDD Workshop

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International Research Posters
Learn about research conducted outside of the United States at this College on Problems of Drug Dependence (CPDD) Workshop and NIDA International Forum poster session.

Tuesday, June 22, 2021
NIDA International Forum

8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. NIDA International Forum Plenary Session
Chair: Steven W. Gust, Director, International Program, NIDA

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. NIDA Support to Develop the Addiction Research Workforce
Promoting Scientific Writing Through ICUDDR
❖ Kimberly A. Johnson, International Consortium of Universities on Drug Demand Reduction (ICUDDR)

IPAS: Graduate Education in Addiction Studies
❖ Mary Loos, International Programme in Addiction Studies (IPAS)

Adopting and Adapting Evidence-Based Interventions Through the ITTC
❖ Laurie J. Krom, International Technology Transfer Center (ITTC) Network Coordinating Office

9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Global Impact of COVID-19 on Substance Use
Trendspotter Data From Europe
❖ Paul Griffiths, European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction

Results From the Global Study of Stress and Resilience in the Face of COVID-19
❖ Mustafa al’Absi, University of Minnesota Medical School Duluth Global Health Research Institute

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Wednesday, June 23, 2021
NIDA International Forum and CPDD International Committee Workshop

7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.  NIDA International Forum Plenary Session
Chair: Anja Busse, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)

**UNODC/WHO International Standards for the Treatment of Drug Use Disorders**

*Welcome and Greetings*
- Giovanna Campello, UNODC
- Vladimir Poznyak, World Health Organization (WHO)
- Andrew Thompson, Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs, U.S. Department of State

*UNODC/WHO Programme on Drug Dependence Treatment and Care and Development of the International Standards for the Treatment of Drug Use Disorders*
- Anja Busse, UNODC

*Field Testing of the International Standards for the Treatment of Drug Use Disorders*
- Dzmitry Krupchanka, WHO

**Field Testing in Indonesia**
- Eva Suryani, Atma Jaya Catholic University of Indonesia
- Kristiana Siste, Universitas Indonesia—Cipto Mangunkusumo General Hospital, Indonesia

**Field Testing in Chile**
- Carlos Ibáñez, Universidad de Chile

*Content and Implementation of the International Standards for the Treatment of Drug Use Disorders (2020)*
- Wataru Kashino, UNODC

**Quality Assurance in Nigeria**
- Auwal Salihu, Aminu Kano Teaching Hospital, Nigeria

**Quality Assurance in Pakistan**
- Sabino Sikandar Jalal, Senior Joint Secretary, Ministry of Narcotics Control, Government of Pakistan

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Community-Based Outreach: UNODC/WHO Stop-Overdose-Safely (S-O-S) Project Implementation in Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, and Ukraine
❖ Paul Dietze, *Burnet Institute, Australia*

Populations With Special Treatment and Care Needs: Substance Use Management During Pregnancy—Capacity Building for Health Professionals
❖ Marta Torrens, *Institut de Neuropsiquiatria i Addiccions Parc de Salut Mar Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain*

International Standards for the Treatment of Drug Use Disorders—Next Steps
❖ Anja Busse, *UNODC*

8:45 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. CPDD International Committee Workshop: Lost in Translation! How Can We Bridge the Research-to-Practice Gap Through International Collaboration?
Co-Chairs: Francesca Filbey, *University of Texas, Dallas*
Dace Svikis, *Virginia Commonwealth University*

Introduction to the NIDA International Program
❖ Steven W. Gust, *Director, International Program, NIDA*

Accelerating Digital Intervention Creation and International Collaboration Using the Computerized Intervention Authoring System, v. 3.0
❖ Steve Ondersma, *Michigan State University*

Adapting Standardized Instruments for Various Populations and Cultures
❖ Deni Carise, *Recovery Centers of America and University of Pennsylvania*
Thursday, June 24, 2021
NIDA International Forum

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Rapid Research Reports From Around the Globe

Substance Use in Mild COVID-19 Patients: A Retrospective Study
❖ João Maurício Castaldelli-Maia, ABC Health University Center, Brazil

Canadian Perceptions and Experiences With Virtual Services and Supports for Substance Use
❖ Anna Goodman, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction

Changes in Illicit Drug Supply During COVID-19: Findings of a Community-Based Cohort of Women Sex Workers in Metro Vancouver, Canada
❖ Sarah Moreheart, Simon Fraser University, Canada

Monitoring an Online Illicit Drug Market During COVID-19 in Georgia
❖ Ada Beselia, Addiction Research Centre Alternative Georgia

Drug Use Patterns in Mexico During the COVID-19 Pandemic
❖ Judith Ferrer Alarcón, Comisión Nacional contra las Adicciones, Mexico

Depression Among Medical and Non-Medical Students and Its Association With Cognitive Enhancers and Psychostimulants Use During COVID-19 Quarantine
❖ Basma Damiri, An-Najah National University, Palestine

Why Are Injecting Drug Users and Patients in Methadone Substitution “Protected” From SARS COV 2 Infections?
❖ Adrian Abagiu, National Institute for Infectious Diseases “Prof. Dr. Matei Bals,” Romania

Examining Changes in Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Symptoms and Substance Use Among a Sample of Canadian Veterans Working With Service Dogs: An Exploratory Longitudinal Study
❖ Colleen Dell, University of Saskatchewan, Canada

Correlates of Marijuana Use Problems in a National Sample of Female Ecuadorian Students
❖ Daniela Ocaña-Gordillo, Parametría Consultancy, Ecuador
Implementing and Evaluating the Universal Prevention Curriculum to Promote Capacity Building Among Drug Demand Reduction Practitioners in Nigeria: Lessons Learned and Future Directions
❖ Martin Agwogie, Global Initiative on Substance Abuse, Nigeria

Urdu Translation and Psychometric Properties of Perceived Stigma of Substance Abuse Scale (PSAS) in Patients With Substance Use Disorders in Pakistan
❖ Salman Shahzad, University of Karachi, Pakistan