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# INTERNATIONAL DRUG POLICY CONFERENCE

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## Reshaping Drugs Policy

A two-day event covering policy and practice in drugs from a UK, European and International perspective

*Topics to be covered include:*

- current policy and its effectiveness
- directions in European drug policy
- how can international supply reduction work?
- creating prevention strategies that work for young people
- how can police services contribute to demand reduction?
- drug markets and social nuisance.

Date: 4 and 5 April 2005

Venue: Brunei Gallery, SOAS, University of London, Russell Square, London

## ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

Current drug policies in the UK and mainland Europe are in a state of flux, with many countries adopting innovative, if disparate, activities and research making clear that current global policies are not achieving their own objectives. Following the successful Ashford conference in 2001, this conference will take a thought-provoking, yet non-didactic approach allowing opportunities for a range of counter-balancing viewpoints to be presented.

It will bring together a range of speakers from Britain, mainland Europe and the Americas to provide the opportunity for debate on a range of topics that could help transform drug policies in Britain and the rest of Europe.

## AIMS OF THE CONFERENCE

- Identify and probe the policy dilemmas facing the field at national and international level
- Developing best practice models from UK, Europe and internationally
- To reshape drugs policies in Britain and the rest of Europe.

## KEY THEMES

- Directions in European drug policy – the next eight years
- Stemming the flow - how can international supply reduction work?
- Creating prevention strategies that work for young people
- Harm reduction – making drug use safer
- Does drug policy impact on drug use?
- Why does the media find drug policy so difficult?

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- Police and community safety officers
- Policy analysts
- Central government
- Education and youth community managers
- Academics
- Police
- Drug action teams and team co-ordinators
- Head of services in treatment agencies
- Prevention workers
- Researchers/academics
- Education, youth and community workers

# Programme - Day 1

9.30am *Registration and refreshments*

- 10.00am **Current realities in drug policy**
- Lord Victor Adebawale CBE *Chief Executive, Turning Point*
  - Dr Didier Jayle *Head, MILTD, France*
  - Caroline Lucas MEP *Green Party (invited)*

11.15am *Refreshments*

- 11.45am **Stemming the flow – how can international supply reduction work?**
- Afghanistan eradication efforts – Antonio Maria Costa *Executive Director UNODC*
  - Border controls – Raymond E Kendall *Honorary Secretary General of Interpol*
  - The black market – Dr Loretta Napoleoni *Economist and expert of International Terrorism, London School of Economics*

1.00pm *Lunch*

- 2.00pm **Creating prevention strategies that work for young people**
- Maximum protection for young people – Andrea Barthwell *Former US Deputy Drugs Czar*
  - The role of mentors – Jeff Lee *Executive Director, Mentor Foundation*
  - Practitioner perspective

3.15pm *Refreshments*

3.45pm **Parallel session – see below**

- 4.45pm **Harm reduction – making drug use safer**
- Peter Cohen *CEDRO (Centrum voor Drugonderzoet)*
  - Public health and harm reduction – *tbc*
  - Community harm and costs – Dr Christoph Bürki *Medical Director, KODA-I*

**Evening speaker –**

**'The history of the American Junkie'**

Carolyn Jean Acker

**PARALLEL SESSIONS PARALLEL SESSIONS PARALLEL SESSIONS**

- A Reduction in drug related crime  
Co-ordinated by EISS, University of Kent
- B Consumption rooms - Lessons from European research
- C The role of users in drug policy  
Co-ordinated by ADFAM

## Programme - Day 2

- 9.30am **What impact do drug policies have on drug use?**
- Availability Is Not Destiny: Career Use Patterns Under De-criminalisation (Amsterdam) vs. Criminalisation (San Francisco) – Professor Craig Reinerman *Department of Sociology, University of California*
  - Policies that manage and contain drug use – Adelle Harrell *Urban Institute, Washington DC*
  - The effectiveness of drug policies – Mike Trace *Director of the Beckley Foundation Drug Policy Programme*

10.45am *Refreshments*

11.15am **Parallel sessions** – see below

12.15pm **How can police services contribute to demand reduction?**

- Chris White *Former Inspector and Drugs Co-ordinator, Tayside Police, UK*
- Police speaker from European mainland

1.15pm *Lunch*

2.15pm **Drug markets and social nuisance**

- John Pitts *University of Luton*
- Howard Parker *University of Manchester (invited)*

3.00pm **Final debate – why does the media find drug policy so difficult?**

- Chair – David Brindle *The Guardian*
- Amanda Platell *Daily Mail and New Statesman (invited)*
- David Decker *Frankfurter Allgemeiner (invited)*
- David Aaronovitch *The Guardian and The Observer*
- Phil Johnston *The Daily Telegraph*

4.00pm *Close*

*At the time of going to press this programme was deemed correct. We reserve the right to cancel or alter any part of the programme due to unforeseen circumstances.*

### PARALLEL SESSIONS PARALLEL SESSIONS PARALLEL SESSIONS

- D Innovations in substitute prescribing for Heroin and Cocaine
- E Police and customs - the changing role of enforcement  
Eric Lanting Dutch Customs, Schipol Airport
- F Mental health/dual diagnosis  
Co-ordinated by Turning Point

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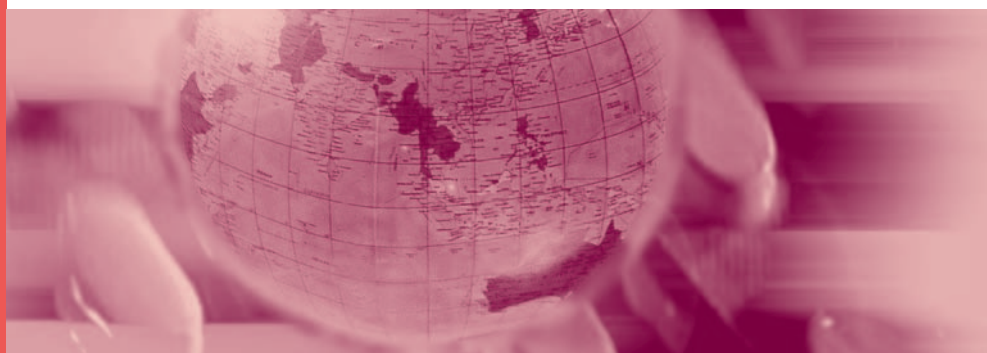
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