

SA DRUG POLICY WEEK 2018

POLICY TO PRACTICE

PROGRAMME



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SANPUD
South African Network of People who Use Drugs

INPUD
International Network of People who Use Drugs

MAINline

TRANSFORM
Getting drugs under control



PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

MONDAY 8 OCTOBER ▼	18h00	Keynote : Michel Kazatchkine Opening cocktails
TUESDAY 9 OCTOBER ▼	10h00-11h00	Keynote : Steve Rolles : After the Drug War - Blueprint for regulation
	11h30-13h00	Plenary One : Against expectations Ian Sanne : Implementing HCV responses in the Ukraine and Myanmar Palani Narayanan : Malaysia: Strategies for moving towards decriminalisation
LUNCH		
	14h00-15h30	Plenary Two: Policies for Africa Adeolu Ogunrombi : The West African Commission's model drug law Maria-Goretti Loglo : African engagement at the UN High Level Meeting on Drugs 2019 Johann Strijdom : The African Union Draft Plan of Action
	16h00-17h00	Plenary Three: Policies, practices and people Machteld Busz : Harm reduction: more than medication and needles Kunal Naik : Policy and best practice: Lessons learned in Mauritius
WEDNESDAY 10 OCTOBER ▼	10h00-11h00	Panel Discussion : Jannie Hugo and Shaun Shelly - COSUP
	11h30-13h00	Plenary Four: Community Oriented Substance Use Programme (COSUP) Sakkie Du Plooy Lorinda Kroukamp Urvisha Bhoora Sasha Lalla SAPS Representative
LUNCH		
	14h00-15h30	Plenary Five: The Global Fund in South Africa Ian Hove : An overview of Global Fund Programmes in South Africa Andrew Scheibe : HIV HCV and PWID in South Africa Harry Hausler : Impacts of politics on practice Melusi Mbatha : Finding and losing hope
	16h00-17h00	Plenary Six: Walking away from whoonga Monique Marks : Finding new paths in eThekweni Sibonelo Gumede : Finding harm reduction Michael Wilson : A view from outside
	18h00-22h30	ULWEMBU A theatre production that shows the realities and complexities of drug use in South Africa - Theatre Arts Admin Collective, Observatory



THURSDAY
11 OCTOBER

10h00 – 11h00

Keynote : Jules Stobbs and Myrtle Clarke

Parallel meetings – Invitation only

11h15 -13h00

Plenary Seven: Smoke signals

Gertrude Ncube / Wilson Box : Zimbabwe and medical cannabis

Luthando Dinwayo : Glyphosate & criminalisation in the Umzimvubu region

Greekson Zweni : Routes to legitimacy: Moving towards an inclusive economy

Abdellatif Adebibe : Morocco's traditional hemp growers

LUNCH

13h45-14h30

Cannabis solutions

Kenza Afsahi : The economics and gendered aspects of cannabis in Morocco

Dora Troyano / David Respeto : Lessons from Columbia: Commercialising Coca

14h45-17h00

Sector discussions and workshops

Andrew Scheibe : Health sector

Monique Marks : Social development

Simon Howell : Criminal justice

FRIDAY
12 OCTOBER

Putting it all together : A roadmap to effective South African drug policy

10h00 – 11h00

Plenary Eight: Presentation of sector discussions

Health sector

Social development

Criminal justice

11h30-12h30

Final Plenary : A roadmap to effective drug policy in South Africa

Recommendations, road signs and realities

12h30 – 13h00

Keynote : Kasia Malinowska

13h00

Closing remarks and lunch