NDARC 2018
Annual Research Symposium

Monday
8 October 2018

John Niland Scientia Conference and Events Centre, UNSW

8.30 – 9.00am  Registration
9.00 – 9.10am  Acknowledgement of Country
9.10 – 9.15am  Welcome
Professor Michael Farrell
Director, NDARC

Plenary One
Session Chair: TBA

9.15 – 10.00am  Keynote Address:
Professor Louis Fiore
Professor of Medicine and Professor Epidemiology
Boston University School of Public Health, VA Boston Healthcare System

10.00 – 10.20am  Harnessing clinical informatics to transform clinical research: An overview of the NSW AoD Clinical Outcomes and Quality Indicators system
Conjoint Professor Nicholas Lintzeris
Director Drug and Alcohol Services, South Eastern Sydney Local Health District

10.20 – 10.40am  The development and testing of a framework to increase the uptake of integrated care into routine service delivery by drug and alcohol and mental health clinical services
Ms Catherine Foley
Doctoral Candidate, NDARC

10.40 – 11.00am  Morning Tea

Plenary Two
Drug Trends  Session Chair: Mr Daniel Madeddu

11.00 – 11.20am  Emerging trends in drug use, harms, and markets: Findings from Drug Trends 2018
Dr Amy Peacock
NHMRC Early Career Research Fellow, NDARC

11.20 – 11.40am  Availability and use of new and emerging psychoactive substances in Australia: Findings from Drug Trends 2018
Ms Rachel Sutherland
Doctoral Candidate, Senior Research Officer Drug Trends Program, NDARC

11.40 – 12.00pm  Trends in fentanyl availability, use and harms Australia: Findings from Drug Trends 2018
Associate Professor Raimondo Bruno
University of Tasmania
### Breakout Sessions

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<td><strong>Main Hall</strong> Seven two-minute poster sessions (See separate list)</td>
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## Breakout Five: Young People, Alcohol and Other Drugs
**Session Chair:** Dr Amy Peacock

- **Adverse adult consequences of different alcohol use patterns in adolescence**
  - **Mr Philip Clare**
  - Doctoral Candidate and Biostatistician, NDARC

- **What the APSALS and consortium data tell us about taking a population level approach rather than targeting heavy/binge drinkers**
  - **Professor Richard Mattick**
  - NHMRC Principal Research Fellow, NDARC

- **The effectiveness and cost-benefit of an NGO delivered program for high-risk young people, and integrating research into multiple NGO services nationally**
  - **Ms Skye Bullen**
  - Masters by Research Candidate, NDARC

- **Steroids and harm reduction: working with young adults who use performance and image enhancing drugs (PIEDs)**
  - **Dr Katinka Van de Ven**
  - Research Fellow, NDARC

## Breakout Six: Responding to harms: NGO Services
**Session Chair:** Ms Nicky Bath

- **Co-creation of new knowledge is at the heart of embedding research into routine service delivery, but what is it and how often is it done?**
  - **Ms Tania Pearce**
  - Doctoral Candidate, University of New England

- **Reducing drug and alcohol related harms in the LGBTI community**
  - **Ms Nicky Bath**
  - Associate Director
  - LGBTI Health Programming and Development, ACON

- **The impact of research on Aboriginal residential rehabilitation services**
  - **Mr Joe Coyte**
  - CEO of The Glen Central Coast Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation Centre

- **Who goes to Aboriginal residential rehabilitation drug and alcohol treatment services in NSW – what do the routinely collected data tell us?**
  - **Mr Doug James**
  - Doctoral Candidate, NDARC

## Breakout Seven: Comorbidity
**Session Chair:** Professor Shane Darke

- **The experience of consumers involved in the co-design and implementation of a model of Integrated Care: a facilitated discussion**
  - **Speaker TBA**

- **Review of psychiatric consequences of methamphetamine use**
  - **Dr Emily Stockings**
  - NHMRC Early Career Research Fellow, NDARC

- **The impact of comorbid mental health disorders on receipt of substance use disorder treatment**
  - **Dr Chrianna Bharat**
  - Research Fellow, NDARC

- **Psychostimulant use and fatal stroke in young adults: a national study**
  - **Professor Shane Darke**
  - NDARC

## Breakout Eight: Criminal Justice Responses
**Session Chair:** TBA

- **Cohort effects in juvenile offending**
  - **Dr Don Weatherburn**
  - Director of the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research

- **Drug-related police encounters across the globe: How does Australia compare?**
  - **Dr Caitlin Hughes**
  - Senior Research Fellow, NDARC

- **Understanding how a high-level drug trafficking network in Australia adapted to changes in its drug supply**
  - **Mr Matthew O’Reilly**
  - Doctoral Candidate, NDARC

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15.20 – 15.40pm **Afternoon Tea**
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| 15.40 – 16.25pm | **The Canadian Research Initiative in Substance Misuse (CRISM)**  
**Professor Julie Bruneau**  
Professor in the Department of Family Medicine, University of Montreal |
| 16.25 – 16.45pm | **National Centre for Clinical Research Excellence on Emerging Drugs (NCCRED)**  
**Associate Professor Nadine Ezard**  
Director NCCRED and Clinical Director Drug and Alcohol Services, St Vincent’s Hospital |
| 16.45 – 17.05pm | **HCV elimination among people who inject drugs: Feasibility and future requirements**  
**Associate Professor Jason Grebely**  
Senior Research Fellow, The Kirby Institute |
| 17.05 – 17.15pm | **Discussion and Wrap (Will include announcement of People's Choice poster winner)**  
**Professor Michael Farrell**  
Director, NDARC |
| 17.15 – 18.15pm | **Symposium Drinks**                                                      |