

NordAN conference: „Alcohol and drugs in a changing society“

October 11-12, 2019

Helsinki, Finland

Hotel Arthur

PROGRAM - DRAFT

Friday, October 11

10.00 Welcome and introduction

Peter Allebeck, NordAN president

Juha Mikkonen, EHYT

Keynote presentations

Pekka Puska – Finnish politicians and former THL director

Jevgeni Ossinovski – Former Minister of Health, Estonia

Tim Stockwell - University of Victoria, Canada

11.45 LUNCH

12.45 SPECIAL PLENARY

Vytenis Andriukaitis – EU Health Commissioner

13.30 Plenary I – Political youth organisations and their views on alcohol policy

- Overview and results of the SAFF project

- Roundtable, panel discussion, with representatives from a number of political youth organisations

- Comments from project partners

14.30 COFFEE BREAK

15.00 Plenary II – Learning from North American drug policy experience

Stig Erik Sørheim, Actis, president of EURAD

15.45 Speed dating - ca 5 spots (3x15 min)

Women's group - **Leena Harake** (KSAN)

Labelling - **Mariann Skar** (Eurocare)

KUPLA project - **Emi Maeda** (EHYT)

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END OF DAY ONE

17.00 – NordAN General Assembly meeting

19.30 – Dinner or Reception

Saturday, October 12

9.00 Overview of the first day and introduction to the second – **Anne Babb**, General Secretary of IFBC

Plenary III – How should the changing scene influence alcohol policy in Nordic/Baltic countries and EU?

What is the future of European alcohol policy? The WHO European Action Plan to Reduce the Harmful Use of Alcohol is due to end in 2020, and there is no new European Alcohol Strategy.

Carina Ferreira-Borges, WHO Europe, Moscow

Tiziana Codenotti, President, Eurocare

Eric Carlin - Director of Scottish Health Action on Alcohol Problems

10.30 COFFEE BREAK

11.00 Plenary IV – Changing but still moving forward. Progress in Nordic alcohol policy. Representatives from Nordic Welfare Centre, NDPHS and Nordic Council of Ministers

12.30 Conclusions and thanks – **Peter Allebeck**

13.00 LUNCH