PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH

8:00 – 9:30 hrs.  REGISTRATION
Hall: Maria Izquierdo

10:00 - 11:00 hrs.  PANEL: GENERATING EVIDENCE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF NEW PUBLIC POLICIES: INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL ON ADDICTION RESEARCH
Hall: Frida Kahlo

Jose Octavio Nateras Dominguez. Dean. Iztapalapa Metropolitan Autonomous University. Mexico.

11:00 - 12:30 hrs.  PANEL: INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC POLICIES ON DRUGS
Hall: Frida Kahlo

Alejandro Mohar Betancourt. Member. International Narcotics Control Board.


**OPENING CEREMONY**

**Hall: Frida Kahlo**

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**CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

**Hall: Diego Rivera**

**Session 1**

**Coordinator:**

ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION IMPACT


Kristina Sperkova. President. IOGT International. “Alcohol as an
Obstacle to Personal and Societal Development.”
**Víctor Manuel Guisa Cruz.**

**Ricardo Ivan Nanni Alvarado.**

### Session 2

**Coordinator:**
SUCCESSFUL PRACTICES IN PREVENTION

**Alejandro Sanchez Guerrero.**

**Gabriela Maria Richard Losano,**
Director. Pro Health Foundation. Argentina. “Contributions of the Comprehensive Health Model to the Effectiveness of Prevention Programs.”

**F. Derya Akyilmaz.**
Education Department Chief. Green Crescent (Türkiye Yeşilay Cemiyeti).Turkey. “Training Program on Addiction Prevention of Turkey (TBM).”
### Session 3

**Coordinator:**  
**CANNABIS, THE DEVELOPMENT OF LEGALIZATION AND DECRIMINALIZATION AND ITS IMPACT ON SOCIETY**

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<td><strong>Asia Shraf.</strong> Director of Rehabilitation. Sunny Trust International. Pakistan. “Legalization and Decriminalization of Cannabis…Not an Option for Pakistan?”</td>
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<td><strong>Eduardo Santillan Perez.</strong> Former Deputy. Mexico.</td>
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Session 4
Coordinator: DIMENSION AND DAMAGES OF TOBACCO CONSUMPTION

Hall: Rufino Tamayo

Session 5
Coordinator: PREVENTION AND TREATMENT IN THE LAW SYSTEM

Hall: Jose Clemente Orozco


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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH

9:00-10:30  PANEL: DRUG USE IN DIFFERENT REGIONS OF THE WORLD
Hall: Frida Kahlo

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM


10:30 – 12:00 hrs.

PANEL: COMORBIDITY ON CANNABIS USERS


Carlos Roncero Alonso. Vice-Secretary. Spanish Society of Dual Pathology. Spain. “Comprehensive Treatment for Cannabis Users-Patients with Dual Pathology.”


12:00-13:30 hrs.

PANEL: FUTURE DRUG POLICIES

Jeffrey Zinsmeister. Executive Vice President and Director of Government Relations. Smart Approaches to Marijuana. U.S. Embassy in Mexico. United States.

13:30-15:00 hrs.  
PANEL: YOUTH AND ADDICTION PREVENTION  
Hall: Frida Kahlo

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<td>Head of the Community Mobilization Department. Centros de Integracion Juvenil. Mexico. “Virtual Promoters of Addiction Prevention.”</td>
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<td>Director of Treatment and Rehabilitation. Centros de Integracion Juvenil. Mexico. “Comprehensive Treatment for Heroin Users, a Challenge.”</td>
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Session 4
Coordinator: COMMUNITY NETWORKS


J. Eric Siervo. Vice President. International Programs.
Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America. United States. “Community Networks.”


Roberto Esteban Moro. Deputy Secretary of Mental Health and Addictions. Ministry of Health. La Pampa, Argentina. “Drugs Public Policy in La Pampa.”

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH

9:00 – 10:00 hrs. **PANEL: INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF SUBSTANCE USE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT PROFESSIONALS (ISSUP)**
Hall: Frida Kahlo


10:00 - 12:00 hrs. **PANEL: ADDICTION IMPACT ON HEALTH IN MEXICO**
Hall: Frida Kahlo

Coordinator: **Carmen Fernandez Caceres.** General-Director. Centros de Integracion Juvenil. Mexico.

**Maria Elena Medina-Mora Icaza.** General-Director and Member of the National College. National Institute of Psychiatry Ramon de la Fuente Muñiz Mexico. “Access to Palliative Care and Pain Control: the Contribution of Addiction Specialists.”


**David Kershenobich Stalnikowitz.** General-Director. National Institute of Nutrition and Medical Sciences Salvador Zubiran. Mexico.

12:00–14:00 hrs. 
**PANEL: CONTRIBUTIONS TO DRUG PUBLIC POLICIES ON ROAD TO UNGASS 2016**

Hall: Frida Kahlo

**Coordinator:** Alejandro Vassilaqui Castrillon. Executive Director. Information and Education Center to Prevent Drug Abuse. Peru. “Legalize Drugs and a Universal Addiction Epidemic Will Continue.”


**Linda Nilsson.** Secretary General. World Federation Against Drugs.

**Kevin Sabet.** President and Director. Smart Approaches to Marijuana. United States.

**Sven-Olov Carlsson.** International President. World Federation Against Drugs. “A Comprehensive Drug Policy.”

**Carmen Fernandez Caceres.** General-Director. Centros de Integracion Juvenil. Mexico.

14:00 – 15:00 hrs. 
**CLOSING CEREMONY**

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