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Current Drug Policies: Evaluating Indicators, Examining Future Options

Official Side Event at the 57th Session of CND

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The Government of the Republic of Finland

Wednesday 19th March 2014, 09:00 – 09:50
Room M6, 'M' Building, Vienna International Centre (VIC)

The event will be followed by a light breakfast for participants at 09:50

Decades of experience have provided a substantial evidence base with which to evaluate global drug policies. But a fundamental question remains: what metrics and indicators should academics and policy makers utilise when determining which policies to pursue and which to avoid?

This breakfast event will highlight important new research from the Global Drug Policy Observatory at Swansea University, the International Centre for Science in Drug Policy, and the IDEAS research centre of the London School of Economics.

Chair:

- Pekka Hakkarainen – Head of the Department of Alcohol, Drugs and Addiction, National Institute of Health and Welfare

Speakers:

- Peter Reuter – Professor, School of Public Policy and the Department of Criminology, University of Maryland
- John Collins – Coordinator, LSE IDEAS International Drug Policy Project
- Dave Bewley-Taylor – Director, Global Drug Policy Observatory

This will be an open session, but seats are limited, so please try to arrive early.