

# NCETA Symposium

Thursday 7 March 2024 | 10am to 4pm | In-person & Online  
Studio Room (behind Grind & Press) Flinders University

## PROGRAM

Time	Session
10.00 – 10.10 AM	Registration and Tea & Coffee
10.10 – 10.15 AM	<b>Acknowledgement of Country and Director's Welcome</b> Professor Jacqueline Bowden, Director, National Centre for Education and Training on Addiction (NCETA)
10.15 – 10.25 AM	<b>The AOD workforce and NCETA's strategic priorities</b> Dr Robert Stirling, NCETA Advisory Board Chair & Professor Jacqueline Bowden, NCETA Director
10.25 – 10.40 AM	<b>Attitudes towards current and alternative cannabis legal regimes in South Australia</b> Associate Professor Caitlin Hughes, Criminology and Drug Policy, Centre for Crime Policy and Research, Flinders University
10.40 – 11.25 AM	<b>NCETA Showcase</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Parents' views and practices of providing zero-alcohol beverages to adolescents</b> - Nathan Harrison, Senior Research Officer</li><li>• <b>Alcohol and other drug use among employed Australians: Prevalence of use and workplace interventions</b> - Dr Kirrilly Thompson, Senior Research Fellow</li><li>• <b>Exploring parental supply learning: Past insights and future directions</b> - Christina Norris, Research Assistant</li><li>• <b>Your Worklife: Navigating an online resource to help workplaces respond to alcohol and drug issues</b> - Dr Kirrilly Thompson, Senior Research Fellow</li></ul>
11.25 – 11.40 AM	Break
11.40 – 12.00 PM	<b>NHMRC Ideas Grant: Developing and applying a world-first alcohol market monitoring system</b> Professor Simone Pettigrew, Head of Food Policy, The George Institute for Global Health
12.00 – 12.45 PM	<b>NCETA PhD Showcase</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Lung cancer screening, smoking and stigma</b> - Nathan Harrison</li><li>• <b>The SA Police drug diversion initiative: research plan</b> - Gene Mercer</li><li>• <b>Very high-risk drinking in the general population: comparing men and women</b> - Victoria Kostadinov</li></ul>
12.45 – 1.25 PM	Lunch

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1.25 – 2.25 PM	<b>NCETA Showcase: Workforce Development Resources</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>A national AOD peer workforce framework: Update on progress</b> - <a href="#">Ele Morrison</a>, Peer Leader / Consumer-Led National Peak Representative &amp; <a href="#">Dr Kirrilly Thompson</a>, Senior Research Fellow</li><li>• <b>The National Alcohol and Drug Knowledgebase (NADK) website resources for workforce &amp; workplace</b> - <a href="#">Dr Neophytos Georgiou</a>, Research Fellow</li><li>• <b>AOD qualifications in the VET sector: A scoping review</b> - <a href="#">Armin Muminovic</a>, Research Assistant</li><li>• <b>Use of telehealth for AOD counselling</b> - <a href="#">Dr Ashlea Bartram</a>, Senior Research Fellow</li><li>• <b>Navigating the Landscape: A progress report on weighing the pros and cons of a national workforce monitoring system</b> - <a href="#">Professor Jacqueline Bowden</a></li><li>• <b>Preventing stress and burnout using NCETA's handbook</b> - <a href="#">Roger Nicholas</a>, Senior Project Manager</li></ul>
2.25 – 2.35 PM	Break
2.35 – 3.20 PM	<b>Presentation on lessons from New Zealand and panel discussion about applicability for Australia</b> Facilitator: <a href="#">Dr Robert Stirling</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Workforce development and registration in New Zealand</b> <a href="#">Dr Sam White</a>, Executive Director, Addiction Practitioners' Association Aotearoa New Zealand</li></ul> <b>Panel:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Michael White</a>, AOD Peaks Representative</li><li>• <a href="#">Dr Victoria Cock</a>, Addiction Medicine Specialist</li><li>• <a href="#">Adjunct Professor Scott Wilson</a>, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander AOD expertise and AOD workforce</li><li>• <a href="#">Ele Morrison</a>, Peer Leader / Consumer-Led National Peak Representative</li></ul>
3.20 – 3.55 PM	<b>Do you need to reframe the way you think about mental health? How using new and old scientific insights can benefit people working in the AOD space, personally and professionally</b> <a href="#">Joep van Agteren</a> , Co-lead, Be Well Co
3.55 – 4.00 PM	<b>Closing Remarks</b> <a href="#">Dr Robert Stirling</a>
4.00 – 5.00 PM	Networking at Flinders Tavern