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# **40 years of drugs, drug addiction and recovery**

**AN ASSESSMENT OF DRUG SITUATION AND ITS EVOLUTION  
SINCE 1978**

The panorama of drugs in recent years has changed, but not the consequences suffered by people affected by problems of addiction, their families and society. This side event will try to examine what has changed and what remained the same, in order to identify some lessons to be learned and used for the future.

Introductory remarks by **H.E. Maria Assunta Accili**, *Permanent Representative of Italy to the International Organizations in Vienna*

**Kenneth Arctander** — *RIO, Norway - RUN, Recovered Users Network*

**Antonio Boschini** - *San Patrignano, Director of the therapeutic program, Italy*

**Alec Carlberg** — *Founder, Basta Arbetskooperativ, Sweden*

**Silvia Lombardi** - *CeIS - Rome, Italy*

**Rui Martins** - *Communication Director, Dianova International, Portugal*

**Moderator**

**Monica Barzanti** — *San Patrignano*

