Thursday, March 21, 2024. 1.00-1.50 p.m. Room M6 (Vienna International Center)

The Declaration of Oviedo: 2024 Global Initiative on Drug Use Prevention

ABOUT

Science is increasingly proving that a significant portion of drugrelated problems is preventable.

On June 9th, 2023, international experts met in Oviedo, Spain, to explore effective strategies for preventing drug use aligned with international scientific standards. Stemming from the consultation, and with the involvement of more than 200 experts and 100 country focal points, the Declaration of Oviedo has been adopted as a **2024 global initiative to scale up evidence-based prevention at the forefront of drug policy**.

The initiative and the ten proposals of the declaration will be presented at this joint side event organized by the Association Proyecto Hombre. For more information, visit www.oviedodeclaration.org

Simultaneous interpretation **ENGLISH-SPANISH**

AGENDA

Welcoming words. Permanent Mission of Spain to the International Organizations in Vienna

Introductory remarks. **Jean-Luc Lemahieu**. Director of the Division for Policy Analysis and Public Affairs at United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.

The initiative. **Regina Mattsson**, Secretary general, World Federation Against Drugs The 10 proposals of the Declaration. **Aránzazu Fernández**, Commission on Prevention, Association Proyecto Hombre

Local voices from Africa, America, Asia-Pacific and Europe

Closing remarks. Matej Košir, Chair, Vienna NGO Committee on Drugs

Moderator: Oriol Esculies, Association Proyecto Hombre

AFTER THE SIDE EVENT
Coffee will be served
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