



# 14th EWDTS Symposium

## Program Highlight

### **Wednesday, 9<sup>th</sup> April 2025**

17:00 Registration opens

19:00 Welcome reception

### **Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> April 2025**

09:00 – 09:10 Welcome address from the President of the EWDTS

#### **09:10 – 10:00 Session 1 – Drug Situation in Europe**

Overview of the drug situation in both Europe and Spain

#### **10:00 – 10:40 Session 2 – Challenges in Alcohol Testing**

*10:40 – 11:00 Coffee Break*

#### **11:00 – 12:30 Session 3 – Onsite Sampling and Testing**

Session dedicated to POCTs (AKA rapid tests), PETH (alcohol abuse marker) testing, Dried blood spots and interpretation challenges.

*12:30 – 14:00 Lunch*

#### **14:00 – 15:30 Session 4 – International Partners, hosted by IFDAT**

*15:30 – 16:00 Coffee Break*

#### **16:00 – 17:30 Session 5 – Cannabis: Trends and Challenges**

19:00 Conference Dinner



## **Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> April 2025**

09:00 – 09:10 Anya Pierce Young Scientist Award

### **Session 6 – Workplace Drug Testing Stakeholders - The user experience**

*User-centric* session with presentations of stakeholders from aviation, human resources and armed forces.

**10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break**

### **Session 7 – Innovations in WDT**

Session dedicated to less conventional matrices (e.g. nails, exhaled breath, sweat) and other innovative applications such as AI.

**12:30 – 14:00 Lunch**

### **14:00 – 15:30 Session 8 – MRO**

Presentation of the International Association of Medical Review Officers' Standard followed by a presentation and discussion of the role of the MRO in different parts of Europe.

### **15:30 – 16:00 Session 9 – EWDTS updates**

Update by the EWDTS guidelines committee

**16:00 Final Remarks**