



# 26<sup>th</sup> German Prevention Congress

## 14<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL FORUM

# Congress Programme 2021

The 26<sup>th</sup> German Prevention Congress with the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual International Forum (AIF) will take place on 10 & 11 May 2021.

Due to the pandemic situation, the AIF will take place entirely online.

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 **DPTAIF**  
Annual International Forum



The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual International Forum (AIF) is part of the 26<sup>th</sup> German Prevention Congress (DPT), which aims to present and strengthen crime prevention within a broad societal framework. It is aimed at professionals from all areas of crime prevention.

The German Prevention Congress enables networking and information transfer already in the run-up to and after the two congress days. The “**DPT Foyer**” is an exclusive section of the DPT website that is open from 15 February to 30 September 2021 to all congress participants registered for the 26<sup>th</sup> DPT. There you have access to several Presentations on Demand and further information material.

**More information**  
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## Monday 10<sup>th</sup> May

### 10.30 – 12.00 OPENING PANEL

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- ERICH MARKS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR DPT: WELCOMING ADDRESS
- HENRIETTE REKER, LORD MAYOR OF COLOGNE: WELCOMING SPEECH
- ARMIN LASCHET, PRIME MINISTER OF THE STATE OF NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA: WELCOMING SPEECH

### PANEL “PREVENTION PROVIDES ORIENTATION! – CRISIS PREVENTION AND CRISIS MANAGEMENT”

- PIA LAMBERTY, JOHANNES GUTENBERG UNIVERSITY MAINZ
- DR KATHRIN LORENZ, DEUTSCHE GESELLSCHAFT FÜR INTERNATIONALE ZUSAMMENARBEIT (GIZ) GMBH
- DARIO SCHRAMM, NATIONAL STUDENT CONFERENCE
- JULIA VON WESTERHOLT, DEUTSCHER VOLKSHOCHSCHUL-VERBAND E.V.
- STEPHAN EBMAYER (MODERATION)

### 12.30 – 14.00 CRIME PREVENTION TAKEAWAYS FROM THE 14<sup>TH</sup> UN CRIME CONGRESS

#### SPEAKER

- JOHANNES DE HAAN, UNITED NATIONS
- PROF DR DOUGLAS DURÁN CHAVARRÍA, UNITED NATIONS LATIN AMERICAN INSTITUTE FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRIME AND THE TREATMENT OF OFFENDERS (ILANUD)
- PROF DR IRVIN WALLER, UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA
- DR BURKHARD HASENPUSCH, (MODERATION)

#### ABSTRACT

Crime prevention has been at the centre of the discussions taking place during the 14th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice in March 2021. As such, the German Prevention Congress offers a timely opportunity to reflect on the outcomes of the UN Congress and main takeaways. This event has featured presentations from the UN, academia and civil society on different aspects of crime prevention.

### 14.00 – 16.00 PANEL (SDG-CUBE-LOUNGE): DESIGNING EVALUATION IN THE PREVENTION OF EXTREMISM IN A DEMAND-ORIENTED AND SUCCESSFUL WAY

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- DR JULIAN JUNK, PEACE RESEARCH INSTITUTE FRANKFURT (PRIF)
- MONA KLÖCKNER, PEACE RESEARCH INSTITUTE FRANKFURT (PRIF)
- LISA NEEF, MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA
- DR GÖTZ NORDBRUCH, UFUQ.DE
- SINA TULTSCHINETSKI, PEACE RESEARCH INSTITUTE FRANKFURT (PRIF)
- STEPHAN EBMAYER (MODERATION)



#### **ABSTRACT**

Evaluation and scientific monitoring can profitably support the implementation and further development of prevention measures in the field of extremism. In order to develop needs-oriented evaluation designs, a close and trusting exchange between all those involved (evaluators, those being evaluated, and funding and client organisations) is necessary. How can such exchange processes be profitably designed? What challenges arise at the different levels of prevention and at their interfaces with political education and violence prevention? At the German Prevention Congress 2021, the experiences of researchers and practitioners in the joint development of multi-method evaluation designs from the PrEval project will be presented and discussed. Two partners from the project will report on their collaboration during the design development and then enter into an open dialogue to exchange experiences.

### **14.30 – 16.00 HUMAN-CENTRED DESIGN FOR LEA INNOVATION**

#### **SPEAKER**

- PROFESSOR CAROLINE L. DAVEY, UNIVERSITY OF SALFORD
- MAXIMILIAN QUERBACH, STATE CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION OFFICE OF NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA
- DR ROBERTA SIGNORI, GREATER MANCHESTER POLICE
- ANDREW B. WOOTTON, UNIVERSITY OF SALFORD
- DR OSKAR GSTREIN, UNIVERSITY OF GRONINGEN (MODERATION)

#### **ABSTRACT**

Across Europe, law enforcement agencies (LEAs) are working to tackle crime and increase citizen safety through improved community policing, the integration of crime prevention measures within urban design and the adoption of technologies such as predictive policing. There is much guidance and good practice from which we can learn, but on what problems should an LEA focus? How does an LEA ensure that the 'solutions' they adopt actually meet the needs of front-line officers and suit the contexts in which they work? To what extent can LEAs themselves innovate and design improvements in police operations — or should this be better left to external creative types? The EU-funded project Cutting Crime Impact (CCI) is supporting six LEAs to understand and reframe problems, generate solution ideas, and design and prototype appropriate 'tools' themselves. This session will explain how adopting a human-centred design approach has supported the LEAs in achieving this. In addition, project partners will discuss their experiences in implementing the CCI approach.

### **16.30 – 18.00 REOFFENDING EXTREMISTS**

#### **SPEAKER**

- TBC, RADICALISATION AWARENESS NETWORK (RAN) PRACTITIONERS

#### **ABSTRACT**

In prison, probation and communities efforts are made to avoid recidivism of extremist offenders, as well as their reengagement in extremist activities. A range of rehabilitation activities are offered from exit work to functional integration assistance such as employment and education measures. Although research indicates that recidivism among this target group is lower than among other offender groups, the potential consequences of reoffending in these cases can be undeniably extreme, as e.g. the recent attacks in Vienna and London have shown. What can practitioners do to manage risk and decrease the likelihood of reoffending as well as false compliance? And how can practice deal with extremists who show no own motivation to change and to engage in rehabilitation efforts? Expert practitioners from RAN Practitioners will share lessons and insights from recent discussions and working group meetings during this webinar.



Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> May

**9.00 – 10.30 CHALLENGES FOR PREVENTING YOUTH VIOLENCE IN CYBERSPACE**

**SPEAKER**

- JOANNA ATKINSON, STRENGTHENING THE RECONCILIATION PROCESSES IN SRI LANKA (SRP)
- BJÖRN KUNTER, LOVE STORM, GERMANY
- DR KLAUS H. SCHREINER, DEUTSCHE GESELLSCHAFT FÜR INTERNATIONALE ZUSAMMENARBEIT (GIZ) GMBH
- SHATHA SHEIKH YOUSSEF, 7AMLEH – THE ARAB CENTER FOR SOCIAL MEDIA ADVANCEMENT

**ABSTRACT**

What can we learn from each other in the globalised cyber space?

Social media play an increasingly important role in every-day life, but also in the political arena. They are very attractive for young people and have become a major means of their communication and interaction: they are building friendships and organising their daily life on these platforms. However, at the same time social media channels are increasingly shaping the political discourse. And they are used as instruments of violent and even criminal perpetration such as cyber-mobbing, hate speech, bullying, fake news, etc. The consequences of such

deeds reach out from the cyberspace into real life and affect the physical and psycho-social well-being of many people. Societies in all countries are facing the challenge to balance the benefits and the hazards of digital communication to prevent the misuse of these media and to avoid risks for peaceful coexistence and cohesive societies. Young people as the main drivers of social media usage are victims and perpetrators at the same time. They play the key role in developing strategies and efforts to contain and prevent violence in the cyberspace and therefore deserve our attention.

Practitioners will present their current practice and experience in the field and explore opportunities of mutual learning and cooperation.

**11.00 – 12.30 INSPIRE; SEVEN STRATEGIES TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN**

**SPEAKER**

- DR REGINA BENEVIDES, US CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION
- DR GLENDA DE RAMA RELOVA, DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT
- SABINE RAKOTOMALALA, GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN

**ABSTRACT**

In recognition of violence against children as a public health issue and in support of the 2030 Agenda, the World Health Organization – in close collaboration with UNICEF, the Global Partnership to End Violence Against Children and other UN agencies and key partners – developed a technical package called 'INSPIRE: Seven strategies to end violence against children' to strengthen evidence based programming to end violence against children. INSPIRE Seven strategies include: implementation and enforcement of laws; norms and values; safe environments; parent and caregiver support; income and economic strengthening; response and support services; and education and life skills.

A myriad of violence prevention programmes are currently being implemented by UN agencies, international development partners, NGO and Governments however levels of integration, coordination and geographical coverage greatly vary. We know that two of the core elements needed to advance adaptation and scale-up at country level is thoughtful application of conceptual clarity and more evidence to the implementation and scale up process. This session will examine the collective investment to scale-up INSPIRE evidence-based programs and approaches both at global and country level.



**Correction: 15.00 – 16.00 CLOSING PANEL**

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- DPT & PARTNER: COLOGNE DECLARATION
- DR MANFRED LÜTZ: PREVENTION SPEECH 2021  
“NEW LUNATICS – WE TREAT THE WRONG ONES. A HUMOROUS STUDY OF THE SOUL”
- ERICH MARKS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR DPT: OUTLOOK AND FAREWELL

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