

# Made in Scotland

## Learning lessons from Scotland's independent approach to tackling alcohol problems

### The 38<sup>th</sup> Annual International

## New Directions in the Study of Alcohol Group Conference

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2014 – Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2014

Hilton by Doubletree, Dundee, Scotland.

THIS YEAR WE ARE OFFERING AS MUCH CHOICE AS POSSIBLE TO ENABLE PEOPLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ANNUAL NEW DIRECTIONS ALCOHOL CONFERENCE. THIS YEAR WE PRESENT THREE THEMED DAYS THAT CAN BE ATTENDED AS 'STAND-ALONE' EVENTS – ALL TOGETHER THEY PROVIDE AN INTEGRATED OVERVIEW OF THE EMERGING ALCOHOL RESEARCH EVIDENCE AND ALCOHOL POLICY DEVELOPMENT – FOCUSSED ON SCOTLAND'S UNIQUE INDEPENDENT APPROACH.

#### **Option 1 – Attend the whole conference:**

From Wednesday afternoon to Saturday lunchtime as either a residential or a day delegate – with excellent opportunities for professional networking outside the formal sessions.

#### **Option 2 – Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April, 9.00am – 5.30pm**

#### ***'Will Independence Change Scotland's Relationship with Alcohol?'***

A stand-alone one day event featuring two research symposiums:

- (1) Scottish Alcohol Policy and the forthcoming Independence referendum; and
- (2) Alcohol Minimum Unit Pricing: responding to the evidence.

#### **Option 3 – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April, 9.00am – 5.30pm**

#### ***'A Pint of Heavy and a Wee Dram'***

A stand-alone one day event featuring an expert led interventions and research symposium, focused on the breadth of practice and research on Scottish-based Alcohol Brief Interventions.

#### **Option 4 - Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> April: Alcohol Research UK Symposium +**

Attend this as a stand-alone ½ day event featuring staff and researchers from Alcohol Research UK in a special alcohol policy symposium and other leading presenters.

**Flexible attendance options allow you to mix and match and to build your personal Continuing Professional Development portfolio.**

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## NDSAG 2014 Conference Booking Form

Select the option that best suits your needs and return the booking form or alternatively book and pay with Paypal at [www.newdirections.org.uk](http://www.newdirections.org.uk)

<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Address (inc. postcode)</b>	
<b>Phone:</b>	
<b>Mobile:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>	
<b>Dietary Requirements:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian <input type="checkbox"/> Vegan <input type="checkbox"/> Other ☆
<b>Disability &amp; Personal Needs:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> If you have any disability or other needs we should be aware of in order to facilitate your attendance at the Conference, please advise us in advance ☆
<b>Information sharing</b>	Tick box if you do <b>not</b> want contact details shared with other delegates <input type="checkbox"/>

<b>1. NDSAG 2014 Members only</b> Membership runs from January – December.  <i>Delete as applicable</i>	<p style="color: red; text-align: center;"><b>These rates apply if you have <i>already</i> paid your 2014 membership subscription</b></p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">1. Whole Conference Residential:.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">475.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2. Whole Conference Day Attendance:.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">275.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3. Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April only (day attendance) :.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">135.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4. Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April only (day attendance) :.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">135.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5. Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> (morning only): ARUK Symposium +:.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">85.00</td> </tr> </table>	1. Whole Conference Residential:.....	475.00	2. Whole Conference Day Attendance:.....	275.00	3. Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> April only (day attendance) :.....	135.00	4. Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> April only (day attendance) :.....	135.00	5. Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> (morning only): ARUK Symposium +:.....	85.00	
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<b>2. Members Rates</b> (includes conference fees & 2014 NDSAG membership @ £30.00)  <i>Delete as applicable</i>	<p style="color: red; text-align: center;"><b>Rates for members re-joining &amp; new members in 2014</b></p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">6. Whole Conference Residential:.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">505.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7. Whole Conference Day Attendance:.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">305.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8. Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April only (day attendance) :.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">165.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9. Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April only (day attendance) :.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">165.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10. Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> (morning only): ARUK Symposium +:.....</td> <td style="text-align: right;">115.00</td> </tr> </table>	6. Whole Conference Residential:.....	505.00	7. Whole Conference Day Attendance:.....	305.00	8. Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> April only (day attendance) :.....	165.00	9. Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> April only (day attendance) :.....	165.00	10. Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> (morning only): ARUK Symposium +:.....	115.00	
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<b>Booking Summary:</b>	<b>Total payment enclosed / invoice requested for the sum of:</b>	<b>£</b>
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**Cheques in Pounds (£) payable to "NDSAG" or "New Directions in the Study of Alcohol Group"  
N.B. All bookings are treated as being provisional until payment has been received**

**Other bespoke accommodation and conference options are available (e.g. two night residential or non-residential package, extra night accommodation on the final day of conference).**

**Advice on best travel options to Dundee is also available.**

**Please email the Conference Organiser (Andy Perkins) at [andyperkins@f8c.co.uk](mailto:andyperkins@f8c.co.uk) for further details.**

- ☆ Please advise us in detail of your needs to help us to make arrangements for your attendance.
- Delegates who are unable to attend the conference may transfer their place to another person at any time. Any cancellations after 14<sup>th</sup> March 2014 will be subject to a £50.00 administration fee.

**N.B. There will be no refund of fees for cancellations received after 31 March 2014.**

**Please complete & return Booking Form to:**

**Donna Nicholas, NDSAG 2014 Conference Administrator**

**c/o Figure 8 Consultancy, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 30 Whitehall Street, Dundee, DD1 4AF**

**email: [donna@f8c.co.uk](mailto:donna@f8c.co.uk) telephone: +44 (0)1382 224846**

**The Ron McKechnie Prize is awarded to the submitted paper that best represents the New Directions theme. This will be a bursary to attend the conference (not including travel). See our website [www.ndsag.org/prize.htm](http://www.ndsag.org/prize.htm) or contact Adrian Brown [contact@ndsag.org](mailto:contact@ndsag.org) for more information.**

**There *may* be a small number of Half Bursaries for residential places available. Please enclose a covering letter and SAE for a Bursary Application Form with your booking form.**

**The full conference programme will be finalised and circulated in January 2014.**

**For updates – please check our website: [www.ndsag.org](http://www.ndsag.org)**

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