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International

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31 August 2017
13.30hr – 16.30hr
Royal Tropical Institute

Road to AIDS 2018

On the 31st of August Share-Net International together with Aidsfonds and AFEW International will host a meeting with 2 important aims:

- To provide a de-brief of the 9th IAS Conference on HIV Science, 23-26 July 2017, Paris
- To share latest planning and discuss ideas for the 22nd International AIDS Conference, AIDS 2018.

Organizations with low or high levels of involvement in AIDS 2018 are welcome to join this discussion.

Date: 31 August 2017

Time: 13.30 – 16.30

Location: Royal Tropical Institute, Amsterdam

Please sign up [here](#) before the 25th of August 2017.



AIDS 22ND INTERNATIONAL AIDS CONFERENCE
2018 AMSTERDAM, NETHERLANDS
23-27 JULY 2018
BREAKING BARRIERS • BUILDING BRIDGES

PROGRAMME

INFORMATION

- 13.15 – 13.30 [Walk-in](#)
- 13.30 – 14.15 [Debrief IAS Paris](#)
Outcomes and highlights of the IAS conference on HIV science in Paris, July 2017
Marein de Jong, Sabrina Ern  & Micha l Kensenhuis Aidsfonds
- 14.15 – 14.30 [Eastern Europe/Central Asia Involvement](#)
EECA in the spotlight: how the region is getting ready for AIDS 2018. Successes and challenges.
Daria Alexeeva, *AFEW*International
- 14.30 – 14.45 [Coffee/Tea break](#)
- 14.45 – 15.15 [Road to AIDS 2018](#)
Practical guidelines to participation during AIDS 2018
Liselotte Zoetmulder, AIDS 2018
- 15.15 – 15.25 [Dutch Approach](#)
Monique Middelhoff & Els Klinkert
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 15.25 – 15.45 [Brainstorm Session 1 in groups](#)
The Dutch Approach Booth was a success at several AIDS conferences in the past years; let's take it even further at AIDS 2018 and make everybody remember it forever!
- 15.45 – 16.15 [Brainstorm Session 2 in groups](#)
Joining efforts and resources for more effective discussions at AIDS 2018
- 16.15 – 16.30 [Summary/Next Steps](#)
Monique Middelhoff, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Liselotte Zoetmulder, AIDS 2018

Language
English

Visiting address
Royal Tropical
Institute,
Amsterdam

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Preparations

We would like to invite you all to prepare for the brainstorm session beforehand by writing a short 'pitch' of a maximum of 5 lines what you (or your organization) would like to contribute to the conference.

Your pitch should be based on (one of) the conference objectives:

1. Convene the world's experts to advance knowledge about HIV, present new research findings, and promote and enhance global scientific and community collaborations in synergy with other health and development sectors.
2. Promote human rights based and evidence-informed HIV responses that are tailored to the needs of particularly vulnerable communities, including people living with HIV, displaced populations, men who have sex with men, people in closed settings, people who use drugs, sex workers, transgender people, women and girls and young people.
3. Activate and galvanize political commitment and accountability among governments, donors, private sector and civil society for an inclusive, sustainable and adequately financed, multi-sectoral, integrated response to HIV and associated coinfections and comorbidities.
4. Address gaps in and highlight the critical role of HIV prevention, in particular among young people in all their diversity and its integration in a range of health care settings.
5. Spotlight the state of the epidemic and the HIV response in Eastern Europe and Central Asia with a focus on investments, structural determinants and services.

You can find these on the AIDS 2018 website [here](#).

Please think beforehand about who you would like to partner with and organize together an activity at the AIDS 2018. What is the added value and uniqueness of your idea and the proposed partnership? What would you like to bring to the community?

Send your pitch to info@share-net.nl before the **28th of August close of business**. We will cluster everything we will receive and make sure we can use it during the brainstorm session.