

## NEWSLETTER 3 – November 2011

### SAFER NIGHTLIFE DIGITAL LIBRARY

The Nightlife Empowerment and Well-being Implementation Project (NEWIP) partners introduce the Safer Nightlife [Digital Library](#), a resource hub growing every month to share and to facilitate access to numerous specific documents related with Safer Nightlife projects. Participate and help us to enhance it.

### NEWIP | Drug Checking

The TEDI workgroup has elaborated the [Factsheet on Drug Checking in Europe](#), a practical summary of useful information gathered in 10 FAQs to present a concise overview of Drug Checking services today in Europe. This document and EU trends reports will also be diffused within the future TEDI website, which will be on line at the end of the year.

### NEWIP | Party+

The Party + partners are proud to present the launch of the Party+ website ([www.partyplus.eu](http://www.partyplus.eu)). The aims of this new tool are to promote:

- the network services (expert visits, seminars, info sessions & downloadable documents)
- all labelled venues and the Party+ members.

### NEWIP | Standards

The Standards workgroup is working on a standard description of all the different NEWIP topics. For this, a standard format has been developed. At the moment we are developing a questionnaire for the different peer projects in Europe. We hope to get an overview of their different working methods. These questionnaires will be the starting point for writing a European guideline for Safer Nightlife onsite and online peer education. Partners in this workgroup already include Jochen Schrooten (VAD), Jan De Smet (Breakline), Matt Straw (Crew 2000), Bart van Kerckhoven (Vital sounds) and Floor van Bakkum( Jellinek/ Unity).

### NEWIP | Field interventions

The first NEWIP Interventions have been made this Summer with a team of 8 associations and 25 volunteers!!! First was the Fusion, Germany, in partnership with Eclipse. 20 000 partygoers, more than 5 dance floors with Rock, Punk, Theatre, Cirkus and minimal music during three days and....heavy rain! The second was Transylvania Calling, one full week of Trance and psy-trance sounds in the big forest of Transylvania to share with partygoers and between all the volunteers and associations. Thanks to all the volunteers for these great moments and a great job, see u next summer !

## NEWIP | Emerging Media

At the Human Technology Lab (University of Padua) the design of the NEWIP "emerging media" is going on. We have a beta version of the software platform and of the content management of the serious game. In parallel, through a series of [collaborative sessions](#) with students from the University of Padova, and peer operators from the Faenza Drugs Service we are designing nightlife scenarios and stories that will represent the backbone of the game.

If you wish to collaborate in the creation of nightlife scenarios that will be implemented in the game or in the bluetooth info service, do not hesitate to contact us at [htlab.info@gmail.com](mailto:htlab.info@gmail.com) or join us during the NEWIP interactive workshop at the Club Health Conference to know more about the NEWIP activities and the EU Safer Night (June 2012)

## COMING SOON

[International Drug Policy Reform Conference](#): November 2-5 2011

[Games and Creativity in Education and Training \(GACET\)](#): November 17-18 2011

[Club Health Conference](#): December 12-14 2011

[Correlation Conference](#): December 12-14 2011

## INTERESTING DOCUMENTS

- [A summary of the health harms of drugs](#)
- ["Legal highs" - The challenge of new psychoactive substances](#)
- [EMCDDA Report on the risk assessment of mephedrone](#)
- [Tweaking, bombing, dabbing and stockpiling: the emergence of mephedrone and the perversity of prohibition](#)
- [Clinical toxicology of newer recreational drug](#)
- [The Drug Information and Monitoring System \(DIMS\) in the Netherlands: Implementation, results, and international comparison](#)
- [Developing advanced drug policies: the example of drug-checking](#) - Motion for a resolution
- [Conclusions on the prevention and reduction of health and social risks associated with the use of illicit drugs in recreational settings](#)
- [Global Commission on Drug Policy Report](#) - EN, ES, RU, PT, FR
- [Serious Games in Social Intervention: designing technologies to promote safe and healthy Behaviors](#)
- [Serious Games for Drug Prevention](#)
- [They Call It Acid](#)

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