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## ISSUP Newsletter: Issue 8

With the start of the new month, it's time for another ISSUP update. Last week Joanna Travis-Roberts, ISSUP's Deputy Executive Director, and Livia Edegger, ISSUP's Communications and Research Manager, attended the [Annual Meeting of the Society for Prevention Research \(SPR\)](#) in Washington, D.C. More than 800 researchers, practitioners and policy makers from around the world came together to **exchange new concepts, methods and results within the prevention and related public health fields**. The meeting provided a great opportunity for ISSUP to spread the word about the work we do and the services we offer.

In other news...

### **Are you looking for opportunities to build your skills and expertise?**

We cordially invite individuals working within the **prevention field in Asia, Africa or Europe** to join the [Universal Prevention Curriculum for Substance Use - Implementers Series \(UPC-I\)](#) cadre for master trainers. The UPC-I series covers the knowledge and skills necessary for implementing and sustaining evidence-based policies and interventions to prevent substance use. [Click here to learn more about the training and eligibility criteria!](#)

**We have also recently launched the [ISSUP Forum](#) and encourage you to join this week's discussion on the role of sport in preventing substance abuse.**

As always, visit [our website](#) for more of the latest information from the fields of

drug prevention and treatment. If there's anything else you'd like to read about in our newsletter or see on our website, feel free to send us an email at [info@issup.net](mailto:info@issup.net).

## Check out our latest stories



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[How Do We Tackle the Opioid Epidemic?](#)

[the Role of Sport in Preventing  
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## Upcoming Events

June

[2017 NIDA International Forum](#)

[2017 International Consortium of Universities for Drug Demand Reduction Conference](#)

[Global Forum on Nicotine 2017](#)

[European Drugs Summer School](#)

July

[5th Annual NFAR Technology Summit: Implementing Technology to Improve SUD Services](#)

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