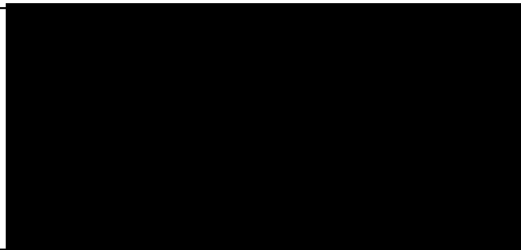


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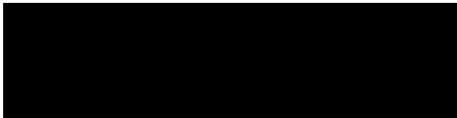
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Current and recently completed NDLERF funded projects

| Author | Title | Summary |
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| Peter Miller | Patron Offending and Intoxication in Night-Time Entertainment Districts (POINTED) | <p>The aim of the POINTED research project was to allow better measurement and understanding of the consumption of alcohol and other drugs and their association with risky and offending behaviour within and around licensed venues.</p> <p>A primary major aim of the project is to measure levels of pre-drinking, drinking in venues, intoxication, illicit drug use and harmful drinking practices (such as mixing with energy drinks) of patrons in entertainment areas, and relating this to offending, risky behaviour and harms experienced.</p> <p>The research provided evidence for policy changes in relation to ceasing the sale of alcohol in venues an hour before closing; increasing the price of alcohol through taxation (preferably based on volume and increasing according to beverage strength) to include pre-packaged alcohol used for preloading. This research was used in the development of actions included in Victoria Police's Alcohol Position Statement and three year Strategy and as part of ongoing discussions with the Victorian Commission of Gaming, Liquor and Racing and the Department of Justice on legislative reform.</p> |
| Peter Miller | Interventions for reducing alcohol supply, alcohol demand, and alcohol related harm. | <p>A research study that looked at what the most effective strategies are for minimising the harms associated with the oversupply and misuse of alcohol. The research has been presented to the Department of Premier and Cabinet and has informed Victoria Police's Alcohol Position Statement. The evidence of what works is currently being used to argue for legislative reform in the planning and licensing arenas, particularly in relation to packaged liquor and associated harms.</p> |
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