

Corrections and Sentencing Consortium Meeting Monday 30 September, 2013

Brisbane, The Shore, Arbour View Cafes, The Parklands, Southbank

8:30	Arrival coffee/tea
8:45	Welcome & Introductions <i>Professor Paul Mazerolle, Pro Vice Chancellor & Professor James Byrne, Griffith University</i>

New Directions in Evidence-based Corrections and Sentencing: A Global Discussion

9:00	<p>What works? Developing a Global Perspective on Evidence-based Corrections and Sentencing Strategies. Roundtable discussion among global consortium members highlighting research evidence from each global region. Brief Overview Presentations from selected Global Regions:</p> <p>Spencer D. Li, University of Macau Community Corrections in China Alison Liebling, University of Cambridge Prison Performance in the United Kingdom Cassia Spohn, Arizona State University The Effectiveness of Sentencing in The United States Santiago Redondo Illesces, University of Barcelona The Effectiveness of Sentencing in Europe</p> <p>For Discussion: What constitutes the evidence-base for evidence-based corrections and sentencing policies and practices? What is the status of evidence-based research, policy, and practice in each global region?</p>
10:40	Morning tea

Emerging Global Issue in Corrections and Sentencing: The Case for Justice Reinvestment in High Risk Communities

11:00	<p>Justice Reinvestment Strategies: Global Perspectives <i>Professor Ross Homel, Key Centre for Ethics, Law, Justice and Governance, Griffith University, Australia</i></p> <p>Introductory presentations:</p> <p>Kevin Wong, Hallam Centre for Community Justice <i>Justice Reinvestment in the United Kingdom</i> Faye Taxman, George Mason University <i>Justice Reinvestment in the United States</i> Mick Gooda, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Justice Commissioner, Australian Human Rights Commission <i>Justice Reinvestment in Australia</i></p> <p>For discussion: What is the link between justice reinvestment and community crime prevention? Can we successfully integrate individual and community change strategies?</p>
12:15	Lunch

Emerging Issues in Australian Corrections and Sentencing: Research, Policy, and Practice

13:15	<p>Australian Corrections and Sentencing Research: An Overview and Assessment of Evidence-based Research, Policy, and Practice</p> <p>Introductory Presentation: James Byrne, Griffith University <i>Corrections and Sentencing in Australia: A Review of the Available Research on Effectiveness</i></p> <p><i>Australian and international consortium members will examine emerging issues and research evidence from each Australian state. There will brief overview presentations on the following topics:</i></p> <p>New Directions in Adult and Juvenile Sentencing in Australia Christine Bond and Samantha Jeffries, Griffith University</p> <p>Restorative Justice in Australia Hennessey Hayes, Griffith University</p> <p>Privatisation in Australian Corrections John Rynne, Griffith University</p> <p>Other Australian Innovations in Adult and Juvenile Corrections: Adults-- Institution and community-based treatment Juvenciles—Juvenile detention strategies, shaming, and early intervention via Boot camps</p> <p>For Discussion: What is the Evidence base for new directions in Australian corrections and sentencing? Can high performance and low performance adult and juvenile corrections programs be identified?</p>
14:45	Afternoon tea
Discussion and review: recap	
15:00	<p>Next Steps for GCECS: Where do we go from here? Developing an agenda for research, policy, and practice:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Research: Collaboration among consortium members. 2. Policy: Knowledge exchange Executive Seminars in each global region. 3. Practice: Our online resource clearinghouse and a demonstration of global mapping of corrections and sentencing performance data. <p>For discussion: Can we develop global performance measures that distinguish high performance from low performance Corrections Programs and Sentencing Strategies?</p>
16:15	Meeting closed
16:15-17:30	Meeting cocktails and finger food

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