



**Multilateral evaluation of drug policies in the Americas:  
Evolution, Challenges and Achievements**

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**AGENDA**

**Wednesday, March 14, 2018**

**Conference Room M3  
Vienna International Centre**

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| 09:00 – 09:10 | <b>Welcoming remarks</b><br>- Angela Crowdy – CICAD Assistant Executive Secretary<br>(CICAD/OAS, Hemispheric Drug Strategy and its Plan of Action)<br>(Panel moderator)  |
| 09:10 – 09:20 | <b>The MEM process and drug policies in the Americas</b><br>- Sofia Kosmas – Chief, MEM Unit, CICAD/ OAS<br>(Evolution, challenges and achievements)   |
| 09:20 – 09:27 | <b>MEM: updated for a new round of evaluations</b><br>- Roberto Canay<br>Vice-Chair of the Inter-Governmental Working Group (IWG/MEM)<br>Under Secretary of Strategies on Prevention and Treatment<br>Secretariat on Comprehensive Drug Policies (SEDRONAR)<br>Argentina |
| 09:27 – 09:34 | <b>Impact of the MEM process on member states and national drug policies</b><br>- Esther Best<br>Manager, National Drug Council<br>Trinidad and Tobago   |
| 09:34 - 09:40 | <b>Panel's key points</b> (Moderator's wrap-up)  |
| 09:40 – 09:50 | <b>Questions and Answers</b>   |