

The logo for SSDP Australia, featuring the letters 'ssdp' in a bold, lowercase, sans-serif font inside a white speech bubble shape. Below the speech bubble, the word 'Australia' is written in a smaller, lowercase, sans-serif font.

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The background of the slide is a close-up photograph of cannabis leaves, which are a vibrant green color. The leaves are arranged in a fan-like pattern, with their serrated edges clearly visible. The lighting is bright, highlighting the texture and veins of the leaves.

Inquiry into the use of Cannabis in Victoria

Students for Sensible Drug Policy Australia (SSDP Aus)

Public Hearing with The Parliament of Victoria's Committee for Legal and Social Issues

April 21st, 2021

Students for Sensible Drug Policy Australia: Who are we?



Our comprehensive submission and hearing presentation is the culmination of lived experiences of cannabis consumption and the expertise and research of students in fields such as: politics, social services, economics, biochemistry, psychology, AOD, education and more.

Who are the young voices representing SSDP at this public hearing?

Gulliver McLean

Julia Daly

Jesse Colling

1.0 Promoting broader public health and preventing criminal activity relating to the illegal cannabis trade by legalising cannabis and creating a regulated, taxable cannabis market

2.0 Young people who use cannabis are disproportionately impacted by the harms of cannabis use, cannabis policing and stigma towards cannabis users

3.0 Public health campaigns, harm reduction and youth engagement

4.0 Improving research into the harms and benefits of cannabis use, and the impacts of any regulatory changes

What's next for SSDP and cannabis?

- Surveying Australia's young people to learn even more about their thoughts on cannabis and legalisation.
- Organising more young people to advocate for this issue. We encourage all students and young people watching this to help us!

**Thank you for your time and
consideration!**

Questions?