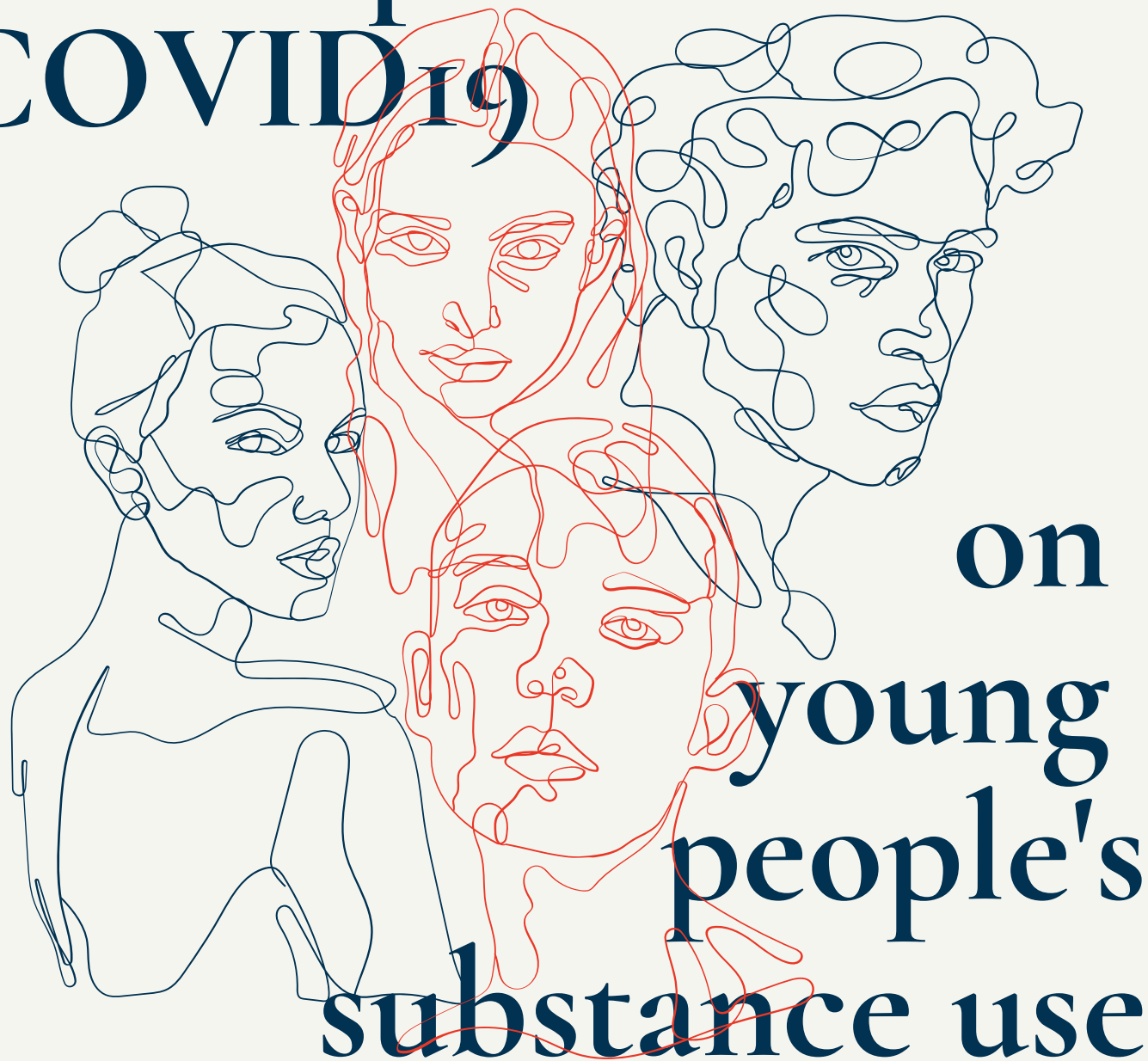


SIDE EVENT AT THE 64TH COMMISSION ON NARCOTIC DRUGS
by Students for Sensible Drug Policy and Youth RISE

The impact of COVID-19



on young people's substance use

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Since the beginning of 2020, the world has been experiencing an unprecedented public health emergency, which has led to a dramatic shift in how young people live. The pandemic bore major consequences on how young people are experiencing their everyday lives and their recreation time: restrictions of movement, the closure of public places, universities and workplaces moving online had wide ranging effects on physical and emotional environments, as well as on substance use.

In this session, young people will discuss their experiences during the pandemic & present their research about the changing realities of young people who work with PWUD and of YPWUD.