

Review of: "Which sociocultural determinants of pre-drinking amongst undergraduate university students influence motivation"

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Potential competing interests: No potential competing interests to declare.

The abstract could include more specific details about the methodology used in the study, such as the survey design, sample size, and data analysis techniques. I Include a sentence or two about methodology aspects: the survey duration, and any relevant ethical considerations.

In the introduction:

Expand on the detrimental effects by briefly discussing health and social consequences, such as risk of accidents, violence, etc. Consider including a sentence about the implications of the study's findings or potential recommendations for interventions or policies targeting PD among university students.

Present a succinct summary of the key findings and constraints of previous research undertaken in this domain, in the introduction.

Materials and methods

Include more details on the statistical tests and the significance levels.

Results & Discussion

Provide information about the response rate and your efforts to ensure representativeness of the sample.

Emphasized on the possible harm reduction programs. It could be helpful to provide specific examples of social media campaigns, digital apps, or podcasts that could effectively promote safer pre-drinking behaviors and encourage alternative activities.

Discuss the potential limitations of implementing variations in alcohol regulations and cultural norms across different countries.

Discuss the potential cultural factors and social norms that contribute to the appeal of pre-drinking and drinking games among university students and analyze ways to address these factors in harm reduction strategies.

