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I. Preface

For more than 20 years the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies offers the framework for academic research on sport politics and leisure studies at German Sport University Cologne. Since 2011 the focus on European sport studies has been deepened with the newly established Jean Monnet Chair.

Based on the support of the European Commission a couple of projects – for instance the AEI conference 2012, the Sport&EU conference 2014 and the series of "Jean Monnet Lectures on Sport politics" – have already been realised while other projects are still in progress. The team of the institute is working eagerly to accomplish further projects – in particular the Master program on "International Sport Development and Politics" as well as the new publications series.

This annual report – covering the period from summer 2014 to summer 2015 – introduces the reader to new activities. Amongst others the HOMER project has been launched jointly with three other Jean Monnet Chairs (at the University of Cologne and the University of Maastricht). This teaching project seeks to identify narratives of European integration with regard to the activities of the European Council.

A particular highlight of the last months has been the talk given by the President of the European Parliament Martin Schulz at German Sport University during the grading ceremony of the HOMER project. The public debate on sport and development policy during this year's European week in May 2015 has also raised the attention of students at the university and the citizen of Cologne alike.

The readers are kindly invited to have a closer look at these and other activities in this fourth edition of the Jean Monnet report. Questions, proposals and critical comments are highly appreciated and may be addressed to the Jean Monnet Chair (iesf@dshs-koeln.de).

Jürgen Mittag August 2015

II. Leitbild/Mission of the Institute

The German Sport University Cologne (GSU) is Germany's most important academic centre of teaching and research in physical education and sport science and one of the largest specialised universities world-wide. With 21 academic departments it covers a wide range of sport science in teaching and research. More than 30 sports are taught in theory and practice in modern facilities. Around 5,500 students, including 350 foreign students, are studying at the GSU, which offers academic Bachelor's and Master's degrees, teaching certificates for various school levels and a doctoral degree. The Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies and its Jean Monnet Chair work towards contributing to the European dimension of sport in particular and to the international development of sport structures in general.

The ongoing interdependence of sport and other societal fields, the increasing economic power of sport, the growing influence of governmental and non-governmental actors on the organisation of sport, its framework, and the continuing Europeanisation and globalisation have increased the importance of sport politics. However, the development of a political science inspired approach to sport and the formation of a particular branch addressing the broad range of sport-related political issues are still at the very beginning.

Against this background, activities of the IESF aim to cooperate with national and international academics in order to bring together findings from political, social, and sport sciences. The overall goal is to illustrate the specific core of sport political action by taking into account the three dimensions polity (structural-institutional), politics (procedural) and policy (content-related). For all dimensions, it is important not only to consider the horizontal differentiation between regional autonomy and governmental regulation, but also the vertical differentiation between local, regional, national, European, and international levels, to meet the needs of a sport political multi-level system. This view is mirrored in the two main research areas of the Institute: national, European, and international sport systems and politics and the role of sport in international development cooperation.

III. Teaching Activities

The Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies (IESF) is engaged in the teaching of various mandatory courses in the following study programmes of the German Sport University Cologne (GSU):

B.A. in Sport, Outdoor Education and Physical Activity

Objectives: Students are taught to plan and carry out physical activities in nature sports/sport tourism, in leisure sports/ popular sports, and in dance/movement/ creativity. In compulsory elective courses, students can deepen their knowledge about sport politics and the European dimension of sport.

M.Sc. in Sport Tourism and Recreation Management

Objectives: Students learn how to perform strategic and operative management tasks in for-profit and not-for-profit areas of sport tourism and recreation management.

M.Sc. in Sport Management

Objectives: Students acquire research-based skills to evaluate, analyse, and design economic contexts pertaining to sports as well as the political framework of the Euro pean Union and different national sport systems.

Compulsory Elective (Profilergänzung): European Sport Studies

Objectives: Students learn and discuss about national sport systems and national sport policies in different European countries, obtain knowledge in the area of European sport politics and get sensitised for European issues in sport.

<u>Compulsory Elective (Profilergänzung): International Sport Politics and Sport in Development</u> <u>Objectives:</u>

Students acquire basic knowledge about sport political structures and actors. Special attention is paid to the international surroundings of sport and the role of sport in development work.

Certificate in European Sport Studies

Further qualification comprised of

- 1. Project funding and European project management
- 2. European lobbying
- 3. Field Trip to Brussels

Jean Monnet Lectures

In addition to these mandatory courses the IESF has established a series of public lectures dedicated in particular to the political system of the EU, its history, institu tions and procedures as to the topic of sport. The specific focus of these lectures is the linkage of the EU multi-level system and sport politics. All lectures are open for the public.

Education Certificate Studies: Foreign Relation Experts for Sport

Objectives: students get to know the international sport sponsoring & projects of the Federal Foreign Office and the DOSB as well as German and foreign sport systems and acquire the knowledge about the planning, financing and evaluation of projects ab road.

Additionally, the students acquire general competences and knowledge for stays abroad in the working field of "sport and development cooperation".

Field Trip Brussels 2015:

European Sports Politics in Practice was the title of a two-day field-trip that took 27 students to Brussels in April 2015. It was organised and supervised by Till Müller-Schoell. The students visited many of the key institutions and sports interest groups located in Brussels and were able to interact with staff from organisations such as the European Commission, the European Parliament, the European Olympic Committees and the EU Athletes Association. The



experience allowed for the group to see politics firsthand and to grasp the greater, more formalised role sports is taking on the European stage. European politics became more than just names, dates and institutions.

III.1 Courses in 2014/15

The following courses have been offered by the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies in the winter term 2014/15 and in the summer term 2015.

Mandatory	Teaching	on	European	and	EU	matters	
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title of course / acitivity	mandatory	hours/ year	undergraduate/ postgraduate	no. of students
BAS2 - Introduction to Sport Law and Sport Poli- tics (Nolte/Mittag)	\checkmark	2x14h	undergraduate	2x410
PE1.14 - Current Problems of International Sport Politics: Perspectives of Social Policy, Fundamen- tal Rights and Development cooperation. (Mittag/Petry)	(√)	28h	undergraduate	29
PE1.14 - Sport and Development (Petry)	(√)	28h	undergraduate	29
SMA1 - Introduction to European and Interna- tional Politics: The political System of the EU (Mittag)	\checkmark	28h	graduate	31
SMA1 - European Integration, Common Market and Sport: Inspirations from Brussels? (Kornbeck/Mittag)	\checkmark	28h	graduate	31
SMA1 - International Sport Systems (Petry)	\checkmark	28h	graduate	31
SEB12 - Sport Polictics and Sport Federations (KH. Schneider)				
SEB12 - Sport Politics and Sport Federations. The Social Function of Football in International Comparison (Ziesche)	\checkmark	28h	undergraduate	29
PE 1.14 - Basics of Sport Politics: Spain (Putzmann)	(√)	28h	undergraduate	29
PE1.4 - National and European Sport Systems (Petry)	(√)	28h	undergraduate	29
PE1.4 - National and European Sports Policy: New Challenges for European Sport Politics (Mittag)	(√)	28h	undergraduate	30
Colloquia for Doctoral Students (Mittag)	(√)	2x14h	graduate	30

Mandatory Teaching on other topics

title of course / acitivity	mandatory	hours/ year	undergraduate/ postgraduate	no. of students
SEB2 - Project Seminar (Petry/Müller-Schoell)	\checkmark	56h	undergraduate	30
SEB2 - Aspects of Leisure- and Adventure Sports and Physical Activity in Social and Cultural Studies (Wendland)	\checkmark	28h	undergraduate	40
SEB9.2.1 Project- and Eventmanagement in practice (Müller-Schoell)	\checkmark	14h	undergraduate	20
SEB9.2.1./H7 - Project- and Eventmanage- ment in Practice (Petry)	\checkmark	2x28h	graduate	31
SEB9.2.1 Start in professional Life (Petry)	\checkmark	10h	undergraduated	15
SEB9.2.1 Project- and Eventmanagement in practice (Groll)	\checkmark	28	undergarduated	50
SEB12 - Project and Eventmanagement (Müller-Schoell)	\checkmark	14h	undergraduate	30
SEB12 - Sport Politics and Sport Federations - between Politics and Economy (Ziesche)	(√)	28h	undergraduate	29
SEB12 - Sportmanagement- and marketing (Müller-Schoell)	\checkmark	14h	undergraduate	50
SEB12 - Sport politics and Sport Federations - between Politics and Economy (Müller-Schoell)	\checkmark	28h	undergraduate	90
SQ2 - Managing Diversity (Müller-Schoell)	\checkmark	2*28h	undergraduate	30
SQ2 - Managing Diversity (Wendland)	\checkmark	2*28h	undergraduate	22
SQ2 - Professional/ Specific/ Technical Foreign Language English	\checkmark	140h	undergraduate	32
TEM3 - Theories and Inter-cultural Aspects of Tourism (Mittag)	\checkmark	28h	graduate	32
TEM3 - Contemporary Theories of Society and Megatrends (Petry)	\checkmark	28h	graduate	32
TEM3 - Socio-political and Cultural Aspects of Tourism (Mittag/Wendland)	\checkmark	28h	graduate	32
TEM3 - Socio-political and Cultural Aspects of Leisure (Michels)	\checkmark	28h	graduate	30
TEM5 - Tourism Studies (Mittag)		14h	graduate	32
TEM5 - Basic Research Methods (Mittag)	\checkmark	28h	graduate	32

III.2 Final Theses in 2014/15

The following final theses have been supervised by the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies in the winter term 2014/15 and in the summer term 2015.

Title	Year	Level	Supervisor
"Sporttourismus in Bulgarien: Entwicklungspotenziale und – grenzen durch die Sturkturentwicklung".	2015	Master	Mittag
"Von der Tourismusindustrie zur Erlebnisindustrie. Erlebnis- inszenierung im Cluburlaub."	2015	Master	Mittag
"Der Trend zum Wellneess- und Erholungstourismus. Folgen von veränderten Gesundheits- und Zeitkonzepten."	2015	Master	Mittag
"Die Nachfrageveränderung des Auslandstourismus in Russland: Die Bedeutung ökonomischen und gesellschaftlichen Wandels."	2015	Master	Mittag
Potenziale und Grenzen von Animationsangeboten in naturna- hen Hotels in der Slowakei	2015	Master	Mittag
Authentizität im Familientourismus: Ergebnis natürlicher Gege- benheiten oder zielgruppenspezifischer Inszenierung?	2014	Master	Mittag
Assessing the IOC and FIFA Ethics Committees as Self-Regula- tors: Good Governance in Sports	2014	Master	Mittag
Das politische Potenzial von internationalen Sportgroßer- eignissen zur Stärkung der nationalen Identität am Bsp. der Fußballweltmeisterschaften 2006 in Deutschland & 2010 in Südafrika	2015	Bachelor	Mittag
"Staatliche Sportpolitik in Polen: Priorität Spitzen- oder Breiten- sport?"	2015	Bachelor	Mittag
Sportvereine auf der Suche nach jungen Mitgliedern – Potenzi- ale und Grenzen von Trendsportangeboten	2015	Bachelor	Mittag
Adidas und FIFA: Eine perfekte Partnerschaft?	2014	Bachelor	Mittag
Erfolg im internationalen Spitzensport – eine Folge politischer Entscheidungen? Eine Analyse ausgewählter Sportförderungsin- strumente in Deutschland	2014	Bachelor	Mittag
Soziale und ökologische Folgen von Sportgroßveranstaltungen: Auswirkungen der Olympischen Winterspiele und der Fußball- weltmeisterschaft auf die Bevölkerung von Sotschi und der brasilianischen WM-Städte	2014	Bachelor	Mittag
Sportsponsoring im Beachvolleyball – Chancen und Grenzen von Sportevents am Beispiel der smart beach tour	2014	Bachelor	Mittag
Potenziale und Grenzen der schulischen Gesundheitsförderung am Beispiel der Realschule	2015	State Exam	Mittag
Kooperation zwischen Schule und Sportverein: Möglichkeiten und Grenzen der Zusammenarbeit von Schule und Verein am Beispiel der der Giants League Leverkusen	2015	State Exam	Mittag
Füreinander, Miteinander oder Nebeneinander? Das Verhältnis von offenen Ganztagsschulen und Sportvereinen im Kreis Dü- ren. Ein Stadt-Land-Vergleich	2014	State Exam	Mittag
Gesundprävention in Deutschland: Stärken und Schwächen der Gesetzlichen Krankenversicherung	2014	State Exam	Mittag
"Personalmanagement für Saisonkräfte im (Sport-)Tourismus"	2015	Master	Petry
"Youth Sport in Austria: Analysis and Development of Quality Indicators at National Level."	2015	Master	Petry

Title	Year	Level	Supervisor
Sport as a tool for life skill development - A qualitative study of a sports initiative for troubled youths in New York City	2014	Master	Petry
Die offene Ganztagesschule und Sportvereine: Kooperation oder Konkurrenz? Eine Analyse am Beispiel der Stadt Mönchenglad- bach	2015	Bachelor	Petry
Sportbezogene Entwicklungszusammenarbeit in Sri Lanka - Do- kumentation und Analyse sportbezogener Entwicklungsprojekte	2015	Bachelor	Petry
Motivation und Zufriedenheit von Capoeiristas - Eine Analyse von aktiven Capoeiristas und deren Bewertung der allgemeinen Angebotssituation von Capoeira-Events in Deutschland	2015	Bachelor	Petry
Weiterbildungsmangagement in der sportbezogenen Entwick- lungszusammenarbeit - Analyse einer Trainerausbildungsmaß- nahme der GIZ in Brasilien	2015	Bachelor	Petry
Analyse des finnischen Sportsystems unter Berücksichtigung der Rolle des Staates	2014	Bachelor	Petry
Entwicklung und soziale Stabilität durch Basketball - Möglich- keiten und Herausforderungen am Beispiel des Projeto Bas- quete in Sao Paulo, Brasilien		Bachlor	Petry
Entwicklung eines anwendungsorientierten M&E-Systems für NGO's in der sportbezogenen Entwicklungszusammenarbeit		Bachelor	Petry
ASD - Africa Soccer Developments - A chance to escape South Africa's major problems through talent	2014	Bachelor	Petry

III.3 Series of Jean Monnet Lectures on European Sport Politics

In 2014 and 2015, IESF proudly hosted respected guest speakers and visitors who gave presentations on many different topics related to sports, (European) politics and development through and in sport.

Date	Speaker/Visitor	Торіс
27.05.2014	Arnout Geeraert (Catholic University Leuven)	Sport Governance in the European Union
27.06.2014	Jacob Kornbeck (EU- Commission) / Volker Hellmund (Deutscher Olympischer Sport- bund) / William Gail- lard (UEFA)	Public Debate on the State and Future of Sport Governance in Europe
04.11.2014	Jens Pösse (Osnabrück)	Sportpolitik als wissenschaftliche Disziplin
11.11.2014	Philipp Vonnard (Lau- sanne/Köln)	"The only European organization!" Some reflections about the construction of UEFA 1950 - 1961
18.11.2014	Stefan Zwicker (Bonn)	Die politische Rolle des Sports im Protektorat Böhmen und Mähren und in der Tschechoslowakei (1939-1989)
25.11.2014	Richard Bailey (Berlin)	Making the case for sport for all: translating research into sport policy
02.12.2014	Marianne Meier (tdh international)	Sportgroßveranstaltungen und Kinderrechte
09.12.2014	Gunnar Risse (Müns- ter)	Antidoping-Politik in Deutschland
16.12.2014	Michael Reiter (Wien)	Human Rights in Sport – Sport as a Human Right? Die All- gemeine Erklärung der Menschenrechte durch die Vereinten Nationen und deren Einfluss auf die Politik des Internationa- len Olympischen Komitees
13.01.2015	David Lanzerath (Bonn)	"Die Massen, die uns heute noch fern stehen, für unsere Bewegung begeistern" – Kulturelle Praktiken der Arbeiter- turnbewegung als Mobilisierungsressource
20.01.2015	Maren Kröger (UN-HCR)	Sport im Dienste von Entwicklung und Frieden aus der Pers- pektive der Vereinten Nationen
27.01.2015	Nodar Akhalkatsi (Heidelberg/Georgien)	Die Sportsysteme in Georgien, im Kaukasus und den Staaten der ehemaligen Sowjetunion im Wandel
05.05.2015	Public Discussion with Bastian Rudde (Deutschlandfunk)	Sport and Development Policy: Real Interaction or Pure Rhetoric? Participants: Marianne Meier (tdh), Clemens Mukolzi (Jambo Bu- koba), Gerald Guskowski (GIZ Bonn), Karen Petry (DSHS), Siebo Janssen (Universität Köln)
09.06.2015	Mario Woldt (Hannover)	The European and international activities of the German Rowing Federation
16.06.2015	Harm Kaal (Nijmegen)	Popular politics: the friendly match between sport and poli- tics in the Netherlands, 1960 - 1980s.
06.07.2015	Martin Schulz (Brüssel/Strasbourg)	Die Europäische Union als Wirtschafts- und Wertegemein- schaft: Chancen und Grenzen des Sports

III.4 Specialized Teaching Project: HOMER

HOMER has a transnational impact since it brings together the German Sport University Cologne (GSU), the University of Cologne, and the University of Maastricht as a Jean Monnet Center of Excellence.

HOMER is a six step research-based teaching program that seeks to identify narratives, focusing on three history making summits of national leaders in the history of European integration.

HOMER's background:

The future of the European Union will increasingly be shaped by the perception of its history and an evolving European memory culture. Against this backdrop, it is necessary to pay more attention to the European Council which has been the key institution in terms of history making decisions.

The project will address three critical junctures in order to analyse their im-





pact on the development of European narratives: The almost forgotten 1969 summit of The Hague was central to the emergence of the EU and the European Council as an entity. The Maastricht summit of 1991 was a history-making act for the deepening of European integration. The 2009 summit of Lisbon opened a new age for the construction of the EU. The project will assess these summits and analyse their roles in developing a 'master narrative' of European integration. The main rationale of the project is to contribute to the evolving European memory culture by scrutinizing past and existing interpretations while simultaneously building on these.

The general structure of HOMER is based on an annual six step-approach:

- a yearly workshop in Brussels (research, dialogue and event dimension)
- a yearly joint seminar (teaching dimension)
- a yearly online module (internat. dissemination) linked with the respective workshop and seminar
- a series of four annual public lectures (two at each university; local/regional dissemination)
- four annual issues of a newsletter and a regularly updated homepage
- a final journal article at the end of the third year.

Each year one of the three summits will be tackled by HOMER:

- first year: the summit of The Hague 1969 (Summer term 2015)
- second year: the European Council taking place in Maastricht 1991 (Winter term 2015/2016)
- third year: the Lisbon summit 2009 that opened a new age for the construction of the EU and generally for Europe (Winter term 2016).

Link and further information: www.eu-homer.eu

III.5 Work on future Master Program Sport Development and Politics

Head of the Project: Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag, Prof. Dr. Stephan Wassong

Researchers involved:

Dr. Jörg Krieger, Dr. Ansgar Molzberger, Dr. Till Müller-Schoell, Dr. Karen Petry

Period of Activity seit 2011

Content:



In order to deepen the teaching profile of German Sport University Cologne in both its social science dimension and its European/International scope and to ensure a higher degree of compatibility with the B.A. Sport, Outdoor Education and Movement a core team of academics from the Institute of Sport Development and Leisure Studies and the Institute of Sport History has started in 2011 to develop an specialised interdisciplinary and international M.A. program at German Sport University.

The master program "International Sport Development and Politics" covers the fields of social sciences and humanities in sport. The M.A. will strive to interlink with other master programs at the GSU, especially the M.Sc. Sport Management, which focuses on economic aspects of sport, while the M.A. Sport Development will concentrate on the collision of interests, values and negotiation in interaction with institutions, which lead to aims, perception of specific problems and their solutions and innovative policies on national and international levels of sport.

The overall aim of the M.A. Sport Development is to develop a program with a multidisciplinary and international approach. Students will acquire basic knowledge and methods for understanding and analysing processes in the German, European and international sport context, especially considering the social and political changes and developments. In particular by following a comparative approach at the European and global level, the M.A. program wants to deepen the knowledge that sport has become a complex international system of structures.

In order to meet the requirements of an international area of sport in research and practice, the program will provide an international surrounding, both considering the composition of students and the language, thematic focus and international exchanges and internships. Therefore, all courses will be taught in English, which accounts for the master thesis as well. This will give students the opportunity to practice a foreign language in a specialised field of work and thus enable them to work within international areas in the future. The M.A. has a research oriented focus, which will enable the students to participate in scientific research and practice. Students will be taught systematic, analytic and theoretical approaches to political and social aspects within the area of sport, as well as methods of empirical research and hermeneutics.

The program will be taught in four semesters with a workload of 120 CPs. Conceptionally, thematic and methodic courses will be combined in order to ensure a systematic development of knowledge. The first two semesters will focus on the provision of knowledge in lectures and seminars, whereas the third and fourth semester will concentrate on the scientific deepening of this knowledge and the connection to current areas of research and work. The main focus of the third semester will be a research- and project-seminar with an additional internship or practical training. This seminar will also be a preparation for the master thesis consisting of 60-80 pages, which will complete the degree along with two oral exams in the last semester.

IV. Research Activities

The IESF conducts its research mainly in the fields listed below:

- Local, regional, national, European, and international sport systems and sport politics
- Various fields concerned with sport politics
- Sport and development
- Tourism studies and sport
- Leisure sport and life styles

IV.1 Projects

In the following, projects that have been carried out by the IESF in 2014 and/or 2015 are presented in brief:

Ongoing projects

- IV.1.1 Organised Sport in Mediated Modernity
- IV.1.2 SPORTED Sport and Politics: Organisations, Regulations and Themes in the European Dimension
- IV.1.3 Sport-political Structures, Contents and Processes of the Spanish Sport System
- IV.1.4 Preparatory Activities for a Centre of Competence for Sport in Asia
- IV.1.5 Bourgeois and Trade Unionists: Ludwig Rosenberg
- IV.1.6 International Scientific Network for Sport for Development (ISNSD)
- IV.1.7 Scientific monitoring of the Sector Programme "Sport for development"
- IV.1.8 Leisure- and Tourismresearch in European Perspective
- IV.1.9 Recall: Games of the Past Sports for Today
- IV.1.10 Children WIN
- IV.1.11 Sport Development Specialized Study on Gelsenkirchen

IV.1.1 Organised Sport in Mediated Modernity

Head of the project at IESF: Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Pia Klems (formerly Stemmermann), Daniel Ziesche

Period of research: 2012-2015

Funding:

Internal key research project of the German Sport University

Content:

The project defines Mediated Modernity as the epoch which started with the declaration of the human rights and which is characterized by a growing pluralisation of lifestyles, but also by a "mediatedness" of all personal circumstances. The sector of sports and physical activity is not the only one which changes dramatically during this era, but due to its massive differentiation and its strong connection to other parts of society it stands as a typical example for societal development and therefore works as an instrument for diagnosis of societal change. The goal of the project is a diagnosis of present modern societies communicated (or mediated) by movement cultures.

The colleagues in the sub-project "Organised Sport in Mediated Modernity" at the institute of European Sports Development and Leisure Studies investigate these changes with regards to sports clubs as the smallest units of organised sport. Thereby, the sports club is considered from a (sport-)political and a (sport-)historical but also from a social scientific perspective with the aim to research the development of the socio-political functions of the sports club as a place and a medium in the process of societal change on a theoretical as well as an empirical level.

Within this framework, Daniel Ziesche researches the changing roles and socio-cultural functions of football clubs in selected regions of England and Germany with the aim of a deeper analysis of processes of change with regards to community formation, identity construction and the generation of social capital. Contemporary historical research is done by Pia Stemmermann regarding the values in the social field of sports clubs. She focuses on the values of a sports club as a seismograph for societal change to analyse the social respectively public welfare functions of sports clubs. Final meeting: 22th/23rd November 2015 in Cologne

Presentations:

Mittag, Jürgen: Mehr als die schönste Nebensache der Welt? Presentaion at FES Mecklenburg-Vorpommern "Über die Bedeutung von Fußball für uns und unsere Gesellschaft", Schwerin, 12th June 2014.

Mittag, Jürgen: Vereinsentwicklung und Ehrenamt. Presentation at Gelsensport, Gelsenkirchen 11th June 2014. Mittag, Jürgen: The Evolution of Sport Clubs and Leisure in Europe: Empirical Trends, Applied Constraints, Analytical Offers. Presentation at "The 2nd BSU-GSU Symposium: Retrospect, Orientation and Prospect of the Exchange and Cooperation", Peking, 24th/25th September 2013.

Klems, Pia: Was ist ein Sportverein "wert"? Presentation at SportMeMo Conference, Cologne, 20th-21st November 2014.

Klems, Pia: Eine historische Betrachtung von Sportvereinen im Ruhrgebiet anhand von Vereinsfestschriften. Presentation at DAGS Symposium, Freyburg (Unstrut), 9th-11th October 2014.

Ziesche, Daniel: 'It's all about responsibility': The social value of lower league football clubs in England and Germany, Presentation at EASS 2015, Dublin, 09th-12th June 2015.

Ziesche, Daniel: Alive and Kicking? Fußballvereine in Deutschland und England als Orte von Vergemeinschaftung und Vergesellschaftung. Presentation at SportMeMo Conference, Cologne, 20th-21st November 2014.

Ziesche, Daniel: More Than a Club? Social and Cultural Functions of Football Clubs in Germany. Presentation at Loughborough University, Loughborough, 22th October 2014.



IV.1.2 SPORTED – Sport and

Politics

Organisations, Regulations and Themes in the European Dimension



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Head of the project at IESF: Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Diana Wendland (Jan./Feb. 2014), Michael Groll (May/June 2014)

Period of research: October 2011 – September 2014 (some projects will be carried out until 2016)

Funding:

European Commission: LLP: Erasmus, Jean Monnet

Content:

The key objective of this project is to deepen the academic linkage between sport and EU politics. Major targets are seminars and lectures on sport in the EU as well as academic conferences. Comprehensive teaching and research materials on sport in the EU will be provided in order to teach and publicly disseminate the role of sport in transnational relations.

Teaching:

• the number of academic seminars on EU studies has substantially been increased since 2011

• a public lecture series on sport in Europe has been established (see "Jean Monnet Lectures on Sport politics") including attendance of students as well as local civil society

Research:

- in 2011 a confence on studies of Sport and EU studies has been carried out
- in 2014 the 9th Sport & EU annual conference has been hosted at GSU
- the teaching compendium on Sport and EU studies and the edited volumes on the conferece proceedings are still pending

Reflection:

• a proposal for a M.A. program on (International) Sport Development has been submitted

• a network of local and Europe-wide experts from different backgrounds and academics on sport has been established

Publications:

Mittag, Jürgen: Negotiating the Cold War? Perspectives in Memory Research on the UEFA, the early European Football Competitions and the European Nations Cups, in: Wolfram Pyta/Nils Havemann (ed.): European Football and Collective Memory, Houndmills, Basingstoke 2015, pp. 40-63.

Mittag, Jürgen: Germany and the Lisbon Debate on European Sport Politics: Heterogeneous Debates in a Complex Sport System, in: Beijing Sport University (ed.): The 2nd BSU-GSU Symposium, Beijing 2015, pp. 36-51. Mittag, Jürgen: "This time it's different"? Neue Perspektiven von europäischen Parteien, Spitzenkandidaten und Europaparlament im Zuge der EP-Wahl 2014, in: Frankfurter Hefte/Neue Gesellschaft 4 (2014), pp. 27-30.

Mittag, Jürgen: Lemma: Sportpolitik, in: Werner Weidenfeld/Wolfgang Wessels (eds.): Jahrbuch der Europäischen Integration 2014, Baden-Baden 2014, pp. 241-242.

Presentations:

Mittag, Jürgen: Sport in the European Union and its Member States. Talk at Beijing Sport University, Beijing, 25th March 2015.

Mittag, Jürgen: Current challenges in European Sport Politics: Empirical Trends – Applied Constraints – Analytical Offers. Talk at Peking University, Beijing, 13th October 2014.

Mittag, Jürgen: Models of Sport Organisation in the EU: State Intervention and Interactions with Private Actors, Talk at MESGO-Masterprogram (UEFA/Science Po), Paris, 1st October 2014.

Mittag, Jürgen: Nach der Europawahl – Parteien, Personalien und Perspektiven. Talk at Europäisches Dokumentationszentrum und Europa-Union Köln, 24th June, 2014.

IV.1.3 Sport-political Structures, Contents and Processes of the Spanish Sport System

Researcher at IESF: Ninja Putzmann

Period of research: 2012 - 2015

Funding: German Sport University

Content:



In the European area numerous journals and articles offer an overview about the development of national sport policies and describe the institutional structures of sport, organisational and financial framework conditions. Nevertheless, empiric-analytic nation studies to explain correlations between sport structures, processes, and contents are missing as well as a theoretical fundament to analyse sport systems.

Deriving from the central question for the characteristic sport-political structures, processes, and contents of the Spanish sport system, three subordinated goals are defined: Firstly, the investigation of the theoretic-conceptual level by an adaption of the political scientific system theory including the terms of sport polity, sport politics and sport policy for the sport system of Spain as well as the effects of Europeanisation. On the typological level theoretically funded categories or typologies are developed to analyse the Spanish sport system. Focusing on some exemplary regions, the applicability of those typologies is empirically tested. Third the empiric-analytic level is examined by sequencing and summarising of new and existent data about the Spanish sport system respecting special characteristics of single regions of Spain to relate sport political structures, processes and contents. Perspectively, the elaborated categories can be used to enable a comparison of distinguished European

sport systems what implies a certain degree of generalisation.

Presentations:

Putzmann, Ninja (2015) "'Sport political systems': Potentials and limits of the political system theory for sport policy analyses", presentation at the Sport & EU Conference in Angers (ESSCA School of Management, France), 25th June 2015.

Putzmann, Ninja (2015) "Sports policy between state intervention and sports autonomy: Unity and conflicts in the Spanish sport policy" at the European Association for Sociology of Sport Conference in Dublin (Ireland), 11th June 2015.

Putzmann, Ninja (2015) "An analysis of the Spanish sport political system" at the Instituto Nacional d'Educació Física de Catalunya in Barcelona (University of Barcelona, Spain), May, 20th 2015.

Putzmann, Ninja (2015) ",Sports policy between state intervention and sports autonomy: Key events, patterns and trends of the Spanish sport policy", presentation at the PSA Sport and Politics Group Conference "Sport, politics and social policy" in Durham (Durham University, England), 7th January 2015.

Putzman, Ninja: System-theoretical approaches for the analysis of political sport systems". Sport & EU Conference "Sport systems and sport governance in Europe. Changes, Challenges and mulit-level Perspectives", German Sport University Cologne, 27th June 2014.

IV.1.4 Preparatory Activities for a Centre of Competence for Sport in Asia

Head of the project at IESF: Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag

Period of research: Since September 2012

Partners: Beijing Sport University(BSU)

Content:

The fast and dynamic development of Asia attracts the interest of the media and the academic world alike. Though sport has not been the centre of attention, the reflection on Asian – and in particular on Chinese – sport development promises important insights. Against this backdrop the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies aims at deepening the transnational cooperation in sport related research between Asia and Europe. Major fields of interest are the areas of economics, elite sports and urban planning/health/grassroots sport as well as civil society.

One key activity has been a congress set on Chinese sport development and German-Chinese sport cooperation in 2013. It is planned to initiate a number of workshops on specific topics and research questions in the next years. In addition to this, the exchange of academics, doctoral students and master students will be increased.

Activities:

Conference 2015/2016 (Cologne): in progress

Conference 2014 (Nanchang): International Conference of Sport Government and Governance, 16th-19th October 2014.

Conference 2014 (Tokyo): The 2nd International Symposium on International Development and Peace through Sport, 13th December 2014 with Prof. Dr. Breuer / Prof. Dr. Wassong / Prof. Dr. Mittag Conference 2013 (Beijing): BSU-GSU Symposium, 24th-26th September 2013 with Prof. Dr. Tokarski/

Prof. Dr. Mittag. Conference 2012 (Cologne): Sport in China - Entwicklungslinien und Herausforderungen in transnationaler Perspektive. Symposium anlässlich der 30jährigen Forschungskooperation Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln – Beijing Sport University, 7th/8th September 2012.

Presentations:

Mittag, Jürgen: Sport in the European Union and its Member States. Talk at Beijing Sport University, Beijing, 25th March 2015.

Mittag, Jürgen: Leisure youth, and sport in Germany and Europe. Talk at Beijing Sport University, Beijing, 23th March 2015.

Mittag, Jürgen: Current Trends in Leisure Activities: A Comparative European View and Transnational Perspectives, Talk at "First International Conference on Sports Management and Sports Law". American University in the Emirates, Dubai, 3rd March 2015.

Mittag, Jürgen: Transnational relations between China and Europa in Sport: trends, offers and constraints. Talk at Nanchang University, 18th November 2014.

Mittag, Jürgen: Freizeitsport und Jugend in Deutschland und Europa: Eine Multi-Optionsfalle? Talk at Shanghai University of Sport, Shanghai, 15th October 2014.

Mittag, Jürgen: Current challenges in European Sport Politics: Empirical Trends – Applied Constraints – Analytical Offers. Talk at Peking University, Beijing, 13th October 2014.

IV.1.5 Bourgeois and Trade Unionists: Ludwig Rosenberg

Head of the project at IESF: Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag

Hans Böckler Stiftung

Fakten für eine faire Arbeitswelt.

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Dr. Frank Ahland

Period of research: 2011 - 2015

Funding: Hans-Böckler-Foundation

Content:

The research project is anchored in the area "work and leisure studies" and blends into the shortly recorded upswing of trade unionist biography which may broaden the knowledge of the trade union's elite in general and inform about trade union history in Germany. In line with this, the project is devoted to the biography of Ludwig Rosenberg.

Although the project is mainly a political, organisational and socio-historical biography one, it contributes to the debate about underlying tendencies of the economic, social and political development of West Germany in the post-war period. Also known as "westernisation" this development has been applied to unionist history as well.

The biography investigates political problems of the unionists from the 1940s to the 1970s, their scope of action, their internal structures and external relationships and the changes of the union's societal stance in this period. Finally, it inquires how Rosenberg can be ranged in the trade unionist elite. Of specific interest for IESF's academic research is the "European role" of Ludwig Rosenberg since he was deeply rooted in several European networks (among others the Monnet's Action Committee) on the one hand and the discussion about work and leisure at that time in which Rosenberg was engaged on the other.

Rosenberg's biography conveys deep insights into the internal structures of the umbrella organisation of the unions, the relations between chairpersons of single unions and the president of the federal committee and the organisation of political culture of unions. The final result of this project will be the publication of a biography issued in the end of 2015.

Publication:

Ahland, Frank (2015). Bürger und Gewerkschaftler - Ludwig Rosenberg (1903 bis 1977). Eine Biografie, Essen: Klartext Verlag, 2015.

IV.1.6 Scientific monitoring of the Sector Programme "Sport for development"

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) Gm

Head of the project at IESF: Dr. Karen Petry

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Katrin Bauer

Period of research: since August 2013

Partners: GIZ, ICSSPE

Content:

In the recent years individual sport-related measures have been carried out repeatedly in the German Development Cooperation; this issue was, however, never systematic and fully established.

For this reason the Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) established a project sector on the subject, in order to bring together the experience and cooperate in the German contribution to "Sport and Development". The Sector Programme "sport for development" is anchored within the German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ), which as a federal enterprise supports the government in achieving its objectives in the international Development Cooperation and bringing them into action.

The Sector Programme includes in his work the following core areas that are closely linked together: In addition to advising the responsible authorities for sport in the BMZ Sector Unit, support in the coordination, and in the relevant German actors network (ministries, sports associations, civil society, business and science), application-related pilot projects will be initiated and supported. The evaluation of the existing experience of the GIZ in the field of "sport for development", as well as the scientific monitoring and evaluation of pilot projects are also included. The IESF and the International Council of Sport Science and Physical Education (ICSSPE) are therefore closely involved as scientific institutions from the outset in the consulting, monitoring and evaluation processes. Through the scientific support the Sector Programme promises that additional insights in this area are going to be gained, processed and analyzed, and these will be used in the Development Cooperation to increase the quality and the effectiveness of the results of the Sector Programme.

The pilot measures in Brazil, Namibia, Afghanistan, Mozambigue, Colombia and the Palestinian territories are always conducted with a topical focus such as sport in schools, major events, good governance, promotion of health, support of girls, etc. In all countries it is going to be linked with already existing bilateral structures and already established cooperation, and the work will be closely linked with local (project) partners, such as local NGOs and educational institutions.

Presentations:

Bauer, Katrin (2015): Introduction to the scientific monitoring of the GIZ Sector Program "Sport for Development"/Importance of Monitoring and Evaluation/ Introduction to quantitative and qualitative evaluation methods. Presentation at GIZ Workshops, 25th/26th July 2015, Rio de Janeiro, Brasil.

Bauer, Katrin (2014): The Sector Programme "Sport for Development" (GIZ) in Namibia, Importance of M&E. Presentation at GIZ Workshop, 5th May 2014, Windhoek, Namibia.

Petry, Karen (2015): Kooperation SV Sport und DSHS/ ICSSPE – welchen Mehrwert kann die wissenschaftliche Begleitung leisten? Presentation at GIZ Workshops, 27th May 2015, Bonn.

IV.1.7 International Scientific Network for Sport for Development (ISNSD)

Head of the project at IESF: Dr. Karen Petry

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Dipl.-Sportwiss. Katrin Bauer

Period: 01.12.2013 – present

Partners:

University of Ghana University of the Western Cape International Council of Sport Science and Physical Education (ICSSPE) Breakthrough Chiparamba Sports Academy (BCSA, Zambia) Organisation of Rural Primary Education Developers (ORPED, Ghana)

Content:

Following the Conference on "Transformation and Development through Sport (TADS)" in Pretoria, South Africa in September 2013, seven participating academic organisations and NGOs, namely the University of Ghana, the German Sport University, the University of the Western Cape, the International Council of Sport Science and Physical Education (ICSSPE), the Breakthrough Chiparamba Sports Academy (BCSA, Zambia) and the Organisation of Rural Primary Education Developers (ORPED, Ghana) founded the International Scientific Network for Sport for Development (ISNSD).

Together they set the objective to develop a global and multi-disciplinary network of academic organisations and NGOs for continuous contribution to the advancement of sport for development curricula, programmes and policies. Herewith the network aims to establish evidence-based international benchmarks and standardised criteria for curriculum development and educational measures with regard to and across various policy sectors (health, development, sport, youth, education etc.), sports and working areas (community development, peace building etc.).

Concrete measures as a first step include the development of a database containing patterns, curricula, projects and partners; the provision of assistance and expertise in research, teaching and community engagement in the field of Sport for Development as well as the stimulation of a quality assurance discussion with university and non-university curriculum providers to enhance the standards and qualification levels of personnel delivering sport-for-development programmes.





IV.1.8 Leisure- and Tourismresearch in European Perspective

Head of the project: Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Diana Wendland, M.A.

Period of research: 2014 - present

Content:

In several research projects at the IESF social, cultural and mental impacts of leisure and tourism during the 20th century are analyzed. The focus of these research activities lies on



the development, expansion and transnational dimension of leisure-cultures in Western societies after the Second World War and on the changes of the 1960s and 1970s – in particular on the evolution and consolidation of "mass" and "alternative" tourism and the changes in the field of leisure sports. Since these research activities such as a textbook on tourism history, a workshop and a doctorial thesis on tourism development in the 1970s and 1980s, are designed as long term projects, they are able to enhance the strengthening of humanities and social science perspectives on leisure- and tourism research.

Presentations:

Mittag, Jürgen: Current Trends in Leisure Activities: A Comparative European View and Transnational Perspectives, Talk at the "First International Conference on Sports Management and Sports Law". American University in the Emirates, Dubai, 3th March 2015.

Mittag, Jürgen: Freizeitsport und Jugend in Deutschland und Europa: Eine Multi-Optionsfalle? Talk at Shanghai Sport University, Shanghai, 15th October 2014.

Wendland, Diana: Alternative Reise- und Wahrnehmungshilfen. Der Reiseführer als Vermittler von unkonventionellen Reiseleitbildern, talk at "webSITES&SIGHTSeeing. Tourismus in Medienkulturen", University of Salzburg, department of sociology and cultural studies, 24th September 2014.

Publications:

Mittag, Jürgen/Wendland, Diana: Freizeitsport – Sport und Bewegung in der Freizeit, in: Freericks, Renate/Brinkmann, Dieter (eds.): Handbuch Freizeitsoziologie, Wiesbaden 2015, pp. 385-414.

Mittag, Jürgen/Wendland, Diana: "Nach der Arbeit ist gut ruh´n … doch besser ist´s durch Sport was für den Körper tun". Betriebssport im nationalsozialistischen Köln, in: Wassong, Stephan/Molzberger, Ansgar/Langen, Gabi (eds.): Siegen für den Führer. Der Kölner Sport in der NS-Zeit, Köln 2015, pp. 66-99.

Mittag, Jürgen/Wendland, Diana: How Adventurers Become Tourists: The Emergence of Alternative Travel Guides in the Course of Standardisation of Long-Distance Travelling, in: Comparativ 24 (2014) 2, pp. 36-51.

IV.1.9 Recall: Games of the Past – Sports for Today

Head of the project at IESF: Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Dr. Michael Groll

Period of research: October 2013 - June 2015

Funding: European Commission

TAFISA The Association For International Sport for All

Partners:

Gerlev; Finnish Baseball Association; Aquitaine Sport pour Tous; International Federation of Petanque and Provencal Game; Sport and Citizenship; ENGSO Youth; Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies; German Sport University Cologne; TAFISA; Hungarian Coaching Association; Gaelic Athletic Association; Institute of Technology Tralee; European Physical Education Association; Akademia Wychowania Fizycznego University School of Physical Education Poznan; Portuguese Confederation of Culture, Recreation and Sport Collectivities

Content:

"Recall: Games of the Past – Sports for Today" aimed to reintroduce European Traditional Sports and Games (TSG) into the daily lives of young Europeans in order to achieve two main objectives:

• to preserve and promote an endangered and critical part of European culture and heritage, as well as

• to implement TSG as the effective resource to increase participation in Sport for All that TAFISA and its collaborative partners know TSG to be.

The project "Recall" produced practical and educational tools to reintroduce European TSG into today's society for five key target groups – schools, universities, sports clubs and associations, event organisers and people with disabilities. It also identifed, collected, documented and promoted European Traditional Sports and Games via the creation of a European TSG database and heritage list. This dual approach allows Europeans, in particular young Europeans, to rediscover and reinvigorate regional, national and European heritage whilst tackling modern issues such as sport and physical activity participation and social inclusion.

Publication:

Bronikowska, Malgorzata / Laurent, Jean-Francois: Recall: Games of the Past - Sport for Today, Frankfurt/Main: The Association for International Sport for All, 2015.

IV.1.10 Children WIN

Head of the project at IESF: Dr. Karen Petry

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Till Müller-Schoell, Louis Moustakas

Period of research: December 2014 - October 2015

Partners: terres des hommes international

Content:

Public awareness of the impact of Mega Sporting Events on children rights is a recent phenomenon and it shows considerable variation between countries. This research was conducted in order to collect evidence and increase awareness on direct and indirect effects of Mega Sporting Events (MSEs) to mitigate risks and enhance opportunities for children. Itoutlines differences between 12 countries (Brazil, France, Germany, India, Italy, the Netherlands, Rus-sia, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland, the United States and the United Kingdom), and examines how media covered the

Media resources from the 1st of January to the 31st of December 2014 were scrutinized and peaks as well as lows in media attention were identified and related to three MSEs: the Sochi 2014 Olympic Games, the 2014 FIFA World Cup Brazil(TM) and the Glasgow 2014 Commonwealth Games.

Mega Sporting Events (MSEs) and their impact on human rights and particular on children rights.

In the countries with a high awareness, indirect threats are widely reported and in-depth accounts of mechanisms directly violating children rights, such as poverty or sexual exploitation, are not rare. This leads to the conclusion that the opportunities for promoting children rights in these countries are much better than in countries with minimal awareness. Overall, this study can direct orientations for further research and potential guidance for advocacy activities. The results suggest that certain countries could benefit from more advocacy and awareness campaigns surrounding the issue of children rights and MSEs. A campaign in Russia, with its lack of pressfreedom, may be ineffectual, targeting Italy, Spain, India or South Africa could be more effective here.

Concerning the factors, economic as well as structural factors are mentioned most often and relate to the effects of poverty. In most cases, reports on sexual exploitation and child labour mention economic conditions as one of the causal factors. To sum up, the results of this exploratory study raise a lot more questions for future research using different news outlets, different mediums or different countries would help further our understanding of how the media reports on this topic: First, it would be advisable to check the reliability of the results, preferably in the countries of high awareness and therefore presumably more stable patterns. Second, there is a need for more research, e.g. in order to compare the same country as a host and as a non-host country. This survey can provide as baseline for future comparison and it will be quite interesting to evaluate the effect against the baseline of these results. All of this is realistic in a second wave focusing on

Link:

http://www.childrenwin.org/videos/media-monitoring-children-rights-and-mega-sporting-events/

Final report: http://www.childrenwin.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/ITDH_report_final.pdf

the Rio 2016 Olympic Games or with the same set of MSEs again in 2016.



IV.1.11 Sport Development Specialized Study on Gelsenkirchen

Head of the project at IESF: Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag

Cooperation: Prof. Dr. Volker Rittner, Richad Förg

IESF staff entrusted with the project: Vanessa Hauert

Period of research: December 2014 - October 2015

Funding: Gelsensport

Content:





The Research Center "local sports policy and development (Forschungsstelle Kommunale Sportpolitik und-entwicklung) "of the German Sports University Cologne was commissioned by the city of Gelsenkirchen to analyze the sport in Gelsenkirchen in the period from December 2014 to October 2015. The investigation includes the analysis of the particularity of the Gelsensport model as well as the specific situation of the city Gelsenkirchen. The project includes among other things the investigation and classification of the political viability of sport in Gelsenkirchen and the benefits of sport and from Gelsensport for the city. With this the intersectoral concept of sport should be emphasized.

To this an inventory and analysis of the presently activities of Gelsensport and the analysis of the sport attention trough schools and sports associations is implemented with a written survey of all sport associations in Gelsenkirchen and a written survey of the parents of four selected primary schools in Gelsenkirchen Schalke. Additionally an expert survey is performed with 150 experts of related areas of activity (youth sector, politics, integration, inclusion, senior citizens). To compare the situation of sport and sport associations in Gelsenkirchen with other cities, a project team member (Vanessa Hauert) participated at the first sport association conference in Mannheim, 24th February 2015 (1. Mannheimer Vereinskonferenz).

The aim of the project Sport development Gelsenkirchen is to develop new practical concepts for the urban development in Gelsenkirchen trough sports as well as giving recommendations to optimize the sport in Gelsenkirchen.

Publications:

Mittag, Jürgen: Sportpolitik in Nordrhein-Westfalen im Wandel: Strukturen, Akteure und Problemfelder im Spannungsverhältnis von Staat und Verband, in: Rusinek, Bernd-A. /Kühn, Andreas (eds.): Das Nordrhein-Westfalen-Lesebuch, Köln 2014, pp. 553-586 (with Mandy Hermann).

Mittag, Jürgen/Wendland, Diana: Freizeitsport – Sport und Bewegung in der Freizeit: in: Renate Freericks/Dieter Brinkmann (eds.): Handbuch Freizeitsoziologie, Wiesbaden 2015, pp. 385-414.

Presentation:

Mittag, Jürgen: Development and challenges of swimming pools in the public sector. Presentation of a study for the city Monheim am Rhein, 4th February 2014.

Mittag, Jürgen: Development of sport associations and volunteering. Lecture given at Gelsensport e.V., Gelsenkirchen, 11th June 2014.

Mittag, Jürgen: Current Trends in Leisure Activities: A Comparative European View and Transnational Perspectives, Lecture given at the conference "First International Conference on Sports Management and Sports Law". American University in the Emirates, Dubai, 3rd March 2015.

Mittag, Jürgen/ Rittner, Volker/ Förg, Richard/ Hauert, Vanessa: Presentation of the preliminary results of the sport development planning Gelsenkirchen, Gelsenkirchen, 20th May 2015.

IV.2 Ongoing Ph.D. Theses (Dissertations)

The following Ph.D. theses are carried out in the framework of the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies (in alphabetical order of doctoral students).

Sport in Development Policy - Evolution, Approaches and Implementation in Germany

Bauer, Katrin

Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2014

With the establishment of the Sector Programme "Sport for Development" of the German Development Cooperation (GIZ) in early 2013, the German development policy send a sign of change and reorientation. "Sport for Development" has become an overarching topic with numerous connections to different development objectives of the Federal German Government.

It was recognized that sport is not only an important tool in the educational sector, but also in the areas of health promotion, violence prevention, gender equality, good governance, inclusion or environment. The aim of the project is the determination of the status and the transformation of sport in the development policy of Germany in the past and present.

Opportunities and Limitations of Youth Sport Programs in Cape Town: Analysis of Determinants in the Context of Development and Their Impact on Research

Biermann, Marie Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2011 supported by the Cusanuswerk: Bischöfliche Studienförderung

The research project is embedded in the broader field of sport-for-development and is located in Cape Town, South Africa in two different projects. Both projects aim at life-skill development but are different in structure and program. The research takes place while the intervention is still ongoing, with the data being collected from February till July 2013 and February till July 2014. The projects are not only being analysed in terms of their effectiveness and processes with regard to life-skill development but also concerning the methods used for evaluating the interventions. What are the effects of sport-based life-skill programs on youths? How do these effects come about? Which processes underlie them? What conditions are necessary for sport-based life-skill programs to have beneficial outcomes? In order to answer these questions two qualitative methods, the 'Most Significant Change' method and participant observation, are applied, as well as quantitative approaches. All of them are used complementary to assure triangulation, increasing reliability and validity of measures, and also getting insights into the same sociological phenomenon from different perspectives. Is there a difference in the appropriateness of the methods used to identify processes? Is there a difference in the appropriateness of the methods concerning the different projects and programs? The methods themselves are also analysed concerning their useful application in different programs and fields. So far, the MSC-method and participant observation have successfully been applied in areas outside sport and imply a potential for innovations in the area of monitoring and evaluating sport-in-development projects.

Football and achieving egalitarian social structures in India -Optimization of civil society conditions in the transformation process of a patriarchal society

Buch, Rosemary Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2014

The dissertation copes with the influence of football for girls on the transformation of themale dominated indian society. The development of conditions that optimise the positive outcomes of football on genderequality and thus support the transformation of patriarchal structures will be the focal point ofthe research. It will be analysed to which degree a planned project in india could be implemented, applying the transformations theory and cooperative game theory. The relationship of the foundations on one side and the NGOs on the other will be taken intoaccount to examine if their interaction will constrain the chances of the project's idealoutcomes. The author argues that a transformation of social structures is not possible without securing the sustainable empowerment of females within the society. Sustainable Empowerment means in this case not only the process of girl's self-organisation, but also the positive effects on institutional and social structures that constitute women's discrimination in india today. A theory will be developed which determines the back couplings of self-organising processesto a transformation of patriarchal structures.

The Relation of Governmental and Non-Governmental Sport Politics in Germany and France

Fischer, Christoph Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2009

The fundamental question of the research project concerns the similarities and differences between the German and the French sport system referring to the cooperation and the reciprocal understanding of governmental and non-governmental institutions of sport administration and aims on defining their characteristics. The empirical proceeding is based on an analysis of the legal foundations of each system. This includes statutes, regulations, statutes of clubs and federations, target agreements and other bilateral settlements as well as the structures and construction of each sport system and interrogations of experts and representatives of governmental and non-governmental institutions of Germany and France. The paper aims to extend and refine the existent structural and political comparisons in sport sciences. Against the backdrop of political science approaches of pluralism and neo-corporatism, the results of the empirical research will be discussed with a special focus on the features of sport as a sector of the society.

No Normal Sport in an Abnormal Society: Characteristics, Achievements and Limitations of Protests in Sport Against the Apartheid Regime in South Africa

Hangebrauck, Jan Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2013

The dissertation refers to the field of transnational history (of sport) and analyses the effects of the protests in sport in South Africa but also in the Federal Republic of Germany, in the German Democratic Republic and in the United Kingdom against the apartheid regime. The work will focus on the investigation of the 1960s, 1970s and 1980s, beginning with the Sharpeville massacre, which led to a massive increase and radicalization of protest against the apartheid regime, and ending with the first democratic elections in South Africa in April 1994 which sealed the end of apartheid.

Due to a lack of literature on the effects of protests in sport during the end of the apartheid regime, the study aims to identify variables for the effects of protests with the help of archival studies in the above mentioned countries and with the use of qualitative interviews, mainly with sport officials and former athletes. It will be the purpose of the thesis to offer new insights into the impact of protests in sport. In that way the work intends to contribute to intensified linkages in the academic fields of the history of sports, of sport sociology and of sport politics.

Sport Clubs and Sport Values in Change

Klems, Pia

Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

The importance of a sport club is based on its memberships, its resources and its financial possibilities. Mostly disregarded are the values within a sports club. Sports clubs stand for an internal and external integration of certain values. These values are an important aspect of modern society and take an impact on public life. The individual adapts certain values from other social contexts and introduces them in a sports club. The question of influence and meaning of values within a sports club on and for the individual the society and the state can be raised. Within the context of this thesis the change of values in the Ruhr area is of special interest. The panel study of values in a sports club is based on sources of chosen sports clubs. Sources are literature produced by the sports club, such as celebratory publications, club papers or charters.

European Commission and Sport: Increasing "Centralism" or "Spill-Over" in a Multi-Level-Governance-System?

Kornbeck, Jacob Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2009

As a PhD by published work, this thesis aims to revisit the activities of the European Commission (in particular but not exclusively within the years 2001 2011) to find evidence of a diversification of the sport policy field. This allows for a feedback loop towards two fundamental theoretical positions of European integration and relevant research: spillover as used in federalism/neo-functionalism as well as multi-level governance. Empirical evidence is provided through 15 already published papers within three problem areas: EU-sport articulation; anti-doping; Health-Enhancing Physical Activity (HEPA). The exercise of critically revisiting these papers was inspired theoretically by the model of the reflective practitioner.

"... and for the Honor of our Nation(s)": German Olympic Policy between 1960 and 1968

Lippmann, Karsten Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

This graduate thesis deals with the sports policy of both German states during the years 1960 to 1968. It is looked at as part of the intra-German policy. For this reason the thesis focusses on Olympic subjects.

To describe adequately what was going on in this years, Kleßmanns concept of asymmetric intertwined parallel history is extended with elements of the theory of dynamic transaction that was developed by Früh to describe the effects of media. The concept of dynamic intertwined history of communication,

which emerged this way, gives us the opportunity to look at the eight perhaps most eventful years of German sports history and to see it as a result of intersecting actions and reactions.

The first goal on this process was to gain influence on the I.O.C. Both German states were successful in this respect. The FRG became the Olympic host in 1972, and in Munich the GDR received the right to use their own national symbols during the summer games for the first time.

This graduate thesis describes the way that led to this solution, which satisfied both sides, but made neither of them really happy.

Changes in youth development programs in Basketball in Germany, Lithuania and Spain since 1995 – Governance between Europeanization and Globalization?

Melzer, Marius

Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

Since November 2012 Marius Melzer focuses on the changes in youth development programs in Basketball in Germany, Lithuania and Spain. With a combination of theoretical approaches coming from Sports Europeanization, Sports Globalization and Sports Governance, he aims to discover how the increase of the possibilities to recruit basketball players has affected the youth development programs in these countries. Melzer sees the starting point of anintensification of the national youth development programs in the Bosman-ruling of the European Court of Justice, but the core of the developments in the interaction between the national federation and the first league clubs. Therefore, Melzer has analyzed the governance arrangement between these actors to find out why Spain and Lithuania constantly promote more young players than Germany.

"Spiritual Coaching" – Theological, Social Science and Sport Science Perspectives on a New Occupational Area

Micic, Michael Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2011

Aim of this interdisciplinary project is to analyse moral concepts, ideals and lifestyle of professional soccer players in order to disclose the influence of the mentioned factors on their wellbeing and sport performance. Furthermore, the research focuses on deriving a "Spiritual and Life Coaching" model for the professional German soccer within reflecting the boundaries and possibilities of such a coaching model. As in the English and Brazilian soccer spiritual coaching by so called "Sport Chaplains" is already set in praxis, existent analyses of this area are used to develop the model. The collection of data in professional German soccer clubs is done by interviews with officials and players.

Impacts of Sport on the Regime Changes and Transformation Processes in Iraq and Egypt

Ousu, Ali Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

Sport fulfils numerous functions between state and society. Sport serves in particular to form national group identities, fosters international understanding, enhances cooperation and exposes the individual. Although sport is a widely autonomous system that follows specific rules and dynamics, it is open to the allocation of meanings and new functions, but also to societal changes. The ongoing revolutions in the Arabic world will not only impact the society, but also the sports system by changing the framing circumstances and the functions or meanings of sport. The dissertation wants to consider and analyse these changes of the sport system among the current societal and political transformations.

Sport-Political Structures, Contents and Processes of the Spanish Sport System

Putzmann, Ninja Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

In the European area numerous journals and articles offer an overview about the development of national sport policies and describe the institutional structures of sport, organizational and financial framework conditions. Nevertheless, empiric-analytic nation studies to explain correlations between sport structures, processes and contents are missing as well as a theoretical fundament to analyse sport systems.

Deriving from the central question for the characteristic sport-political structures, processes and contents of the Spanish sport system, three subordinated goals are defined: Firstly, the investigation of the theoretic-conceptual level by an adaption of the political scientific system theory including the terms of sport polity, sport politics and sport policy for the sport system of Spain as well as the effects of Europeanisation. On the typological level theoretically funded categories or typologies are developed to analyse the Spanish sport system. Focusing on some exemplary regions, the applicability of those typologies is empirically tested. Third the empiric-analytic level is examined by sequencing and summarising of new and existent data about the Spanish sport system respecting special characteristics of single regions of Spain to relate sport political structures, processes and contents.

Perspectively, the elaborated categories can be used to enable a comparison of distinguished European sport systems what implies a certain degree of generalisation.

Anti-Doping-Politics in the Federal Republic of Germany

Risse, Gunnar Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

The project uses the theoretical and methodological instruments of political science to deal with the developments in the fight against doping in Germany, beginning in 1990. While findings from applied economics, sociology and history are taken as a starting point, the main aim of the analysis is to describe and understand the relationship and goals of different actors in the field of anti-doping-policy, using the framework of actor-centered institutionalism. To explain the influence of single actors, the project refers to a multi-dimensional theory of power. In addition, key ideas from political network-analysis, Tsebelis' thoughts on veto-players and some basic components of the principal-agent-approach are taken into consideration. To gather information about the object of investigation, the study uses content-analysis as well as semi-structured guided interviews with policy-makers and decision-makers from sport organisations. It is the purpose of the study to systematically describe past developments, understand the current situation and develop different scenarios for the future with regard to their likeliness.

Integration in Sports Clubs: Development of a social sciencebased Quality Management Model

Schädler, Timo Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

This thesis intends the development of a social science-based QM-Model for integration processes in Sports Clubs. Applications are explained in a functional context. The work study aims to contribute to a topical and problem-related interdisciplinary discourse of political science, sociology, education and business administration in the overall context of sports science. The objective is to develop a systematic theory-based QM-Model, that helps to visualize and realize integration processes in a sports club and beyond it to areas of society. The heterogeneity of the sporting sector with its different orientation and directions of integration policies encourage the development of a model that can meet these requirements at an appropriate level of abstraction. The development of the QM-Model for integration is carried out in close context of theoretical foundation and practical relevance.

Changing Sport-policies in the Ukraine

Ulyanov, Illya Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

The aim of the scientific thesis is to analyse the Ukrainian sport policy, their structures and the processes which extent influence on the development of mass sport and leisure sport.

The focus of the research are the governmental programmes and organisational measures which promote sport as well as the development of mass sport, leisure sport and the sport participation of the Ukrainian people. Since the independence of the Ukraine in the year 1991, numerous/ various measures were initiated to promote mass sport and leisure sport. These initiatives are analysed in this work with regard to their successes and limits. This consideration is complemented by investigations concerning sustainability of the initiated measures. Finally, as a result of the previous steps, the efficiency and capability of the Ukrainian sport policy shall be presented exemplarily.

The study refers to political and legal conditions by taking the historical and social characteristics of the country into account. Addionally, external factors, which influence the development of the mass sport and leisure sport directly or indirectly, are part of the analysis as well as the recent political and social events in the Ukraine in 2014.

Leisure – Tourism – Sport: The Impact of Sport in the 1970s

Wendland, Diana Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2014

The dissertation project is dealing with the development of leisure sport as an essential part of leisure activities and daily routine since the 1970s. The focus lies on the role of sport and sport participation in a postmodern event based society "Erlebnisgesellschaft" (Schulze 1997) and of the importance of a "mental" value or consciousness of leisure sport beyond the rules and norms of competitive sport. Against this backdrop the thesis differentiates between sport in leisure and leisure sport. The example of the development of sport tourism shall illustrate the general "sportization" of society.

Organised Sport in Transition: Social and Cultural Functions of Football Clubs in England and Germany

Ziesche, Daniel

Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, since 2012

The various transformational processes which shape modern societies (e.g. globalisation, individualisation, and urbanisation) present football clubs (and sport clubs in general) with critical challenges with regards to their future development. Likewise, the self-proclaimed functions which sport clubs allegedly traditionally fulfil are being increasingly questioned.

Against the backdrop of an ongoing regional structural transformation – along with a shifting social structure within the geographical sphere of influence of the clubs –the project raises the question in how far roles and functions of football clubs have changed and how resistant or adaptable clubs present themselves in view of those transformational processes. The project thereby focuses on transformational dimensions within three functional fields which football clubs allegedly fulfil: Collective identity construction, community building, and the generating of social capital (understood both in Putnam's and Bourdieu's tradition).

The qualitative analysis will investigate football clubs from regions in England and Germany which have been subject to severe structural change that confronts the football clubs in these regions with formidable challenges. The investigated clubs are playing at the fourth and fifth level of the league pyramid. Firstly, because at this level strong club-internal tensions are presumed with regards to the future alignment of the clubs; secondly, because football research tends to focus on the top tiers of the league system and widely neglects non-league football. The project at hand intends to contribute to the closing of this blind spot in research.

Main objectives of the project are on one side to expose how regional localisation and differences in the structural organisation of football clubs have repercussions on the adaptive abilities of these clubs. On the other side, alleged functions of football clubs for modern societies are expected to be proven or to be refuted which would allow for the delivering of a theoretical framework. On this basis a further and deeper-reaching analysis of social and cultural functions of clubs could be achieved.

Completed Ph.D. Studies The Role of the Asian Football Confederation

Weinberg, Ben

Cologne: Deutsche Sporthochschule Köln, 2010-2013

Football is the most popular sport in the world. However, globalisation and commercialisation of the game have also created new conflicts and challenges in football and politics. The thesis explores the role of the Asian Football Confederation (the AFC) within the rising significance of the football in Asia, drawing on three key theoretical perspectives: globalisation, neoinstitutionalism and governance, as well as comprehensive data from interviews and archive material. It explores the organisational structure of the AFC, its decision making processes, relations with other actors and policies put forward. To understand the specificities AFC has faced in its 60-year history, the broader historical, political, economic, socio-cultural and geographic contexts of football in Asia are taken into account.

Weinberg, Ben (2015): Asia and the Future of Football. The role of the Asian Football Confederation. London.

V. Conferences

In the following, four conferences and series of public talks carried out by the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies that have taken place between summer 2014 and 2015 are outlined. Some of these conferences were solely organised by the IESF while others have been co-organised by the institute.

Overview

- V.1 Sport & EU Conference in 2014
- V.2 International Conference of Sport Government and Governance in Asia
- V.3 6th Symposium Sport Policy: Sport as Motor for Health Policy? Approaches, Players, Conflicts
- V.4 Organised Sport in Mediated Modernity
- V.5 International Conference "Playing to Build Europe"
- V.6 Doping: Background Players Perspectives
- V.7 Europawoche: Sport and Development Policy: Real Interaction or Pure Rhetoric?

V.1 Sport & EU Conference 2014

Date: 26th / 27th June 2014

Place: German Sport University Cologne

Framework:

The 9th annual conference of Sport & EU was hosted by the German Sport University Cologne from 26th to 27th of June 2014. It is jointly organized by the Department of Political Science of the University of Mainz and by the German



Sports University's Institute for European Sport Development and Leisure Studies. The hosts are Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag (Cologne), Prof. Dr. Arne Niemann and Dr. Alexander Brand (Mainz).

Content:

The unflagging convergence between sport and other social areas as well as the increasing interference of governmental and non-governmental players on the organisation of sport indicate the growing importance of the relationship between policy-making and sport. The triggered substantial changes within the European sport system in particular and sport governance in general still lack systematic research. Against this backdrop, the conference aimed to enhance research on European sport systems in view of either the national and the European level – and its linkages.

V.2 International Conference of Sport Government and Governance in Asia

Date: 16th-19th October 2014

Place: Nanchang, China

Content:

The International Conference of Sport Government and



Governance 2014, with the title "Sport Government and Governance in Asia - Actors, Structures, Values" was organized by The International Journal of the History of Sport, Routledge. The German Sport University Cologne was together with the Confucius Institute at the University of Western Australia Co-Organizer of the conference. In this framework Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag, Head of the IESF, was involved as member of the Academic Committee as well as Keynote Speaker of the conference.

V.3 6th Symposium Sport Policy: Sport as Motor for Health Policy? Approaches, Players and Conflicts

Date: 1st November 2014

Place: 7th International Sport-Congress Hamburg

Content:

During the 7th international Sport Congress in Hamburg, the German Sport University organized the 6th Symposium Sport Policy with following topics:

Areas of conflict and programmatic activities related to work

Is the pursuit of Health incompatible with modern working conditions or is there room for co-evolution? This section emphasized the enormous social and political relevance of sports and its respective contribution to physical, emotional and social Health on the one hand and the significance of the latter for functioning working environments. Well-known experts in the field with political or associational backgrounds highlighted common ground and diverging interests of the relevant actors in the interplay of health, sports and work.

Politics and policies in local Healthcare: Fostering Health in a network of municipalities, schools and leisure sports? The questions central to this section were: Which positions in local healthcare-provision are held by municipal administrations, politicians and organised sport? Which role can sports and exercise play with regard to health care and prevention? State and associations as well as practices and players in the field of tourism were scrutinised.

Sport als Motor der Gesundheitspolitik? Zugänge, Akteure, Konfliktfelder



V.4 Organised Sport in Mediated Modernity

Date: 20th/21st November 2014

Place: German Sports University Cologne

Content:

Researchers of the German Sports University cooperate since 2012 in the project "sport in mediated modernity". The core ambitions of the four partaking institutes consist of the systematic elaboration and theoretical mapping of those deep changes within the sports- and exercise-cultures of modern societies that have taken place over the last decades and are still going on.



The concluding symposium presented and discussed the results

of the research activities, be it the partial endeavours of individual institutes or the broader context. Engaging in a dialogue on the basis of working papers with experts coming from sports science and neighboring disciplines, the symposium outlined which changes in sports- and exercise-culture can claim to be typical for which general trends in society and to what extent these changes have a seismographic function for social change. The organizers are indebted to Fritz-Thyssen-Foundation for the funding of the event.

Link: http://www.dshs-koeln.de/forschungsschwerpunkt-sport-der-medialen-moderne/

V.5 "Playing to build Europe" -The Formation of a European Football Sphere (1919-1991)

Date: 5th / 6th Feburary 2015

Place: International conference of the Université de Lausanne, Lausanne

Partners:

De Monfort University, Leicester, International Centre for Sports History and Culture (ICSHC) German Sport University Cologne, Institut of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies (IESF)

Content:

Since 1990, football history has greatly expanded within the field of sport science. In particular, historians have worked on professionalization, on the development of football's institutions or even its mediatisation in a variety of geographic areas and especially Europe; nevertheless, few studies can be considered genuinely continental in their analysis or with respect to their source material. Historians have mainly worked within a national framework, and even collective work remains, for the most part, a collection of national cases. Furthermore, the few existing works really centred on continental football focus primarily on the first half of the twentieth century, even though the period between 1950 and 1980 is fundamental regarding the "Europeanization" of football (creation of a sovereign institution, establishment of specific rules about players' transfers



and contracts and, especially, the development of competitions). Howewer, some authors have already worked on the use of football by the State in their soft power strategies. At the opposite, few research have focused on the role of the football manager's, who created a true transnational community and permit that football played up geopolitical tensions and often take the "wrong-foot" of political decisions.

With this in mind, the conference permitted discussions and transnational debates about the special place of football on the European scene from 1919 to 1991. Based on many cases and topics, the conference showed the steps of the structuration of a genuine 'European' football sphere, studied activities and motivations from managers and finally described the (relative) autonomy of football regarding State policies. The discussions contributed to the rise of some new analysis and indicated suggestions for future research. The conference offered a space of discussion between some young and also more experienced researchers. In this context, the aim was to pursue contacts already established in some European networks, as around the FREE (Football Research in Enlarged Europe) project.

Besides, this new conference can be seen as the continuation of a previous one organised in Lausanne six years ago on the occasion of the European Championship of 2008, which revealed both the place and the role of Switzerland in the development of international football during the twentieth century. Published in a collective volume Le football suisse in 2009, the contributions of this initial research highlighted the necessity to focus on an international level to pursue our understanding of football history.

V.6 Doping: Background - Players - Perspectives



Date: 24th - 26th April 2015

Place: German Sport University Cologne

Partners: Institut for European Sport Development and Leisure Studies (IESF) Research-Group Sport of Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung

Responsible:

Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag, Dr. Till Müller-Schoell, Gunnar Risse Jan-Hendrik Flecke, Jennifer Danquah, Jan Vogt, Lennart Feix

Content:

During the workshop the history of doping, definitions and legal matters were disccussed. To understand the difficulties in tracing the substances, there was a visit of the doping laboratory at the German Sport University on the agenda.

Further questions like political and social aspects of doping and the value of anti-doping politics were covered and discussed in different workshops. As a contrast to this an insight view into everyday life of top athletes was given.

V.7 Europe-Week: Sport and Development Policy: Real Interaction or Pure Rhetoric?

Date: 5th May 2015

Place: German Sport University Cologne

Partner:

Ministerium für Bundesangelegenheiten, Europa und Medien des Landes Nordrhein-Westfalen

Participants at Public Discussion:

Marianne Meier (terre des hommes), Clemens Mukolzi (Jambo Bukoba), Gerald Guskowski (GIZ Bonn), Karen Petry (DSHS), Sibo Janssen (University Cologne) Presenter: Bastian Budde (Deutschlandradio)

Content:

While policies for development have a long and rich history of projects on national as well as on European level, the topic of "development and sports" has only recently and over the last decade come into the focus of politicians, associations and the broader public. Generally, the debate is dominated by the question, what exactly can be achieved in development with and through sports and exercise. Priority aims in development have always been the fight against poverty, capacity building in education and the improvement of infrastructure; sports-related development activities have therefore always needed extra legitimating. Moreover, there is no reason to believe that needs and motives related to sports and exercise are uniform all over the world. In a similar vein, it constitutes a flawed and misled idea to transfer successful regulations, patterns and curricula from one country to another without further reflection. These highly topical issues inspired a mildly controversial debate amongst experts and the engaged auditorium.



VI. Publications and Presentations

In the following, publications and presentations written or held by members of the IESF from 2014 onwards on are listed.

VI.1 Publications since 2014

Jürgen Mittag

Monographs and collected volumes

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Mittag, Jürgen / Stadtland, Helke (eds.) (2014). Theoretische Ansätze und Konzepte der Forschung über soziale Bewegungen in der Geschichtswissenschaft, Klartext-Verlag, Essen 2014, 481 pages (= vol. 48 of the series of the Institute for Social Moements).

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Mittag, Jürgen (2015). Negotiating the Cold War? Perspectives in Memory Research on the UEFA, the early European Football Competitions and the European Nations Cups, in: Pyta, Wolfram/Havemann, Nils (eds.): European Football and Collective Memory, Houndmills, Basingstoke 2015, pp. 40-63.

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Karen Petry

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Michael Groll

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Till Müller-Schoell

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Ninja Putzmann

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VI.2 Selected Presentations and Talks of the IESF-Team

Jürgen Mittag

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20th May 2015	Fußball als Kulturphänomen: Nationalismus und Identität im Fußball. Vortrag im Rahmen des HBS-Fußballclustertreffens "Kulturphänomen Fußball", Bochum.
25th March 2015	Sport in the European Union and its Member States. Vortrag an der Beijing Sport University, Peking.
3rd March 2015	Current Trends in Leisure Activities: A Comparative European View and Transnati- onal Perspectives, VortragimRahmen der "First International Conference on Sports Management and Sports Law". American University in the Emirates, Dubai.
5th/6th February 2015	Structuration de l'espaceeuropéen du football. Des années 1950auxannées 1990. Vortrag im Rahmen der Tagung "Jouerpourconstruirel'Europe ?» La formationd'une spacefootballistiqueeuropéen (1919-1991)". Universität Lausanne.
13th February 2015	Einführung in die Strukturen und Förderpolitiken der EU: Vortrag im Rahmen der VHS Bochum und Europa-Union Bochum,
22th/23rd January 2015	Protest und Opposition in internationalen Sportorganisationen: Die Beispiele FIFA und IOC. Vortrag im Rahmen der Tagung "Protest, Opposition und Spaltung in Interessengruppen: Ausdruck neuer Konfliktlinien oder schwindender Integrations- kräfte?", Siegen.
12th/13th December 2014	Mapping the framework and looking for a core curriculum in Sport for Develop- ment Studies, VortragimRahmen des 2nd International Symposiums on Internatio- nal Development and Peace through Sport, Tokyo.
2nd December 2014	Betriebssport im Wandel: Im Spannungsverhältnis von Freizeitvergnügen und Funktionalität, Vortrag am Historischen Seminar der Universität Bonn, Bonn.
19th-21st November 2014	Gesellschaftlicher und sportbezogener Wandel: Bestandsaufnahmen, Erklärungsan- sätze und Perspektiven im Lichte der "Medialen Moderne". Vortrag im Rahmen der Tagung "Im Wandel: Sport der Medialen Moderne", Köln.
13th/14th November 2014	Im Blickfeld: Arbeitende Körperzwischen Krankheit, Wohlbefinden und Gesundheit. Einführungsvortrag zur Tagung der Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung und der Hans-Böckler- Stiftung: "Der arbeitende Körper im Spannungsfeld von Krankheit und Gesundheit – Neue Perspektiven auf die Gewerkschaftsgeschichte V.
1st November 2014	Gesundheit – Arbeitswelt – Sport: Symbiose oder Gegensatz? Einführender Vortrag im Rahmen des 6. Symposiums Sportpolitk, Hamburg.
18th November 2014	Transnational relations between China and Europa in Sport: trends, offers and constraints. Vortragan der Nanchang University.
15th October 2014	Freizeitsport und Jugend in Deutschland und Europa: Eine Multi-Optionsfalle? Vortrag an der Shanghai Sport University, Shanghai.
13th October 2014	Current challenges in European Sport Politics: Empirical Trends – Applied Cons- traints – Analytical Offers. Vortragan der Peking University, Peking.
1st October 2014	Models of Sport Organisation in the EU: State Intervention and Interactions with- Private Actors, VortragimRahmen des MESGO-Masterprogramms der UEFA, Paris.
23rd July 2014	"Nachspielzeit": Von der Bilanz der WM 2014 zu den aktuellen Herausforderungen der Sportpolitik. Vortrag im Rahmen der Ringvorlesung "Politik und Sport" an der Universität Hildesheim.
24th June 2014	Nach der Europawahl – Parteien, Personalien und Perspektiven. Vortrag im Rah- men der Ring-Vorlesung des Europäischen Dokumentationszentrums und der Europa-Union Köln zur Europawahl 2014,

17th June 2014	Fußball-WM 2014 – instrumentalisiert, politisiert und okkupiert? Vortrag im Rahmen der Initiative "Kritischer Einwurf", Duisburg.
12th June 2014	Mehr als die schönste Nebensache der Welt? Vortrag im Rahmen der Tagung der FES Mecklenburg-Vorpommern "Über die Bedeutung von Fußball für uns und unsere Gesellschaft", Schwerin.
11th June 2014	Vereinsentwicklung und Ehrenamt. Vortrag im Rahmen von Gelsensport, Gelsen- kirchen.
10th June 2014	Fußball-WM 2014: Im Würgegriff der FIFA? Vortrag im Rahmen des Colloquiums "Dritte Welt Umwelt & Entwicklung: Brasilien – Auf dem Weg zu einer nachhalti- gen Zukunft?", Osnabrück.
27th May 2014	Sportgroßveranstaltungen als politische und soziale Konfliktherde? Vortrag im Rahmen der Ringvorlesung "Konflikt" an der Universität zu Köln.
15th May 2014	,Juntos num sóritmoʻ oder ,Blues statt Sambaʻ? Vortrag im Rahmen der Tagung "Globales Mega-Event und nationaler Konfliktherd: Die WM 2014 in Brasilien im Blickfeld der kommunikations- und politikwissenschaftlichen Forschung", Köln.

Karen Petry

Date	Title
26th May 2015	The Sport System in Germany: Structures, Policy and Challenges Vortrag in der Akademie für Internationale Bildung gGmbH, Bonn
5th May 2015	Public Discussion "Sport and Development Policy: Real Interaction or Pure Rhetoric?", Köln
3rd November 2014	M&E im Kontext von Sport und Entwicklung Vortrag im Rahmen des ICSSPE Seminar "Communities and Crisis" in Berlin/ Rheinsberg
27th September 2014	Planung und Umsetzung von europäischen und grenzüberschreitenden Pro- jekten Vortrag im Rahmen des Workshops der Führungs- und Verwaltungs- akademie des DOSB gemeinsam mit dem EOC EU Büro in Köln
28th May 2014	Sport and Development: The role of Universities Vortrag im Rahmen des Projektes "Fußball-Lernen-Global" in Fortaleza/ Brasilien
11th May 2014	Monitoring und Evaluation von Entwicklungsprojekten Vortrag im Rahmen der Weiterbildung zum Sportauslandsexperten/-expertin des Deutschen Olympischen Sportbundes und des Auswärtigen Amtes in Köln
6th May 2014	Trends in Higher Education and Employment in Europe Vortrag im Rahmen eines EU/ TEMPUS Projektes in Tirana/ Albanien

Katrin Bauer

Date	Title
25th/26th July 2015	Introduction to the scientific monitoring of the GIZ Sector Program "Sport for Development"/Importance of Monitoring and Evaluation/ Introduction to quantitative and qualitative evaluation methods. Presentation at Work- shop of the GIZ. Rio de Janeiro, Brasilien.
6th November 2014	Introduction to the German Sport University Cologne, Introduction to quantitative and qualitative evaluation methods. Presentation at Workshop of the GIZ. Windhoek, Namibia
5th November 2014	The Sector Programme "Sport for Development" (GIZ) in Namibia, Impor- tance of M&E . Presentation at Workshop of the GIZ. Windhoek, Namibia

Vanessa Hauert

Date	Title
20th May 2015	Presentation of the preliminary results of the sport development planning Gelsenkirchen

Pia Klems

Date	Title
9th / 11th.October	"Eine historische Betrachtung von Sportvereinen im Ruhrgebiet anhand
2014	von Vereinsfestschriften". Tagung der DAGS- Symposium Freyburg (Unstrut)

Ninja Putzmann

Date	Title
25th June 2015	"'Sport political systems': Potentials and limits of the political system the- ory for sport policy analyses", presentation at the Sport & EU Conference in Angers (ESSCA School of Management, France)
11th June 2015	"Sports policy between state intervention and sports autonomy: Unity and conflicts in the Spanish sport policy" at the European Association for Sociology of Sport Conference in Dublin City University (Ireland)
20th May 2015	"An analysis of the Spanish sport political system" at the Instituto Nacional d'Educació Física de Catalunyain Barcelona (University of Barcelona, Spain)
7th January 2015	"Sports policy between state intervention and sports autonomy: Key events, patterns and trends of the Spanish sport policy", presentation at the PSA Sport and Politics Group Conference "Sport, politics and social policy" in Durham (Durham University, England)
27th June 2014	"Changes and challenges of the Spanish sport system. System-theoretical approaches for the analysis of political sport systems", presentation at the Sport & EU Conference "Sport systems and sport governance in Europe. Changes, challenges and mulit-level perspectives", in Cologne (German Sport University Cologne)
7th May 2014	"The Spanish sport system - sportpolitical structures, processes and con- tents", presentation in the lecture series "National and European Sport Systems" in Cologne (German Sport University Cologne)
13th March 2013	"Sportpolitical structures, contents and processes in Spain – the Spanish sport- system: a perspective of the political science", presentation at the Instituto Nacional d'Educació Física de Catalunya in Barcelona (University of Barcelona)

Diana Wendland

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Date	Title
23th / 24th September 2014	Alternative Reise- und Wahrnehmungshilfen. Der Reiseführer als Vermitt- ler von unkonventionellen Reiseleitbildern, im Rahmen der Tagung: web- SITES & SIGHTSeeing. Tourismus in Medienkulturen, Universität Salzburg, Abteilung für Soziologie und Kulturwissenschaft.

Daniel Ziesche

Date	Title
24th / 26th April 2014	" And You're Destroying Our Game'. RB Leipzig in Public Football Discourse", Vortrag gehalten am 25.04.2014, Football Research in an En- larged Europe (FREE) Conference: From Habermas to Fanblogs: Exploring the Public Sphere of European Football, Ankara METU, Turkey. Working Paper:[http://www.free-project.eu/documents-free/Working%20 Papers/Daniel-Ziesche-AndYoureDestroyingOurGameRBLeipzigInPublic- FootballDiscourse.pdf]
26th / 27th June 2014	"Clubs in Distress? New Alignments of Stake- and Shareholders in German and English Football Culture", Sport & EU Conference 2014: Sport Sys- tems and Sport Governance in Europe. Changes, Challenges and Multi- Level Perspectives, Köln.
22th October 2014	"More Than a Club? Social and Cultural Functions of Football Clubs in Germany", Gastvortrag gehalten am Loughborough University/United Kingdom.
24th / 25th October 2014	"'Good Governed'? Stakeholder Representation in German Professional Football Clubs", Football Research in an Enlarged Europe (FREE) Confe- rence: Whose Game is it? Supporters and Football Governance, Loughbo- rough University/United Kingdom.

VII. Activities in Co-operation

Partners	Activities
AEI	The "Working Group" on European Integration (AEI) is an interdisciplinary scientific association that focuses on questions concerning European Integration. Among the 430 members of the AEI are university lecturers and members of research institutes, but also members of diverse institutions and organizations that work within the area of EU-Integration. The AEI wants to be understood as the central forum of Germany working on continuous interdisciplinary analysis of questions concerning European integration and development. Furthermore the AEI is member of the European Community Studies Association (ECSA).
ENSSEE	The European Network of Sport Science, Education & Employment (ENSSEE) is an international non-profit association for institutions and provides a meeting place for debating and proposing ideas as well as common initia- tives to promote education, training and employment in sport. The IESF co-operated with ENSSEE, e.g. in order to launch the new BA pro- gramme in 'Physical Activity and Lifestyle Counselling', which is taught at seven universities throughout Europe. Dr. Karen Petry acts as the ENSSEE Vice-President.
Sport & EU: Association for the Study of Sport and the European Union	The Association for the Study of Sport and the European Union (Sport & EU) is a network of like-minded academics and practitioners with an interest in the study of the relationship between sport and the European Union, both largely defined. Founded in 2005, Sport & EU's membership features now individuals from institutions in more than 25 countries from the five continents. Sport & EU is an important partner of the IESF – in particular considering regular academic contacts but also in view of conferences. The 6th annual conference of the Association for the Study of Sport and the European Union (Sport & EU), titled 'Reflections on Lisbon – past, present and future' was supported by the IESF with an own panel while in the framework of the 7 th and 8th annual conference several speeches were given. The 9th annual conference was held in Cologne.
Jambo Bukoba	Within the scope of research in the field of development through sport, the IESF co-operates with Jambo Bukoba e.V. to scientifically support and theoretically evaluate a development project in Tanzania. After conducting a basic needs study, developing a concept for the region, establishing co- operations with local authorities and educating PE teachers in 2010, the evaluation of the project contents and their implementation, the compi- lation of a textbook for PE- teachers and the advancement of workshops accounted for the IESF's work on this project in 2011.
Play the game	Play the Game is an international conference and communication initiative aiming to strengthen the ethical foundation of sport and promote demo- cracy, transparency and freedom of expression in sport. It is run by the Danish Institute for Sports Studies (Idan), an independent institution set up by the Danish Ministry of Culture. The task of Idan is to create overview over and insight into the field of sport nationally and internationally.

VIII. Team

Chairholder and Head of the IESF

Univ.-Prof. Dr. Jürgen Mittag

Jürgen Mittag studied Political Science, Medieval and Modern History as well as German literature at the Universities of Cologne, Bonn and Oxford 1992-1997; he obtained his Ph.D. (Dr. phil.) from the University of Cologne in 2000; from 1997 until 2003 he was employed as a research assistant at the Jean Monnet-Chair for Political Science, University of Cologne; from 2003 until 2010 he was Managing Director at the Institute for Social Movements of the Ruhr-University Bochum and of the "Foundation Library of the Ruhr". Since 2011 he is chairholder and head of the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies (German Sport University Cologne). He was visiting scholar and visiting professor in Florence (European University Institute), Brussels (TEPSA), Paris (Sciences Po) and Istanbul.

Major Fields of Research are European integration, comparative politics and sport politics, parliamentarism, parties, trade unions and social movements. At the GSU Jürgen Mittag is in charge of the Module "Sport und Verbandswesen" of the B.A. "Sport, Outdoor Education and Movement" and of the Module "Gesellschaft und Sporttourismus" of the Master course "Sport Tourism and Recreation Management". Jürgen Mittag acts as liaison professor of the Friedrich-Ebert Foundation and the Hans-Böckler-Foundation at GSU. He also is engaged in various boards, e.g. the academic board of the Institute for European Politics (IEP), Berlin; of the Johannes Rau-Society; of the Foundation Library of the Ruhr. He also is Cooperating Editor of the Journal "Historical Social Research" (HSR) and reviewer of journals and organisations.



Deputy Head of the IESF

Dr. Karen Petry

Karen Petry studied Sport Science at the German Sport University and Social Sciences at the University of Cologne. She has a PhD in Sport Science and is Deputy Head of the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies since 2003. She is responsible for the research activities in European Sport Policy, Sport for Development, Social Work and Sport. From 2009-2014 she worked as a consultant for GIZ/ GTZ where she took part in the review of the Mass Participation Programme (MPP) of the Sports Ministry in South Africa (SRSA) and a Baseline Study for PE Teachers in Kabul, Afghanistan. Karen Petry published several books and articles in the area of European Sport

Policy, Leisure Sport participation and Sport and Gender. She is member of the "Editorial Board" of the Journal of Sport for Development (A peer reviewed, open access journal). Since 2002 she is board member (Vice President) of the European Network of Sport Science, Education and Employment (ENSSEE). From 2004-2007 Karen co-ordinated the Thematic Network Project AEHESIS (Aligning a European Higher Educational Structure In Sport Science) – this project was nominated as ERASMUS Success Story in 2007 by the European Commission. In 2011 Karen Petry received the Alberto-Madella-Award for her outstanding engagement in Sport Education.



Emeritus and former president of the GSU



Univ. Prof. mult. Dr. Walter Tokarski

Prof. Dr. Tokarski studied economics, sociology and social psychology at the University of Cologne. From 1990 to 1999 Prof. Dr. Tokarski was Chairholder of the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies, focusing his research on European Sport Studies, Sport Policy and Leisure Sports.

In 1999 he became president of the GSU and held this function until 2014. Due to his international experiences and contacts received various professorships of honour, for example of the Shanghai University of China or the Sports Academy in Sofia. In the years 2002 to 2003 he was honoured with several awards of international universities and the Polish National Olympic Committee.

Prof. Dr. Tokarski published numerous books and reports in the areas of Sport and International Co-operation, Sport Policy and Social Aspects of Sports. Additionally he is member of the European Leisure and Recreation Association, the European Network of Sport Science, Education and Employment, Director of the Board of World Leisure and Recreation and many more.

Academic Staff



Dr. Till Müller-Schoell

Dr. Till Müller-Schoell studied political science, Slavic languages and Sociology at the Universities of Heidelberg and Bonn and graduated with a thesis on the tansformation of the Russian social security system. He received a Dr. rer. pol. from the University of Bremen for his dissertation on institutional change in the regulation of marginal employment relationships on the fringes of the social security system in Germany, Austria and France. He works as a research associate at German Sport University Cologne, Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies.

From 2006 to 2014 he worked at the Institute of Economic and Social Research in the Hans-Böckler-Foundation, Düsseldorf, mainly on labour market policy. From 2002 to 2005 he worked at the Max-Planck-Institute for the Study of Societies, Cologne.

His research is centered on the politics of sports, interest-intermediation and governance in sports, comparative political economy in sports, labour market and social policy.

Dipl. Sportwiss. Katrin Bauer

Katrin Bauer works as a Researcher at the IESF since 2010. As a student she had different administrative tasks at the institute, after her studies she was working on an evaluation project applied by Laureus Germany, a foundation attending to social sport projects all over the world. She spent two times in Africa (Namibia 2008, Tanzania 2011) in social projects dealing with sports. Especially the project Jambo Bukoba in Tanzania is supported intensely in a scientific way by the IESF and was always part of her work.

After having worked in a Primary school for one year, she returned to the IESF and is now responsible for the scientific monitoring of the Sector programme "Sport for development" of the German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ) together with Dr. Karen Petry and the partner ICSSPE.



Vanessa Hauert, M.Sc.

Graduated (M.Sc. sports tourism and recreation management) in February 2015 at the German Sport University Cologne (title of the master thesis: "From the tourism industry to the experience industry –staging of experiences in the club holiday segment"). Since February 2014 research assistant at the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies. Research focus on sport development planning, currently responsible for the project "sport development planning Gelsenkirchen – The Gelsensport model: experiences and future perspectives".



Pia Klems (Stemmermann), M.A.

Pia Stemmermann is involved in the project "Organised Sport in Medialized Modernity" as a research assistant of the IESF since November 2012. After graduating in Sport Science and History at the Ruhr University Bochum in 2008, she finished the Masters degree of Sport, Media and Communication at the German Sport University in Cologne. Between 2010 and 2012 she gained practical experiences as a teacher in Herne. Furthermore, she is involved in the Sports Federation of NRW and coaches basketball teams of the West-German Basketball Federation. Her dissertation is titled "Values in sports clubs" and is a contemporary historical study about the shifting of values in sports clubs in the Ruhr area. The historical analysis is conducted by examining the almost unexploited source of "Vereinsfestschriften" and shows the shift in values from the 1960's on. At present, Pia Klems is in parental leave.



Dipl. Sportwiss. Ninja Putzmann

In 2011 Ninja Putzmann graduated from the GSU with a German Diploma in Sports Science majoring in Media and Communication. In order to support her final thesis 'sport structures and sport development in Jamaica with regard to track and field' Ninja qualified for a scholarship from the DAAD allowing her to spend two months in Kingston, Jamaica. In May 2012 Ninja successfully applied at the GSU as a PhD candidate. In her current work she focuses on 'Sport political structures, processes and contents of the Spanish sport system' and works as a researcher at the IESF.

Within the framework of her PhD-thesis she spent some months researching and conducting interviews in Spain. She received scholarships from the GSU as well as from the DAAD. Currently Ninja also works as a freelance employee in the marketing and communications sector of the Sports Association of North Rhine-Westphalia (Landessportbund NRW). She holds coaching certificates in track and field, climbing and field hockey.



Diana Wendland, M.A.

Diana Wendland has finished her Master in New and Newest History and German Literature at Ruhr-University Bochum in December 2013. She has worked as a student research assistant at the Institute for Social Movements, Ruhr-University Bochum, and as an academic research assistant at the IESF. Currently she is engaged as academic researcher and prepares her doctoral thesis on sport and leisure since the 1970ies. Her interests lie on contemporary history, in special on the history of travel, tourism, sport and leisure.



Daniel Ziesche, M.A.

Daniel Ziesche graduated from Chemnitz University of Technology and the University of Glasgow in 2011 with degrees in Political Science and English and American Studies. From October 2011 to July 2012 he worked within an ESRC-financed project based at the University of Aberdeen with the title "The Territorialisation of Interest Representation in Europe". Since November 2012 Daniel is a research associate at the German Sport University Cologne. His dissertation project on the functions of football clubs within modern societies is part of the inter-disciplinary research project "Organised Sport in Medialized Modernity" at GSU. Within his research, Daniel focuses on sport and social change, issues of social exclusion, and collective identity formation in and through sport.



Dr. Michael Groll (until June 2014)

Dr. Michael Groll studied sport sciences at the German Sport University. He held management and editorial positions in sport marketing and sport business focused on journalism. He received his doctoral degree in 2004 for a work on transnational sport politics ("Transnationale Sportpolitik"). From 2005 until 2014 he was a senior research assistant at the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies. Specific research areas in the field of sport politics and policies have been sport and politics, sport and memorial culture and sport in developmental contexts.

Student researchers

Judith Ebbinghaus, B.A. (until April 2015)

Judith Ebbinghaus studied Media Sciences and English at Cologne University and Basel University, Switzerland and graduated in 2013 with a Bachelor's degree of Arts. Having previously worked at Theater Basel and the WDR (Westdeutscher Rundfunk) in Cologne, she started working at IESF in April 2014 as a student assistant and is involved in research, conferences and text work in the area of sports and tourism. She is currently enrolled in the M.Sc. Programme "Sports Tourism and Leisure Management" at GSU.

Helena Gey, B.Sc.

Helena Gey studied Sports and Performance at the German Sports University and graduated in 2013 with a Bachelor of Science degree. After working as a sailing instructor in Germany and in Thailand for one year, she came back to Cologne in October 2014 to continue her studies in the master's program Sports Tourism and Recreation Management. Since April 2015 she is employed as student assistant at the IESF, besides she works in a thermal bath in Cologne. Her main task at IESF is text editing in the field of sports, tourism and European sports policy.

Louis Moustakas, B.A.

Originally from Canada, Louis Moustakas studied International Management at Université Laval in Quebec City and, for one semester, at the Copenhagen Business, graduating in 2010 with a Bachelor of Business Administration. After, he went on to work at the Coaching Association of Canada and completed an 18-month stint in Botswana, where he worked with their Olympic Committee and later as Games Services Manager for the African Youth Games. He is currently enrolled in the M.Sc. Sport Management at the GSU.

Frank Schulz (until December 2014)

Frank Schulz is enrolled in a bachelor's degree at the German Sport University Cologne. He studies with the focus on outdoor activities and sports tourism. Frank started working as a student researcher at the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies, in April 2014. He is involved in editing the IESF-Homepage, events on sport politics and research.











Kathrin Schmid, B.A. (until November 2014)

Kathrin Schmid is currently studying the BA degree Sport Management and Communications at the GSU. Her special interests lie in the field of the social impacts of sports. After supporting the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies in organizing the 'experts for foreign sporting affairs' workshop as an intern, she was engaged as a student researcher in the area of sport politics, policies and development in July 2012. She has already gained experiences of her own in the field development when she worked in a 14-month-placement as a volunteer in Nicaragua and as a member of research activities in Brazil.



Robin Schröder, B.A.

Robin Schröder is a current student at the German Sport University and has studied for one semester at the Marmara University Istanbul. As a student research assistant at the Institute for European Sport Development and Leisure Studies his sphere of action is mainly related to the Sektorvorhaben "Sport für Entwicklung" conducted by the Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ). From October 2014 to March 2015, Robin was in Colombia in order write his thesis on the evaluation of the implementation and effect of a particular non-governmental organization in the field of sport for development.



Benedict Steinheil, B.A.

Benedict Steinheil studied Sport Management and Sport Communication with the minor subject of sport politics at the GSU and graduated 2013 with a bachelor's degree of arts. Currently he is enrolled in the Sport, Media and Communication Research Master's degree at the German Sport University Cologne. Benedict started working as a student researcher at the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies in February 2013. He is involved in sport politics and policies, sport political events and research. In addition, he is involved in editing the Homepage and creating videos.



Administrative Staff

Lisa Röseler, M.A.

Lisa Röseler studied History, English Literature and Economics at the Universites of Saarbrücken, Cardiff (Wales) and Cologne. She graduated in 1996. She worked as a press relations officer for several years. She joined the team of the IESF in October 2014 and is responsible for all administrative relations as well as the website and other publications.

Internship

Annika Klein

Annika Klein is enrolled in the Bachelor's degree "Sports, Health and Prevention" at German Sports University Cologne since 2012. She started working as an intern at the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies in October 2014 with the focus on sports related development cooperation. She is involved in research, textwork and the organisation of events. As part of her internship she recently spent 3 month in Namibia to support the Monitoring and Evaluation System of the girls soccer programm Galz& Goals. From September 2015 she will start working as a student researcher.



Friederike Culemann

Friederike Culemann is a Physiotherapist since 2010. She is now enrolled in the Bachelor's degree "Sport, Adventure and Expressive Movement" at German Sports University Cologne. From April to August 2015 she worked as an intern at the Institute of European Sport Development and Leisure Studies with the focus on sports related development cooperation. She was involved in writing summaries and final reports about different pilot-projects of the GIZ. She also transcribed interviews and helped organizing the public discussion "Sport and Development Policy: Real Interaction or Pure Rhetoric?" Further on, she put current research projects in SOFISwiki, an online platform and created an online questionnaire with UNIpark-software.



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