

ISLJ Annual International Sports Law Conference 2019

24-25 October 2019

Asser Institute, The Hague

Day 1

Thursday, 24 October

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| 9:00 - 10:00 | <i>Registration & coffee</i> |
| 10:00 - 10:15 | Opening Antoine Duval , Asser Institute & Johan Lindholm , Umeå University |
| 10:15 - 11:00 | <u>Opening Speech</u> Athlete adventures in the boardroom: a personal account Moya Dodd , former FIFA Council member and current ICAS member (via Skype) |
| 11:00 - 12:30 | <u>Panel 1</u> Where is the athletes' voice? The (il)legitimacy of international sports governing bodies Chair Mark James , Manchester Metropolitan University Mark A. Conrad , Fordham University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The lack of athlete representation in international sports governing bodies: Is a labour management approach a better way to ensure athletes' rights? Marjolaine Viret , Lévy Kaufmann-Kohler & Antoine Duval , Asser Institute <ul style="list-style-type: none"> "Hearing the voice of the athlete" – Towards a 'democratisation' of the world anti-doping regime? Arnout Geeraert , Utrecht University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The democratic legitimacy of international sport federations |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | <i>WISLAW lunch – Women's access to football stadium in Iran</i> |
| 13:30 - 15:00 | <u>Panel 2</u> Criminal law and sports - Criminal law of sports Chair Marjolaine Viret , Lévy Kaufmann-Kohler Björn Hessert , Zürich University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cooperation and reporting obligations in sports investigations Jan Exner , Charles University Prague/Czech Olympic Committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fixed sanction framework in the world anti-doping code: Can hearing panels go below the limits in the pursuit of proportionate sanctions? |

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| | <p>Ruby Panchal, Jindal Global Law School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lex sportiva: Fixing 'the Big Fix'? |
| 15:00 - 15:30 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 15:30 - 17:00 | <p><u>Panel 3</u></p> <p>Transfer systems in international sports Chair Antoine Duval, Asser Institute</p> <p>Shervine Nafissi, Université de Lausanne</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Third-party influence on clubs - Analysis of the scope of application of art. 18bis RSTP <p>Jan Łukomski, Łukomski Niklewicz Law Firm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On the finalisation of international football transfers and professional football players' contracts <p>Xavier Mansat, CRESTA Lawyers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International volleyball governing body and the player-club employment relationship |
| 18:30 | <i>Dinner</i> |

Day 2

Friday, 25 October

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| 9:30 - 10:30 | <p><u>Keynote lecture</u></p> <p>The nature and function of association tribunals in international sport Ulrich Haas, Zurich University</p> |
| 10:30 - 11:00 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 11:00 - 12:30 | <p><u>Panel 4</u></p> <p>Rethinking sports arbitration Chair Johan Lindholm, Umeå University</p> <p>Artur Flaminio da Silva & Daniela Mirante, Universidade Nova de Lisboa</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mandatory arbitration as a possible future for sports arbitration <p>Veronica Lavista, University of Oslo</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Influence of international dispute settlement on sports arbitration <p>Massimiliano Trovato, King's College London</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Untying the Gordian knot: Three radical proposals to enhance CAS legitimacy |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | <i>Book l(a)unch - The Court of Arbitration for Sport and its Jurisprudence: An Empirical Inquiry Lex Sportiva' - Johan Lindholm</i> |
| 13:30 - 15:00 | <p><u>Panel 5</u></p> <p>Revisiting the (in)dependence and transparency of the CAS Chair Despina Mavromati, Lausanne University</p> <p>Velislava Hristova, Djingov, Gouginski, Kyutchukov & Velichkov</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The intersection between human rights and sports arbitration: the right to a public hearing in sports cases |

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| | <p>Antonio Rigozzi, <i>Lévy Kaufmann-Kohler/Université de Neuchatel</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seraing, Pechstein and the future of CAS? <p>Tom Seamer, <i>Morgan Sports Law</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The evolution of sports arbitration – independence and impartiality of CAS Arbitrators |
| 15:00 - 15:30 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 15:30 - 17:00 | <p><u>Panel 6</u></p> <p>The future of sports: sports law of the future Chair Christopher Flanagan, <i>managing editor International Sports Law Journal</i></p> <p>Audrey Cech & Cedric Aghey, <i>FIFA</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integration of eSports in the structure of IFs – Disruption or continuity? <p>Angela Busacca, <i>Universita Mediterranea di Reggio Calabria</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What kind of civil liability in extreme sports? <p>Nick Poggenklaas, <i>Van Diepen Van Der Kroef</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The protection of minors in E-Sports |
| 17:00 | <i>Closing reception</i> |