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Program ESEA Conference 2024

Erasmus Center for Applied Sports Economics (ECASE)

Erasmus University Rotterdam



Program overview

Wednesday 21st August 2024

Time	Excelsior stadium
15h00 - 15h30	Registration + coffee
15h30 - 15h45	Welcome
15h45 - 17h30	Policy panel on recent ECJ cases in sports <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Thomas Peeters (moderator)- Oliver Budzinski- Stefaan van den Bogaert- FIFPro
17h30 - 20h00	Welcome reception (borrel)

Excelsior: Van Donge en De Roo Stadion, Honingerdijk, 3062 NX Rotterdam
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Thursday 22nd August 2024

Time	Forum room	Praag room	Auckland room	Aberdeen room	Restaurant
08h45 - 09h00	Welcome at EUR				
09h00 - 10h40	Parallel A1: 4 papers	Parallel A2: 4 papers	Parallel A3: 4 papers	Parallel A4: 4 papers	
10h40 - 11h10					Coffee break
11h10 - 12h25	Parallel B1: 3 papers	Parallel B2: 3 papers	Parallel B3: 3 papers	Parallel B4: 3 papers	
12h25 - 14h00					Lunch
14h00 - 15h40	Parallel C1: 4 papers	Parallel C2: 4 papers	Parallel C3: 4 papers	Parallel C4: 4 papers	
15h40 - 16h00					Coffee break
16h00 - 17h30	ESEA general meeting				
17h30 - 18h30					Transfer

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Friday 23rd August 2024

Time	Forum room	Auckland room	Aberdeen room	Restaurant
09h00 - 10h15	Parallel D1: 3 papers	Parallel D2: 3 papers	Parallel D3: 3 papers	
10h15 - 10h35				Coffee break
10h35 - 11h25	Parallel E1: 3 papers	Parallel E2: 3 papers	Parallel E3: 3 papers	
11h30 - 12h30	Keynote: Ignacio Palacios-Huerta (LSE)			
12h30 - 12h40	Closing conference			
12h40 - 14h00				Goodbye snacks

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Parallel sessions

Session	Paper	Presenter	Paper Title
A1 Climate Forum Thursday 9h00-10h40	A1-1	Christoph Buehren	Increasing climate change attitudes at the expense of well-being? Evidence from environmental sustainability initiatives of sports organizations
	A1-2	Michal Kowalik	Weather to go to the stadium
	A1-3	Vojtech Misak	Weather and Soccer related aggression. Evidence from the United Kingdom
	A1-4	Peter Dawson	Workplace Environment and Productivity: The Case of Professional Darts
A2 Football Matches Prag Thursday 9h00-10h40	A2-1	Matthew Bond	Using multi-state models to forecast in-play football matches
	A2-2	Antonio Llopis Gamez	Uncovering Biases in Decision Making: Evidence from Video Assistant Referee use in football
	A2-3	Roberto Rondinelli	Analysing football passing networks via generalized triad census
	A2-4	Hendrik Sonnabend	The Napoleon complex revisited: New evidence from professional soccer
A3 Competition/ competitive structure Auckland Thursday 9h00-10h15	A3-1	Mary-Elena Sanchez-Gabarre	The effect of closed doors on home advantage by division and gender in professional basketball, football and handball
	A3-2	Marcel Koch	Abolition of the away goals rule in UEFA club football tournaments - The emerging consequences for the home team's and away team's offensive and defensive behaviour and the general goal scoring
	A3-3	J.D. Tena	Replacing the away goal rule: Intended or unintended consequences?
A4 Team performance Aberdeen Thursday 9h00-10h40	A4-1	Igor Tylkin	Does the strongest or the weakest player determine team performance? Testing the O-ring theory using data from composition of CS:GO teams
	A4-2	Robert Butler	The Coffin Box and Greyhound Racing Outcomes
	A4-3	Steven Salaga	Strategic Leader Combinations: Expert Leadership, Executive Alignment, and Organizational Performance
	A4-4	Dennis Coates	What do North American Teams Maximize?

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B1 Discrimination Forum Thursday 11h10-12h25	B1-1	KennethColombe	Exploring implicit racial discrimination in the WNBA
	B1-2	Sam Hoey	Racial Discrimination in the Labour Market of English Football Managers
	B1-3	Sebastian Otten	Racial Discrimination in the Labor Market: Evidence from Fantasy League Soccer
B2 Outcome uncertainty Praag Thursday 11h10-12h25	B2-1	Alex Farnell	Uncertainty of Outcome in the WSL
	B2-2	Arne Feddersen	Contest Outcome Uncertainty and Consumer Decisions: Evidence from European Football Leagues
	B2-3	Raphael Flepp	Suspense and Surprise in European Football
B3 Sport & Society Auckland Thursday 11h10-12h25	B3-1	Alex Krumer	Targeted investment in elite sports: An empirical lesson from professional fencing
	B3-2	Kristoff Reichel	Bumpy road to the UEFA Euro 2024? Survey evidence on German residents' perceptions in the run-up to hosting the event
	B3-3	James Reade	Economic and Social Turmoil and Football: Argentina 1931-1999
B4 Competition Aberdeen Thursday 11h10-12h25	B4-1	Jingwen Yu	Facial Structure and Performance in Competitive Environments: Evidence from Male Professional Tennis Players
	B4-2	Julian Matthes	The Strategic Benefits of Sending Your Friends Away: A Coopetition Problem in Professional Road Cycling
	B4-3	Eoghan O'Neill	Static and Dynamic BART for Rank-Order Data

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C1 Competition/strategy Forum Thursday 14h00-15h40	C1-1	Mario Lackner	Competitive pressure and rational decision making: Evidence from the NBA
	C1-2	Agustin Indaco	Do Professional Athletes Choke When They Don't Have Time to Stop and (Over) Think?
	C1-3	Dmitry Dagaev	Do the Racers Compete Strategically or Just Drive as Fast as Possible?
	C1-4	Gergely Csurilla	Risk taking in chess: empirical evidence from sport for prospect theory
C2 Wages/productivity Praag Thursday 14h00-15h40	C2-1	David DeBoskey	Exploring the Multi-Dimensional Relationship between Performance and Salaries in U.S. Major League Soccer: A Comprehensive Analysis
	C2-2	Nick Riccardi	NBA Player Types and Compensation
	C2-3	Adrian Simion	Does it pay to win? The relationships among spending categories and team performance in women's college basketball
	C2-4	Robert Simmons	Peer Effects on Pay in the National Football League
C3 Labor market Auckland Thursday 14h00-15h40	C3-1	Felix Sage	O Captain, My Captain? Empirical Evidence on the Importance of Captaincy in Soccer
	C3-2	Giambattista Rossi	Long term contracts & Productivity in a High Skilled Labour Market: Evidence from Professional Football
	C3-3	Szczepan Kosciolk	Assigning Important Tasks to Inexperienced Employees: Evidence from European Football
	C3-4	Brad Humphreys	The Effects of Labor Market Conditions at Entry: Evidence from the NHL 2004-2005 Lockout
C4 Money Aberdeen Thursday 14h00-15h40	C4-1	Benjamin Holmes	Maximizing Utility: Integer Optimization Approach for Budget Allocation in Professional Football Clubs
	C4-2	Hiroaki Funahashi	Impact of stadiums on residential land values: evidence from Japan
	C4-3	Luis Carlos Sanchez Martinez	Pay or not to pay: football fan behavior in Pay-what-you-want pricing policy
	C4-4	Samantha Barresi	Is there a Relationship Between Financial and Sporting Performance? A Comparative Study of Serie A, La Liga, and Premier League

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D1 Gender Forum Friday 9h00-10h15	D1-1	Galila Nasser	Battle of the Sexes over Fans - Is Men's Soccer a Substitute for Women's Soccer?
	D1-2	Markus Kurscheidt	Consumption culture of tennis event spectators: Survey evidence on ATP and WTA tournaments in Germany
	D1-3	David Butler	The Baby Club - Paternity and Performance in a High-Pressure Context
D2 Managers Auckland Friday 9h00-10h15	D2-1	Alperen Kocsoy	The Impact of Patience on Tenure Duration of Football Managers
	D2-2	Kaori Narita	Quantifying the Contribution of Managers on Firm Success: The Case of Association Football
	D2-3	Andrei Smirnov	Striking Success: How Goals Shape Coach Bias in Football
D3 Health Aberdeen Friday 9h00-10h15	D3-1	Alice Aguiar-Noury	Life Satisfaction and Risk Preferences of Couch Potatoes, Recreational and Elite Athletes: The Impact of Mental Dispositions and Attitudes
	D3-2	Martin Schnitzer	Enduring Legacies? The Impact of the Innsbruck Winter Olympics 1976 on Sports Participation and Long-term Health
	D3-3	Jane Ruseski	Measuring the Relative Contribution of Exercise, Diet, and Socioeconomic Status to Obesity and Physical Activity



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E1 Refereeing and judging Forum Friday 10h35-11h25	E1-1	John Eakins	Compensating Tendencies in Disciplinary Sanctions: The Case of Hurling Revisited
	E1-2	Carl Singleton	Can Awareness Reduce (and Reverse) Identity-driven Judgement Bias? Evidence from International Cricket
E2 Sport Participation Auckland Friday 10h35-11h25	E2-1	Thomas Breuer	Membership in motion: Unveiling the impact of demographic and economic factors on sports club membership with a panel data approach
	E2-2	Paul Downward	Sport participation, intersectionalities and policy priorities in England
E3 Betting Aberdeen Friday 10h35-11h25	E3-1	Jeremy Losak	Hot Hand Effects: Analyzing MLB Starting Pitchers in Daily Fantasy Sports and Betting Markets
	E3-2	Jan van Ours	Non-transitive patterns in long-term football rivalries

