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Association for the Study of Sport and the European Union Fourth Annual Conference

School of Law, Airthrey Castle, University of Stirling, June 22nd and 23rd 2009

Day One: June 22nd 2009

10-00 to 12-00 *Registration*

12-00 to 12-45 *Lunch sponsored by Stirling Law School*

12-45 to 14-15 **Football, Theory and Policy**
Chair: Graham Timmins

Diamentis Mastrogiannakis, University of Lille: *Struggles and Stakes in the Emerging European Football Field*

Antonia Hagemann, Supporters Direct: *Fan Ownership in Europe*

Christos Anagnostopoulos, University of Salford: *European Professional Football Clubs and Social Responsibility: A Bizarre Relationship*

14-15 to 14-30 *Refreshments*

14-30 to 16-00 **Juridification**
Chair: Mark James

Audrius Biguzas, Mykolas Romeris University, Vilnius: *The Unification of Sports' Dispute Resolution Regulation*

Simon Boyes, Nottingham Trent University: *Continental Style: what English Courts can Learn from Judicial Approaches to Sport in the EU*

Yann Hafner, International Centre for Sports Studies, University of Neuchatel: *The Case of CEP Cortaloid v Swiss Athletics*

16-00 to 16-15 *Break*



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16-15 to 17-45

EU Sports Policy

Chair: Geoff Pearson

Henk-Erik Meier, Institute for Sport Science, University of Munster and **Borja García**, Loughborough University: *EU Interest Empowerment in Sport and its Limits: the Case of the G14 and FIFPro*

An Vermeersch, Ghent University: *The Future EU Sports Policy; More than Hollow Words?*

Freya Brune, Westphalian Wilhelms-University, Munster: *European Sport Policy – A Future Governance Model?*

18-00 to 19-00

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Louise Martin CBE, Honorary Secretary of the Commonwealth Games Federation and Vice Chair, Organising Committee of the 2014 Commonwealth Games
The Politics and Personalities of the Commonwealth Games Bid

Chair and Discussant: Professor Grant Jarvie, Deputy Principal, University of Stirling,

20.00

DINNER, STIRLING MANAGEMENT CENTRE



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Day Two: June 23rd 2009

9-00 to 10-30

Football and the Law
Chair: Roger Welch

Daniel Geey, Solicitor, Field Fisher Waterhouse *Third Party Football Player Ownership in England and in Europe: Past, Present and Future*

Katarina Pijetlovic, Tallinn University of Technology and **Simon Gardiner**, Leeds Metropolitan University: *Power Struggles in Football and Treatment of Breakaway Structures Under EU Competition Law*

Francois Mandin, University of Nantes: *Footballers, Obligatory Release Provisions and EU Law*

10-30 to 10-45

Refreshments

10-45 to 12-15

Homegrown Player Rules
Chair: An Vermeersch

Leanne O'Leary, Trinity College Dublin: *The 'Club-trained Rule' in English Rugby League*

Martin Salisbury, University of Central Lancashire: *The English Premier League and their Homegrown Players Rule: Groundbreakers or Guinea Pigs?*

Roger Welch, Portsmouth University and **Simon Gardiner**, Leeds Metropolitan University: *Homegrown Players: A Peculiarly European case of Xenophobia*

12-15 to 13-00

Lunch

13-00 to 14-30

Sport, Gambling and the Media
Chair: Simon Boyes

Katrien Lefever, Catholic University of Leuven and **Tom Evans**, Ghent University: *All Sports for free! A Difficult Match?*

Yann Abdourazakou, University of Lille: *Sport Media Rights in European Football*

Ken Foster, University of Westminster: *The Regulation of Gambling and Betting Services by the EU*



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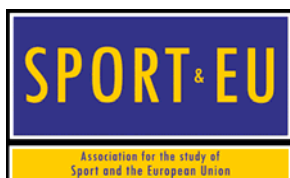
14-30 to 14-45 *Break*

14-45 to 16-15 **The Edward Grayson Experience**
Chair: Ken Foster

Mark James, University of Salford: *Grayson, Corinthianism, Idealism and Pragmatism*

Richard Parrish, Edge Hill University: *What the Bloody Hell has the Common Market Got to Do with Sport?*

Adam Pendlebury, Edge Hill University: *Violence as Sporting Disease: Did Grayson Have the Cure?*



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- Postgraduate residential conference package to include registration, bed and breakfast accommodation (University Halls of Residence) and evening meal on 15th June at a cost of £85 (£100 non members).
- Registration and evening meal on 15th June at a cost of £45 (£60 non members).
- Registration only at a cost of £25 (£40 non-members).

Please make cheques payable to the University of Stirling.

Participants from outside the UK should contact the organiser for payment details.

The cost of Registration includes lunch on both days, morning coffee and afternoon tea.

Please return to Dr David McArdle, School of Law, Airthrey Castle, University of Stirling, Scotland FK9 4LA. Email to d.a.mcardle@stir.ac.uk

Accommodation for the night of Sunday 21st June 2009

We have secured an offer of £40 for those wishing to arrive earlier to Stirling. If you are interested, **please contact directly smc.sales@stirling.ac.uk to make your booking.**