



INTERNATIONAL MASTER (MA) IN MANAGEMENT, LAW AND HUMANITIES OF SPORT

PRESENTATION OF DISSERTATIONS 2025



Thursday, 17th July 2025, 12:30 to 17:30

University of Neuchâtel Aula des Jeunes-Rives Espace Tilo-Frey 1 2000 Neuchâtel

Programme

12:30	Doors Open
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13:00 – 13:15 Welcome - Denis OSWALD, CIES Director

- 13:15 13:45 The Fans Behind the Figures: A Cross-Country Study of Women's Football Spectators - Geneva DECKER (USA), Grégory GOMIS (France & Senegal), Thiago MARINO (Brazil), Julian Joep SCHLUMPF (Switzerland)
- 13:45 14:15 What Role Does Club Communication Play in Shaping Fan Resistance to Stadium Naming Rights? Marko BOSNJAK (Croatia & USA), Rudolf DEMA (Cameroon), Risa KABASAWA (Japan)
- 14:15 14:45
 FIFPRO for Coaches? Assessing the Landscape of Representative Bodies for Professional Football Coaches - Ryan GOUSSE (USA), Antonia LINDEMANN (Germany), Vitor RECCHIA (Brazil & France), Tristan WENDEL (USA)

14:45 – 15:00 Coffee Break

- 15:00 15:30 Funding the Olympic Dream: Understanding How Governance Influences the Reach and Impact of Athlete Support - Simon GRUNWERG (UK), Daniela HUAMAN (Peru, Spain & UK), Phillip WILSON (New Zealand)
- 15:30 16:00 Balancing Stakeholder Interests in Ticket Resale for High-Demand Sporting Events: Guidelines for Event Organisers - Marco Mario Accinni (Italy & Germany), Liam CURRY (Ireland), Gina FRANCO (Colombia & USA), Joshua Onoja (Nigeria)
- 16:00 16:15 Coffee Break
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 Regulate, Sanction, or Educate? Examining Governance Measures to Reduce Acute Head Injuries in Elite Contact Sports Michael CHIOMENTO (Italy & USA), Lace HALLENDORFF (South Africa), Jake ZAPPIA (Australia)
- 16:45 17:15
 From Stadiums to 'Safe Havens' How Can the World of Sports Proactively Unlock the Civil Defence Potential of Sports Infrastructure? - Tomasz BUCZKOWSKI (Poland), Dhananjay JAYARAMAN (India), Blandina MDEBWE (Malawi), Nicolas RAGAZ (Switzerland)
- 17:15 17:30 Closing remarks Denis OSWALD, CIES Director
 - 17:30 Apéritif

