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YOUR NEWS AND VIEWS

ISSA is happy to share information about conferences, seminars, awards, jobs etc. We will gladly include your news in our eBulletin and the ISSA website. ISSA is always looking for ways to improve communication and serve our members. We encourage you to submit comments and suggestions.

Please send any feedback and information to the ISSA General Secretary, Elizabeth Pike at: e.pike@chi.ac.uk.

ISSA WORLD CONGRESS OF SOCIOLOGY OF SPORT 2009

Utrecht, the Netherlands
July 15-18, 2009

“Sport: Passion, Practice and Profit”

**** PLEASE NOTE: REGISTRATION IS STILL OPEN ****

The organising committee looks forward to seeing many of you at an inspiring ISSA congress in the historic Dutch city of Utrecht this July!

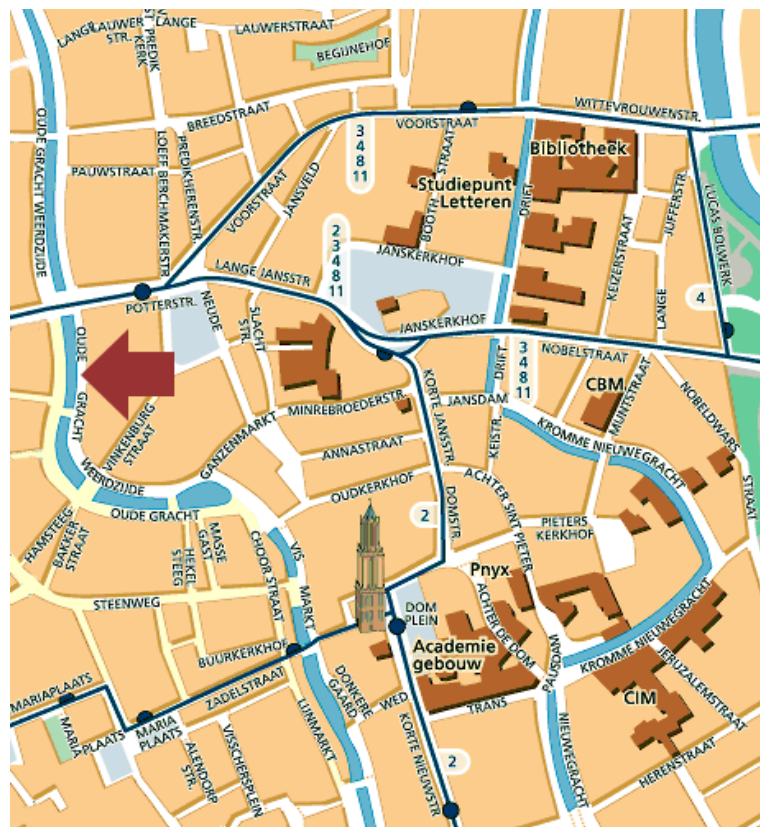
We offer an exciting and inclusive scientific programme with key note Maarten Van Bottenburg, a plenary symposium on Sport & Health (with Jan Wright, Annelies Knoppers and Brian Martin), more than 200 papers presented by delegates from 37 different countries, and several social activities.

For details of travel from Amsterdam Schiphol airport to Utrecht, and train travel into and around the Netherlands, please check: <http://www.ns.nl/cs/Satellite/travellers>. Other information for visitors to Utrecht may be found at: <http://us.holland.com/meetings.php?eid=17061&colCity=utrecht&col=destinations>.

A map of the local area may be found here.

The congress venue is the Academiegebouw which is best reached by public transport or on foot.

Further details of travel around Utrecht and other venues used for social activities are available on the congress website and will be provided at registration in the Academiegebouw.



The ISSA 2009 congress organising committee and Executive Board are looking forward to welcoming you all in Utrecht at the opening reception on July 15th. The full conference programme and other relevant information may be found at www.issa2009.com.

ISSA GRADUATE STUDENT WORKSHOPS 2009

Following the popularity of this workshop at the ISSA annual conferences in Copenhagen 2007 and Kyoto 2008, ISSA has scheduled two Graduate Student Workshops during this year's conference in Utrecht. Details of the time and venue for these workshops may be found on the conference website at:

www.mulierinstituut.nl/objects/cms/files/262/Preliminary_Programme_ISSA2009.pdf

Please note that the first workshop takes place on Wednesday 15th July at 14.00 in the Belly van Zuylen room (which is on the ground floor of the main congress building where you will also register). Please join us!!!

If you are arriving early, you are invited to join a group of postgraduate students who will be meeting on **Tuesday 14th July at 19.00** outside the main entrance of the Academiegebouw to go for drinks and a meal.

INVITATION TO JOURNAL LAUNCH

Join us in celebrating the launch of the *International Journal of Sport Policy* on Friday 17th July, from 17.30 at the ISSA General Assembly and social in the Academiegebouw.

We look forward to seeing you there!

The Routledge Team

ISSA MEMBERSHIP

ISSA is pleased to inform members that the renewal form is available to download at <http://www.sagepub.co.uk/journalsProdDesc.nav?prodId=Journal200937&>. Membership of ISSA automatically subscribes members to our journal, the *International Review for the Sociology of Sport*, and members will receive four copies of the journal each year. Membership also offers a significantly reduced rate for conference registration. If you have any queries regarding membership or conference registration, please contact the ISSA General Secretary, Elizabeth Pike at e.pike@chi.ac.uk.

ISSA/SAGE Membership and Subscription Issues

While most members seem to be able to join ISSA or renew their memberships quite easily, a number of people have indicated problems. Some of the most common problems include:

- (1) inability to join online using a credit card
- (2) lack of notice to renew membership
- (3) not receiving a receipt after joining.

ISSA has been working with SAGE to fix many of these problems for several years with some modest success. However, our members are our number one priority and we want SAGE to understand how improvements to their system could help all of us. As such, ISSA would like to hear from any members who have experienced problems so that we can share these with SAGE. Please feel free to send any comments or suggestions to: Elizabeth Pike (ISSA General Secretary) at e.pike@chi.ac.uk. We will report back on any progress at the ISSA AGM.

FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

ISSA WORLD CONGRESS OF SOCIOLOGY OF SPORT 2010

The ISSA conference in 2010 will take place as part of the International Sociological Association (ISA) World Congress of Sociology in Goteborg, Sweden, July 11-17th 2010. Please note that the number of sessions allocated to ISSA (RC27) is determined by the number of paid members we have in 2009 and that you must be a member of ISSA, ISA and RC27 in order to present at the conference. So please consider joining ISA and the Sociology of Sport Research Committee (RC27) this year to help ISSA to offer a full schedule of sessions. Membership is for four years, and details may be found at www.isa-sociology.org.

Benefits of ISA membership include:

- Subscription to ISA journals *Current Sociology* or *International Sociology*.
- The Directory of Members (at present there are 4,300 members from 167 countries, who are all scholars and professionals of sociological teaching, research or practice).
- Reception of isagram, an electronic newsletter containing announcements of the forthcoming conferences, calls for papers and manuscripts, prizes, competitions, etc.
- Access to e-bulletin, ISA on-line publication.
- Access to SAGE Full-Text Collection which includes 31 journals with more than 12,500 articles.
- 35% discount on SAGE Publications books.
- Special subscription rates to journals offered by various publishers.
- A reduction in registration fees at ISA World Congress of Sociology.

OTHER FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

July 14th-18th 2009. International Society for the History of Physical Education and Sport. ***Sport in History: Promises and Problems***. University of Stirling, UK.
Website: <http://www.ishpes.info/>.

August 17th-23rd 2009. International Summer School for Young Researchers. ***Sport and movement cultures - developments and practices in a globalised world. Historical, Sociological, Psychological and Pedagogical Approaches***. University of Copenhagen, Denmark. Website: www.ifi.ku.dk

September 3rd-4th 2009. European Sports Development Network. ***The Theory and Practice of Sports Development***. Website: <http://www.esdn.webs.com>.

September 25th 27th 2009 First International Conference for the Sociology of Sport in Taiwan. ***Sport, Culture and Society***. Website: <http://physical.ncpes.edu.tw>.

June 14th-17th 2010. Sport for All Congress. Jyvaskyla, Finland.
Website: <http://www.sportforall2010.org>.



Faculty of Sport, Education and Social Sciences

J1170: Senior Lecturer Sociology of Sport/Sport Development

Job No. J1170 (1.0 fte)

Salary Range £32,458 - £43,622 per annum

T1171: Senior Lecturer Sport and Fitness Management

Part Time (0.3fte) - 1 Year Fixed Term Contract Job No. T1171

Salary Range £32,458 - £43,622 per annum

£9,737 - £13,086 pro rata

The University of Chichester is keen to recruit two Senior Lecturers with particular expertise in the Sociology of Sport, Sport Development and/or Sport and Fitness Management. The successful applicants will teach across a range of modules on the BA programmes in Sport Development and/or Sport and Fitness Management. They will be expected to undertake related administrative tasks and contribute to the research, scholarly and income-generating activities of the subject areas.

The persons appointed will have a postgraduate qualification in the Sociology of Sport, Sport Development, Sport Management or a related discipline, or a relevant undergraduate qualification and industrial experience. Applicants will possess good teaching and communication skills and the ability to work on their own initiative and meet deadlines. The appointments will commence on October 1st 2009, or a mutually convenient date to be agreed with the University.

The University of Chichester is located in a city in an attractive area of the south coast of England. The Sociology of Sport, Sport Development and Management areas have established and thriving learning, teaching and research cultures, and these are new posts to enhance the activities of the subject areas. Further information about the subjects and current staff may be found at www.chi.ac.uk/sport/index.cfm.

For an informal discussion about Post J1170 please contact Dr Elizabeth Pike at e.pike@chi.ac.uk, and for Post T1171 please contact Dr Peter Green at p.green@chi.ac.uk.

Closing date: Friday 17th July 2009

Interviews: Thursday 30th July 2009

To apply: please forward a completed application form (download from www.chiuni.ac.uk/jobs) and a covering letter, indicating your specific area/s of interest, to HR Recruitment Team or HR@chi.ac.uk. Please note that shortlisted candidates will be required to make a 15 minute presentation on Thursday 30th July. For Post J1170 this will be to indicate how they would introduce the sociology of sport to first year undergraduate students on a Sport Development degree. The presentation for Post T1171 will be on the current management challenges in the sport & fitness industries aimed at first year undergraduate students.