

Program for the research seminar

'Voluntary organization of Sport - Development and challenges'

Wednesday, December 10th

12:00 – 1:00 pm	Arrival at the University of Southern Denmark, Campusvej 55, Odense, Institute of Sports Science and Clinical Biomechanics, Building 39, Second floor, meeting room 6. Sandwiches will be available from 12:00 pm.
1:00 – 1:30 pm	Welcome and presentation
1:30 – 2:15 pm	<i>Berit Skirstad</i> : Indirect volunteering for the sport club: testing the volunteer cube model Primary commentator: Harold van der Werff
2:15 – 3:00 pm	<i>Fiona Reid</i> : Golf Club Volunteers at the Open 2013 Primary commentator: Pasi Koski
3:00 – 3:30 pm	Coffee break and a quick guided tour of the Institute
3:30 – 4:15 pm	<i>Ramon Llopis-Goig</i> : Do people who volunteer in sport associations have a distinctive ethos? Primary commentator: Benjamin Egli
4:15 – 5:00 pm	<i>Søren Bennike and Laila Ottesen</i> : The implementation of Football Fitness is highly influenced by interorganizational implementation behavior Primary commentator: Ørnulf Seippel
5:00 – 5:30 pm	Getting changed for sports activities
5:30 – 7:00 pm	Social – or individual – sports activities (not obligatory): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ball games in the sports hall • Fitness workout • Walk or run All sports facilities are located at the university, so please bring sports clothes!
8:30 pm	Dinner at Oluf Baggers Gård, Nørregade 29, Odense

Thursday, December 11th

7:00 – 8:30 am	<p>Social – or individual – sports activities (not obligatory):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swimming (only possible between 6:00 and 8:00 am) • Fitness workout • Walk or run <p>All sports facilities are located at the university, so please bring sports clothes!</p>
8:30 – 9:15 am	<p><i>Maikel Waardenburg</i>: Which wider social roles? An analyses of ascribed social roles to voluntary sport clubs in the Netherlands</p> <p>Primary commentator: Karsten Østerlund</p>
9:15 – 10:00 am	<p><i>Harold van der Werff</i>: Sport clubs and shifts in their external orientation: developments in contributions in solving societal issues, 2000-2014</p> <p>Primary commentator: Jo Lucassen</p>
10:00 – 10:15 am	Coffee break
10:15 – 11:00 am	<p><i>Ørnulf Seippel</i>: Professionalizing Football Clubs: Legitimacy, Structure and Looseness</p> <p>Primary commentator: Ramon Llopis-Goig</p>
11:00 – 11:45 am	<p><i>Jo Lucassen</i>: Sport clubs as social service organisations analysed through the lens of the competing values framework</p> <p>Primary commentator: Søren Bennike</p>
11:45 am – 12:30 pm	<p><i>Pasi Koski</i>: The impact of hiring a professional on volunteers – A government funded initiative within Finnish Sports Clubs</p> <p>Primary commentator: Berit Skirstad</p>
12:30 – 1:30 pm	Lunch in the restaurant
1:30 – 2:15 pm	<p><i>Benjamin Egli</i>: Decision-making processes in football clubs in relation to external consultancy</p> <p>Primary commentator: Maikel Waardenburg</p>
2:15 – 3:00 pm	<p><i>Geoff Nichols</i>: Explaining the negative relationship between income inequality, volunteering and sports participation in Europe</p> <p>Primary commentator: Bjarne Ibsen</p>
3:00 – 3:15 pm	Coffee break
3:15 – 4:00 pm	<p><i>Karsten Østerlund</i>: Understanding social capital in voluntary sports clubs: Participation, duration and social trust</p> <p>Primary commentator: Geoff Nichols</p>
4:00 – 4:45 pm	<p><i>Bjarne Ibsen</i>: Is health a matter for sports clubs?</p> <p>Primary commentator: Fiona Reid</p>
4:45 – 5:15 pm	Getting changed for sports activities
5:15 – 6:45 pm	<p>Social – or individual – sports activities (not obligatory):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ball games in the sports hall • Fitness workout • Walk or run <p>All sports facilities are located at the university, so please bring sports clothes!</p>
8:00 pm	Dinner at Hotel Plaza, Østre Stationsvej 24, Odense

Friday, December 12th

7:00 – 9:00 am	<p>Social – or individual – sports activities (not obligatory):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Swimming (only possible between 6 and 8 am)• Fitness workout• Walk or run <p>All sports facilities are located at the university, so please bring sports clothes!</p>
10:00 – 11:30 am	<p>Lecture by <i>Robert D. Putnam</i>, Harvard University: Bowling Alone Or Bowling Together: Twenty Years of Research in Social Capital</p>
12:00 – 1:00 pm	<p>Lunch in the restaurant with Robert D. Putnam and researchers from the University of Southern Denmark</p>
1:00 – 3:00 pm	<p>Research Seminar with <i>Robert D. Putnam</i>:</p> <p>During the research seminar, two topics will be discussed. Each topic will be opened by a researcher from the University of Southern Denmark, who, in a short presentation (5-10 minutes), will provide a framework for the ensuing debate.</p> <p><i>Topic 1.</i> What can explain that several studies put Denmark at the top when it comes to various measures of social capital?</p> <p>Introduction to the discussion by Bjarne Ibsen and Karsten Østerlund.</p> <p><i>Topic 2.</i> Equality and inequality from an American and a Danish perspective.</p> <p>Introduction to the discussion by Professor David Nye, Center for American Studies.</p>
3.00 pm	<p>The research seminar finishes</p>