

## Special issue of *Sport Management Review*

Call for Papers: "Managing ethnocultural and 'racial' diversity in sport"

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Contemporary sport management recognises the value, benefit and challenge of providing sport opportunities for everyone. Yet enmity and antagonism still appear in sport via instances of racial vilification or hostility between or towards some ethnocultural groups. In many countries there is still a relative absence of minorities from positions of power and influence in sport, as well as folkloric assumptions about athletic ability based upon stereotypes about 'race' or ancestry. How do sport managers respond, either in policy terms or in respect of resources and logistics, to challenges posed by issues of ethnic or 'racial' discrimination, inequity, marginalisation and deprivation in sport – whether at community or professional levels?

This special issue of *Sport Management Review*, "Managing ethnocultural and 'racial' diversity in sport" therefore asks contributors to contemplate issues of inclusion and exclusion as a matter of policy, resources and logistics in the practice of sport management. We are interested in sport management research that investigates the needs of ethnically diverse communities and promotes community well-being.

Submissions could address a range of themes, such as:

- Theoretical and conceptual approaches to investigating issues of cross-cultural inclusion and exclusion in sport
- Patterns of participation in sport and physical activity among Indigenous and culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) groups
- Sport as a tool for creating social capital within diverse communities and multicultural settings
- Roles, responsibilities and structures within sport organisations on the basis of 'racial' or 'ethnic' background
- Facilitating the involvement in sport of groups with special needs (i.e. Muslim women, remote communities)
- Provision of sport for children in school or after-school settings, and the commitment to diversity of such programs
- Case studies that extend or challenge existing knowledge about diversity issues in sport management

The editors are seeking expressions of interest up until **27 February 2009**, with selected papers due by **31 May 2009**. Length of manuscripts must not exceed 40 double spaced pages (A4), and all papers must follow the submission guidelines at [www.elsevier.com/locate/smr](http://www.elsevier.com/locate/smr) and be submitted through the EES on-line repository (see <http://ees.elsevier.com/smr>). Inquiries about the special issue can be sent to Daryl Adair at the email address [Daryl.Adair@uts.edu.au](mailto:Daryl.Adair@uts.edu.au)

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