Inspire innovation in grassroots sport

EUROPEAN SPORT PLATFORM 2021

DATE 21-23 OCTOBER 2021 | PLACE VILNIUS, LITHUANIA

The programme

Thursday, 21 October

Erasmus+ funded project CHAMP: final conference

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CHAMP

12:30
Registration

13:30
Welcome and introduction
Stefan Bergh, ENGSO President
Sara Massini, ENGSO Secretary General

13:50
Part 1 – How to manage the modern sport club?

- **CHAMP project team** presents results from the project.
- Keynote speaker: **Teodora Pletosu**, KEA European Affairs – Innovative practices in European sports organizations

16:10
Part 2 – Innovation and modernization of the sports movement – ways forward!

- Launch of the CHAMP Online course
- Keynote speaker: **Hisham Shehabi**, N3XT Sports – Digitalization and innovation in sports
- Panel discussion: CHAMP partners – How can the results from the project support the development of grassroot sports organizations?

18:00 - 18:15
Sum-up and closing

Friday, 22 October

8:15 to 9:45
Active morning (walking tour)

10:00
Registration

11.00
Welcome and introduction

- **Stefan Bergh,** ENGSO President
- **Guglielmo di Cola,** Member of Cabinet of the European Commissioner for Innovation, Research, Culture, Education and Youth
- **Diana Reklaitiene,** Lithuanian Sport University Rector
- **Darius Saluga,** Lithuanian Union of Sport Federations President
- The European Lotteries

11.25
Workshop: EU policies updates for sport: building inclusive process

- Keynote speaker: **Florencia Van Houdt**, Head of the Unit for Sport at the European Commission
- *Presentation on the update about policy measures within the EU regarding sports, progress of the XG and the work of sport group of the EU Parliament.*
- *Discussion-networking session among the participants.*

13.00
Lunch

14:00
Workshop: Evidence for impact – how grassroots sports can use research more efficiently?

Speaker: **Vassil Girginov**

15.30
Coffee break

Parallel workshops

16:00-18:00
Workshop 1: Equality in Sport - Change that Inspires Change

Moderator: **Sallie Barker**, EWS ENGSO

- Introductory video: **Rachel Froggatt** - Secretary General, International Working Group (IWG) on Women and Sport Secretariat & Conference 2018 – 2022
- The Work for Gender Equality in the EU: **Emine Bozkurt** - Chair of the High Level Group on Gender Equality, European Commission
- National perspectives on Gender Equality and the role of EPAS: **Francine Hetherington-Raveney**, Deputy Executive Secretary for the Enlarged Partial Agreement on Sport (EPAS)
- Working groups: how can sport organisations/federations contribute to inspiring change at grassroots level?
- Plenary discussion and closing

16:00-18:00

Workshop 2: Dual Career: from policy to practice

Moderator: **Agne Vanagiene**, LNOC

- Keynote speaker: **Laura Capranica** President of EAS, European Athlete as Student
- Research presentation: **Inga Staskeviciute Butiene**, Associate Professor of Lithuanian Sports University
- Case examples:**Wolfgang Stockinger**, Founder & CEO of TW1N (dual career consultancy for athletes, institutions and EU projects)

20:00
Dinner

Saturday, 23 October

9:00

Workshop: Sustainability in and through Sport – Air Quality (air quality issues that impact global sport)

Moderator: **Lovisa Broms**

- Keynote speaker: **Dr Paolo Emilio Adami** - Medical Manager - Health and Science Department – World Athletic
- Speakers / good practices presentations: **Niki Koutrou**, Play Green and **Ivana Pranjic**, ENGSO Youth, Sports for sustainable Development
- Working groups

11:00
Coffee break

11:30

Capacity building: Next funding program for sport

Moderator: **Sara Massini**

- Keynote speaker: **Yves Le Lostecque**, Head of Erasmus Mundus & Sport Unit – EACEA
- Networking groups

12:30
Sum-up and closing

REGISTER for the
CHAMP Final conference and
European Sport Platform 2021

www.engso.eu/european-sport-platform

CHAMP Final conference will be held on 21 October and will begin at 13:30 (registration from 12.30). It will finish on the same day at 18:00.

ESP will begin on 22 October at 11:00 (registration from 10:00) and will end on 23 October at 13:00.

Location:

Courtyard Vilnius City Center,
Rinktines st. 3,
Vilnius 09234,
Lithuania

Registration fee:

Day 1 only; CHAMP conference - free
22-23 October - European Sport Platform;
Regular fee: 145 €
Reduced fee: 90 € (discount ticket for ENGSO member organisations.)
Deadline for registration is 26 September 2021.

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