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1. THE OLYMPIC GAMES

1.1 CANDIDATURE PROCESS

- Examining positive outcomes of unsuccessful Olympic Bids
  Paul Salisbury (Coventry University, Great Britain), Becca Leopkey (University of Georgia, United States) and Cem Tinaz (Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey)
  2016/2017 Advanced
  Online report

- Legacy after the bid? The impact of bidding to host Olympic Games on urban development planning
  John Lauermann (Clark University, USA)
  2013 PhD
  Online report

- Toronto's Olympic ambitions: an investigation of the Olympic bidding legacy in one modern city
  Robert Oliver (Virginia Tech University, USA)
  2011 PhD
  Online report

1.2 SUMMER OLYMPIC GAMES

- An archival research of the utopianisms visualized in the 1988 Summer Olympic graphic identity system
  Gabrielle Seungyeon Jung (Brown University, United States of America)
  2019 PhD and ECA

- An Olympic city in the making: Rio de Janeiro mega event strategy 1996-2016
  Gabriel Silvestre (King's College London, Great Britain)
  2012 PhD
  Online report

- A philosophical analysis of the support personnel present at the Olympic Games
  Sarah Jane Teetzel (University of Manibota, Canada)
  2012 PhD

- A preparation for peace: Demobilization and the construction of memory at the 1920 Antwerp Olympics
  Adam Seipp (Texas A&M University, USA)
  2006 PhD

- Athletes' perspective of organizational issues in sports mega events
  Tiago Ribeiro (University of Lisbon, Portugal)
  2017 PhD

- Cultural politics of mega-events. Olympic Games: Securing host-community representation through the Cultural Olympiad
  Beatriz Garcia (Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain)
  2000 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled “Towards a cultural policy for great events: Local and global issues in the definition of the Olympic Games cultural programme: Lessons from the Sydney Olympic Arts Festivals 1997-2000” available online

- Disseminating the Olympic values on Facebook and Twitter during Rio 2016: Content, influencers and engagement
  José Pardo Gila (Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain)
  2017 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled “El ecosistema olímpico en Facebook durante los Juegos Olímpicos de Río 2016 : actores, contenidos y participación de los usuarios” available online (in Spanish only)

- Encoding Olympics: The comparative analysis on international reporting of Beijing 2008: A communication perspective: Summary
  Qing Luo and five other researchers (University of China, People’s Republic of China)
  2008 PhD
  Online report

- Evaluating the volunteering infrastructure legacy of the Olympic Games: Sydney 2000 and London 2012
  Leonie Lockstone (Victoria University, Australia), Kirsten Holmes (Curtin University, Australia), Karen Smith (Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand) and Richard Shipway (Bournemouth University, Great Britain)
  2015/2016 Advanced
  Online report

- Evaluation of the Olympic built environment for sustainability: A new approach to develop guidance for sustainable environmental architecture design for the 2008 Olympic Games and beyond
  Liao Hanwen (University of Sheffield, United Kingdom/ People’s Republic of China)
  2003 PhD

- Examination of the architecture of the Olympic Summer Games 1960-1976, within the context of modernism
  Ann Keen (The State University of New Jersey, USA)
  2006 PhD

- Fostering social entrepreneurship in deprived host city communities: Introducing the “Youth Social Entrepreneurship (YSE) legacy Framework”
  Lynn Martin (Anglia Ruskin University, Great Britain) and Mike Duignan (Coventry University, Great Britain)
  2018/2019 Advanced

- From Los Angeles to Helsinki (1932-1952): The way the French daily newspapers dealt with Olympism
  Tom Busseuil (Centre Georges Chevrier, Université de Dijon, France)
  2015 PhD
  Online report (available in French only)

- Golden ghettos: race, culture and the politics of the 1968 African American Olympic Protest Movement
  Douglas Hartman (University of Minnesota, USA)
  2001 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled “Race, culture and the revolt of the black athlete: The 1968 Olympic protests and their aftermath” available upon request

- Impact of the Olympic Games on the recomposition of mature societies: The case of Tokyo seen through international comparisons
  Manuel Appert (Université Lumière Lyon 2, France) and Raphaël Languillon (University of Chuo, Japan)
  2016/2017 Advanced
  Online report (available in French only)

- Intangible Olympic legacies: Concept, method and measurement
  Vassil Girginov (Brunel University, Great Britain) and Holger Preuss (Johannes Gutenberg University, Germany)
  2018/2019 Advanced

- London 2012: Developing a cultural legacy for local communities in Hackney
  Nancy Stevenson (University of Westminster, Great Britain)
  2009 PhD
  Online report

- Modern Nation Building and Political Participation during the XIX Olympiad in Mexico City
  Axel German Elias Jimenez (King’s College London, Great Britain)
  2016 PhD
  Online report

- Olympic Education policy in practice: Development, delivery and evaluation (case study of Tokyo 2020)
  Bo Ra Hwang (Loughborough University, Great Britain)
  2017 PhD
  Online report

- Olympic Games Munich 1972 and London 2012: Creating urban legacies - similar concepts in different times?
  Valerie Angelika Viehoff (University of East London, Great Britain) and Holger Kretschmer (University of Cologne, Germany)
  2013 PhD
  Online report

- Olympic values and sports journalism ethics. The international press coverage of the 2012 Olympics
  Xavier Ramon (Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain)
  2014 PhD
  Online report

- Olympic villages. Urban phenomenon of the 20th Century
  Cornelia Stegner (University of Weimar, Germany)
  2002 PhD

- Olympism and nationalism: The impacts of 2008 Beijing OG on Hong Kong identities
  Wing Yan Ho (The University of Hong-Kong, People's Republic of China)
  2006 PhD

- Olympism and nation-building from a cultural perspective. Beijing Olympics and the traditional Hutong neighborhood
  Jialing Luo (University of Cambridge, Great Britain/People's Republic of China)
  2009 PhD
  Online report

- Research on textual, visual and auditive sources that give evidence of creation Collective and/or National Identities in the Olympic Games, predominantly in Sydney 2000
  Andrea Vollrath (University of Hamburg, Germany)
  2003 PhD

- Rio 2016 and sport legacies: the legacies of the Olympic Games for youth at-risk in Rio de Janeiro
  Arianne Carvalhedo Dias Dos Reis (Southern Cross University, Brazil) and Fabiana Rodrigues de Sousa Mast (Institut für Sport und Sportwissenschaft, Switzerland)
  2012 PhD
  Online report

- Sport and Olympism through sports equipment of the inter-war years
  Daphné Bolz (Free University of Berlin/University Marc Bloch Strasbourg, Germany/France)
  2003 PhD

- Symbiosis between Olympism and the notion of 'Ideal City' for the composition of the ultimate Olympic reality
  Stephany Tzanoudaki (University of Edinburgh, Great Britain)
  2000 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled "A need for symbiosis between Olympism and the host city's social reality" available online

- The IOC's role in the debate about high altitude at the 1968 Mexico City Olympics
  Alison Wrynn (Cortland University, USA)
  1999 PhD

- The Jewish people and the Olympic Games
  Anthony Hughes (University of New South Wales, Australia)
  2001 PhD

- The macroeconomic perspectives of hosting mega-events: A research for employment effects
  Evangelia Kasimati (University of Bath, Great Britain/Greece)
  2003 PhD

- The non-infrastructural impacts of the Olympic Games on socially excluded groups in the host community: A comparative scoping study from Atlanta 1996 to Beijing 2008
  Lynn Minnaert (University of Westminster, Great Britain/Belgium)
  2009 PhD
  Online report

- The Olympic cultural programme and its role in fostering local creativity
  Ilaria Pappalepore (University of Westminster, Great Britain/Italy)
  2010 PhD
  Online report

- The opening ceremony: Performance dynamics of the cultural session 1980-2000
  Michael Cohen (University of Sydney, Australia)
  2002 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled “Performance as artefact: Objectification and agency in international spectacle” available upon request

- The Role of Media in Young People’s Memories and Expectations of the Olympic Games
  Sandra Tavares (King’s College University, Great Britain)
  2015 PhD

- The use of exiled athletes by the United States government at the Olympic Games
  Toby Rider (University of Western Ontario, Canada/United Kingdom)
  2010 PhD

- The value of global cultural policy-making: Building bridges between Olympic cities and the Olympic Movement through transnational cultural narratives
  Beatriz Garcia (University of Liverpool, Great Britain)
  2016/2017 Advanced

- The 1980 Summer Olympic Games in Moscow, Tallinn and Kiev, its organization, function and legacies
  Carol Marmor (Ludwig Maximilian University Munich, Republic of Estonia)
  2013 PhD

1.3 OLYMPIC WINTER GAMES

- A case study approach to indicator-based impact assessment: the Olympic Games impact (OGI) study and the Vancouver Olympic athletes' village in contextual perspective
  Caitlin Pentifallo (University of British Columbia, USA)
  2013 PhD
  Online report

- Building a sport participation legacy through the 2018 Winter Olympic Games: Negotiation of motives and constraints for younger generations to watch and play sports
  Jeeyoon Kim (Syracuse University, USA), Joon-Ho Kang and Yu-Kyoum Kim (Seoul National University, Korea)
  2017/2018 Advanced
  Online report

- Denver 76': The Winter Olympics and the politics of growth
  Adam Berg (Pennsylvania State University, USA)
  2016 PhD
  Online report

- Managing corporate partner relationships to achieve sustainability: Case study of the Vancouver Organizing Committee for the 2010 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games
  Xinquan YANG (University of British Columbia, Canada/People's Republic of China)
  2008 PhD
  Research report (2008) and Full thesis (2011)

- Mobile Olympic media across three continents: Replacing or enhancing Olympic Television?
  Andrew C. Billings and Kenon A. Brown (The University of Alabama, USA), Michael B. Devlin (Texas State University, USA) and Natalie B. Devlin (University of Texas, USA)
  2017/2018 Advanced
  Online report

- Multiculturalism through Olympism: The 1984 Sarajevo Olympics
  Jason Charles Vuic (Bridgewater College, USA)
  2009 PhD

- The urban and architectural legacies of the European Winter Olympic Games 1964-2006
  Laura Brown (Northumbria University, Great Britain)
  2019/2020 Advanced

1.4 SUSTAINABILITY AND LEGACY

- A case study approach to indicator-based impact assessment: the Olympic Games impact (OGI) study and the Vancouver Olympic athletes' village in contextual perspective
  Caitlin Pentifallo (University of British Columbia, USA)
  2013 PhD
  Online report

- Building a sport participation legacy through the 2018 Winter Olympic Games: Negotiation of motives and constraints for younger generations to watch and play sports
  Jeeyoon Kim (Syracuse University, USA), Joon-Ho Kang and Yu-Kyoum Kim (Seoul National University, Korea)
  2017/2018 Advanced
  Online report

- Cost and knowledge valuation of LA 2028's environmental legacy
  Timothy Kellison (Georgia State University, USA) and Brian McCullough (Seattle University, USA)
  2018/2019 Advanced

- Developing an inventory to improve evidence-based planning and monitoring of intangible legacies
  Millicent A. Kennelly, Kristine Toohey and Alana Thomson (Griffith University, Australia)
  2019/2020 Advanced

- Durable and ephemeral legacy in the Olympic city: From Los Angeles 1984 to the bid for the Los Angeles 2024/2028
  Samuel Maron (Northeastern University, USA)
  2018 PhD
  Online report

- Evaluation of the effects and procedure of the Olympic tourism impact to the hosting cities
  Fu Lei (Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, People's Republic of China)
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- Evaluation of the Olympic built environment for sustainability: A new approach to develop guidance for sustainable environmental architecture design for the 2008 Olympic Games and beyond
  Liao Hanwen (University of Sheffield, United Kingdom/ People's Republic of China)
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- Examining the importance of Olympic Games legacy aspects among host city residents: a temporal approach
  Kyriaki Kaplanidou (University of Florida, USA)
  2010 PhD
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- Fostering social entrepreneurship in deprived host city communities: Introducing the "Youth Social Entrepreneurship (YSE) legacy Framework"
  Lynn Martin (Anglia Ruskin University, Great Britain) and Mike Duignan (Coventry University, Great Britain)
  2018/2019 Advanced

- France's implementation of the host city contract's new anti-corruption and human rights provisions: Implications for development and legacy in France and beyond
  Andrew Spalding (University of Richmond School of Law, USA)
  2019/2020 Advanced

- From global field to local neighborhood: Sustainable transformation of the Olympic park for the City
  Hiromasha Shirai (London School of Economics and Political Science, Great Britain/Japan)
  2008 PhD
  Online report

- Governing to maintain legacies: Urban governance, policies and the long-term impacts of the Olympics
  Mark Davidson (Clark University, United States of America)
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- Impact of the Olympic Games on the recomposition of mature societies: The case of Tokyo seen through international comparisons
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- Leveraging the Olympic Games for capacity building of National Sport Governing Bodies
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  2000 PhD

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  Arianne Carvalhedo Dias Dos Reis (Southern Cross University, Brazil) and Fabiana Rodrigues de Sousa Mast (Institut für Sport und Sportwissenschaft, Switzerland)
  2012 PhD
  Online report

- Schemes to maximise sustainability for the legacy of urban developments initiated by the Olympic Games
  Sven Schmedes (Cardiff University, Great Britain)
  2007 PhD

- Contesting socially sustainable community development through the Olympic Games in the era of globalization: Case of 2018 Pyeongchang Winter Games and its hosting town of Daegwallyeong-Myeon
  Na Ri Shin (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA)
  2018 PhD
  Online report

- The historical evolution of Olympic Games legacy
  Becca Leopkey (University of Ottawa, Canada)
  2008 PhD
  Online report

- The legacies of the Innsbruck 2012 Winter Youth Olympic Games perceived by the local youth
  Martin Schnitzer (University of Innsbruck, Austria)
  2014/2015 Advanced
  Online report

- The non-infrastructural impacts of the Olympic Games on socially excluded groups in the host community: A comparative scoping study from Atlanta 1996 to Beijing 2008
  Lynn Minnaert (University of Westminster, Great Britain/Belgium)
  2009 PhD
  Online report

- The origins of the environmental dimension of the Olympic Movement: A legacy of Barcelona 1992
  Alberto Aragón Pérez (Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain)
  2016 PhD

- The urban and architectural legacies of the European Winter Olympic Games 1964-2006
  Laura Brown (Northumbria University, Great Britain)
  2019/2020 Advanced

- Toronto's Olympic ambitions: an investigation of the Olympic bidding legacy in one modern city
  Robert Oliver (Virginia Tech University, USA)
  2011 PhD
  Online report

1.5 OLYMPIC GAMES ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT

- Evaluating the volunteering infrastructure legacy of the Olympic Games: Sydney 2000 and London 2012
  Leonie Lockstone (Victoria University, Australia), Kirsten Holmes (Curtin University, Australia), Karen Smith (Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand) and Richard Shipway (Bournemouth University, Great Britain)
  2015/2016 Advanced
  Online report

- Learning in temporary organisations: Assessing the factors enabling and disabling 2019/2020
  Martin Müller (St. Gallen University, Switzerland) and Allison Stewart (University of Oxford, Great Britain)
  2011 PhD

1.6 ANCIENT OLYMPIC GAMES

- The use of classical symbolism in the revival of the Olympic Games 1896-1916
  Ann Eldridge (University of London, Great Britain)
  2002 PhD

2. THE YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES

2.1 SUMMER YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES

- Benchmarking the Buenos Aires 2018 Athletes' perspective for a longitudinal analysis of Youth Olympic Games Athlete experience and learning
  Milena Parent, Eric Macintosch, Diane Culver (University of Ottawa, Canada) and Michael Naraine (Deakin University, Australia)
  2018/2019 Advanced

- Cost and knowledge valuation of LA 2028's environmental legacy
  Timothy Kellison (Georgia State University, USA) and Brian McCullough (Seattle University, USA)
  2018/2019 Advanced

- Creating a Youth Olympic legacy – A case study of Singapore 2010 Youth Olympic Games
  Donna Wong (University of Central Lancashire, Great Britain/Singapore)
  2010 PhD

- Volunteer's collective memory as a potential legacy of the Youth Olympic Games
  Yan Wang (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium)
  2018 PhD
  Online report

2.2 WINTER YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES

- Evaluation of the innovative elements of the WYOG 2012 sports programme with particular emphasis on the media and spectators
  Martin Schnitzer (University of Innsbruck, Austria)
  2012 PhD
  Online report

- The legacies of the Innsbruck 2012 Winter Youth Olympic Games perceived by the local youth
  Martin Schnitzer (University of Innsbruck, Austria)
  2014/2015 Advanced
  Online report

- Sport involvement, Olympic values and the 2016 and 2020 Youth Olympic Games
  Kyriaki Kaplanidou (University of Florida, USA) and Dikaia Chatziefstathiou (Canterbury Christ Church University, Great Britain)
  2017/2018 Advanced
  Online report

3. THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE

3.1 HISTORY

- A history of a non-event: the 1940 Tokyo Olympic Games
  Sandra Collins (University of Chicago, USA)
  1999 PhD

- Alpine skiing and the Winter Games: An Olympic problem ?: 1936-1972
  Andrew Denning (University of California, USA)
  2010 PhD
  Online report

- An unwitting target: The IOC, exiled athletes, and U.S. government covert operations, 1950-1960
  Toby Rider (The University of Western Ontario, Canada)
  2010 PhD
  Online report

- Arguing against doping : A discourse analytical study on Olympic anti-doping between the 1960s and the late 1980s
  Marcel Reinold (The University of Münster, Germany)
  2011 PhD
  Online report

- Avery Brundage and the IOC: Reactions to the Karl Schrantz case
  Guy Lionel Loew (University Marc Bloch, Strasbourg, France)
  2004 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled "L'amateurisme dans la presse internationale: Les Jeux Olympiques d'hiver de Sapporo 1972" available online (in French only)

- Historical evolution of Olympic commercialism : the evolution of attitudes towards commercialism within the American Olympic Movement : A historical perspective
  Jonathan Jensen (The Ohio State University, USA)
  2015 PhD
  Online report

- Kano Jigoro "Father of the Olympics": The Olympic Movement and the early modern Japanese history of sports
  Andreas Niehaus (University of Cologne, Germany)
  2002 PhD

- The Asian Games Federation's admission of the Chinese Olympic Committee in the early 1970s
  Yuxiang Hao (The University of Texas at Austin)
  2019 PhD and ECA

- The conditions for the emergence of Olympic sports development in Africa: A comparative analysis between the United Kingdom and France (1944-1966)
  Pascal Charitas (University Paris-Sud, France)
  2009 PhD
  Online report (available in French only)

- The diffusion of Olympic sport through regional games: A comparison of pre- and post-Second War contexts
  Dikaia Chatziefstathiou (Canterbury Christ Church University, Great Britain/Greece)
  2008 PhD
  Online report

- The globalisation of modern sport, 1919-1939
  Barbara Keys (Harvard University, USA)
  2001 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled "The dictatorship of sport: Nationalism, internationalism, and mass culture in the 1930's: A thesis presented" available upon request

- The Olympic movement's response to the challenge of emerging nationalism in sport: an historical reconsideration of GANEFO
  Russell Field (University of Manitoba, Canada)
  2010 PhD
  Online report

- The origins of the International Olympic Committee Medical Commission and its technocratic regime : An historiographic investigation of anti-doping regulation and enforcement in international sport
  Kathryn Henne (University of California, USA)
  2009 PhD
  Online report

- The race that was never run – The 1936 Popular Olympics as experiment in Olympic internationalism
  James Stout (San Diego Community College, United States of America)
  2019 PhD and ECA

- The role of women in the promotion of Olympism in the Mediterranean region (1967-2017)
  Zineb Belmaati Cherkaoui (Université Paris Ouest Nanterre La Défense, France)
  2017 PhD

- Transformations in the IOC after the departure of its founding father, Pierre de Coubertin (1925-1939)
  Florence Carpentier (University of Rouen, France)
  2001 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled "Le Comité International Olympique sous la présidence de Henri de Baillet-Latour, successeur méconnu de Pierre de Coubertin: 1925-1940" available upon request (in French only)

- Where the English Refused to Tread: India's Role in Establishing Hockey as an Olympic Sport
  Nikhilesh Bhattacharya (Jadavpur University, India)
  2015 PhD
  Online report

3.2 INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

- A cultural perspective on IOC sport development and aid in sub-Saharan Africa
  Andrew Guest (University of Chicago, USA)
  2001 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled "It's all right to be a child: Culture and psychosocial competence in two distinct marginalized communities" available online

- A historical and current examination of the IOC and UN partnership: 1952 – 1980
  Nicolien Van Luijk (University of British Columbia, New Zealand)
  2013 PhD
  Online report

- An unwitting target: The IOC, exiled athletes, and U.S. government covert operations, 1950-1960
  Toby Rider (The University of Western Ontario, Canada)
  2010 PhD
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- International Olympic Committee resistance to political interference from governments and state officials
  Byron Peacock (Dalhousie University, USA)
  2012 PhD

- Israel's role in the Olympic Movement from 1948 until the present day
  Amichai Alperovich (German Sports University Cologne, Germany)
  1999 PhD

- Italy and the Olympic Movement after the Second World War: from exclusion to glory
  Nicola Sbetti (University of Bologna, Italy)
  2014 PhD
  Online report

- Latin America 1920' "Olympic Explosion": Causes and consequences
  Cesar Torres, (State University of New York – College at Brockport, USA)
  2002 PhD

- New media, human rights and the Olympic Movement - A literature review
  Ana Adi (University of the West Scotland, Great Britain/Romania)
  2009 PhD

- Paradoxes of humanism. Human rights advocacy the Olympic Movement and the 1980 Olympic boycott
  Umberto Tulli (Istituto Italiano di Scienze Umane, Naples Campus, Italy)
  2011 PhD
  Online report

- Rationale and rhetoric: Olympism in African international relations, 1960-1990
  Scarlett Cornelissen (University of Stellenbosch, South Africa)
  2007 PhD

- Sport Bureaucracy, the OG, and political practices in the Soviet Union, 1952-1980
  Jenifer Parks (University of North Carolina, USA)
  2006 PhD

- State politics vs. sport politics: the Olympic spirit and the communism. The case of Romania
  Simona Ionescu (University of West Timisoara, Romania)
  2007 PhD

- The conditions for the emergence of Olympic sports development in Africa: A comparative analysis between the United Kingdom and France (1944-1966)
  Pascal Charitas (University Paris-Sud, France)
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- The effect of sport boycott and social change in South Africa : a historical perspective, 1955-2005
  Philani Nongogo (University of Pretoria, South Africa)
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  Toby Rider (University of Western Ontario, Canada/United Kingdom)
  2010 PhD

- Women's artistic gymnastics during the Cold War and its aftermath
  Georgia Cervin (University of Western Australia, Australia)
  2016 PhD
  Online report
  PhD thesis entitled "A balance of power: Women's artistic gymnastics during the Cold War and its aftermath" available online

3.3 OLYMPIC MARKETING

- Historical evolution of Olympic commercialism : the evolution of attitudes towards commercialism within the American Olympic Movement : A historical perspective
  Jonathan Jensen (The Ohio State University, USA)
  2015 PhD
  Online report

- Mobile Olympic media across three continents: Replacing or enhancing Olympic Television?
  Andrew C. Billings and Kenon A. Brown (The University of Alabama, USA), Michael B. Devlin (Texas State University, USA) and Natalie B. Devlin (University of Texas, USA)
  2017/2018 Advanced
  Online report

3.4 PRESIDENTS AND MEMBERS

- Avery Brundage and the IOC: Reactions to the Karl Schrantz case
  Guy Lionel Loew (University Marc Bloch, Strasbourg, France)
  2004 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled "L'amateurisme dans la presse internationale: Les Jeux Olympiques d'hiver de Sapporo 1972" available online (in French only)

4. THE OLYMPIC MOVEMENT

- Latin America 1920' "Olympic Explosion": Causes and consequences
  Cesar Torres, (State University of New York – College at Brockport, USA)
  2002 PhD

- Sport for Development and Olympic Movement stakeholders: A social network analysis
  Steve Swanson, Holly Collison and James Skinner (Loughborough University, Great Britain) and Cora Burnett (University of Johannesburg, South Africa)
  2019/2020 Advanced

- The Olympic Movement and the development of global citizenship education policy
  Simon Darnell (Durham University, Canada)
  2012 PhD

- The Olympic Movement and the social construction of race and ethnicity
  Maureen Smith (California State University, USA)
  2004 PhD

- The origins of the environmental dimension of the Olympic Movement: A legacy of Barcelona 1992
  Alberto Aragón Pérez (Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain)
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  2016/2017 Advanced
  Online report

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- The future of sport organisations. Organisational responses to institutional complexity
  Loïc Pedras (University of Technology Sydney, Australia)
  2017 PhD

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- Collaborations between NOCs and public authorities: Mapping the field and identifying good practices
  Henk Erik Meier (Münster University, Germany)
  2018/2019 Advanced

- Competitiveness of the Hungarian Elite Sport System
  Erika Gulyas (University of Physical Education, Hungary)
  2015 PhD
  Online report

- Hundred years of Belgian Olympic Committee (1906-2006): From amateurism to professional management
  Thomas Ameye (Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium)
  2006 PhD

- Israel's role in the Olympic Movement from 1948 until the present day
  Amichai Alperovich (German Sports University Cologne, Germany)
  1999 PhD

- Italy and the Olympic Movement after the Second World War: from exclusion to glory
  Nicola Sbetti (University of Bologna, Italy)
  2014 PhD
  Online report

- Kano Jigoro “Father of the Olympics”: The Olympic Movement and the early modern Japanese history of sports
  Andreas Niehaus (University of Cologne, Germany)
  2002 PhD

- The Asian Games Federation’s admission of the Chinese Olympic Committee in the early 1970s
  Yuxiang Hao (The University of Texas at Austin)
  2019 PhD and ECA

- The IOC, Hungary, and the 'middle' block states during the Cold War: From contentious to trusted members of the Olympic family
  Johanna Mellis (University of Florida, United States)
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  Online report

- Planning to perform at the Olympic Games: An action research study aimed at enhancing the delivery of high performance critical success factors in a National Sport Organisation’s (NSO) Olympic programme
  Conor Molan (University College Dublin, Ireland)
  2017 PhD
  Online report

- Sport Bureaucracy, the OG, and political practices in the Soviet Union, 1952-1980
  Jenifer Parks (University of North Carolina, USA)
  2006 PhD

- Sports reform related to the sports law in Côte d’Ivoire, Franco-Ivorian comparative law
  Assewe Narcisse Kobi (Aix-Marseille Université, France)
  2018 PhD
  Online report (available in French only)

- The early history of Olympism in Uruguay (1911-1924): A national-global perspective
  Shunsuke Matsuo (The University of Tokyo, Japan)
  2017 PhD
  Online report

- The effect of sport boycott and social change in South Africa : a historical perspective, 1955-2005
  Philani Nongogo (University of Pretoria, South Africa)
  2010 PhD
  Online report

- The role of the Olympic National Committees in the Olympic Movement : The COF example
  Yoan Grosset, (Joseph Fourier University of Grenoble, France)
  2007 PhD

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- Disseminating the Olympic values on Facebook and Twitter during Rio 2016: Content, influencers and engagement
  José Pardo Gila (Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain)
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- Olympic Education policy in practice: Development, delivery and evaluation (case study of Tokyo 2020)
  Bo Ra Hwang (Loughborough University, Great Britain)
  2017 PhD
  Online report

- Olympic Values nowadays
  Holger Preuss (Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz, Germany), Lamartine P. Dacosta (Universidade do Estado Do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil), Norbert Schütte (Johannes Gutenberg-Universität, Germany)
  2014/2015 Advanced
  Online report

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  Yuhei Inoue (University of Minnesota, USA), Steve Swanson (Loughborough University, Great Britain) and Masayuki Yoshida (Hosei University, Japan)
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  Leo Hsu (University of Leeds, Great Britain)
  1999 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled "Ethics and sports rules" available online
- State politics vs. sport politics: the Olympic spirit and the communism. The case of Romania
  Simona Ionescu (University of West Timisoara, Romania)
  2007 PhD

4.5 OTHER RECOGNISED GAMES

- The diffusion of Olympic sport through regional games: A comparison of pre- and post-Second War contexts
  Dikaia Chatziefstathiou (Canterbury Christ Church University, Great Britain/Greece)
  2008 PhD
  Online report

- The race that was never run – The 1936 Popular Olympics as experiment in Olympic internationalism
  James Stout (San Diego Community College, United States of America)
  2019 PhD and ECA

- Which Americas? Ideas, political culture and rituals in the Pan-American Games' design
  Mariadele Di Blasio and Francesco Davide Ragno (Università di Bologna, Italy)
  2013 PhD

4.6 PARALYMPIC MOVEMENT & PARALYMPIC GAMES

- Governing difference in global sport: Women in the Olympic and Paralympic Movements
  Madeleine Pape (University of Wisconsin-Madison, USA)
  2016 PhD
  Online report

4.7 RECOGNISED ORGANISATIONS

- Archives research on the IOA and its linkage with the Olympic Movement
  Paraskevi Salepi (University of Peloponnese, Greece)
  2014 PhD

5. THE ATHLETES

- A multinational, multi-study examination of social media use, strategy and experience in Olympic and Paralympic sport: Toward the development of social media good practice advice for athletes, sports organisations and the media
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- Athletes' perspective of organizational issues in sports mega events
  Tiago Ribeiro (University of Lisbon, Portugal)
  2017 PhD

- Investigating the efficacy of digital technology for elite athlete development and support from athlete, coach and support team perspectives
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  Daniel Brown (University of Portsmouth, Great Britain)
  2019 PhD and ECA

- To show that they were not half men: Sex testing in the Olympic Games, 1968-2000
  Lindsay Pieper (Lynchburg College, USA)
  2013 PhD

- Women's artistic gymnastics during the Cold War and its aftermath
  Georgia Cervin (University of Western Australia, Australia)
  2016 PhD
  Online report
  PhD thesis entitled "A balance of power: Women's artistic gymnastics during the Cold War and its aftermath" available online

5.1 ANTI-DOPING

- Arguing against doping : A discourse analytical study on Olympic anti-doping between the 1960s and the late 1980s
  Marcel Reinold (The University of Münster, Germany)
  2011 PhD
  Online report

- Coach, athlete, and relational influences on development athletes' attitudes, intentions, and willingness to dope
  Paul Freeman (University of Essex, Great Britain) and Tim Rees (Bournemourth University, Great-Britain)
  2016/2017 Advanced
  Online report

- Self-compassion as a fundamental deterrent to using performance enhancing drugs
  Nikolaos Chatzisarantis and Martin Hagger (Curtin University, Australia)
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  Online report

- The origins of the international Olympic Committee Medical Commission and its technocratic regime : An historiographic investigation of anti-doping regulation and enforcement in international sport
  Kathryn Henne (University of California, USA)
  2009 PhD
  Online report

5.2 CAREER MANAGEMENT

- A bright future for the elite athletes? The importance of the career path
  Cristina Lopez, Maribel Barriopedro and Miguel Angel Gomez (Technical University of Madrid, Spain) and Carlos Muniesa (European University of Madrid, Spain)
  2015/2016 Advanced
  Online report (in English)
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- A cross-cultural study into the junior-senior transition of Olympic athletes
  Nathalie Rosier (Vrije Universiteit, Belgium)
  2014 PhD
  Online report

- Dual career for Spanish high-level athletes: Facilities and difficulties with the socio-occupational integration process after retirement
  Rubén Moreno Castellanos (Universidad Europea de Madrid, Spain)
  2018 PhD
- How should athletes be supported before, during and after athletic retirement? Movement from an athlete-centred needs analysis to practical guidelines for career support stakeholders
  Paul Wylleman (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium)
  2019/2020 Advanced

- Preparing Olympic athletes for lives outside of elite sport: towards best practice
  Natalie Barker-Ruchti (University of Gothenburg, Sweden), Dean Michael Barker (University of Gothenburg, Sweden), Jessica Lee (University of Griffith, Australia) and Steven Rynne (University of Queensland, Australia)
  2011 PhD
  Online report

- The development and evaluation of training modules for dual career support providers (DCSPs): A European pilot
  Paul Wylleman (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium), Natalia Stambulova (Halmstad University, Sweden), Miquel Torregrossa (Autonomous University Barcelona, Spain) and Nicolette Schipper-van Veldhoven (Windesheim University, The Netherlands)
  2017/2018 Advanced
  Online report

5.3 ENTOURAGE

- A philosophical analysis of the support personnel present at the Olympic Games
  Sarah Jane Teetzel (University of Manibota, Canada)
  2012 PhD

- On-line educational programme: Coach-athlete relationship empowerment: CARE
  Sophia Jowett and Chris Harwood (Loughborough University, Great Britain)
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- Early Developmental Environment and Olympic Success: An Analysis of Australia's Top Sporting Communities
  Kristy O'Neill (University of Sydney, Australia)
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- Roles and influences of Olympic athletes' entourages in athletes' preparation for career transition out of sport
  Sunghee Park (University of Stirling, Great Britain)
  2012 PhD

- Sink or swim: The impact of having a child with Olympic potential on family well-being
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- The role of the entourage in supporting elite athlete performance and educational outcomes
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- The role of the entourage on elite athletes development and post-sport career preparation
  Tshepang Tshube (Michigan State University, USA)
  2013 PhD
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5.4 MEDICINE & HEALTH

- A genealogical analysis of the female testing discourse in sports medical literature
  Camille Croteau (Western University, Canada)
  2019 PhD and ECA

- Promoting physical health in elite athletes: Understanding of exercise and non-exercise based injury prevention strategies
  Thomas Love and Camilla Knight (Swansea University, Great Britain) and Katherine Black (University of Otago, New-Zealand)
  2015/2016 Advanced
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- The IOC's role in the debate about high altitude at the 1968 Mexico City Olympics
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  1999 PhD

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- From gold to dust: Hockey and India's Olympic encounter
  Boria Majumdar (University of Oxford, Great Britain)
  2004 PhD

- Where the English Refused to Tread: India's Role in Establishing Hockey as an Olympic Sport
  Nikhilesh Bhattacharya (Jadavpur University, India)
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6.2 WINTER SPORTS

- Alpine skiing and the Winter Games: An Olympic problem ?: 1936-1972
  Andrew Denning (University of California, USA)
  2010 PhD
  Online report

- Impact of technology on Olympic snowboard judging – perceptions of athletes and officials
  Jason William Harding (Griffith University, Australia)
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- A good name needs to be found : A philosophical investigation of Paralympic and Olympic co-operation
  Matthew Waddell (University of Western Ontario, Canada)
  2015 PhD
  Online report

- Evaluation of the innovative elements of the WYOG 2012 sports programme with particular emphasis on the media and spectators
  Martin Schnitzer (University of Innsbruck, Austria)
  2012 PhD
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- Youth perceptions of the Olympic Games: Attitudes towards action sports at the YOG and Olympic Games
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- The macroeconomic perspectives of hosting mega-events: A research for employment effects
  Evangelia Kasimati (University of Bath, Great Britain/Greece)
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8. SPORT LAW & ETHICS

- France's implementation of the host city contract's new anti-corruption and human rights provisions: Implications for development and legacy in France and beyond
  Andrew Spalding (University of Richmond School of Law, USA)
  2019/2020 Advanced

- Match-fixing monitoring system in play: Betting, data analysis technology and its effects on sport integrity
  Minhyeok Tak (University of Otago, New Zealand)
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  Frank Latty (University of Paris Nanterre, France)
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- Sport for Development and Olympic Movement stakeholders: A social network analysis
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  Qing Luo and five other researchers (University of China, People’s Republic of China)
  2008 PhD
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  Tom Busseuil (Centre Georges Chevrier, Université de Dijon, France)
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  Andrew C. Billings and Kenon A. Brown (The University of Alabama, USA), Michael B. Devlin (Texas State University, USA) and Natalie B. Devlin (University of Texas, USA)
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  Xavier Ramon (Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain)
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  Sandra Tavares (King's College University, Great Britain)
  2015 PhD

9.3 PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGION

- Assessment of the term 'Religio Athletae' and the relations between the modern Olympic Movement and religion
  George Xiarchos (University of Athens, Greece)
  2000 PhD

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- Golden ghettos: race, culture and the politics of the 1968 African American Olympic Protest Movement
  Douglas Hartman (University of Minnesota, USA)
  2001 PhD
  PhD thesis entitled “Race, culture and the revolt of the black athlete: The 1968 Olympic protests and their aftermath” available upon request

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  2014 PhD
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- Benchmarking the Buenos Aires 2018 Athletes' perspective for a longitudinal analysis of Youth Olympic Games Athlete experience and learning
  Milena Parent, Eric Macintosch, Diane Culver (University of Ottawa, Canada) and Michael Naraine (Deakin University, Australia)
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  Online report

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