



**14th Annual International Conference of Czech Philosophy of Sport**  
a section of the Czech Kinanthropological Society  
Česká kinantropologická společnost

hosted by the Faculty of Physical Culture, Palacký University in Olomouc,  
8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> October 2025

## Conference Programme

### **Conference Programme – Day 1 – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October**

*All presentations are in the room NA 3.20*

**13.45-14.00 Welcome, and Opening of the 14<sup>th</sup> CPS session (Jiří Mališ)**

<b>Session 1</b> Chair: I. Martínková	14.00-15.00	<b>Keynote 1</b> <b>Eric Moore</b> Longwood University, in Farmville, USA	(30 mins + 30 mins discussion) <i>The World Anti-Doping Agency's policy is not merely peculiar; it is morally bankrupt</i>
	15.00-16.00	<b>Jim Parry</b> Charles U in Prague, Czechia	<i>On Diving in Football</i>
<b>Tea/Coffee</b>	16.00-16.30		
<b>Session 2</b> Chair: J. Parry	16.30-17.30	<b>Irena Martínková</b> Charles U in Prague, Czechia	<i>Questioning the 'zero-sum logic' of sport</i>
	17.30-18.30	<b>Leslie Howe</b> U of Saskatchewan, Canada	<i>Over the Hills in Espadrilles: de Beauvoir on the Body in Movement</i>

**From 19.00 Dinner – is on you! - Venue to be confirmed**

### **Conference Programme – Day 2 – Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October**

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<b>Session 3</b> Chair: A. Mueller	09.00-10.00	<b>Miroslav Imbrišević</b> Open University UK,	<i>A Theory of Formalism</i>
	10.00-11.00	<b>Matija Skerbic</b> University of Zagreb, Croatia	<i>Conventionalism (not) defended! Revisiting W. J. Morgan's Moral Theory of Sport</i>
<b>Tea/Coffee</b>	11.00-11.30		
<b>Session 4</b> Chair: Jiří Mališ	11.30-12.30	<b>Arno Mueller</b> Erfurt University, Germany	<i>What are the ethical foundations of the 'Enhanced Games'? Revisiting the arguments of Savulescu et al (2004)</i>
	12.30-13.00	PhD section <b>Petr Mocek</b> Palacky U in Olomouc, Czechia	(15 mins + 15 mins discussion) <i>Beyond the Physical: The Spiritual Dimension of Martial Arts</i>
<b>Lunch</b>	<b>From 13.00</b>	<b>Lunch is on you!</b>	
<b>Session 5</b> Chair: I Jirásek	14.00-15.00	<b>Keynote 2</b> <b>Filip Kobiela</b> U of Physical Culture Krakow, Poland	(30 mins + 30 mins discussion) <i>Music competitions: a subclass of sport competitions a different category?</i>

	15.00-16.00	<b>Emanuel Hurych</b> Masaryk U in Brno, Czechia	<i>Paradox in the Process of Gamification and its Consequences within the Triad Sport–Play–Game</i> Masaryk
<i>Tea/Coffee</i>	16.00-16.30		
<b>Session 6</b> <b>Chair: E. Hurych</b>	16.30-17.30	<b>Jiří Mališ</b> Palacky U in Olomouc, Czechia	<i>When Personal Values Shape Conclusions: The Debate over the Inclusion of Transgender Women in Elite Sport</i>
	17.30-18.00	PhD section <b>Matyáš Kubů</b> Charles U in Prague, Czechia	(15 mins + 15 mins discussion) <i>From Tolerance to Responsibility... Gender-Inclusive PE</i>

**From 19.00 Dinner – is on you! - Konvikt**

### **Conference Programme – Day 3 – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October**

**Workshop supported by BPSA organized by Jon Pike: “Sex and Gender in sport: Regulation and eligibility for trans athletes and athletes with DSDs”**

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9:00 – 9:50	<b>Jonathan Cooper</b> , University of Gloucestershire <i>Human Rights and Sporting Justice: Semenya v Switzerland and the evolving approach to proportionality in the protection of athlete rights</i>
9:50 – 10:40	<b>Bart Bloem Herraiz</b> , University Pablo de Olavide <i>How outdoor sports can serve as a critical counterpoint to regulatory logics dominating elite sport</i>
10:40-11:00	<i>Coffee</i>
11:00 -11:50	<b>Grant Weidenfeld</b> , University of Toronto <i>Fair Eligibility Rules</i>
11:50-12:40	<b>Gordon Birse</b> , University of Swansea <i>On Ameliorative Conceptual Engineering and Trans Inclusion in Sport</i>
12:40-1:40	<i>Lunch</i>
1:40 – 2:30	<b>Honorata Jakubowska</b> , Adam Mickiewicz University <i>FIDE Regulations on Transgender Players: A Chess-Specific Controversy</i>
2:30 – 3:20	<b>Nick Binney</b> , University of Tübingen <i>What is “male advantage”?</i>
3:20-3:40	<i>Coffee</i>
3:40-4:30	<b>Jon Pike</b> , The Open University <i>“And I think to myself - well - how did I get here?” Errors and confusions in the regulation of sport 2009 -2025</i>

**All attendees are welcome to join Days 1 and 2 of the Czech Philosophy of Sport Conference, 8-9th October.**

**Most attendees will head to Prague at the end Day 3 (the 10th), where there will be an opportunity for informal drinks in the evening.**