

Call for Proposals

This Group invites paper and panel proposals on any aspect of the intersection of religion, sport, and play across broad geographical areas, religious traditions, and historical eras. We are particularly interested in submissions on the following themes:

- New directions in religion, sport, and play to further develop the conversation we began on this topic in 2011

- In recognition of the 2012 Olympics, we are looking for papers or panels that engage religion, sport, and nationalism

Mission

This Group provides an opportunity for scholars to engage in the emerging research at the intersection of religion and sport, games, and play. We are interested in examining these topics across broad geographical areas, religious traditions, and historical eras. We encourage critical reflection regarding relationships of religious institutions to sport, play, and games; theological and spiritual experiences of participants and spectators invested in these activities; and the cross-cultural applicability of the received categories themselves.

Anonymity of Review Process

Proposals are **anonymous** to chairs and steering committee members during review, but **visible** to chairs **prior** to final acceptance or rejection.

Questions?

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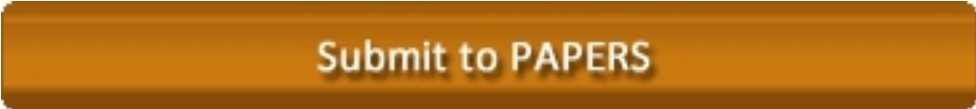
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Method of Submission

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