



Advances in Sports Economics

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Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

The economics of sports is an ever-expanding subfield that has, in recent decades, generated new courses, textbooks, and academic journals. This Special Issue of *Economies* aims to provide a collection of high-quality theoretical and empirical studies covering the economics of both amateur and professional athletics. Topics of relevance to sports economists include but are not limited to competitive balance and outcome uncertainty, aspects of the production and costs of sports and sporting achievement (e.g., productivity of inputs), monopoly/monopsony elements of sports associations and leagues, the politics of sports arena and stadium financing and siting, and the relationship between collegiate athletics and the mission of colleges and universities. We welcome original papers relating to these and other aspects of the economics of sports.

