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### **iNADO 2022 Workshop**

The Institute of National Anti-Doping Organisations (iNADO) held its 2022 Workshop in hybrid format in Lausanne, Switzerland, after a two-year hiatus due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

The Workshop evolved around building the capacities of Anti-Doping Organizations through assessing, adapting, and improving in a diverse, technical and fast evolving field. INADO welcomed 200 participants from National and Regional Anti-Doping Organizations, International Federations, Major Event Organizers, the World Anti-Doping Agency and others to reflect on how the anti-doping community can make best use of the tools, methods, knowledge, human and other resources to make anti-doping programs stronger.

The Workshop began with a Keynote Speech Ronan O’Laoire from the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, who presented on Tackling Wrongdoing in Sport: Global Trends and Issues, which demonstrated the relationship between wider sport integrity issues and doping.

The breakout sessions of the Workshop included scientific, ethical and athlete perspectives on a wide range of anti-doping topics and provided practical solutions and support. Additionally, it provided thoughts for the future direction and improvement of the anti-doping system.

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## National Integrity Framework - Sport Integrity Australia

[Sport Integrity Australia](#) is seen as a model for a number of countries seeking to establish a sport integrity body which oversees anti-doping, safeguarding and the manipulation of sporting events.

Under the framework, all recognized sports in Australia will have integrity policies that set the same standards around unacceptable behaviors in sport.

Read more about SIA's efforts in their [Newsletter](#) on pages 10-14.

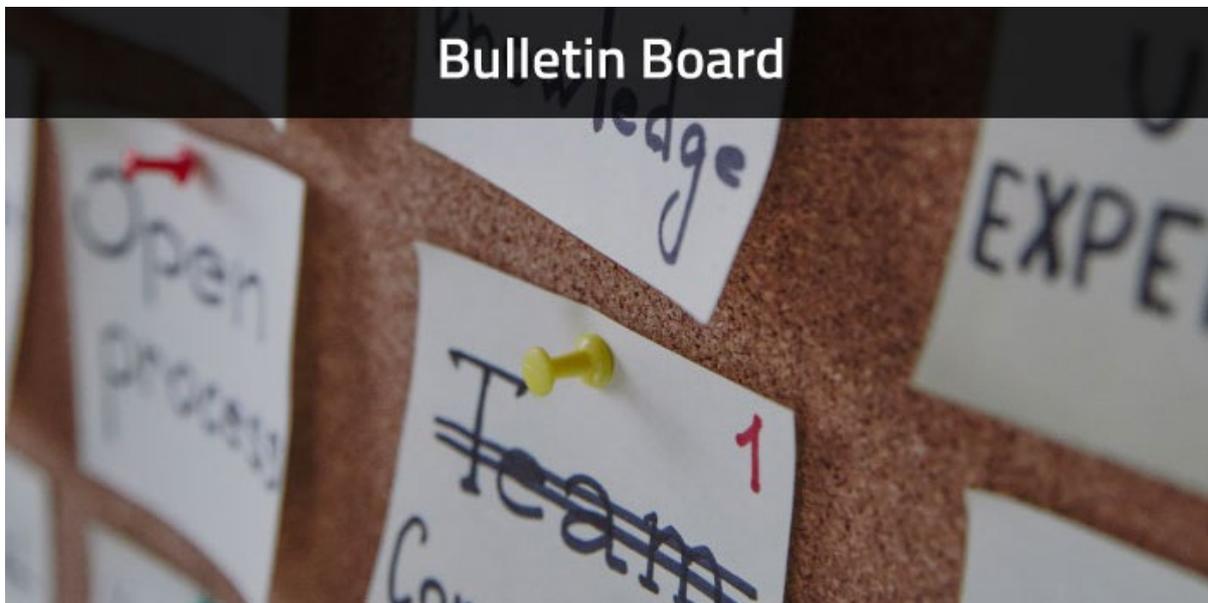
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## Partnership for Clean Competition Podcast

In the latest edition of the [PCC](#)'s Anti-Doping Podcast Rien Tuk (Manager of the Anti-Doping Knowledge Center at [The Anti-Doping Authority Netherlands](#)) talks about the Dutch Doping Authority and the unique resource they have developed for disseminating information related to anti-doping.

The Anti-Doping Knowledge Center continues to grow, and it is a valuable resource for people around the world. You can contribute to The Anti-Doping Knowledge Center by emailing relevant anti-doping documents such as scientific journal articles, case law, reports, or other documents to [adkc@dopingautoriteit.nl](mailto:adkc@dopingautoriteit.nl).

[Tune in to the Podcast](#)



## **iNADO Member-Only Webinar: AFLD's Compliance with the World Anti-Doping Code: Challenges and Achievements**

The Institute of National Anti-Doping Organisations (iNADO) is pleased to invite incumbent staff at Member Organizations to this webinar led by Antoine Marcelaud (AFLD's Director of Legal) and Floriane Cavel (AFLD's Deputy Director of Legal).

This webinar will explore AFLD's compliance with the World Anti-Doping Code including its challenges and achievements. The session will start with a description of the process followed in France to ensure compliance of the national legislation with the World Anti-Doping Code. It will emphasize the challenges arising from the transposition of Common Law-inspired principles in a Roman Law legal system. The second part of the session will focus on the implementation of the waiver of hearing in the French legislation, and the unexpected success of this mechanism.

[Register for the member-only webinar](#)

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## **iNADO Welcomes Adoption of a Declaration of 'Guiding Principles for the Future of Anti-Doping'**

The "Spirit of Sport" is based on values such as excellence, fair play, honesty, teamwork, solidarity and joy, and creates the bedrock of sport as a universal institution that has the potential to create unity across borders. Threats to the integrity of sport are constantly evolving, as exemplified by occurrences of NADOs, governments and the sports movement undermining their own integrity policies, therefore a continuous improvement of the anti-doping system is

crucial.

The spirit of iNADO is about togetherness, agility, and credibility. Aligned with this, Jorge Leyva, CEO of iNADO said: “The Six Guiding Principles are a positive step forward for the anti-doping community, and there is no better time for iNADO to welcome the principles than around its Annual General Assembly and its Annual Workshop in Lausanne, Switzerland. iNADO echoes the NADOs that proposed the principles, and calls all of its members and all NADOs and RADOs everywhere to support, promote and implement these Six Guiding Principles for a sustainable future of anti-doping.”

Read the guiding principles [here](#) and iNADO's statement [here](#).

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## **Uneven Accountability in Anti-Doping: The Role of Socio-Economic and Political Factors Unobserved in the Current System**

Through the World Anti-Doping Code (WADC) and the UNESCO Anti-Doping Convention, states are committed to combating doping by establishing and funding their own National Anti-Doping Organization (NADO) to design and conduct a national anti-doping program. For their failure to conduct a robust anti-doping program, NADOs can be sanctioned and declared non-compliant under the WADC. However, this does not take into account the influence of socio-economic and political factors within which the NADO operates.

Read the discussion paper [here](#).



### **Jeremy Roubin, Secretary General of AFLD**

Jérémy Roubin has been appointed as Secretary General of the French Anti-Doping Agency (AFLD) in

April 2021. He manages the Agency under the authority of its President.



A lawyer by training, he was an administrator of the Senate for nine years before joining the Agency. He worked at the Law Commission (2012-2017) then at the General Secretariat of the Senate (2017-2021) to monitor the constitutional, electoral and public transparency issues as well as issues related to the status and the code of conduct of the Senators.



### **Optimizing detection of erythropoietin receptor agonists from dried blood spots for anti-doping application**

The World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) has recently implemented dried blood spots (DBSs) as a matrix for doping control. However, specifications regarding the analysis of the class of prohibited substances called erythropoietin (EPO) receptor agonists (ERAs) from DBSs are not yet described. The study of Heiland and colleagues (2022) aims to find optimal conditions to sensitively detect endogenous erythropoietin (hEPO) and prohibited ERAs.

Read the full study [here](#).

## Practical Development in Anti-Doping



### Swiss Sport Integrity creates 'Parents' Forum'

Parents are among the key players in a young athlete's entourage. To support parents in their important role, [Swiss Sport Integrity](#) has created the "Parents' Forum" as a vessel for conveying the most important information.

Sports parents encourage their children, show passion, invest time and financial resources, and experience victory and defeat together. Their support is very important for the children and they have a role in ensuring children are able to participate in a safe and fair sports environments.

By taking part in the online education sessions as part of the Parents' Forum, sports parents can support their children in doping prevention. They can learn more about the anti-doping rules and doping risks and receive specific advice.

Read more about the initiative [here](#).

## Feature of the Month



### WADA Athlete Biological Passport (ABP) Symposium

Registration is now open for the third edition of WADA's Athlete Biological Passport (ABP) Symposium, which will be held from 12-14 October 2022 in New Delhi, India.

The Symposium will gather anti-doping stakeholders that are involved in all aspects of ABP programs, including

testing, administration, expert reviews and results management -- in order to promote harmonization of practice and exchange of knowledge and lessons learned from ABP cases. Representatives from National and Regional Anti-Doping Organizations; International Federations; Athlete Passport Management Units (APMUs); WADA-accredited laboratories; along with experts who review passports, are all invited to take part.

Read more about the ABP Symposium [here](#).



### New at the Anti-Doping Knowledge Center

The ADKC is continuously collecting useful information and documented experiences in the field of anti-doping that can be found with the following links:

- [Decisions International Federations](#)
- [Decisions IOC](#)
- [Decisions NADOs](#)
- [All Case Law](#)
- [Scientific Literature](#)
- [CAS awards](#)





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