

Sports Law Alumni News

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NSLI Director Appointed to Court of Arbitration for Sport

Professor Matt Mitten, Director of the National Sports Law Institute, has been appointed to the Court of Arbitration for Sport ("CAS"), based in Lausanne, Switzerland. The CAS, known as the "World's Sports Court," is an international arbitral tribunal that adjudicates sports-related disputes, including those arising out of international and Olympic sports competition and events. Currently the CAS has 270 arbitrators from 74 countries who, because of their specialized knowledge of sports law and/or international arbitration, are appointed by the International Council of Arbitration for Sport (a group of 20 prominent jurists from throughout the world). Despite the word "Court" in its name, the CAS is an arbitration tribunal rather than a court. CAS arbitration awards have the same effect and enforceability as the judgments of courts, and these awards collectively constitute a developing body of private international sports law (i.e., legal rules that regulate Olympic and international sports competition). See <http://www.tas-cas.org/en/histoire/frmhist.htm> for additional information about the CAS. Professor Richard McLaren (University of Western Ontario Faculty of Law) and Maidie Oliveau (Managing Partner, Law Sports), who both serve on the NSLI's Board of Advisors, also are CAS members. Pursuant to an agreement with the United States Olympic Committee, the NSLI is developing an electronic indexing system of CAS arbitration awards that will be accessible via the NSLI and USOC websites



NSLI FALL CONFERENCE

Individual Performer Sports: Current Legal and Business Issues

On September 28, 2007, the National Sports Law Institute will host "The Increasing Globalization of Sports: Olympic, International and Comparative Law & Business Issues." The conference will be held at the Hilton Milwaukee City Center.

Four conference panels composed of leading sports lawyers, sports law professors, and industry professionals, will address cutting edge legal and business issues related to the global expansion of sports and its implications, global sports marketing and legal protection of intellectual property, resolution of international sports disputes, and a comparative analysis of sports league structure, governance and player restraints. The conference will also feature the presentation of the Master of the Game Award to Michael Conley, Gold Medalist, 1992 Olympic Games and Executive Director, World Sport Chicago, during the conference lunch. Complete details of the conference, including conference panels, participants and conference sponsors, are available on the web at <http://law.marquette.edu/jw/2007conf>.

All alumni are invited to attend the conference at the discounted price of \$99.00 (class of 2007 alumni can attend at no cost). If you are interested in attending, you can register online or contact SLAA Chair Paul Anderson by email at paul.anderson@mu.edu.

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**ANNUAL FALL SPORTS LAW
GOLF CLASSIC**

On Saturday, September 29, 2007, Marquette University Law School's Sports Law Society and the Sports Law Alumni Association will co-host the Annual Fall Sports Law Golf Classic. The Classic will begin at 8 am at Scenic View Country Club in Slinger, Wisconsin.

The outing is in a four-person scramble format. We are looking for teams of alumni, students, faculty, or combinations of these groups. The cost for an alum to participate is \$75, while spouses and guests may participate for \$85. Registration includes 18 holes of golf, a cart, a lunch and drink ticket, and gifts courtesy of the NSLI and our sponsors (further information can be found online at http://law.marquette.edu/cgi-bin/site.pl?2216&deEvent_eventID=1783&date=09-29-2007).

If you cannot join us for the outing, please consider becoming a hole sponsor, or donating items that can be given as prizes to those who take part in the outing.

The primary purpose of the Sports Law Alumni Association's sponsorship of the golf outing is to raise funds for the Marquette University Law School Sports Law Scholarship fund. All proceeds will be contributed to this fund.

**SPORTS LAW ALUMNI ASSOCIATION:
TENTH ANNIVERSARY**

The Sports Law Alumni Association was formed in 1997 to support the National Sports Law Institute and Marquette's Sports Law program. Over the past decade our members have raised funds for the Alumni Scholarship Fund, participated in career panels that provide guidance and advice to sports law students, spoken at NSLI conferences and seminars, and supported the NSLI and Sports Law Program in many other ways. I thank all of our alums for their continuing support.

In commemoration of the tenth anniversary of the Association I am listing the entire roster of the Association below. Please check these listings and let me know if there is a mistake in your personal listing or in another member's listing.

In addition, this December we will host a reception to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the Association. I will send details of this event soon. We hope that many of you can join us

Paul Anderson (L'95), SLAA Chair

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