



A product of Palgrave Macmillan UK

Springer books available as

 Printed book

Available from springer.com/shop

 eBook

Available from your library or

► springer.com/shop

 MyCopy

Printed eBook for just

► € | \$ 24.99

► springer.com/mycopy

Leisure Studies in a Global Era

Series Editors: K. Spracklen, K. Fox

In this book series, we defend leisure as a meaningful, theoretical, framing concept; and critical studies of leisure as a worthwhile intellectual and pedagogical activity. This is what makes this book series distinctive: we want to enhance the discipline of leisure studies and open it up to a richer range of ideas; and, conversely, we want sociology, cultural geographies and other social sciences and humanities to open up to engaging with critical and rigorous arguments from leisure studies. Getting beyond concerns about the grand project of leisure, we will use the series to demonstrate that leisure theory is central to understanding wider debates about identity, postmodernity and globalisation in contemporary societies across the world. The series combines the search for local, qualitatively rich accounts of everyday leisure with the international reach of debates in politics, leisure and social and cultural theory. In doing this, we will show that critical studies of leisure can and should continue to play a central role in understanding society. The scope will be global, striving to be truly international and truly diverse in the range of authors and topics. Editorial Board: John Connell, Professor of Geography, University of Sydney, USA; Yoshitaka Mori, Associate Professor, Tokyo University of the Arts, Japan; Smitha Radhakrishnan, Assistant Professor, Wellesley College, USA; Diane M. Samdahl, Professor of Recreation and Leisure Studies, University of Georgia, USA; Chiung-Tzu Lucetta Tsai, Associate Professor, National Taipei University, Taiwan; Walter van Beek, Professor of Anthropology and Religion, Tilburg University, The Netherlands; Sharon D. Welch, Professor of Religion and Society, Meadville Theological School, Chicago, USA; Leslie Witz, Professor of History, University of the Western Cape, South Africa.

Recently published:

H. Wardle

Games Without Frontiers?

Socio-historical Perspectives at the Gaming/Gambling Intersection

I. Woolsey

Football Fans and Social Spacing

Power and Control in a Modernising Landscape

T. Wiseman

Leisure in Later Life

Upcoming Volumes:

C. Hoad

Heavy Metal Music, Texts, and Nationhood

(Re)sounding Whiteness



Submission information at the [series homepage](#) and springer.com/authors

Order online at springer.com ► or for the Americas call (toll free) 1-800-SPRINGER ► or email us at: customerservice@springer.com. ► For outside the Americas call +49 (0) 6221-345-4301 ► or email us at: customerservice@springer.com.