



Symposium
"Dimensions of Performance"
September 2nd, 2006
Berlin, Germany



**TALENT IDENTIFICATION AND DEVELOPMENT:
A MULTIDISCIPLINARY APPROACH**

A Symposium organised by the **International Council of Sport Science and Physical Education** (ICSSPE/CIEPSS, www.icsspe.org) and the **ISTAF** (www.istaf.de)

Invitation

ICSSPE and the ISTAF are inviting representatives from the worlds of sport, science and medicine to attend a joint Symposium under the motto "DIMENSIONS OF PERFORMANCE", on September 2, 2006, 10h00-18h00 in the Estrel Hotel Berlin (Room "Paris", Sonnenallee 225, 12057 Berlin).

Researchers, elite athletes and coaches will discuss their experiences around the theme "Talent Identification and Development: A Multidisciplinary Approach". The Symposium will include lectures and posters. A panel discussion will allow the possibility to develop new ideas and define perspectives for the future. Language of the Symposium will be English.

If you are interested in presenting, please send a short abstract to the address below before July 7, 2006, specifying the preferred presentation option (oral or poster). However, the organisers reserve themselves the option to decide of the most appropriate presentation form, and to refuse unsuitable presentations. Each presentation will be a maximum of 20 minutes, and will be followed by a question/discussion time. Poster dimensions should be 0,84 m width by 1,18 m height (format DIN A 0).

We are happy to announce that Prof. Dr. Richard Bailey (Roehampton University, London, UK) will deliver a keynote speech on this topic, and participate in a panel discussion with top-level athletes and coaches. The panel discussion will be moderated by Prof. Dr. Gudrun Doll-Tepper, President of ICSSPE.

The ISTAF, one of the Golden League athletics meetings, will take place in Berlin on September 3, 2006, on the day following the Symposium. ISTAF will be celebrating its 65th birthday this year and is part of the IAAF Golden League group. One of the largest track & field meetings in the world, it will take place in the Olympic Stadium of Berlin, the location of the recent World Cup final. The Top 250 athletes from around the world will compete for the Golden League jackpot, worth 1 Mio USD. VIP-tickets (including free food and drinks) and regular tickets are available for EUR 50 resp. EUR 20. Please indicate your preference when registering. Tickets are payable in cash on the day of the Symposium, and there is no possibility to reserve specific seats.

Programme (subject to change!)

10h00:	Welcome and introduction
10h15-11h30:	Keynote: Prof. Dr. Richard Bailey (Roehampton University, London, UK)
11h30-12h30:	Lectures
12h30-14h00:	Lunch break
14h00-15h30:	Oral Presentations
15h30-16h00:	Coffee Break / ISTAF Press Conference
16h00-17h00:	Oral Presentations
17h00-18h00:	Panel discussion / Moderation: Prof. Dr. Gudrun Doll-Tepper (President ICSSPE)

Information and free registration

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