



## **SIRC Forum**

### **Code of conduct**

Postings and discussions will be monitored to ensure that users are adhering to conditions.

SIRC reserves the right to immediately remove any and all postings that violate the terms of use. In addition, SIRC reserves the right to temporarily and/or permanently suspend member accounts in continued violation of these terms, which will be at the full discretion of the SIRC Forum site administrators.

#### User Etiquette and Rules for Posting Content

The SIRC Forum is meant to be a safe and welcoming online community where the discussions are meant to:

1. build and maintain an active online community of sport researchers, sport organizations, and other key stakeholders.
2. facilitate conversations that enhance understandings of key issues in sport.
3. encourage collaboration between researchers and sport organizations; and
4. strengthen knowledge mobilization with the aim of supporting evidence-informed programming and decision-making.

We kindly ask you follow these general rules:

1. Please do not send, post, or otherwise promote commercial products, services, or events. This includes links intended to gather leads by collecting email addresses or other contact information in exchange for resources, webinars, etc.
2. Respect the purpose of the SIRC Forum. Use the SIRC Forum to share successes, challenges, constructive feedback, questions, and opportunities for engagement. It is not meant to be a place where one promotes offers for contests, giveaways or sweepstakes.
3. Please keep the content family friendly. Posts will not be defamatory, abusive, profane, threatening, offensive, pornographic or violent. \*This includes your profile picture.
4. You will not upload, post, e-mail or otherwise transmit:
  - a. Any content that is offensive, obscene, unlawful, threatening, abusive, harassing, defamatory, hateful, invasive of another's privacy or otherwise objectionable.
  - b. Material which is designed to cause annoyance, inconvenience, or needless anxiety to others.
  - c. Any unsolicited or unauthorized advertising or commercial material, "junk mail", "spam", "chain letter", "pyramid scheme" or any other form of solicitation.
  - d. Any material that contains software viruses, corrupted files, or any other computer code, file or program designed to interrupt, destroy or limit the functionality of any computer software or telecommunications equipment.



5. You will not send, post, or otherwise promote any content that infringes any intellectual property or other right of any person or entity, including, but not limited to, violating anyone's copyrights, trademarks or service marks.
6. You will not use the site to do anything unlawful, misleading, malicious or discriminatory.
7. You will not post job announcements. We encourage members to post jobs on the SIRC career page.
8. You will not use the site for the purposes of fraud or for any activity that contravenes the laws of Canada or any other applicable jurisdiction.
9. You will not use the site to engage in activities that cause or are likely to cause disruption or denial of service to any user of the SIRC Forum.
10. You will not impersonate any other person.