Application Form for the 2018-2022 AIESEP Board of Directors

INDIVIDUAL MEMBER

This form and the accompanying charter must be completed and sent before March 23, 2018 to the Secretary General:

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Brief description of your professional involvement in the field of sport pedagogy:

After my graduation at the Free University of Berlin, my PhD period at the University of Paderborn (Germany) and my postdoctoral period at the University of Basel (Switzerland), I am now a full professor of "Educational Sciences & Didactics in PE & Sport" at the University of Potsdam (Germany). My research covers pedagogy related fields of PE, sport and exercise with an empirical educational approach. Current research topics are school effectivity research in PE, Basic Motor Competencies, Quality PE, professional competencies of PE students, effects of sport involvement on adolescents and dual careers of elite athletes in schools.

I am an ad hoc reviewer of several journals and book series in sport science as well as in the educational sciences and psychology. My research interests coincide, to a large degree, with the goals of AIESEP. I was already on the board of directors 2014-2018.

Brief description of your past involvement in AIESEP activities:

Awards:

- Young Scholar Award 2006
- AIESEP Fellow 2013

Congresses:

• 1994 Berlin, AIESEP World Congress (participation as a Master's student)

- 2005 Lisbon, AIESEP Interntional Conference
- 2006 Jyväskylä, AIESEP World Congress
- 2009 Besancon, AIESEP Specialist Seminar
- 2011 La Coruna, AIESEP International Conference
- 2012 Glasgow, Preolympic Congress in collaboration with ICSEMIS
- 2013 Warszawa, AIESEP International Congress
- 2013 Jyväskylä, AIESEP Specialist Seminar
- 2014 Auckland, AIESEP World Congress
- 2014 Timisoara, AIESEP Specialist Seminar
- 2015 Madrid, AIESEP International Conference
- 2016 Laramie, International Conference
- 2017 Guadeloupe, International Conference
- 2018 Edinburgh, World Congress
- 2018 Eindhoven, Specialist Seminar

Since 2014 I am on the board of AIESEP directors in the "Marketing, Recruitment and Young Scholars Committee" together with Michal Lenartowicz and Tristan Walhead. We were responsible for the Young Scholar Award as well as for the organization of the Early Career Academic Network activities of AIESEP as preconference workshops.

Brief description of your anticipated future involvement in AIESEP activities: It would be appropriate to note here:

- a) Which of the AIESEP sub committees you would be keen to engage with
- b) Any specific initiative you would lead as AIESEP Board member

In order to establish AIESEP as an international and recognized organization of sport pedagogy in the field of sport sciences and other related disciplines, the board should promote bondings of talented young researchers to the aims and philosophy of AIESEP. One important element of this strategy can be to strengthen those young researchers' expertise in preconference workshops. My main intention for the second board candidature is to further establish these workshops with well-known AIESEP scholars and experts and build a sustainable network of young scholars.

a & b) I would like to continue my work in the Marketing, Recruitment and Young Scholars Committee together with Tristan Wallhead in the next legislative period.

Charter of AIESEP Board of

Directors Individual

Members

- **Article 1:** This charter is under the auspices of the AIESEP constitution
- **Article 2:** As a representative of a specific group of members, each board member is expected to bring his/her expertise to the service of these members in order to achieve the aims of the association.
- **Article 3:** Each board member is expected to demonstrate his/her involvement through concrete actions throughout the term of office.
- **Article 4:** Each board member must ensure his/her AIESEP membership is paid, without interruption, throughout the term of office.
- **Article 5:** Each board member is expected to attend at least one meeting of the AIESEP Board of Directors before that organized during the next General Assembly.
- **Article 6:** It is expected that each board member participate actively in specific projects assigned by the Board of Directors.
- **Article 7:** Representatives of institutional members can mandate other affiliates of their institution to attend the meetings of the Board of Directors or other official meetings on behalf of AIESEP.
- **Article 8:** Each board member is expected to respond to messages sent by the Secretary General concerning votes on topics which arise between board meetings.
- **Article 9:** Members of the AIESEP Board of Directors are also expected to promote the association through their national and international networks as well as to defend AIESEP's interests whenever it is needed or possible.
- **Article 10:** Board members are expected to behave ethically and demonstrate loyalty towards the association and its members.

I, the undersigned, testify that I have read and am determined to respect them if elected to re AIESEP Board of Directors.		
Date: March 20 th , 2018	Signature:	