

COIL Summer School Nanterre, April and June 2026

Sport and Society: Crosscultural perspectives

Second Week (*Paris-Nanterre University and Paris region*)

Monday, June, 8	Morning (9:30-12:30)	Afternoon (14:00-17:00)	Evening
<i>Location</i>	<i>Max Weber Building, Room 1</i>	<i>Max Weber Building, Room 1</i>	<i>Brasserie Le Zimmer 1 place du Châtelet Paris (metro station: Châtelet)</i>
	Ice breaker activities	Co-development workshop on academic writing (Robert Book, USN)	Welcome dinner
	General Presentation of the Summer School		
Tuesday, June, 9	Morning (9:30-12:30)	Lunch	Afternoon (14:00- 17:00)
<i>Location</i>	<i>Max Weber Building, Room 1</i>	<i>Central lawn of UPN Campus</i>	<i>UPN Sport facilities</i>
<i>Axis 1: The socio- economic status of elite athletes</i>	Ice breaker activity	Barbecue	Physical and sporting activities (Paris-Nanterre University campus)
	Round table discussion with participants in a comparative research project between France and Norway (USN and PNU)		Badminton, table tennis, volley-ball, basket ball, soccer, ...

	Presentation of a PhD thesis research in Norway (Robert Book, USN)		(Olivier Le Noé, UPN)

Wednesday, June, 10	Morning (9:30-12:30)	Afternoon (14:00-17:00)	Evening
<i>Location</i>	<i>Max Weber Building, Room 1</i>	<i>Max Weber Building, Room 1 and Paris-La Défense Arena</i>	
<i>Axis 2: Discrimination in sport</i>	Ice breaker activity Round table discussion on methods of investigating discriminations in sport (Sandy Montañola, Rennes 1, Akim Oualhaci, UPN, François-René Juillard, UPN) ***** Presentation of a research project on sport in prisons <i>(Trine Torensen, USN)</i>	Meeting with representatives from the town of Nanterre to discuss local sports policies and visit to Paris-La Défense Arena	Free
Thursday, June, 11	Morning (9:30-12:30)	Afternoon (14:00-17:00)	Evening
<i>Location</i>	<i>Max Weber Building, Room 1</i>	<i>Alice Milliat Building, Room S2</i>	
<i>Axis 3: Ethical issues in sport</i>	Ice Breaker Activity Round table discussion on methods of investigating doping and anti-doping policies (Trine Torensen, USN, Julie Demeslay, PNU)	Viewing of the documentary "Boxing Gym" by Frederick Wiseman and discussion with a French filmmaker (Valentin Guéry, UPN)	Free <i>(opportunity to watch the opening match of the football World Cup together in a Parisian bar)</i>
Friday, June, 12	Morning (9:30-12:30)	Afternoon (14:00-17:00)	Evening
<i>Location</i>	<i>Alice Milliat Building, Room S2</i>	<i>Aquatic Olympic Center (Saint-Denis)</i>	
<i>Axis 4: The mega sporting events</i>	Ice breaker activity Round table discussion on the social, economic and ecological implications of Sport Mega Events (Jules Boykoff, Pacific University, Oregon and Maud Simonet, CNRS)	Guided tour of the Aquatic Olympic Center, especially built for the Paris 2024 OPG, close to the Stade de France	Free <i>(possibility to have dinner together in a Parisian restaurant at the participants' expense)</i>

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