



BRAZIL



On June 3, the WADA-IOC working group and WADA's Latin America Regional Director Ms. María José Pesce visited Brasilia to meet with Brazil Minister of Sport, Mr. Orlando Silva, and his team. The purpose of the visit was to give an update on Brazil's progress regarding Code Compliance. Brazil will host the FIFA World Cup in 2014 and the Summer Olympic Games in 2016.

ISEF- Uruguay



Students in their last day of anti doping module.

A project on the inclusion of "Anti Doping Education" was implemented at the University for Physical Education for Students and Coaches. The optional course was included for the first time in the University's curriculum, with 20 hours of classes. It was mostly based on WADA's 'Coach True' learning tool. The teacher was an experienced Medical doctor from Uruguay's NADO. Results from a student survey clearly indicated the course has been a success. We are proud to confirm the course will be repeated in 2011 and replicated in Argentina in 2012, with the support of the Minister of Sports.

CALENDAR

- » CODE COMPLIANCE VISITS - WADA
- » ISEF –ISEF UNIVERSITY – Anti Doping Module (July-December 2011).
- » Pan American & Parapan American Games, Guadalajara, México (October & November 2011).
- » UNESCO – Conference of Parties

REGIONAL ANTI-DOPING ORGANIZATIONS (RADO)



There are two RADOs in the region that includes 22 countries: CENTRAL AMERICAN and COLOMBIA (8 countries): Colombia, Guatemala, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Belize, Panama, Honduras, Nicaragua. CARIBBEAN RADO (14 countries), Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Cayman Islands, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Montserrat, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Turks and Caicos. The outcome of the RADO meetings and seminars were very positive. The Regional Director and a program specialist from WADA participated in the RADO Board Members meeting. Board Members are jointly nominated by the government (Sport Authority) and the National Olympic Committee. Also this year, a Results Management and Therapeutic Use Exemptions Seminars were organized and mainly attended by lawyers and doctors from each country.

UNESCO FUND

The Fund provides funds (USD 20.000 for national projects, and USD 50.000 for regional projects, minimum of four countries) for states parties to implement projects within anti-doping programs. The projects must be focused on: Education, Policy advice, Mentoring and capacity development. Countries can make a maximum of three applications to the UNESCO Fund in a two-year period. The next application period is from January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2013.

To date, 22 projects have been approved in the Latin America and Caribbean Region: 13 up to 2010 and 9 this year, so far. Countries with approved projects: Barbados, Bahamas, Bolivia (two projects), Cayman Island, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador (Regional project with the support of Guatemala, Nicaragua and Panama), Grenada, Jamaica (two projects), Mexico, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, Suriname, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago, Uruguay (two projects). This Fund is promoted by WADA Regional Office through seminars and meetings with government authorities. The focus is mostly on education, and especially related to youth.

MONTEVIDEO



Mr. Jens Jeser Andersen (Play the Game), Mrs. María José Pesce (WADA Latin America Regional Office Director), Prof. Ernesto Irueta (National Director of Sports, Uruguay)

Montevideo Regional Office welcomed Mr. Jens Sejer Andersen from Play the Game. He lead a seminar on 'Anti-doping and the development of Education values through Sport'.

The seminar was organized by the Uruguayan Sports Ministry (Dirección Nacional de Deporte del Ministerio de Turismo y Deporte de Uruguay) within the framework of its 100 year anniversary celebrations. Approximately 150 people comprising sport federations, coaches, physical education teachers, sport managers, doctors, athletes, and media attended.

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