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Señoras y señores:

De acuerdo con la iniciativa de la FIFA de compartir todos los años sus cambios legislativos y decisiones más importantes con los representantes de federaciones, ligas, clubes y sindicatos de jugadores, así como con los profesionales del derecho, nos es grato anunciar la Revista Anual de Derecho del Fútbol de la FIFA 2019.

Este año que llega a su fin ha estado marcado por numerosos cambios de carácter normativo, retos jurídicos y avances importantes en el proceso de reforma del sistema de transferencias. A este respecto, nos gustaría compartir con ustedes algunos datos, cifras y puntos de vista relacionados con la labor legislativa, la jurisprudencia y las principales resoluciones tanto de los órganos decisorios de la FIFA como de los órganos independientes, además de los procedimientos del CAS motivados por decisiones de la FIFA.

La Revista Anual de Derecho del Fútbol de la FIFA 2019 tendrá lugar el 16 de marzo de 2020 en Buenos Aires y contará con el apoyo de la CONMEBOL y de la Asociación del Fútbol Argentino. Pueden inscribirse en línea a través del enlace <https://survey.fifa.org/s/FLAR2019/>. La participación es gratuita y el acto se celebrará íntegramente en inglés.

A fin de que el acto sea accesible para todas las partes interesadas, también se transmitirá a través de legal.fifa.com. Asimismo, las grabaciones íntegras de audio y vídeo estarán disponibles en legal.fifa.com una vez que haya terminado el evento. Para más información, consulten el programa adjunto.

Agradecemos de antemano su colaboración y esperamos tener la oportunidad de saludarles en Buenos Aires el próximo año.

Atentamente,

FIFA



Alasdair Bell

Secretario general adjunto (Administración)

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WHY A FIFA FOOTBALL LAW ANNUAL REVIEW?

One of the **fundamental pillars of FIFA 2.0 is the transparency** of the organisation, its governance and the decision-making process.

In recent years, the development of **regulations and legal decisions** in various fields of FIFA's activity has become a **very relevant** issue for professionals at national associations, leagues, clubs and players' unions. At times, this has filtered down to football society in general.

With this undeniable reality in mind, **FIFA has set itself the objective of ensuring** that football's legal stakeholders can get to know the **most relevant aspects of the field**.

In February 2019, **FIFA opened its doors to present the very-first FIFA Football Law Annual Review (2018 edition)**. The idea was to introduce, on an annual basis, the regulatory work, case law and main decisions of its decision-making and independent bodies, as well as the main CAS proceedings promoted by FIFA's decisions...and **this endeavor must continue**.

2019 has been another year of important regulatory changes for FIFA and relevant decisions by the independent bodies have been rendered.

It is time to share this information and present it to everyone!



PROGRAMME

- 09:00 **Welcome**
Alasdair Bell, FIFA Deputy Secretary General (Administration)
- 09:15 **Introduction. FIFA Legal and Compliance Division 2019**
Dr Emilio García, FIFA Chief Legal and Compliance Officer
- 09:45 **FIFA rules and regulations 2019: main amendments**
James Kitching, FIFA Director of Football Regulatory
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- 10:30 **Break**
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- 11:00 **Commercial legal matters 2019**
Ian Smith, FIFA Director of Operational Legal
- 11:30 **Disciplinary and ethics proceedings 2019: main figures**
Carlos Schneider, FIFA Head of Disciplinary and Ethics (IC)
- 12:00 **FIFA Eligibility Checks: policy, figures and cases**
Mario Gallavotti, FIFA Director of Independent Committees
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- 12:30 **Lunch**
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- 13:30 **On the status and transfer of players**
The Players' Status Department: 2019 overview & 2020 plan (20')
Erika Montemor Ferreira, FIFA Head of Players' Status
- Contractual-related disputes (30')**
Marisa Domínguez Rubio, FIFA Senior Group Leader
- Solidarity mechanism and training compensation disputes (20')**
Alex Klotz, FIFA Senior Legal Counsel
- International transfer of minors (15')**
Jenny Ninck, FIFA Counsel for Registration of Minors
- The FIFA Clearing House (20')**
Conrado Plano, FIFA Head of Clearing House

15:15 **Break**

15:45 **Time for criticism. A view from outside: what FIFA should do better**

Ariel Reck, Sports Lawyer

16:15 **Football Global Transfer Report 2019: main figures**

Jacques Blondin, FIFA Head of TMS

16:45 **Break**

17:15 **Reforms of the transfer system: an update**

Ornella Desirée Bellia, FIFA Head of Professional Football

Luís Villas-Boas, FIFA Head of Intermediaries

17:45 **CAS proceedings involving FIFA 2019: figures and leading cases**

Miguel Lietard, FIFA Director of Litigation

18:30 **Conclusions**

Oliver Jaberg, FIFA Deputy Chief Legal and Compliance Officer

Montserrat Jiménez, CONMEBOL Legal Director

Andrés Patón, AFA Legal Director

Maja Kuster Hoffmann, FIFA FLAR General Coordinator



REGISTRATION

ATTENDANCE OPTION

Attendance at the FIFA Football Law Annual Review 2019 is free of charge and open to all representatives of national associations, confederations, leagues, clubs and players' unions.

If the number of applicants does not exceed the number of places available, independent professionals have the opportunity to register on a first-come, first-served basis.

All presentations will be given in English, with simultaneous interpreting into Spanish and Portuguese for the participants on-site (streaming option only available in English).

In order to formalise the **registration process**, anyone interested in attending will need to **complete the following online form**:

<https://survey.fifa.org/s/FLAR2019/>

STREAMING OPTION

In the interest of ensuring that the 211 FIFA member associations can follow this event, as well as to ensure that all interested parties can access the information presented, the **FIFA Football Law Annual Review 2019 will be streamed free of charge on FIFA.com**.

ANY QUESTIONS?

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