

Sports and Violence

One Day Conference Ashland University, Ashland, Ohio Saturday, March 19, 2016

Joe Ehrmann, Keynote address

Ehrmann is a former National Football League defensive lineman who is now an educator, author, activist, minister and motivational speaker. Ehrmann was an All-American football player at Syracuse University, was selected to the Syracuse All-Century Football Team and went on to play professional football for 13 years. He was named the Baltimore Colts "Man of the Year" and was the NFL's first Ed Block Courage Award winner. *Parade Magazine* featured him on its cover, naming him "The Most Important Coach in America" because of his work to transform the culture of sports. In addition, he was selected as one of the "Most Influential Sport Educators in America" by the Institute for International Sport and was awarded the Frederick Douglas National Man of the Year for empowering youth to prevent rape and other forms of male violence.



Presentations will include:

- Panel: Concussion in Sports Dr. Christopher Boyd, Kris Knapp, and Jeremy Hancock
- Aggression On and Off the Field: A Survey of Student Athletes' Behaviors and Perspectives Nicole Johnson and Lori Braa
- Killer Slides in Major League Baseball: On Field Violence and Entertainment Value in Sport Brian Yim, Theresa Walton Fisette, James Tunney, and Zach Riemer
- The Ugly Side of the Beautiful Game: Picturing Violence in Soccer Daniel Haxall
- Spectator Violence Benyoucef Hafsaoui and Fethi Belghoul
- The Violence of Everyone and No One: Sport, Banality, and Structural Change John White
- Normalizing Violence Nicole Harmon
- Shattered Nerves and Broken Bodies: Violence in Intercollegiate Football and Auto Racing during America's Progressive Era Brian M. Ingrassia
- Knocking Heads: Culture, Masculinity, and Safety in Youth Tackle Football Kathleen Bachynski
- MMA: Women in Sports Alexandra Maris
- The Sexism of Macho Culture In Sports: Who's In Charge of Changing? Ian Young
- Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault & A Coaches' Role Dessie Clark
- 'I Would Hate to See Our Good Name Tarnished': How Social Media Users Respond to a Footballer Sexual Assault Case Deb Waterhouse-Watson
- And more...

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