

WEBINAR SERIES 2023



Presented by Abuse-Free Sport, a program of the SDRCC.

Session #1

What is the role of sport leaders in fostering safe sport environments?

July 12 | 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. (EDT)



Session #2

How to apply an intersectional lens to create safe sport environments

August 16 | 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. (EDT)



Session #3

Best practices for communicating safe sport policies to stakeholders

September 28 | 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. (EDT)



SESSION #2

How to apply an intersectional lens to create safe sport environments



Moderator
Dr. Sandra Kirby
Professor Emerita

WED. August 16

1:00 - 2:00 p.m. (EDT)

Registration open to all!



Panelist
Shauna Bookal
OUA



Panelist
Carolyn Lindner
Para Archery

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MODERATOR

Dr. Sandra Kirby

OC, PhD, OLY, OS, Professor Emerita at The University of Winnipeg

Dr. Kirby is a founding member of the Canadian Association for the Advancement of Women and Sport (now Canadian Women and Sport) and Safe Sport International. For many years, she has been a researcher, writer and advocate for safe sport. In those roles, she has had the privilege of working with local sport groups, some national sport organizations in Canada and with international organizations such as UNICEF and the IOC. At the moment, Dr. Kirby is working with a team to build the new IOC Consensus Statement on Interpersonal Violence and Elite Athletes. Intersectionality is part of what they have been addressing as they seek to understand the relationships between athlete identities, location and experiences of interpersonal violence.

PANELISTS

Shauna Bookal

Manager of EDI & Student Experience, OUA

Shauna is the Manager of Equity, Diversity, Inclusion & Student Experience for the Ontario University Athletics (OUA), where she provides expertise and advice to the internal and external community regarding EDI and safe sport related matters. She was one of 10 Canadians selected to sit on the Federal Ministerial Advisory Committee on Sport from November 2022 to April 2023. Shauna has a passion for volunteering and giving back to the community. She was also recognized by the Toronto Raptors and Tangerine Bank for her role as a community sports leader who has inspired, motivated and encouraged positive change in the lives of girls throughout the Greater Toronto Area.

Carolyn Lindner

Para Archery National Team Athlete

Carolyn was born and raised in Winnipeg, MB. She received degrees in Psychology and Education from the University of Winnipeg and went on to become a Special Education and Resource Teacher in Winnipeg's Inner City. Carolyn is a Para Archer and was named to the 2022 and 2023 Para National Squad. She is a double below the knee amputee. As a woman and as a person with a disability, she has an understanding of the perceptions and barriers athletes with disabilities can face in sport. Carolyn is an advocate for people with disabilities and has contributed feedback and advice on an educational module for Safe Sport with the SDRCC.

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