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Since 1993, Jean-Loup Chappelet has been a professor of public management at the Swiss Graduate School of Public Administration (IDHEAP – Institut de Hautes Etudes en Administration Publique) associated to the University of Lausanne, Switzerland. He is the IDHEAP Director since 2003. Born in Morocco in 1953, he obtained a PhD from the University of Montpellier, France, and a MSc from Cornell University, New York, where he held teaching and research positions. In the 1980s, he worked for five years as head of the IT department within the International Olympic Committee (IOC) administration. He joined IDHEAP after six years of management consulting in a 'big four' firm.

Jean-Loup Chappelet specialises in sport management and sport policy with a particular emphasis on the organisation of Olympic Games and other sport events as regional and national public policies. He has attended almost all Olympic Summer and Winter Games since those in Munich in 1972 in various capacities. He was the technical director of the candidatures of Sion, Switzerland, for the 2002 and 2006 Winter Games, and still advises the Canton of Valais on its sport events policy and the City of Lausanne on its development through sport policy. He advised several Olympic bid committees.

He is currently the director of the MEMOS (Master Exécutif en Management des Organisations Sportives - Executive Masters in Sports Organisation Management) programme supported by the European Olympic Committees, Olympic Solidarity and the European Union. He chairs the steering committee of the SEMOS (Sports Events Management & Organisation Seminar) organised at the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology. He leads the SOMIT (Sports Organisation Management Interactive Teaching & Learning) R&D project of the Swiss Virtual Campus and the SENTEDALPS (Sports Event Network for Tourism and Economic Development in the Alpine Space) transnational project involving five alpine countries funded by the European Commission. He has advised WADA (World-Anti Doping Agency) on e-learning and the IOC (International Olympic Committee) on the Olympic Games global impact (OGGI project). He is a board member of the Foundation for Sport, Science and Society (FS3) and of the International Academy of Sport Science and Technology (AISTS), both based in Lausanne. He is a member of the scientific advisory board of the Swiss Academy for Development in Biel and of the Brussels European Sport Management Centre (BESMAC) of the Solvay Business School associated to the Free University of Brussels.

Jean-Loup Chappelet has authored several books and many scientific articles on sport management and the organisation of the Olympic Games, and is presently completing a book on the governance of international sport, to be published in 2007. In particular, he has edited a book entitled: "Sport Management: An International Approach", published by the IOC in 1996, and co-authored another one entitled: "Strategic Management of Olympic Sport Organisations", published by Human Kinetics in 2004. He is a member of editorial boards of the Journal of Sport Management (USA), the European Sport Management Quarterly and the

Revue européenne de management du sport (in French). He has given several keynote speeches at sport science congress in Switzerland and abroad. In 2002, he received the medal of youth and sport from the French Ministry of Sport. In 2003, he was an invited professor at the University of Lyon in the Sport Sciences Faculty.

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