



Introducing your Programme Leader INI-OBONG NKANG



Career history and interests

- Bachelor's degree in Law. Master's and PhD degrees in Sports Law.
- Qualified as a Barrister and Solicitor in Nigeria.
- Lecturer at Nottingham Trent University, Data Protection and Privacy Law.
- Legal Adviser at Nottingham Law School Legal Advice Centre, with experience in the Business and Enterprise Law Service, and the Employment Law Service.
- Legal Advice Volunteer at NYSC Community Development Scheme.
- Legal Practitioner at a law firm in Nigeria.

What to expect in your first few weeks

Intellectually stimulating conversations on sports law, with particular focus on the regulatory tussle between governing bodies on either side of the "sports and the law" divide.

Course expectations

- Students will learn about UK, EU and international laws and regulations as relevant to sports law and policy.
- Students will evaluate the pivotal role the law has to play in line with the increased commercialisation and commodification of sport.

What you can do to prepare

- Students should read about the growing demand for appropriately qualified sports lawyers.
- Students should read up on the increased juridification of sport.
- Students should read widely and endeavour to build a strong research base for their work.

Reading list

Mark James, Sports law. Macmillan International Higher Education, 2017.

Simon Gardiner, Roger Welch, Simon Boyes, and Urvasi Naidoo. Sports law. Routledge, 2012.

Jack Anderson, Modern sports law: A textbook. Bloomsbury Publishing, 2010.