

EHF GRASSROOTS CONVENTION 2024



AUDITORIUM PROGRAMME

09:00 - 09:15	Welcome	Martin Hausleitner (EHF) & Lidija Bojic-Cacic (EHF)
09:15 - 10:00	Grassroots - What & why?	
10:00 - 10:30	Circle of a handball life and the role of the RINCK Convention	Pedro Sequeira (EHF)
10:30 - 10:45	Coffee Break	
10:45 - 11:15	The ICOACHKIDS pledge: The 10 golden principles to keep young players coming back for more	Sergio Lara-Bercial (ESP / ICOACHKIDS)
11:20 - 12:00	The importance of grassroots football - a pan-European perspective	Frank Ludolph (UEFA)
12:05 - 12:35	The impact of the European Union on grassroots sport in Europe	Folker Hellmund (EU office)
12:35 - 13:20	Lunch Break	
13:20 - 13:50	PANEL: The pan-European grassroots movement	Martin Hausleitner (EHF) Folker Hellmund (EU office) Pedro Sequeira (EHF) Kamil Novak (FIBA) Frank Ludolph (UEFA)
14:00 - 14:30	Beyond the game: The essential role of child safeguarding principles in sports	Prof. Dr. Zrinka Greblo Jurakic (CRO)
14:40 - 15:10	Physical activity, health and education in childhood and adolescence	Prof. Dr. Filip Mess (TU Munich)
15:20 - 15:50	1,000 NEW COACHES - Only one step to develop grassroots handball in Germany	Martin Goepfert (DHB)
15:50 - 16:00	Closing remarks	Martin Hausleitner (EHF)

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LECTURE HALL 1 PROGRAMME

10:45 - 11:15	Mini beach handball	Alex Gehrer (GER)
11:25 - 11:55	Respect your talent	Alenka Cudermann (EHF) & Andrea Lekic (SRB)
12:05 - 12:35	Enter the universe of kindergarten handball	Vanessa Patucca-Bourgeois (FRA)
12:35 - 13:20	Lunch Break	
13:20 - 13:50	Fair play in kids & youth handball	TBA
14:00 - 14:30	Minihandball	Julian Bauer (GER)
14:40 - 15:10	Hand the Ball - A pedagogical concept	Jennie Linnell (SWE)
15:20 - 15:50	Share & Play - Inspiring children to learn by playing	Carlos Prieto (ESP)

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LECTURE HALL 2 PROGRAMME

10:45 - 11:15	FIBA Europe's youth programs and projects	Radmila Turner (FIBA)
11:25 - 11:55	The HC Novi Beograd story	Nikola Maksimovic (SRB)
12:05 - 12:35	Relations between the French Handball Federation and school environment in France	Stéphane Nicol (FRA)
12:35 - 13:20	Lunch Break	
13:20 - 13:50	The VRTKO project - The future has started	Lidija Bojic-Cacic (CRO)
14:00 - 14:30	Playing the infinite game of handball – a case study on Happy League	Niels Rossing (DEN)
14:40 - 15:10	I have a dream! Grassroots training the Norwegian way	Jan-Ivar Lorentzen / Marte Smistad (NOR)
15:20 - 15:50	Kids Handball Festival	Paulo Sa (POR)

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LECTURE HALL 3 PROGRAMME

10:45 - 11:15	Kids in motion	Hans Holdhaus (AUT)
11:25 - 11:55	Nutrition for active kids	Alejandro Martinez (ESP / University of Alicante)
12:05 - 12:35	The story of missed opportunities: How a systematic concept for handball education for kids can change the game	Dr. Jan Pabst (GER) / Markus Scherbaum (GER)
12:35 - 13:20	Lunch Break	
13:20 - 13:50	Life Kinetik	Horst Lutz (GER)
14:00 - 14:30	Handball for people with disabilities - Handball for everyone	Dr. Steffen Greve (GER) & Martin Wild (GER)
14:40 - 15:10	#HereToWhistle - Empowering grassroots handball refereeing	Andre Kolb (GER) & Markus Kauth (GER)
15:20 - 15:50	Digitalisation in children and youth training - Tools to support volunteers and gain new players	Viktor Glatthard (SUI / Learn Handball)