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Dear Wanderley:

As incoming Editor of the *International Review for the Sociology of Sport*, I'm pleased to write with this formal invitation for you to serve as Corresponding Editor for *IRSS* for 2012. As I am sure you know, *IRSS* is the most international and longest published journal focused on sport, society, and culture. Published by Sage Publications in London, *IRSS* is the official journal of the International Sociology of Sport Association, an organization affiliated with the International Sociological Association and UNESCO.

As ISSA is especially looking to build relations with scholars in the Latin American community and encourage scholars from that community to submit their research for publication consideration in *IRSS*, we are especially pleased, given your leadership role in ALESDE, that you consider this invitation serve as Corresponding Editor. The primary duty of the Corresponding Editor is to serve as a regional ambassador for *IRSS*, to encourage research submissions, and to represent *IRSS* and ISSA at regional meetings to identify and encourage future affiliation of Latin American scholars with both *IRSS* and ISSA.

Thank you again for your consideration and I look forward to your response to this invitation.

Best regards.



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