

FOOTBALL STUDIES GROUP

The Football Studies Group was founded in 1997 to bring together scholars researching in the area of football studies. The Group was launched at the inaugural Football Studies Conference, Football and Identities, held at The University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia. Since then, the Football and Culture conference was held at the Victoria University of Technology, Melbourne, Australia and the third conference of the Football Studies Group was held on the Sunshine Coast in 1999.

The Group has an international membership with delegates researching diverse aspects of football. The aim of the Football Studies Group is to take an active role in the scholarship of football and will be a conduit for research and the dissemination of that research, through conferences, newsletters and the journal. In addition, the Group will foster greater cross-code and cross-cultural research and discussion of football's role in society.

Football Studies, the Journal of the Football Studies Group was the first journal devoted solely to the cultural, social, political and economic study of football codes. A limited number of back issues of the first volume remain.

Membership rates (in Australian dollars):

Individual: \$ 39 (one year)/\$ 75 (two years)

Institutional: \$75 (one year)

Credit card facilities are available.

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