

**TAFISA International Certified Leadership Course (CLC)
on Sports For All and Physical Activity
MONDAY 09 TO FRIDAY 13 APRIL 2018
GOLD CREST HOTEL, QUATRE BORNES**



The Association For International Sport for All (TAFISA) in collaboration with the Mauritius Sports Council organised the TAFISA International Certified Leadership Course (CLC) on Sports For All and Physical Activity from Monday 09th April 2018 to Friday 13th April 2018 in the Conference Room of the Gold Crest Hotel, Quatre Bornes.

The organisation TAFISA endeavors to reintroduce physical activity into the everyday life in order to bring joy, health, social interaction, integration and development to communities and citizens around the globe, through the promotion of Sport for All and strives to raise awareness about the benefits of Sport for All and physical activity

The objectives of the Certified Leadership Course (CLC) are to:

- Promote Sport for All and physical activity;
- Provide an interactive platform for networking, exchange of experience, discussion and debate;
- Showcase research and development in the global Sport for All and physical activity sector;
- Introduce Designed To Move as a physical activity framework;
- Develop and train leaders and managers in the Sport for All sector;
- Aid development of TAFISA member organisations and NOCs;
- Train National Olympic Committees in the field of Sport for All development and implementation and
- Build cooperation between National Olympic Committees, governmental bodies, Sport for All organisations and other responsible sports bodies.

The course was delivered by:

1. Mr. Peter BARENDSE, Vice President, The Association For International Sport for All (TAFISA) / The Netherlands, Knowledge Centre for Sport Netherlands (KCSportNL)
2. Mr. Leonard THADEO, Vice President for Africa
3. Mr. Patrik PEROSA, Member of steering committee of the TAFISA Europe

The local speakers of the course discussed on the following topics:

- Mr. Soudesh Kumar Appadoo, Senior Sports Officer from the Ministry of Youth & Sports
- Sport For All in Mauritius
- Mr. Zameer Janoo, Managing Secretary of the Mauritius Sports Council
- Sport For All in Mauritius
- Mr. George Appadoo, Administrative Secretary, Federation Mauricienne des Sports Corporatifs-Volunteers in Sport For All
- Mr. H. Buddhu, Principal Youth Officer from the Ministry of Youth & Sports
- Volunteers in Sport For All
- Mr. Indiresen. V. Desscann, Senior Sports Officer, from the Ministry of Youth & Sports
- Law & Sport For All

The opening ceremony of the Certified Leadership Course was held on Monday 09 April 2018 in the presence of the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Youth & Sports (also Ag. Chairperson of the Mauritius Sports Council), Senior Sports Officers of the Ministry of Youth & Sports, Board Members of the Mauritius Sports Council, guests from Sports Governing Bodies and 50 local participants.

The participants consisted of coaches, coordinators, Physical Education teachers working in schools, for the Ministry of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research and for Ministry for Youth & Sports.

The topics covered by the TAFISA Lecturers were:

- ***Global Philosophy of Sports for ALL & TAFISA***
- ***Program & Event Management***
- ***Strategy Development, Public Relations and Marketing***
- ***Target Groups of Sport For All***
- ***Leadership & Management, Sport for Health, Active Cities***
- ***Dimensions & Organisation of Global Sport***
- ***Facilities & Public Spaces***

The closing ceremony was held on Friday 13 April 2018 in the presence of eminent personalities among which were:

- Mr. Maubarakahmad Boodhun, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Youth & Sports and Ag. Chairperson of the Mauritius Sports Council
- Mr. N. Pillay Samoo, Ag. Director of Sports, Ministry of Youth & Sports
- Mr. T. M. Ponambalum, Chairperson, Trust Fund For Excellence in Sports
- Mr. Jean Pierre Sauzier, Chief Executive Officer, Indian Ocean Islands Games 2019

Each participant was offered a certificate certifying that he / she has successfully completed the TAFISA Certified Leadership Course in Sport For All.

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