



## **Franco Noce PhD, Assistant Professor**

Nominated by Professor Sidonio Serpa Seconded by Professor Alex Garcia-Mas for member at large

### **Personal Statement**

I am a current member of the managing council of ISSP (2013-2017). Professor for Sport Psychology, teaching in graduate and post graduate courses at UFMG (Federal University of Minas Gerais – Brazil). I am Master's in Sport Psychology and Doctor's in Psychobiology. For more than 20 years I have been working in Sport Psychology area leading many projects (sub-areas: motivation, stress, cognitive process, leadership) and interventions with athletes and teams of different sports in an Olympic and Paralympic level. I have been also developing many projects in the health area with different special groups (elderly, young students and depressive people) where we verify the exercise's effect in the psychological variables. As a Sport Psychology Professor in graduate and post graduate courses, I have advised more than 100 students. I have already organized many scientific events and have representative participation in several Sport Psychology societies in Brazil and South America involved in many projects of the national and international cooperation. During my engagement with the ISSP (2013-2016) I have been supporting many scientific journals in order to improve the quality (specially the Brazilian Journal of Sport Psychology). I would like to continue help and work with the members of the ISSP to promote the sport psychology area around the world. Specially, with human resources formation in sport psychology, e.g., continuing education workshop and other strategies.