Record Nr. UNINA9910790444303321 **Titolo** International sports events: impacts, experiences and identities // edited by Richard Shipway and Alan Fyall Pubbl/distr/stampa London;; New York:,: Routledge,, 2012 **ISBN** 1-136-47562-1 1-283-45877-2 9786613458773 1-136-47563-X 0-203-13123-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (xv, 231 pages): illustrations, map Collana Routledge advances in tourism;; 25 Altri autori (Persone) **FyallAlan** ShipwayRichard Disciplina 796.069 Soggetti Sports administration Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Bibliographic Level Mode of Issuance: Monograph Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto pt. I. Impacts and legacies of international sports events -- pt. II. Consumer behaviour and the participant experience at sports events -pt. III. Sports events and identities. This book offers new insight into International Sports Events (ISEs), Sommario/riassunto examining the relationship between sport, tourism and events. It assesses sports events through the lens of both sports participants and spectators, based on three primary themes: impacts, experiences and identities. The first section of the book contributes to the future development of knowledge by analyzing the impact of sport events and their legacies from economic, environmental, social, sporting, political and cultural perspectives – an understanding of the impacts and potential legacies of sports events is fundamental to their future development. In the second section of the book, the focus moves from impact and legacy issues towards exploring consumer behaviour and participant experiences at a diverse selection of International Sports Events. The emphasis within this section is grounded within the tourism dimension of sports events. Section three of the book

highlights the dominant role of identity at a diverse selection of sports

events, and demonstrates how that identity is displayed whilst either watching or participating in sport and leisure.