# esports player foundation

50 years of Olympic talent development knowhow now in Esports

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We are the world's first not-for-profit excellence and funding institution that focuses on the well-being and development of talents and professionals without exception.

We develop stars and heroes at world level and take responsibility for their careers and life afterwards. The players we support act as role models for the million-strong target group of gamers.







# **Enable talents to live their dreams**

- Promote professionals & talents with individual performances that enable them to make the most of their potential
- Increasing the proportion of European esports athletes among the world's top athletes
- Creating stars & heroes from whom the entire ecosystem benefits
- Taking responsibility for life's journey through dual careers & holistic mentoring





## ...and serve as role models

 Supported gamers have a positive effect as role models on millions of gamers

• Placing Esports more in the centre of society

 Promote a self-image as a high performer, including fitness, nutrition, sleep, mental health, strength & more

 Promotion of athletic values such as motivation, fair play & respect





# Stakeholders from politics, society, business, games & esports support the initiative



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Supervisory Board: Top tournament organisers such as ESL, Freaks4U, publishers such as Riot Games, game association







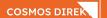






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## Individual support in top-level sport & life



#### Game

- In-game Coaching
- Mentoring
- Bootcamps
- Nutritional counselling
- Sports Psychology
- Fitness
- Hardware-Support
- Media training and more

#### Life and career

Selection

- Financial support where necessary
- School/Study in competitive sport
- Tax and financial advice
- Internships, network and mentors
- Parent counselling
- Career guidance and more



# Supported players from top talent to world-class professional



- Around 150 talents
- League of Legends, Brawl Stars, CS:GO, EA Sports FC, Valorant
- Esports players in intern. (LEC, Pro League, FIFA e World Cup) & nation. Leagues (Prime League, 99 Damage, VBL etc.)
- epf acts as a central value institution in esports
- Value campaigns with millions of reach, including Equal eSports, I am an Athlete, SpeakUpEsports, Game of Life, Break The Ice



#### **Expansion 2024**

- 200+ talents
- eRacing

## Thanks!

