

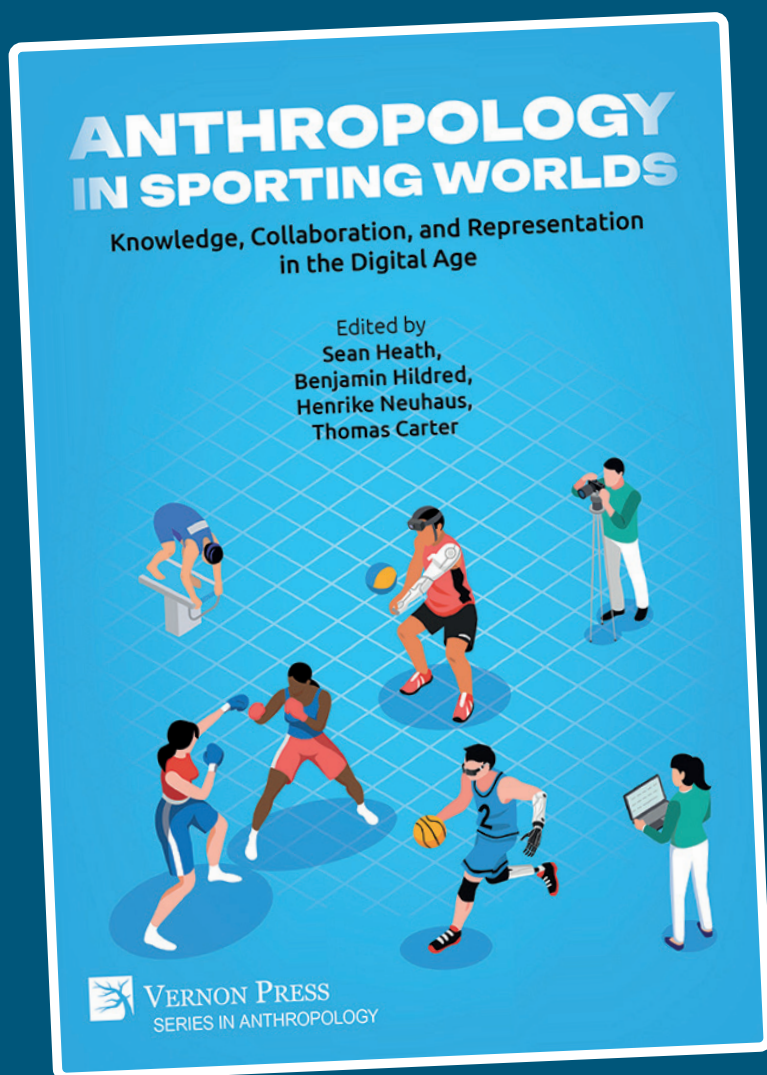
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# ANTHROPOLOGY IN SPORTING WORLDS:

## Knowledge Collaboration And Representation In The Digital Age

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**ABOUT THE BOOK:** Digital technologies have become central to sporting practice, and this, in turn, changes the way that people engage with sport. In this anthology, the authors and contributors think through how 'the digital' impacts sporting practices and research on such contexts. For some of us, the digital opens new avenues for research, while for others ethical issues come to the fore, especially when materials can be so easily reposted on social media. The digital often raises novel issues of collaboration with interlocutors, while also impacting our hopes to represent them appropriately. Across these instances, our interlocutors' own ideologies and practices around sport and the digital shape our ethnographic encounters. This is a reminder that how anthropologists use technology is not so different from those with whom we work. Yet rather than reassure us, this fact prompts us to reflect on such uses, to examine the myriad ways technologies are taken up in everyday encounters.

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