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Professional background

David Forrest is an applied economist and econometrician who specialises in analysis of the sports and gambling industries. He is a member of the Centre for the Study of Gambling in the University of Salford and Visiting Professor at Macao Polytechnic Institute.

Experienced in work on the gambling sector, with clients including such high profile organisations as Ladbrokes and the National Lottery Commission. Currently leading the academic team for the UK's National under-Age Gambling Survey. Contributes substantially to literature on sport and gambling markets.

Outlets include such as:

Economic Inquiry, Southern Economic Journal, Scottish Journal of Political Economy, International Journal of Forecasting, European Journal of Operational Research and European Journal of Finance.

Educational background

BA (Liverpool), MA (Manchester), Ph. D. (Western Ontario)