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Behind every thought, emotion, and movement, a physiological reaction hides in the depth of our brains. Similarly, every peripheral physiological response in our bodies is accompanied by thoughts and emotions. Further understanding of how the central and peripheral systems work can lead to the refinement of strategies to improve the performance and well-being of athletes, exercisers, and performers. Our movements may also serve as a proxy to study complex phenomena such as attention, fatigue, and affect. During the execution of physical tasks, the so-called “mind-body” connection functions in infinite ways depending on the person, the task, and the context. Understanding how such psychophysiological mechanisms change in acute and chronic ways is paramount if we are to develop comprehensive psychophysiological models to inform evidence-based guidelines for practice. Accordingly, this special issue is devoted to advancing the field of sport, exercise, and performance psychophysiology by providing a collection of articles that emphasizes a balance of research and clinical implications in the field. Special attention will be given for the impact of scholarly findings, clinical relevance, and associated applications for clinical sport psychologists.

We call for original research papers and practice papers that evaluate performance and clinical strategies. Submissions must appeal to and be relevant for sport, exercise, and performance psychologists, psychophysiologicals, practitioners, and other sport and helping professionals. We welcome the following types of submissions related to psychophysiology in sport, exercise, or performance settings:

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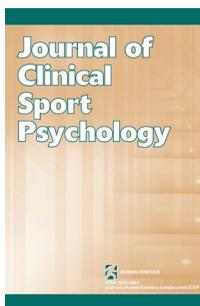
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