

ABSTRACT

Title: History of Czechoslovak and Czech University Volleyball

Objectives: Analysis of university volleyball and its role in university sport in former Czechoslovakia.

Importance of university volleyball in context of Czech and Czechoslovak volleyball history.

Today situation.

Methods: Heuristic.

Analysis of primary and secondary sources and synthesis.

(Indirect) Eyewitness evidence.

source criticism: authenticity, historical reliability; chronological method

Results: University volleyball participated extensively on creating the elite

Czechoslovakia position in international volleyball in the first half of 20th century.

The Czech volleyball top league depends over a long period on players out of university students.

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