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Sports Betting Survey Results

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Mike Vanaskie
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A dynamic professional who has in-depth experience conducting strategic and financial analysis in a variety of industries, Mike is a valuable asset for The Innovation Group. Mike joined the company in April of 2015 and currently serves as Director of Operations Planning. Prior to joining the company, Mike worked primarily in the investment management industry, where he held a variety of research-oriented roles.

Based in The Innovation Group’s Denver office, Mike’s work covers a diverse array of scopes, clients, and geographies; ranging from full support for an operator’s preliminary gaming license bid to an Asian government, to a feasibility study for a hotel expansion in Southern California. While Mike has worked with both domestic and international clients, he maintains a focus on the Asian-Pacific markets.
David G. Schwartz, Ph.D. – Director, Center for Gaming Research, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

David has been at UNLV’s Gaming Research department since 2001 and is also a part-time instructor in their Department of History. Fascinated by the history and current development of gambling, as well as the history of Las Vegas and Atlantic City, he enjoys sharing what he learns through his writing and his speaking. Author of several gambling and history books including Roll the Bones: The History of Gambling, David is also the Gaming and Hospitality editor for Vegas Seven magazine. As a speaker, he talks to a variety of audiences, from visiting classes to convention groups, who enjoy his wide-ranging, fast-paced introduction to casino topics, including his “Seven Things You Should Know About Casinos” presentation. Born and raised in Atlantic City, New Jersey, David earned his bachelor’s degree (a double major in anthropology and history) as well as his master’s degree from the University of Pennsylvania before seeking his doctorate in U.S. History from UCLA. In early 2000, David filed his dissertation, “Suburban Xanadu”, and received his Ph.D. at the age of 26, making him the youngest Ph.D. in recent memory from UCLA’s history department. “Suburban Xanadu” charted the evolution of the casino industry on the Las Vegas Strip from 1945-1978 and is now a published book, the first of several currently available. After completing his graduate studies, David worked in the surveillance department of an Atlantic City casino resort and taught casino history, communications, and hospitality courses as an adjunct professor before coming to UNLV. In his current work, he combines his “real world” experience in the casino industry with his academic expertise to gain a unique perspective. David has taught classes in the Honors College and College of Hotel Administration at UNLV, and currently teaches in the Department of History. To learn more, visit www.dg schwartz.com.

Brian Wyman, Ph.D. – Principal, Innovation Analytics

Principal Consultant at Innovation Analytics, Brian is an analytics and data science executive with over a decade of experience transforming data into actionable intelligence, insights, and ultimately bottom-line results. He holds a Ph.D. in mathematics from the University of Michigan and specializes in advanced modeling and predictive methods, which he uses to develop creative and innovative ways to improve financial performance. Brian’s career has spanned industries ranging from hospitality to finance, most recently overseeing marketing and gaming analytics for Pinnacle Entertainment.
Panelist Questions
Can you tell us about the survey you conducted?
How are you approaching the sizing of the market, and how is this different from how others have attempted to estimate it?
How big do you think the sports betting market could be in the U.S.?
How would state governments and operators use this information if you were to break it down by state?
What should operators (commercial operators, tribes, and lotteries) be thinking about as it relates to developing a sports betting strategy?
What entities do you think are best positioned if sports betting is regulated?
What are the advantages to having limited vs full access to sports gaming?
Where are consumers most excited about wagering on sports?
What sports were consumers most excited about betting?
Was there a sense of how often bettors were likely to bet?
Was there anything else you learned from the survey?
Can you discuss the proposed integrity fees and what impact they would have on the industry?
What gets you excited about doing research and analysis in this space?
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