

Can bettors trust that e-sports aren't fixed?

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The challenges of getting e-sports into sports books and onto casino floors were the focus of two sessions of a conference on the popular form of competition Tuesday in Las Vegas, with discussion focusing on how gaming operators could ensure bettors that the outcomes weren't being manipulated.

"My question is how will these sports be regulated and how do we ensure their integrity," said Chuck Esposito, director of Sunset Station Race and Sports Book. "I don't know if I can watch an e-sports event now and know if something is right or wrong."

Esposito put the question to two e-sports industry experts during a panel session at the conference, being held through today at SLS Las Vegas. Both said they weren't especially worried about fixing or other integrity issues.

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