

FERNANDO FIORE **Co-Host, "República Deportiva"**



A winner of several Emmy® awards, Fernando Fiore is the face of sports at Univision. He is the multifaceted host of "República Deportiva" (Sports Republic), a weekly sports show where Fiore both entertains and informs sports fans with up-to-the-minute coverage of sporting events from around the world.

Fiore's television career spans almost 20 years, during which he has solidified his reputation for professionalism, and has garnered a large following among Hispanic viewers.

One of Spanish-language television's leading personalities, some of Fiore's career highlights include hosting and reporting for primetime television programs like the travel show "Fuera de Serie" (Off Set) with Sofia Vergara, "Lente Loco" (Candid Camera), "En Caliente con los Miami Heat" (In Heat with the Miami Heat), "Titulares Deportivos" (Sports Headlines) and "Hola América" (Hello America). He is also known for his critically acclaimed coverage of the FIFA World Cup on Univision, including the tournaments held in USA in 1994, France in 1998, Korea/Japan in 2002, Germany in 2006 and South Africa in 2010.

Fiore has traveled around the world to cover some of the most widely followed sporting events, including the Olympic Games, the finals of the Copa Libertadores and the Intercontinental Championships. He has also covered some of the most highly-anticipated championship boxing matches of the past decade, including De la Hoya vs. Trinidad, and Trinidad vs. Hopkins.

In 2006, Fiore authored his first book "The World Cup: The Ultimate Guide to the Greatest Sports Spectacle in the World" which describes the sensational voyage from the very first FIFA World Cup in Uruguay in 1930 to the 2006 tournament in Germany. Published in Spanish and English, and sold throughout the Americas and Europe, the book was a huge success. Fiore currently plans to publish a second edition of the book which will include his experiences after the 2010 FIFA World Cup South Africa™.

Fiore's versatility and talent have allowed him to explore other opportunities beyond radio and television. He made a movie appearance next to action superstar Arnold Schwarzenegger in the film "True Lies," and has participated in several theater productions. An athlete in his own right, Fiore enjoys playing soccer, fencing, skiing and racquetball.