

Sport Leadership and Management - Master of Science in Sport Leadership and Management

This Master's program is focused on the study of leadership in sport, with supporting interdisciplinary knowledge in sport psychology, cultural studies of sport, sport management, and related cognate areas. Students gain the knowledge and skills needed to become competent, transformative leaders in the fields of sport and education. The program prepares students for leadership roles in higher education, coaching, athletic administration, student-athlete development, sport psychology, and consulting through required coursework, independent experiences in research, teaching, consulting, coaching, and administrative internships.

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Course:		
SLM 621	Research Foundations in Sport Leadership and Management	3
Select One of the Following:		3
EHS 645	Introduction to Qualitative Research Methodologies	
EDP 667	Behavioral Statistics I	
EHS 667	Behavior Statistics	
EHS 668	Behavior Statistics II	
GTY 609	Qualitative Research Methods	
KNH 623	Qualitative Research Approaches in Kinesiology, Nutrition, and Health	
SLM 623	Qualitative Methodological Research Approaches in Sport Leadership and Management	
Select Four of the Following:		12
SLM 632	Psychological Foundations of Sport	
SLM 633	Psychological Interventions in Sport	
SLM 634	Social Psychology of Sport and Exercise	
SLM 635	Strategic Management of Sport Organizations	
SLM 636	Sport Communities & Public Relations	
SLM 673	Developmental Perspectives on Youth Sport Participation	
SLM 676	Cultural Studies of Sport	
For Thesis Students Only: (6 credits hours)		
SLM 700	Research for Master's Thesis	
Electives		6 or 12

Thesis students take 6 credit hours of SLM 700 and 6 credit hours of elective coursework. Select electives from KNH 583, KNH 654, or any SLM 500 or 600-level course, or other graduate course approved by advisor.

Non-thesis students take 12 credit hours of elective coursework. Select electives from KNH 583, KNH 654, or any SLM 500 or 600-level course, or other graduate course approved by advisor.

Total Credit Hours

30