

Master of Education in Sport Management (M.Ed.) Athletic Management Concentration

36 Credits

Major Sequence and Degree Requirements

I. Admission Requirements

Admission to the program is open to those applicants who possess a baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited four-year college or university. Applicants must submit supporting documents as required for general admission to a graduate program. Please note that at least one academic reference is required and cannot be from the Millersville Sport Management Department. Applicants must possess a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher. Applicants with a cumulative gpa between 2.75 – 2.99 will choose to either take the Graduate Record Exam (GRE), Miller Analogies Test (MAT), Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT), or complete a face-to-face interview with a short writing assignment on a topic appropriate to the sport management program.

II. The Professional Studies Core (9 s.h.)

- EDFN 601 Methods of Research (3)

Choose one:

- PSYC 525 Advanced Developmental Psychology (3)
- PSYC 526 Advanced Adolescent Psychology (3)
- EDFN 545 Advanced Educational Psychology (3)
- PSYC 625 Human Growth and Development (3)

Choose one:

- EDFN 511 Comparative Education (3)
- EDFN 590 Social Foundations Education (3)
- EDFN 603 Philosophy of Education (3)
- EDFN 604 Education and Public Policy (3)

III. Athletic Management Concentration Requirements (24 s.h.)

- WSSD 601 Organization and Administration of Sport Programs (3)
- WSSD 602 Sport in American Culture (3)
- WSSD 603 Moral/Ethic Issues in Sports (3)
- WSSD 604 Facilities and Event Management (3)
- WSSD 605 Sport and the Law (3)
- (Course # Varies) Sport Marketing (3)
- WSSD 616 Internship in Sport Management (3)
- WSSD 622 Sport Finance (3)

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IV. Degree Requirements

*Students are required to participate in an internship experience. A written comprehensive exam must be passed by students for degree completion.

V. Degree Candidacy

An evaluation of the student's performance in course work will determine admission to degree candidacy. A student must initiate the degree candidacy after the successful completion of 18 s.h.

VI. Final Options (Select One)

Option 1: Thesis Options (6 s.h.)

- WSSD 698 Research Proposal (3)
- WSSD 699 Thesis (3)

(Thesis option results in 39 s.h.)

Option 2: Non-Thesis Option (3 s.h.)

- Select one additional elective (3)