

Master of Education - Intercollegiate and Professional Sport Management

Plan Description

The Master's of Education in Intercollegiate and Professional Sport Management is a new program proposed to provide specialized education in the leadership, management and governance of sport organizations for individuals interested in amateur and professional sport organizations, teams, and events. The program focuses on the diversity of sport opportunities in intercollegiate athletics, youth, community, endurance, and professional sport with specific focus on areas such as innovation, sport analytics, and policy analysis.

Plan Admission Requirements

Applicants must meet all Graduate College requirements as outlined in the Admissions section of the Graduate Catalog, as well as complete the online application and upload all of the following in the Grad Rebel Gateway:

1. Bachelors degree from a regionally accredited university
2. Two letters of professional recommendation
3. Submission of an official copy of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) taken within the last 5 years
4. Resume (a minimum of two years of work experience, or equivalent, is preferred but not required)
5. Statement of Interest in the program and field
6. Indication of interest in a graduate assistantship, when applicable

Students are accepted into a degree program as described in the Graduate Catalog. The faculty and corresponding sub-disciplines and sub-plans within the described programs are subject to change at any time.

Plan Requirements

See subplan requirements below:

Subplan 1: Intercollegiate Athletics Track

Subplan 2: Professional Sports Track

Subplan 1 Requirements: Intercollegiate Athletics Track

Total Credits Required: 34

Course Requirements

Core Courses - Credits: 12

Complete 12 credits by completing each of the following courses:

EDH 607 Leadership Development Seminar	3
EDH 711 Marketing Higher Education and College Sport	3
EDH 713 Sport Governance & Policy	3
[After] IPSM 700 Sport Management Innovation	3

Research Core - Credits: 6

Complete EPY 702 and one more course from the choices offered below:

EPY 702 Research Methods	3
EPY 718 Qualitative Research Methodologies	3
EPY 721 Descriptive and Inferential Statistics: An Introduction	3
[After] IPSM 704 - Sport Analytics	3

Intercollegiate Athletics Emphasis Courses - Credits: 12

Complete 12 credits of advisor-approved electives within the Intercollegiate Athletics Emphasis. Electives can come from but are not limited to:

EDH 603 Introduction to College Sport	3
EDH 606 Intercollegiate Athletic Administration	3
EDH 628 The Student Athlete	3
EDH 712 Title IX and Gender Equity	3

Culminating Experience - Credits: 4

Complete 4 credits by completing all courses below:

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[After] IPSM 705 Master's Capstone Experience	1
[After] IPSM 706 Masters Internship	3

Degree and Graduation Requirements

See Plan Degree and Graduation Requirements below.

Subplan 2 Requirements: Professional Sport Track

Total Credits Required: 34

Course Requirements

Core Courses - Credits: 12

Complete 12 credits by completing each of the following courses:

EDH 607 Leadership Development Seminar	3
EDH 711 Marketing Higher Education and College Sport	3
EDH 713 Sport Governance & Policy	3
[After] IPSM 700 Sport Management Innovation	3

Research Core - Credits: 6

Complete EPY 702 and one more course from the choices offered below:

EPY 702 Research Methods	3
EPY 718 Qualitative Research Methodologies	3
EPY 721 Descriptive and Inferential Statistics: An Introduction	3

Professional Sport Emphasis Courses - Credits: 12

Complete 12 credits of advisor-approved electives within the Professional Sport Emphasis. Electives can come from but are not limited to:

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[After] IPSM 701 Sport Integrity & Betting	3
[After] IPSM 702 esport Management	3
[After] IPSM 703 Sport Performance Athlete Management	3
[After] IPSM 704 Sport Analytics	3
[After] IPSM 707 Special Topics in IPSM	3

Culminating Experience - Credits: 4

Complete 4 credits by completing all courses below:

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[After] IPSM 705 Master's Capstone Experience	1
[After] IPSM 706 Masters Internship	3

Degree and Graduation Requirements

See Plan Degree and Graduation Requirements below.

Plan Degree Requirements

1. The student must complete a minimum of 34 credits with a minimum GPA of 3.00.
2. All courses in the program must be at the 600-level or above.
3. The Master of Education (M.Ed.) – Intercollegiate and Professional Sport Management is a non-thesis program, which requires the successful completion of a capstone project and internship taken during the final semester.

Plan Graduation Requirements

1. The student must submit all required forms to the Graduate College as well as apply for graduation up to two semesters prior to completing their degree requirements.
2. The student must successfully complete the capstone course and internship course.