

Sport and Recreation Studies

The Sport and Recreation Studies major, in keeping with the mission of the College, will offer an integrated educational program that incorporates cross-disciplinary exposure to the knowledge, skills, and professional dispositions that are necessary for success in the field, as well as experiential learning components which help students explore and define career options while applying and testing their knowledge base.

Learning Outcomes: Sport and Recreation Studies

Upon completion of the major or minor in Sport and Recreation Studies:

1. Students will be able to describe and explain the components of the sport and recreation studies field such as management, marketing, risk management and financial principles.
2. Students will demonstrate skills and knowledge in the area of sport and recreation through internships, practicum or guide independent studies.
3. Students will identify and describe safety and ethical issues necessary to work successfully and responsibly in sport and recreation field.
4. Students will apply administrative skills, knowledge and understanding of planning, organizing and evaluating various sporting and recreational events and programs.

Career Opportunities

The Sport and Recreation Studies major is for a student who wants a career in a sport or recreation organization. Career options for those students pursuing the sport and recreation studies include, but are not limited to, work with professional sports, intercollegiate athletics, Olympic sports, national sport governing bodies, sport commissions, city park and recreation departments, YM/YWCA, Boys' and Girls' clubs, resorts, amusement parks and private clubs.

Major in Sport and Recreation Studies

36 Credits

Required Courses:

33 Credits

ACCT 201	Principles of Accounting I		3
BUS 321	Principles of Marketing Management	3	
BUS 331	Principles of Management		3
ECON 201	Microeconomics		3
SRS 212	Introduction to Sport Management		3
SRS 235	Recreation Programming		3
SRS 237	Sport and Recreation Event and Venue Management		3
SRS 385	Governance and Ethics in Sport & Recreation	3	
SS 410	Organization and Administration of PE & Sports		3
SRS 475	Sport and Recreation Finance and Marketing		3
SRS 480	Risk Management & Legal Aspects in Sport & Recreation		3

Additional Requirements:

3 Credits

- One of the following courses: 3

SRS 495	Senior Internship	
SRS 498	Senior GIS	
SRS 499	Senior Practicum	

Minor in Sport and Recreation Studies

24 Credits

Required Courses:

SRS 212	Introduction to Sport Management		3
SRS 237	Sport and Recreation Event and Venue Management		3
SRS 385	Governance and Ethics in Sport & Recreation	3	
SS 410	Organization and Administration of PE & Sports		3
ACCT 201	Principles of Accounting I		3
ECON 201	Microeconomics		3
BUS 321	Principles of Marketing		3
BUS 331	Principles of Management		3

Minor in Coaching		27.5 Credits
Required Courses:		19 Credits
BIO 221	Human Anatomy and Physiology	4
SS 227	Community Health, First Aid and CPR	3
SS 310	Foundations in Sport Coaching	3
SS 320	Foundations of Officiating	3
SS 325	Kinesiology and Biomechanics	4
SS 402	Exercise Physiology	3
Additional Requirements:		7.5 Credits
• One of the following courses:		3
SRS 212	Introduction to Sport Management	
SS 231	Foundation and Principles of Physical Education	
• One of the following courses:		1.5
SS 215	Skill Analysis: Individual Sports	
SS 216	Skill Analysis: Team Sports	
• A minimum of 3 upper level credits approved by Department Chair		3