International Master Programme

MSc in Team Sport Management

Molde University College
Specialized University in Logistics
MSc Programme in Team Sport Management
Molde University College announces a new MSc programme in Team Sport Management in autumn 2011. The programme intends to convey a wider understanding and knowledge about team sport as it is practised in the European context, and will introduce the students to legal, ethical, economical, organisational, historical, political, and psychological topics in team sports. Students will therefore develop a better understanding of the developments and discourses of team sports, and enable them to take part in decision making within sports. The programme will introduce students to practitioners and scholars. Moreover, they will be challenged on up-to-date problems and conventional understandings or sport myths as they are conveyed by the actors of sport.

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The program includes:

**Team Sport History**
The students will acquire knowledge of the history of major team sports. Emphasis will be on the origin, development and diffusion of these sports, as well as on how national and international sport organizations were established, mainly in an European context.

**Sport Economics**
The students will acquire knowledge on the microeconomics of team sports and events, as well as both classic and modern theories on sport economics and how to apply these, in analyzing economical problems in team sports.

**Seminars in Team Sport Management**
The students will be introduced to a scientific approach to up-to-date issues in team sport management. At least one seminar will be related to sports law and one to sports psychology. The topic of “Scandinavian team sport in an international perspective” will be covered.

**Forms of organization and management**
The students will acquire in-dept knowledge in the relationship between forms of organization and management and about processes of change in organizations, including sport organisations. Students should have knowledge of the most basic mainstream theories to enable them to make their independent judgements of organization and management designs and processes.
Who can apply?
The programme will be taught entirely in English.

The programme is of 2-years (120 ECTS) duration and includes 75 ECTS credits courses and a 45 ECTS masters thesis. Applicants should preferably hold a recognised first degree (BBA, BA, BSc), equivalent to a minimum of 180 ECTS credits, in Sport Management/ Sciences, Business Administration, Social Sciences (Economy, Sociology, Political Science or History) or other relevant academic disciplines to apply for the MSc programme in Team Sport Management.

Admission to the international MSc programmes at Molde University College, Specialized University in Logistics is highly competitive, and applicants should preferably have completed their bachelor's degree with an average grade of Excellent or Very Good, or at least a minimum average grade of Good/ grade C or equivalent (Like First Class or Second Class Upper Division or equivalent grades).

Please visit www.himolde.no for more detailed information, application forms and study plan.

Why study in Molde and Norway?
Molde is located at the north-western coast of Norway, in an exotic and exciting environment. Located by the fjord, the high mountain range in the background makes a beautiful scenery.

Molde University College was founded in 1994 and became a Specialized University in Logistics in January 2010. There are approximately 1800 students, where 10 percent are international students. The number of staff is 180, and one of the qualities of the Molde University College is the easy access students have to lecturers. There are two faculties, the Faculty of Economics, Informatics and Social Sciences, where the sport studies belong, and the Faculty of Health Sciences and Social Care. Both are located at Molde Campus, 3 km from the city centre of Molde.

One reason for studying in Norway is obviously that it is free of charge for international students, as there are no tuition fees. This compensates for being a high cost country, but equally important is our vision to give you something different and better. This means that we besides focusing on quality in education and research can offer a good learning environment at a small campus, and city, providing our students with the best learning conditions. Their studies at Molde University College should reflect the closeness between students and staff, not only towards the permanent staff but also towards the many invited lecturers from abroad at the campus. Molde University College is therefore perfect for students who want to dedicate themselves to their studies in an unique environment.

So why not take this opportunity to do something special such as studying the MSc programme in Team Sport Management at Molde University College?
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The staff in the sport and event studies at Molde University College enjoys a rich international network of scholars in sport management and practitioners from the field which will be part of the programme by giving seminars on various topics on team sport management. These seminars will be based on academic fields such as sport law, sport & media, sport psychology, the organisation of team sport, the sociology of sport, the ethics of sport etc.

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