ACADEMIC MAP

Sport Management, Bachelor of Science



First Year		
Fall		Hours
UNIV 1101	University Seminar I	1
ENGL 1301 or ENGL 1302	Writing and Rhetoric I or Writing and Rhetoric II	3
HIST 1301	U.S. History to 1865	3
MATH 1442	Statistics for Life	4
ARTS 1301	Art and Society	3
SMGT 2314	Introduction to Sport Management	3
	Hours	17
Spring		
UNIV 1102	University Seminar II	1
COMM 1311	Foundation of Communication	3
HIST 1302	U.S. History Since 1865	3
ENGL 2316 or ENGL 2332 or ENGL 2333	Literature and Culture or Literature of the Western World: From the Classics to the Renaissance or Literature of the Western World: From the Enlightenment to the Present	3
SMGT 2315	Sport and Social Issues	3
University Core Curriculum		
	Hours	16
Second Year Fall		
POLS 2305	U.S. Government and Politics	3
ECON 2301	Macroeconomics Principles	3
SMGT 2301	Practicum in Sport Organization I	3
University Core Curriculum		
Sport Mgmt Directive Elective		
	Hours	15
Spring		
POLS 2306	State and Local Government	3
ECON 2302	Microeconomics Principles	3
University Core Curriculum		3
Sport Mgmt Directive Elective		
Sport Mgmt Directive Elective		
	Hours	15

Third Year Fall		
SMGT 3335	Legal Issues in Sport	3
SMGT 3366	Managing Sport and Leisure Services	3
SMGT 3320	Sport Communication	3
SMGT 3330	Promotion of Sport	3
Sport Mgmt Directive Elective		
	Hours	15
Spring		
SMGT 3325	Governance and Ethics in Sport	3
SMGT 3301	Practicum in Sport Organization II	3
SMGT 3367	Sport Tourism	3
Sport Mgmt Directive Elective		
Sport Mgmt Special Emphasis		
	Hours	15
Fourth Year		
Fall		
Sport Mgmt Directive Elective		
SMGT 4309	Finance Management in Sport	3
SMGT 4351	Sport Entrepreneurship	3
SMGT 4365	Managing Personnel in Sport Organizations	3
Sport Mgmt Special Emphasis		
	Hours	15
Spring		
SMGT 4693	Professional Field Experiences I	6
SMGT 4694	Professional Field Experiences II	6
SMGT 4308	Sport Facilities and Event Management	3
	Hours	15
	Total Hours	123



CAREER MAP

SPORT MANAGEMENT

Bachelor of Science



The students in the Bachelor of Science in Sport Management will learn about the sport and leisure industries in the Coastal Bend region, such as ocean-based sports, collegiate athletics, and minor league sports. The BSSM curriculum covers comprehensive industry knowledge with a focus on sport governance, marketing, finance, and administration as well as prepares graduates for employment in a variety of private, nonprofit, and public sport settings. This degree can also be used as a stepping stone to advanced degrees in sport management, tourism management and leisure studies. The BSSM curriculum was developed in accordance with the Commission on Sport Management Accreditation (COSMA) and TAMU-CC plans to become the first COSMA accredited program among Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSIs)

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INTERNSHIP INFORMATION

To enroll in professional field experience, students must have departmental approval as well as a GPA of 2.75. The field experience is for seniors only and they should enroll during their last semester. Students are allowed to enroll in other coursework but not to exceed the 18-hour university limit.

CAREER OPTIONS

- Player Agent
- Public Relations/Promotions Manager
- Gameday/Event Coordinator
- Facilities Manager
- Operations Manager
- Marketing Manager
- Contract Administrator
- Sports General Manager
- Scout
- Corporate Wellness Coordinator/Manager
- Sports Camp Director
- Youth Sports Coordinator
- Athletic Coach

SKILLS/ATTRIBUTES

- Critical thinking/Problem Solving
- Professionalism/Work Ethic

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

- Kinesiology Club Special Olympics
- Women in Healthcare
- Coastal Bend Health Professionals Initiative
- Recreational Sport Clubs
- Islander Athletics

ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Occupational Outlook Handbook - www.bls.gov/ooh/, Professional Orgs: North American Society for Sport Management, Sports Fitness and Industry Association, Sport Marketing Association, Association for Women in Sport Media, etc.