

Gain valuable hands-on experience while developing the business management and leadership skills needed for a successful and impactful career in the global sports industry.

The Master of Professional Studies in Sports Industry Management at Georgetown University offers aspiring professionals the tools they need to launch their careers in the sports industry. Featuring a creative and hands-on curriculum, the program provides students with a comprehensive understanding of the business of sports while equipping them with a practical skill set that primes them for success. Students engage with industry executives and practitioners in the classroom while gaining valuable experience through internships, travel abroad opportunities, and networking events outside of class.

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Internships

Students can hone their abilities and establish lifelong connections by taking advantage of internship opportunities from the program's numerous partners, including:

- Georgetown Athletics
- Monumental Sports & Entertainment
- Octagon
- Special Olympics
- Washington Nationals
- Washington Redskins

Externships

The program also offers externships—courses that integrate hands-on learning experiences—which have given students unique access to prominent industry organizations, teams, events, and projects. Past externships include the Citi Open Tennis Tournament, FOX Sports University, and Washington Redskins Gameday Operations.

FACULTY

The SIM faculty is comprised of more than 80 industry executives and practitioners who bring notable experience and expertise into the classroom. Current faculty members include:

Abe Frank

Managing Director of Government Relations, NCAA

Karen Irish

Associate Director, Government Relations U.S. Olympic Committee

Kurt Kehl

Senior Vice President, Corporate Communications, Monumental Sports & Entertainment/Washington Capitals

Nicola Murphy

Director of Marketing, Athlete and Property Management, Octagon

Ahmad Nassar

Vice President of Business and Legal Affairs, NFL Players Association

Tommy Sheppard

Senior Vice President, Basketball Operations Washington Wizards

Amy Minniti

Deputy General Counsel Washington Nationals

Lon Rosenberg

Senior Vice President, Operations Washington Redskins/FedExField

See the SIM website for a complete listing of faculty.



CURRICULUM

The master's degree requires 30 total credits to complete. Students are able to take a maximum of 12 credits in one semester and typically complete the program within one to two years.

Core Courses (Required)

9 credits

- Applied Ethics and Governance in Sports
- Sports Leadership and Management
- Diversity and Social Responsibility in Sports

Concentrations

12 credits

Strategic Marketing, Communication, and Digital Media

- Strategic Sports Marketing
- Sports Communications and Public Relations
- Sports Digital Media and Consumer Engagement
- Sales Promotion, Revenue Generation and Sponsorship in Sports

Business, Management, and Operations

- Sports Business and Finance
- Sports Law, Contracts and Negotiation
- Sports Event Planning and Facility Management
- Economics, Analytics and Global Brand Management

Electives: Internships I and II

6 credits

Students can complete up to two internships or choose from a variety of elective and externship courses to satisfy their elective requirements.

Capstone (Required)

3 credits

This culminating project demonstrates a student's applied knowledge gained throughout the program.

EARN YOUR
MASTER'S DEGREE IN
Sports Industry
Management

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Visit our admissions page for more information about application deadlines and applying online.

TUITION

Educational expenses are assessed each semester based on the number of credits for which you are registered. Visit our website for current tuition rates.

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