

Module Information

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Summary Information

Module Code	6404SSLN
Formal Module Title	Contemporary Issues in Sport and Society
Owning School	Sport and Exercise Sciences
Career	Undergraduate
Credits	20
Academic level	FHEQ Level 6
Grading Schema	40

Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
Sport and Exercise Sciences

Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	11
Seminar	11
Workshop	18

Module Offering(s)

Display Name	Location	Start Month	Duration Number Duration Unit
JAN-MTP	MTP	January	12 Weeks

Aims and Outcomes

Aims	This module will enable students to identify contemporary issues in sport and society and critically appraise and explain them via the application of theories cognate to Sport Development and the social sciences.
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After completing the module the student should be able to:

Learning Outcomes

Code	Number	Description
MLO1	1	Identify and select contemporary issues and justify how and why they might be legitimately qualified as Sport Development issues.
MLO2	2	Apply sport/social theory to critically explain these issues.
MLO3	3	Critically examine the ability of sport to influence the issues outlined.

Module Content

Outline Syllabus	Examination of current issues in Sport Development The current status of knowledge in the field and how it informs and impacts the sport policy and Sport Development context Sociological theory, key concepts and their relationship to society, 'community' and sport Social capital, social change and their impact on the practice of Sport Development Critical analysis of issues concerning the stratification of sport in society with regard to age, socio- economic status, gender, race, ethnicity and disability.
Module Overview	
Additional Information	Students will be encouraged to examine the role of sport as a source of and solution for social problems and critique practical applications of Sport Development with theoretical insights synthesised from the literature base.

Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Module Learning Outcome Mapping
Report	Report	100	0	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3

Module Contacts

Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Milly Blundell	Yes	N/A

Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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