## **Liverpool** John Moores University

Title: Critiques of Sport Development: formulation and implementation

Status: Definitive

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Owning School/Faculty: Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition

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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ7 Value: 20 Delivered 21

Hours:

Total Private

Learning 200 Study: 179

**Hours:** 

# **Delivery Options**

Course typically offered: Non Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours	
Lecture	21	

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

#### **Assessment Details**

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Presentation	Pres	This is a 25 minute individual	50	
		presentation on current sport		
		development theory and practice		
Report	Rep	This is a 2,500 word report on	50	
		sport policy		

#### **Aims**

This course aims students to be able to critically analyse what is understood by the term sport development in academia and industry. Students will engage with a range of critiques, key documents and practitioner's perspectives to explore how

sport development policy and practice is formulated, delivered and evaluated.

#### **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Critically analyse the conceptualisation of sport development
- 2 Critically reflect on current trends and practice within sport development
- 3 Critically evaluate sport development policy formulation and implementation

#### **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

Individual presentation 1 2

Report 3

## **Outline Syllabus**

Conceptualisations of sport development
An historical overview of sport development in the UK
A critical review of current policies and practices in sport development
Comparative studies of sport development in other countries and contexts
Policy analysis and formulation: application of theory to practice
Case studies in sport development at macro-, mesa- and micro- scales
Theoretical and practitioner perspectives on partnerships and other delivery systems

# **Learning Activities**

The primary form of delivered learning will be through lectures, supplemented by expert visiting speakers on key subject areas. Additionally the module will use online discussion groups to facilitate off-campus student interaction. Tutorials will supplement individual understanding of specific issues.

#### **Notes**

This course focuses on understanding and articulating what sport development means to academics and to industry practitioners in different contexts functionally and geographically. Students will be expected to identify and engage with current issues from a variety of perspectives.