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Sport and leisure in community development 310 (YSL 310)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Humanities
Module credits	30.00
Programmes	BA Option: Sport and Leisure in Society BA Option: Sport and Recreation Management BA Option: Sports Coaching Science
Prerequisites	YSL 220
Contact time	3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Sport and Leisure Studies
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

This module builds on fundamental knowledge and skills in leisure and recreation. Careful attention is given to dimensions of social and cultural capital and their relationship with sport and recreation, determining and appraising recreation needs of communities and the contribution of sport and recreation in community development and transformation in contexts of peace and development, education, health and youth-at-risk. Special emphasis is placed on the role of sports volunteers in developing social capital through citizenship values and life skills. The principles and criteria of the African Sport Transformation Charter are analysed and synthesised in community recreation programmes. The student will perform academic service learning through community engagement in diverse communities.

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