

RECREATION MANAGEMENT



IS RECREATION MANAGEMENT RIGHT FOR YOU?

If you are passionate about the benefits of recreation and leisure and you feel confident that management is in your future, this is the program for you. Dalhousie's Bachelor of Science (Recreation) / Bachelor of Management program is a unique five-year dual degree aimed at preparing graduates with the business competencies and recreation management skills for diverse career opportunities in the ever-growing recreation and leisure service industry.

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WHAT WILL I LEARN?

The curriculum of the degree includes courses in both Recreation and Management as well as many electives. The program culminates in a full-time internship, allowing students to gain valuable professional experience. Courses that students may take in the program include:

- · Program Planning
- · Financial Management and Fundraising
- · Leadership and Group Dynamics
- · Leisure and Individuals with Disabilities
- Introduction to Marketing
- Facility Design and Operations Management
- Recreation Entrepreneurship and Special Events
- · Managing the Human Resource
- · Strategy Formulation

The program also includes an honours option, to which students may apply in year four. This enriched program provides students with a valuable opportunity to gain research experience with mentorship from a Recreation Management faculty member.

WHAT CAN I DO WITH A DEGREE IN RECREATION MANAGEMENT?

Graduates of the Recreation Management program are able to work in managerial positions in a number of recreation and leisure contexts such as municipal recreation agencies, national sport governing bodies, commercial ventures, festival management, arts and culture, leisure and sport marketing, professional sport organizations, entrepreneurial settings, recreation and fitness centers, tourism and many others. Because graduates earn two degrees, they are well positioned to enter the workforce in positions above entry-level.

WHY CHOOSE RECREATION MANAGEMENT AT DAL?

From day one, students in this limited enrolment program form close ties with professors and fellow students in both Recreation and Management through small class sizes, and a collaborative learning environment where students are encouraged to demonstrate leadership skills both inside and outside the classroom. Students also benefit from all that Dalhousie has to offer as an internationally recognized institution - a vast array of supports and services, study abroad opportunities, interprofessional health education, an incredible breadth of extracurricular activities, clubs and societies, recreational activities, and access to professionals in the field in our own community and beyond.

Upon graduation, our students are wellrounded and prepared for a meaningful career where they are ready to make an impact in their chosen field.

WHAT ARE THE ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS?

High School:

Completion of grade 12 with a minimum average of 70% in five university preparatory subjects, including English (minimum 70%) and Math (minimum 70%)

Transfer Students:

A minimum GPA of 2.30 is required along with English and Math at the grade 12 or university/college level with a minimum grade of 70.

Please note that meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission to the program.

Deadline to apply: June 1

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:

For more detailed information on the program, curriculum, course descriptions, faculty and staff, career options, student life and more, please visit the web site at dal.ca/hahp or call 902.494.2152.