





# INTERESTED IN A CAREER IN FOOTBALL?

Explore our bespoke football degree pathway at UCW



FdSc Sport Studies (Football) degree

at University Centre Weston

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# **OUR REPUTATION**

We are a TEF Gold University Centre, working alongside our partner universities to deliver outstanding provision and opportunities to our students.

# **OUR ACADEMIC PROVISION**

The FdSc Sport Studies (Football) degree is a flexible study programme designed to provide those who are interested in working within the football industry and/or broader sport, exercise and health sectors with the skills, knowledge and experience needed to move into these exciting fields.

The programme involves two years of study at University Centre Weston in Weston-Super-Mare, when studied on a full-time basis, completing the FdSc degree, followed by an optional third 'top-up' year at Hartpury University in Gloucester to obtain a full BSc (Hons) degree, subject to applying and being accepted.

### **Key modules include:**

- Sport Coaching (year 1) and Football Coaching (year 2)
- Strength and Conditioning
- Performance Analysis Fundamentals (utilising industry-leading video analysis software)
- Psychology of Sports Performance
- Football Business and Development
- Sports Injuries and Rehabilitation

Work experience is a significant element of our programme, with students able to gain vital industry skills and experience, and develop important contacts for future employment opportunities.

# COMPETITIONS

Opportunities to play football competitively include playing in the National League U19 Alliance, regarded as the most prestigious competition outside of professional academies. The league attracts clubs from the Premier League, Football League and the National League system.

In addition, opportunities to progress into semi-professional football exist due to our partnership with Weston-Super-Mare Football Club.

# **OUR STAFF**

Academic staff have a wealth of knowledge and industry experience that they bring to their delivery, allowing them to effectively articulate and demonstrate the links between theory and practice.

# **OUR FACILITIES**

Academic and practical sessions take place across our Winter Gardens University Centre and the brand new Health and Active Living Skills Centre at our Loxton Campus.

### This bespoke facility includes:

- 3G artificial grass pitch
- Performance gym
- Sports hall meeting Sport England specifications
- Access to semi-professional level grass pitch and stadium

# **OUR PARTNERS**

University Centre Weston and Weston Sport understand the importance of creating pathways for our athletes to support their progression. We have therefore developed a number of partnerships, including with:

• Weston-super-Mare Football Club

# WHAT NEXT?

Please contact our lecturers and admissions team on the phone number or email address below to find out more about the degree and also how we can help you with the application process.

# **KEY INFO**

**Sports Studies FdSc UCAS codes**Institution **W47** | Course **C640** | Campus -

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### **Tuition fees**

Full-time: £8,500 per year

Delivered in partnership with Hartpury University

# **APPLY NOW**



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