

# COURSE DELIVERY PLAN 2025

## Bachelor of Sport Management

**COURSE CODE: SBSM**

**Continuing Students ONLY**

<b>CAMPUS</b>	City Campus (CC)
<b>COLLEGE</b>	College of Arts, Business, Law, Education and IT
<b>STUDY MODE</b>	Full Time or Part Time
<b>DURATION</b>	3 years Full Time or Part Time equivalent
<b>FEE TYPE</b>	For information on course fees, refer to <a href="http://vu.edu.au/fees">http://vu.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>APPLICATION METHOD</b>	VTAC - <a href="https://vtac.edu.au">https://vtac.edu.au</a> Direct Application - <a href="https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing">https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing</a>
<b>TIMETABLE</b>	<a href="http://vu.edu.au/timetables">vu.edu.au/timetables</a>
<b>COURSE REQUIREMENTS</b>	<p>To attain the Bachelor of Sport Management students will be required to complete 288 credit points (equivalent to 24 units) consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 96 credit points of First Year Core units</li><li>• 96 credit points of Major studies from the approved list</li><li>• 48 credit points of Professional Development in Sport &amp; Outdoor Recreation Minor studies</li><li>• 48 credit points of Minor studies from the approved list.</li></ul> <p>Minors not available for students completing the Outdoor Recreation Leadership Major are:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SMIOU Outdoor Recreation Leadership</li></ul> <p>Minors not available for students completing the Sport and Active Communities Major are:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SMISAC Sport and Active Communities</li></ul>
<b>FURTHER INFORMATION</b>	Unit and course information is available from the University course search site at <a href="http://vu.edu.au/course-search">http://vu.edu.au/course-search</a> or go to <a href="https://askvu.vu.edu.au">https://askvu.vu.edu.au</a> or Phone VUHQ on 03 9919 6100
<b>COURSE CHAIR</b>	Hans Westerbeek
<b>COURSE ADVICE</b>	AskVU <a href="https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua">https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua</a>

**Note:** Students are required to enrol in all units for semester 1 and 2, and are not permitted to enrol in more than 48 credit points per semester as a full-time load.

**Core/Elective** Core (a unit that must be completed) & Elective (you have some choice in what you select).

**Prerequisites** A number of units within the degree have 'prerequisites'. These prerequisites must be met before enrolment in the unit is permitted. Generally these prerequisites require the successful completion of a unit or units taken at an earlier stage in the course. Students should pay particular attention to these prerequisite requirements as failure to meet these can seriously hinder progression through the course.

**Date of Publication:** This information is accurate as of January 22, 2025, and applies to students beginning during the specified intake period. It is provided for informational purposes only and does not constitute a contract between any individual and Victoria University. Students starting in a different intake or unable to follow the plan due to credit or other factors should consult their Course and Unit Advisor for enrolment assistance.



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**Please note that the SBSM has a new course structure as of 2025. This document is for continuing students only.**

## Year 1

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
SSM1101	Introduction to Sport and Active Recreation	Core	2B1	12	CC	
SOL1000	Introduction to Adventure Environments	Core	1B1, 1B4	12	FP	
SSM 1102	Foundations of Sport and Active Recreation	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 2B1	12	CC	
BHO1000	Marketing Theory and Practice	Core	1B2, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	CC	
SSM 1203	Human Resources for Sport and Active Recreation	Core	1B3, 2B1, 2B4	12	CC	
BMO1000	People and Organisations	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3	12	CC	
SSM 1202	Financial Management for Sport and Active Recreation	Core	2B4	12	CC	
SSM 1104	Community Building for Sport and Active Recreation	Core	1B3, 2B1, 2B2	12	CC	

## YEAR 2

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
	Major 1 - Unit 1	Major		12		
	Major 1 - Unit 2	Major		12		
	Major 1 - Unit 3	Major		12		
	Major 1 - Unit 4	Major		12		
	Major 1 - Unit 5	Major		12		
	Major 1 - Unit 6	Major		12		
	Major 1 - Unit 7	Major		12		
	Major 1 - Unit 8	Major		12		



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## YEAR 3

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
	Minor 1 - Unit 1	Minor		12		
	Minor 1 - Unit 2	Minor		12		
	Minor 1 - Unit 3	Minor		12		
	Minor 1 - Unit 4	Minor		12		
SSM 2002	Career Development and Employability 1	Minor	1B1,1B3	12	CC	
SSM 2003	Ethics in Sport Management and Active Recreation	Minor	1B3, 2B2	12	CC	
SSM 3000	Inclusion and Social Responsibility in Sport and Active Recreation	Minor	1B4	12	CC	
SSM 3003	Career Development and Employability 2	Minor	1B2, 2B1	12	CC	SSM2002

List of **compulsory** minor/s available in this course

SMIPDS Professional Development in Sport and Outdoor Recreation

List of major/s available in this course

SMAOUT Outdoor Recreation Leadership

SMASAC Sport and Active Communities

List of minor/s available in this course

SMIADS Adventure Sports

SMIGAM Games and Sports

SMIHEA Health (Sport Science Minor)

SMIOUT Outdoor Recreation Leadership

SMISAC Sport and Active Communities

SMISCO Sport Coaching

## MAJORS

### Outdoor Recreation Leadership SMAOUT

The Outdoor Recreation Leadership Major exposes students to a diverse range of outdoor recreational programs that not only deliver special experiences, but also provides unique learning situations that build a breadth of capabilities, including the capacity to plan, organise, and program complex outdoor recreational activities at the highest professional level. It also provides the opportunity for students to build highly valued character traits including integrity, cultural sensitivity, and psychological resilience. The course will enable students to gain employment in the fields of outdoor recreation, adventure sports, outdoor education, and corporate training.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
SOL1001	Natural Environments 1	Major	1B1, 1B4	12	FP	
SOL1002	Safety in Natural Environments	Major	1B1, 1B2	12	FP	



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SOL2001	River Environments 1	Major	SB, 1B4, WB	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002
SOL2003	Mountain Environments	Major	1B1, 1B2, 1B3	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002
SOL2010	Natural Environments 2	Major	2B4	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002
SOL3003	Risk Management in Natural Environments	Major	2B2	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002
SSM 3002	Outdoor and Environmental Philosophy	Major	2B4	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002
SSM 3101	Environmental Inquiry, Sustainability and Communities	Major	1B2, 1B3	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002

## Sport and Active Communities SMASAC

The Sport and Active Communities Major gives attention to community sport, its relationship with elite and professional sport, and how it can be managed to optimise participant satisfaction, build sustainable communities, and deliver social utility. It also covers team-sport management, gym and exercise program administration, and community-based physical activity programming. The course thus enables graduates to enter a broad range of administrative, management, and professional-support positions in governing bodies, sport clubs, sport facilities, sport events, local government, and community welfare agencies.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
SSM 2103	Historical and Cultural Aspects of Australian Sport	Major	1B3, 1B4, WB	12	CC	
SSM 2104	Programming for Sport Development and Community Action	Major	1B1, 1B2	12	CC	
SSM 2204	Sport Sponsorships and Partnerships	Major	2B2, 2B4	12	CC	
SSM 2205	Sociology of Sport and Active Recreation	Major	2B1, 2B3	12	CC	
SSM 3103	Sport Facility Management	Major	1B1, 2B3	12	CC	SSM 2204
SSM 3104	Research and Evaluation in Sport	Major	1B1, 2B1, WB	12	CC	
SSM 3204	Building and Sustaining Sport Participation	Major	2B2, 2B4	12	CC	
SSM 3205	Sport Event Management	Major	1B2, 2B4	12	CC	SSM 3103



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## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN SPORT & OUTDOOR RECREATION MINOR

### Professional Development in Sport and Outdoor Recreation SMIPDS

The required minor provides students opportunities for professional development and offers the opportunities to learn and apply their knowledge and skills in making informed decisions on the basis of ethics, sustainability, and social responsibility. The Minor will have a distinctive appeal to students with an interest in ethics, diverse and sustainable sports provision, and building vibrant communities through sport and recreation.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
SSM 2002	Career Development and Employability 1	Minor	1B1, 1B3	12	CC	
SSM 2003	Ethics in Sport Management and Active Recreation	Minor	1B3, 2B2	12	CC	
SSM 3000	Inclusion and Social Responsibility in Sport and Active Recreation	Minor	1B4	12	CC	
SSM 3003	Career Development and Employability 2	Minor	1B2, 2B1	12	CC	SSM 2002

## MINORS

### Adventure Sports SMIADS

For students pursuing a career in the health, fitness, education, or outdoor industries the adventure sports minor provides the technical knowledge and skill required to operate in a range of environments. Students achieve this outcome through a combination of adventure and environment theory studies, innovative field based labs, practical skill development, and a focus on industry ready professional development students. Combined with the successful completion of their degree students are well positioned to be at the forefront of the adventure sports sector.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
AEK2203	Indigenous Perspectives On Sustainability	Minor	1B4, WB	12	FP	AEK1105; or AEK1106; or AEK1204
SOL2011	Investigating Coastal Environments	Minor	1B1	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002
SOL2006	River Environments 2	Minor	2B2, 2B3	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002
SSM 3104	Research and Evaluation in Sport	Minor	1B1, 2B1, WB	12	CC	



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## Games and Sports SMIGAM

This minor is for students wanting to actively participate in practical units in the area of physical activity. Students will undertake practical classes where they will instruct others, improve their own performances, learn new skills and be able to plan and prepare activities for a range of individuals and groups.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
SPE2000	Rhythmic and Expressive Movement	Minor	2B1, 2B2	12	FP	
SPE2001	Major and Minor Games	Minor	1B3, 1B4	12	FP	
SPE2200	Games and Sports	Minor	2B1, 2B2, 2B3, WB	12	FP	
SPE3100	Psychosocial Aspects of Health and Physical Activity	Minor	1B1, 1B2, WB	12	FP	

## Health (Sport Science Minor) SMIHEA

Being healthy is important to all of us. Our health is influenced by a range of individual and behavioural factors as well as physical and social environments. Studying health will help you to develop skills and knowledge to make decisions about your own health, inform others, and also to recognise the importance of health in society. You will also become aware of how to support and promote healthy behaviours of others. The minor in Health provides you with an understanding of the individual and societal influences on health and human development. You will study areas covering adolescent health, sexuality and relationships, social bases of health and health promotion and policy.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
SHE2001	Adolescent Health	Minor	1B1, 1B2, 1B3	12	FP	
SHE2002	Sexuality and Relationships	Minor	SB, 1B1, 1B2, 1B4, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	FP	
SHE3001	Social Bases of Health: Global Perspectives	Minor	SB, 1B1, 1B2, 1B3, WB, 2B3, 2B4,	12	FP	
SHE3002	Health Policy and Promotion	Minor	1B1, 1B2	12	FP	



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## Outdoor Recreation Leadership SMIOUT

Love being outdoors, and looking for an adventure? If you want to learn about adventure with highly qualified outdoor professionals through hands on experiences in rock climbing, white water rafting, hiking, and skiing as well as develop an in-depth understanding about outdoor recreation, education and adventure sports, then Outdoor Recreation Leadership is for you. The use of industry partnerships and critical evidence based practice to inform teaching will ensure that during the course you will learn all the skills needed to lead in the outdoors. Outdoor Recreation Leadership provides the opportunity for students to build highly valued character traits including communication, group leading, integrity, cultural sensitivity, and psychological resilience.

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SOL1001	Natural Environments 1	Minor	1B1, 1B2	12	FP	
SOL1002	Safety in Natural Environments	Minor	2B1, 2B2	12	FP	
SOL2001	River Environments 1	Minor	SB, 1B4, WB	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002
SOL2010	Natural Environments 2	Minor	2B4	12	FP	SOL1001; and SOL1002

## Sport and Active Communities SMISAC

The minor is designed to provide students with the knowledge and skills to manage sport and active recreation facilities, programs, services, partnerships, and participation. Students will know how to manage sport and active recreation for optimal participant satisfaction, build sustainable communities and deliver social benefits.

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SSM 2104	Programming for Sport Development and Community Action	Minor	1B1, 1B2	12	CC	
SSM 2204	Sport Sponsorships and Partnerships	Minor	2B2, 2B4	12	CC	
SSM 3103	Sport Facility Management	Minor	1B1, 2B3	12	CC	SSM 2204
SSM 3204	Building and Sustaining Sport Participation	Minor	2B2, 2B4	12	CC	



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## Sport Coaching SMISCO

The minor provides students with the foundational skills required to coach safely and effectively at the community, domestic and representative levels. Students will develop an individual coaching philosophy and style, use relevant technology, practice coaching in controlled settings (e.g., Learning in the workplace), develop program planning skills, and how to deliver applied exercise prescription programs. This minor is planned to provide students with a balance between the theory of coaching science and practical application of key concepts.

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
AHE1251**	Coaching Active Communities	Minor	1B1, 2B4	12	FP	
AHE2250	Sport Coaching Principles	Minor	1B2, 1B4	12	FP	
AHE2251*	Sport Coaching Environment, Planning and Delivery	Minor	NA	12	FP	
SSC2003	Sport Coaching: Applied Conditioning	Minor	1B4, 2B4	12	FP	

\*Replaced by SSC2000 Sport Coaching Systems and Technology

\*\*No longer offered

### SMISCO Minor units 2025:

AHE2250 Sport Coaching Principles

SSC2000 Sport Coaching Systems and Technology

SSC2003 Sport Coaching: Applied Conditioning

SSC3002 Sport Coaching: Talent Identification & Development



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