

M.A. Coaching & Athletics Administration

Take Your Coaching to the Next Level

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The Master's in Coaching and Athletics Administration at Concordia will transform your sports program and your career. Thousands of coaches and athletic administrators have completed our master's degree in coaching and are now affecting positive change in top-rated institutions across the nation. Committing to growth and challenging yourself to work hard means the Master's in Coaching & Athletics Administration is not for everyone. It's for people who want to empower others and be a true leader. Our program is designed by experienced coaches and athletics educators for coaches and administrators working at every level in athletics—high school, collegiate, professional, and Olympic. Each course provides training that is immediately applicable to your current position, whether you are new to the field or have years of experience. At Concordia University Irvine we offer a wide variety of graduate degree programs, all designed for serious students who want to broaden their knowledge, sharpen their skills, and advance in their professional calling. Concordia's graduate degree programs provide a foundation for you to grow academically and professionally. Our flexible programs are customizable, offer multiple start dates, and are offered online, on-campus, or a combination of both. A comprehensive Lutheran Christian university guided by Christ's Great Commission, Concordia develops wise, honorable, and cultivated citizens to serve society and the church.







COMPLETION TIME

ONLINE DELIVERY

COST PER UNIT



MCAA Curriculum

PROGRAM CORE CLASSES (5 CORE CLASSES)20 UNITSMCAA 510: Principles of Coaching & Leadership4MCAA 530: Ethics and Sport4MCAA 550: Research Methods & Analysis4MCAA 580: Legal Aspects of Sport4MCAA 595: Culminating Project4M.A. ELECTIVES (CHOOSE 4 CLASSES)16 UNITSMCAA 540: Sport Technologies4MCAA 560: Leadership & Administration4MCAA 561: Athletic Finance4MCAA 562: Facility Planning and Event Mgmt4MCAA 570: Sport Medicine & Performance4MCAA 571: Applied Exercise Sciences and Strategies for Coaching Golf4MCAA 572: Applied Exercise Sciences and4
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MCAA 578: Applied Exercise Sciences and
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MCAA 579: Applied Exercise Sciences and
Strategies for Coaching Wrestling 4
MCAA 582: Women in Sport 4
MCAA 585: Strength, Speed, & Conditioning 4
MCAA 586: Advanced Strength, Speed, & Conditioning 4
MCAA 590: Concordia University Coaching Academy 4
MCAA 591: Athletic Director Institute 4

At-a-Glance

Number of Units: 36 (5 core courses, 4 electives)
Average Completion Time: 15 months
Program Cost: \$582/unit + \$50/semester Student Success fee
Application Requirements: Online application, 2.75 GPA, and official transcripts from the college or university where bachelor's degree was earned
Applications Accepted: Fall (Aug), Winter (Nov), Spring (Feb), Summer (May)
Application Deadline: Rolling deadline (priority given to applications received 30 days prior to start of term)
Delivery: Fully online, onsite, 1-week intensives or a blend of all 3
Terms (semesters): Four 11-week terms per year
Accreditation: Regionally accredited through Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)
Transfer Units: Can accept up to 8 graduate units

"Suddenly I was back at it. School was exciting again. I appreciated school more this time around because I understood, 'This is going to get me from point A to point B' Each class helped develop my thinking as a coach.'?

> **Misty May-Treanor '13** Three-time Olympic Gold Medalist, Director of Volleyball Operations, Long Beach City College, CA