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RANGERS CAMPUS



STUDY AT RANGERS SOCCER ACADEMY IN THE HEART OF INDUSTRY.

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WHO WE ARE

Rangers Soccer Academy, working with VAHE, will see students and student athletes able to access University age provision within the inspirational environment of Ibrox Stadium via VAHE Lecturers as well as utilising the club's other practical facilities to supplement the academic delivery.

VAHE offers a flexible blended learning model, combining both in-person and virtual learning. Each academic year includes three in-person teaching weeks, hosted at Ibrox Stadium, where students engage directly with academic lecturers. Throughout the rest of the year, students participate in live, virtual sessions either remotely or by attending the Ibrox Stadium, allowing for a more adaptable learning experience.

This flexibility enables students to pursue relevant industry opportunities, supported by Rangers Soccer Academy, while continuing their studies. By integrating academic learning with practical experience, VAHE provides a balanced approach to education and career development..

Rangers will then provide additional industry work experience for students across areas such as coaching, scouting, match analysis and life as an athlete.

VAHE employed lecturers will deliver the academic content of the programme.

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Virtual Alliance Higher Education (VAHE) delivers inclusive, career-driven higher education grounded in sporting excellence, performing arts, and real-world practice. We focus on educating the whole person, nurturing your intellectual, ethical, and physical growth in a supportive, diverse learning community.

Our Approach & Philosophy
We bring theory to life through hands-on, industry-specific learning. Beyond core academic skills, we focus on developing the confidence, soft skills, and workplace competitiveness you need to secure positive, long-term career destinations.

National Expertise, Local Impact
As the Higher Education division of an established national organisation educating around 2000 learners annually, VAHE brings a proven track record of outstanding outcomes in sport directly to Aberdeen. Whatever your ambitions, VAHE provides the platform and expertise to help you achieve your potential.

RANGERS FOOTBALL CLUB

Rangers is a professional football club based in Glasgow, with teams competing in the men's and women's Scottish top divisions. Rangers is built on tradition, history and success, and in 2022 the club became the first major European club to reach the 150th anniversary milestone.

The ambition of Rangers is to achieve domestic and international success on and off the pitch, through aspirational innovation, determination, and unity to be at the forefront of our industry.

Rangers is proud to be a modern, diverse football club where people from all backgrounds, cultures and communities can unite to celebrate and support a common cause.

Rangers Soccer Academy, provides a range of bespoke educational and sport development programmes in the UK and internationally.

WHERE TO FIND US

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HOME OF RANGERS FOOTBALL CLUB

The programme is based between Rangers home ground, Ibrox Stadium located in the Govan district of Glasgow and the Club's state-of-the art training centre in Milngavie. Both easily accessible by bus routes and train or subway.

Addresses:
Ibrox Stadium, 150 Edmiston Drive, Glasgow, G51 2XD
Rangers Training Centre, Auchenhowie Road, Glasgow, G62 6EH

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES





Along with working towards a Bachelor of Science (BSc) Undergraduate Degree we offer a wide range of work placement opportunities for our learners. An essential aspect of working in professional sport is gaining a variety of work experience, as this will enhance the possibilities of working in your designated career. We offer these work experiences in a variety of areas, such as:

- Sports Coaching
- Sports Analysis
- Talent Identification
- Strength and Conditioning
- Teaching
- Player Pathway Programme

A key aspect of The Rangers Soccer Academy is that alongside the BSc degree each learner is provided with a variety of opportunities to gain work experience in a multitude of roles.

BSC (HONS) SPORT & FITNESS





YEAR 1
Certificate in Higher Education

YEAR 2
Diploma in Higher Education

YEAR 3
Bachelor of Science (BSc)

YEAR 4
Bachelor of Science with Honours

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CERTIFICATE IN HIGHER EDUCATION

SPORT & FITNESS

- Introduction to Sports Coaching & Leadership
- Principles of Sport & Exercise Psychology
- Human Structure & Function
- Professional Skills & Knowledge
- Mechanics of Human Movement
- Practice Exercise Instruction



Course Type:
Full time

Course Duration
One Year (Year 1 of 4)

Entry Requirements:
75 UCAS points
This can include a combination of three to five Scottish Higher results at A-D grades (A-33 POINTS, B-27 POINTS, C-21 POINTS, D-15 POINTS). Also satisfactory interview and evidence of fee students payment source are required.

The VAHE programme is built as a
4 year pathway:

Year 1 - Certificate
Year 2 - Diploma
Year 3 - BSc
Year 4 - BSc (Hons)

DIPLOMA IN HIGHER EDUCATION

- Applied Coaching & Leadership
- Introduction to Research Methods
- Sport & Exercise Physiology
- Nutrition for Performance & Health
- Movement Analysis
- Work Placement - Team Working & Communication



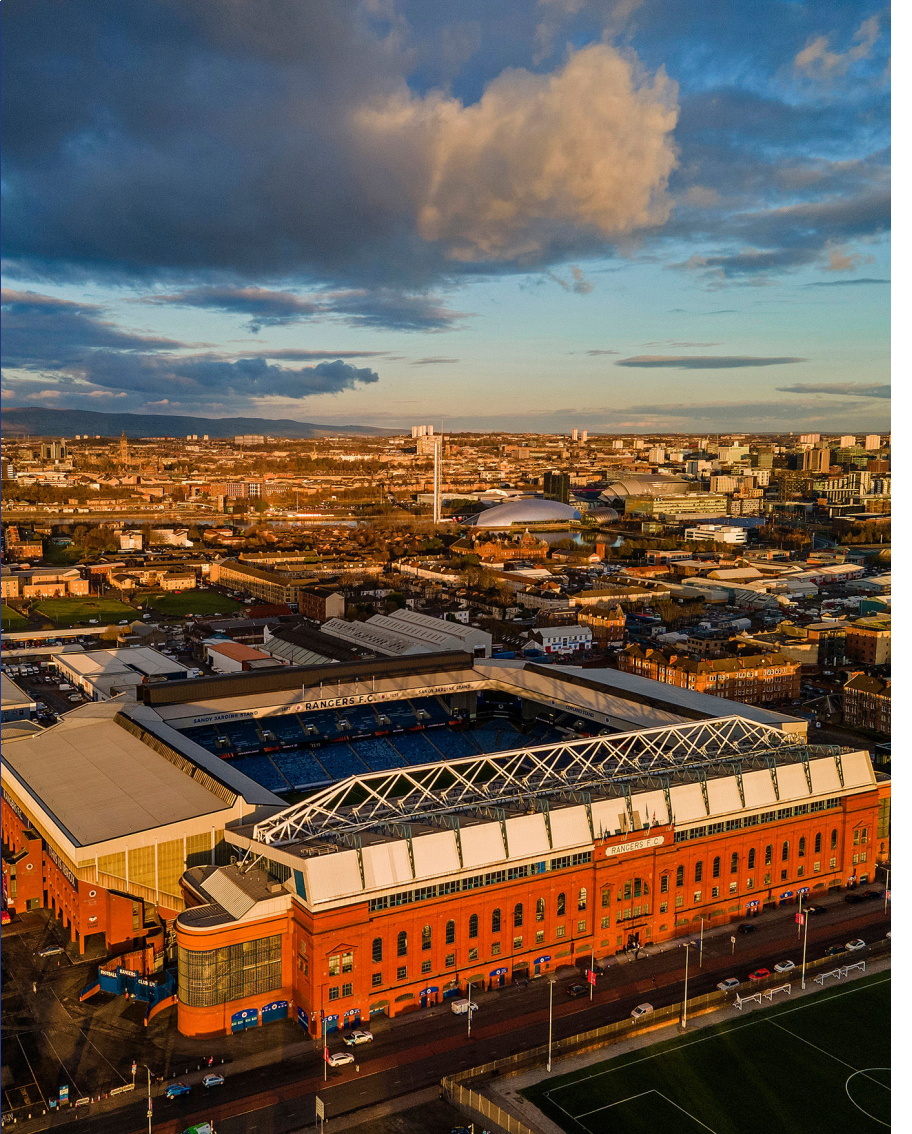
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

- Work Placement - Industry Specific Skills
- Research Methods (Sport & Fitness)
- The Professional Practitioner - Ethics, Policy & Practice
- Applied Sport & Exercise Psychology
- Sport & Exercise Science: A Critical Analysis
- Sport Nutrition & Dietary Considerations

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BSc)

- Work Placement - Professional Practice
- Advanced Applications of Coaching & Instruction
- Physical Activity For All
- Legal Issues in Sport & Fitness

In addition there will be a Dissertation in Year 4.



All learners are expected to carry out work experience in their desired profession throughout the programme, in addition to studying all modules. This will provide essential experience for our learners that will enhance their knowledge whilst creating a network of contacts within the sport.

GUEST SPEAKERS

A fundamental approach to our education is to widen the knowledge of our learners through guest speakers. Guest speakers are capable of bringing out previous experience behind some of the concepts that are being taught within lectures.

Our guest speakers frequently provide insights into the world of work, whether that be coaches, sports analysts or strength and conditioning coaches. In doing so, they contribute to the knowledge obtained in the lectures, which provides good practice for careers in the learners desired profession. Thus, our learners are provided with multiple opportunities to learn from guest speakers in regard to the key skills that are valued in the workplace.

"WE WILL HOLD A NUMBER OF DEVELOPMENT DAYS FOR THE STUDENTS AND INVITE KEY MEMBERS OF STAFF FROM COACHING, SPORTS SCIENCE, SCOUTING, MATCH ANALYSIS AND MEDICAL AND THEY WILL JOIN OUR MONTHLY WEBINARS WITH KEY STAFF MEMBERS ACROSS THE CLUB AND GAIN ACCESS TO OUR CUTTING-EDGE RANGERS ONLINE ACADEMY WHICH WILL FURTHER AID IN THEIR DEVELOPMENT.
AS WE CONTINUE TO EXPAND OUR PROGRAMMES DOMESTICALLY & INTERNATIONALLY WE WANT TO BE AT THE FOREFRONT IN SUPPORTING STUDENTS WHO HAVE A DESIRE TO SUCCEED IN THE SPORTING WORLD AND GIVE THEM THE TOOLS NECESSARY TO WORK AT ALL DIFFERENT LEVELS AND INCREASE THEIR KNOWLEDGE & UNDERSTANDING AND ULTIMATELY SET THEM ON THE RIGHT CAREER PATHWAY."

Peter Kennedy,
Interim Head of Soccer Academies
at Rangers Football Club


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