The Global Impact of Sport (SPRT08025)

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Summary

The Global Impact of Sport is a Summer School that recognizes that sport connects with people and places all over the world.

The Global Impact of Sport is built around two broad themes: (i) Sport, Heritage and Scottish Culture examines the place of sport in Scottish culture and the contribution that Scotland has made to different worlds of sport and (ii) Sport and Global Affairs which identifies and analyses the way in which sport is being used today by the United Nations, UNICEF, the World Bank, the World Health Organization and trans-national NGO'S as a cost effective social tool that can contribute to global challenges.

Course Description

Sport, Heritage and Global Affairs recognizes that sport connects with people and places all over the world. It provides an informed practical insight into how sport is increasingly being used as a cost effective social tool involved in addressing many of the world's social and humanitarian global issues.

The Global Impact of Sport is built around two broad themes: (i) Sport, Heritage and Scottish Culture examines the contribution that Scotland has made to different worlds of sport. It takes the learner on a critical journey from St Andrew's and the home of golf, to the National Football Museum and the oldest international fixture in the world, to unique sports settings in the borders, the western isles and the Highlands, to Braemar and the Royal Highland Games but also where Scottish sporting culture, icons and émigrés have travelled and why; and (ii) Sport and Global Affairs which identifies and analyses the way in which sport is being used today by the United Nations, UNICEF, the World Bank, the World Health Organization and trans-national NGO'S as a cost effective social tool that can contribute to global challenges of health, justice, conflict resolution, social inclusion, education for all, sustainability and international development.

The learner will gain an insight into many social interventions through sport such as Peace, Players international; Soccer Across Borders; The Mighty Girls Programme and Magic Bus. Learners are provided with a unique insight into what works, what isn't working, successes and failures.
### Course Outline

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