

Presentation pattern February to June

Module description

This module is aimed at coaches and exercise instructors and links experience to knowledge of training standards, professionalism, ethics, models of learning and sector employment issues. The assessment for this module links a Level 2 UK-accredited coaching or exercise instruction certificate, from an established sport with a recognised National Governing Body (NGB), which they will study and pay for independently, to count towards OU study. It forms part of stage 2 of [BSc \(Honours\) Sport, Fitness and Coaching \(Q76\)](#).

Person specification

The person specification for this module should be read in conjunction with the [generic person specification](#) for an associate lecturer at The Open University.

As well as meeting all the requirements set out in the generic person specification, you should have:

- a degree or equivalent in sport, fitness, exercise or coaching
- experience of working in the sport/fitness sector in coaching/instructional roles
- a strong interest in theoretical principles underpinning sport and exercise instruction/coaching
- experience of supporting others' learning, e.g. through teaching, training or appraisal
- a willingness to engage with online technologies.

It would be an advantage to have:

- experience of assessing or delivering sports coaching and/or exercise instructing qualifications.

Module related details - a full explanation can be found on the website

Credits awarded to the student for the successful completion of a module:	30
Number of assignments submitted by the student:	2
Method of submission for assignments:	2
Level of ICT requirements:	2
Number of students likely to be in a standard group:	20
Salary band:	3
Estimated number of hours per teaching week:	7

The teaching and assessment strategy for this module has not yet been approved and therefore the information is subject to change.