



Supervision Agreement

Supervision should be realized as an ongoing scientific discussion and guidance to support the progress of the research project as well as the individual qualification of the doctoral researcher. Supervision will take place according to the necessities of the project, the progress of the work and the qualification of the individual.

To ensure high-level research expertise, each doctoral researcher is accompanied by a first and a second supervisor.

The first supervisor and the coordinator of the program agree on the following guidelines to realize a reliable and transparent supervision of the doctoral project.

First supervisor and program coordinator:

Support the doctoral student as early stage researcher

Offer regular supervisory guidance to facilitate the success of the doctoral project

Envisage a time to degree of 2-3 years

Encourage integration into the international scientific community by supporting participations in conferences, workshops, summer schools etc.

Support the publication of research results

Doctoral researcher:

Exchanges with the supervisor(s) and program coordinator regularly

Carries out the research project independently

Participates in conferences, summer schools etc. to discuss research results within the international scientific community

Takes part actively in projects within the international PhD Program "Science and Health in Football" apart from the personal project

The moments in time when regular supervision meetings take place can vary between daily and longer feedback periods, depending on the project and the independence of the doctoral candidate. One meeting has to be documented in every semestral report. This meeting should provide a forum for a regular discussion between the doctoral researcher, the first supervisor and the mentor about the research efforts with regard to overall aims, the envisaged time-to-degree and the doctoral qualifications.