



International PhD Programme
Science and Health in Football



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Call for applications

The Scholarship

The institute awards a full-time PhD scholarship (1.200 €/month) for up to three years. Interested PhD candidates can apply for the following topic

Digital support for return-to-play decisions in football

The program is academically hosted by the **Institute of Sports & Preventive Medicine** & funded by the **German FA (DFB)**. The project will be conducted in cooperation with **Groningen University**, under the primary supervision of **Dr. Anne Hecksteden & Dr. Michel Brink**.

The Institute

Leading institute in the area of football research, focussing on **training monitoring, recovery, injuries, match analysis, and female football**. A licensed **FIFA Medical Centre of Excellence**, with **established collaborations** to Universities around the world.

The Project

This PhD project includes **predicting injuries after return-to-play and understanding how (successful) return-to-play decisions** are made. It aims to tackle both challenges using a **transdisciplinary** approach.

The Candidates

This transdisciplinary project touches on the fields of sport science, psychology & data science. Requirements are a **Master's** or a **equivalent degree**, experience with **handling datasets & mobile frameworks for App development**

The Application

Candidates send applications including CV, description of academic performance & research experience, translated copies of university certificates (German or English), two letters of recommendations & a letter of motivation, until **January 31st 2022** to the address below (preferably as single PDF file). For detailed information visit sportmedizin-saarbruecken.de.



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