

Masaryk University Faculty of Sports Studies

Strategic location in Central Europe



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SPORTBrno: popular student city



Masaryk University



Masaryk University

- 2nd largest university in the Czech Republic
- 100 years of experience
- 9 faculties
- 32'000+ students
- Top level research
- Strong international community



MUNI SPORT MU Faculties

9 faculties with more than 200 departments, institutes and clinics:

- Economics and Administration
- Law
- Medicine
- Science
- Arts
- Education
- Informatics
- Social Studies
- Sports Studies



Wide study opportunities

- Full degree programs in Czech and English
- Various Exchange and study-abroad programs
- Summer Schools



Faculty of Sports Studies

- Founded in 2002
- 1200+ students
- expanding dynamically and promoting attributes of healthy lifestyle
- Bachelor's, Master's and PhD study programmes
- Research in the field of biomechanics, physiology, sports medicine, sociology of sport etc.



Departments

- Department of Athletics, Swimming and Outdoor Sports
- Department of Gymnastics and Combatives
- Department of Kinesiology
- Department of Sport Pedagogy
- Department of Social Sciences and Sport Management
- Department of Health Promotion
- Department of Sports Games
- University Sports Centre



Study programs

Bachelor's

- Personal and Condition Trainer
- Physiotherapy
- Physical Education and Sport
 - Sports Management
 - Regeneration and Nutrition in Sport
 - Special Education of Security Bodies
 - Collective Games Referee
 - Sports Coaching

Master's

- Teacher Training in Physical Education for Primary and Secondary Schools
- Condition Training and Applied Kinesiology
- Applied Sport Education of Security Bodies
- Sports Management

PhD

Kinanthropology (ENG)

Sports facilities









Regular events

- International Summer School of Combatives
- International Summer School of Sport and Exercise Sciences
- International Summer School of Team Psychology in Practice
- International conference Sport and Quality of Life





Long-life learning program Football referee

Laboratories





The core areas of faculty research

Dynamic and Kinematic Aspects of Movement

Biomedical Aspects of Movement

Social Aspects of Physical Education and Sport

Dynamic and Kinematic Aspects of Movement

Kinematic analysis of motion

- 3D kinematic analysis of human motion
- Kinematic analysis of sport movement technique
- Dynamic analysis of motion
 - Plantar pressure distribution diagnosis
 - Development of insoles
 - Isokinetic dynamometrics
- Prevention of injuries falling techniques
- Analysis and application of personal self-defence techniques
- Research and Diagnostics of movement abilities
- > Qualitative and quantitative physical activity indicators of selected population segments
- Movement skills development and population fitness
 - Intervention programs effectiveness (stimulation of strength, speed, endurance, flexibility, coordination skills)
 - The effectiveness of different types of sports training periodization
 - Economy of endurance running (influence of step technique and the ground)
 - Intervention programs influence on movement economy
 - Intervention programs influence on selected indicators of population fitness

Biomedical Aspects of Movement

Nutrition issues

- Metabolic syndrome research
- Population nutritional characteristics research
- Children population nutrition
- Food nitrates and muscular performance
- Sports nutrition

Exercise and Health

- Physical activity and health status
- The effect of physical activity on the course of selected oncological diseases treatment
- Sports Physiotherapy
- Overtraining of children doing sports
- Research of human posture diagnostic optimization methods
- Research of body reactions to extreme physical and mental stress
- Back and peripheral hand circulation muscles dysfunction while working on PC
- Workplace ergonomics and its modification to reduce sick leave days
- Physical activity risks and methods of their identification
- Physical activity and obesity (total, segmented)
- Sarcopenia and physical activity
- Different types of physical activity impact on changes in microRNA profile

> Anthropometric and somatometrical characteristics of different population groups

Social Aspects of Physical Education and Sport

- > Physical activity risks and methods of their identification
- Managerial-economic aspects
 - Sport management research center
 - Managerial concepts of quality and performance and their integration into sports organizations
 - Business in sport
 - Sport organizations professionalization

Pedagogical aspects

- Application of pedagogical knowledge into an environment of physical education and sport
- Research of education, gradation and professionalism of sports teachers
- Education towards safe behavior

> Psychological aspects

- The issue of senior age experience of an active aging (old age) in good physical condition, intergenerational connection
- Physical activity for people with specific needs (with regard to age and environment leisure, school)

Sociological aspects

- Pathological phenomena in sport, causes and prevention
- Movement from the sociological point of view
- The relationship of sociodemographic characteristics and physical activity
- Active forms of transport in the context of the Czech sedentary society

MUNI SPORT Research Methods

BIOMOTOR LABORATORY

- 3D kinematic analysis: SIMI motion
- Dynamometric platform and walkway: Bertec, Provec, FitroForce
- Stabilometric platform: FitroSway
- Analysis of pressure distribution: Emed, Pedar
- Telemetry systems including EMG: Mye, Vernier
- Accelerometer sensors: ActiGraph, Garmin

HEALTH SUPPORT LABORATORY

- Bioelectrical impedance: In Body 230
- Indirect calorimetry: Cortex Metylyzer 3B
- Software NutriPro

LABORATORY OF SPORTS MEDICINE

- Bicycle ergometer: KETTLER Ergorace, ERGOLINE Ergoselect 200, LODE Excalibur,
- Treadmills: LODE Katana, SAPILO Warulu,
- Analyzers of respiratory gases: CORTEX Metalyzer 3B, OXYCON Mobile,
- Spirometry: SPIROBANK, MICRO Plus
- Analyzers of heart rate variability: VarCor, TF4 DiANS PF8/4,
- Thermographic cameras: FLUKE TiR, FLIR, SC260
- Jump ergometer: FITTRONIC,
- Anthropometric instrumentarium





MUNI SPORT **Activities and projects**

- Biomechanical shoes and insoles (cooperation with company Boty Hanák)
- Interventional exercises for patient with leukemia – PA influence on patients with oncological problems





Activities and projects

FINISHED PROJECTS:

- Nutrition and efficiency of muscle power
- Kinematical analysis of gate in pregnancy
- Analysis of game aspect in tennis
- Load intensity during game in elite basketball female players
- Plyometric intervention and efficiency of running and cycling
- Testing process in elite volleyball female teams
- Comparison of Czech and international governmental elite sport support
- Identity of Police organizations
- PA of school kids accelerometric measurement