

Hartpury Men's Rugby

MSc Performance Analysis Studentship Opportunity

The Hartpury Rugby Academy are looking for a performance analyst to join their team for the upcoming 2025-26 academic year

The MSc Studentship offers a part funded place on Hartpury University's MSc Applied Performance Analysis in Sport degree whilst undertaking a year-long placement with Hartpury BUCS Super Rugby team. This is a fantastic opportunity to combine studying a postgraduate degree at one of the top sporting universities in the UK whilst also gaining real world experience in a high performance rugby environment



7

Studentship responsibilities will include the following:

- The placement is a minimum of 8 hours per week
- The placement will require you to start in pre-season (August) through to the end of the season (May)
- Filming and coding of both training sessions and matches, home and away
- Delivery of individual, unit and team-based analysis sessions
- Managing the creation and development of individual player/team clip library on HUDL
- Contributing to projects and reports to the Performance Analysis department
- Regular communication and engagement with the Head Coach in ensuring the smooth running of analysis provision in the programme
- Completing your postgraduate research project alongside our university strategic direction with the aim of
 actively contributing to our evolving postgraduate research and knowledge exchange community and
 impacting our applied Sports Academy provision.
- Opportunities to support the Gloucester Rugby Senior analysts to film and capture training sessions during the 2025/26 Gallagher Premiership season

Person Specification

Essential

Ν

7

- A 2.1 undergraduate degree in related field (although this is open to discussion based on application)
- A positive work ethics and a willingness to learn
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills
- Trustworthy and reliable

Desirable

- Experience using performance analysis equipment such as filming rugby matches and confident working with technology
- Familiarity with performance analysis software
- Sound knowledge of Rugby
- Rugby coaching qualifications

Studentship benefit

- Part-funded tuition towards the MSc Applied Performance Analysis in Sport degree
- Involved with performance analysis in one of the most successful educational rugby programmes in the UK
- Access to world-class facilities and equipment which includes HUDL Sportscode, HUDL Studio, NacSport, Veo and IP Cameras to aid in your development as a performance analyst
- Opportunity to network with professional and semi-professional clubs, players and coaches both nationally
 and internationally
- Gym membership for the Sports Academy, staff kit and free parking
- Membership to our PG Studentship Group who meet regularly for CPD, sharing of good practice and reflection sessions



At Hartpury, we firmly believe you can achieve academically whilst performing within our sports academies. In ensuring that all MSc Studentship recipients achieve their academic potential, all students are required to adhere to academic regulations and meet the expectations set out in our Hartpury University Academy Scholarship document. Such expectations include attendance, engagement, application, values, behaviour (on and off campus) and athletic performance.

To apply for the Postgraduate Studentship: Please scan the QR Code and complete the application form

To inquire further into this Studentship:

Please contact, Dr Martin Longworth, Senior Lecturer in Sports Coaching, Martin.Longworth@hartpury.ac.uk



Closing date: Monday 28th April 2025