

**The aim of Tertiary Sports W.A. PracConnect is to provide a link between University and TAFE practicum students and Sport, Fitness and Recreation Clubs and Organisations in the community that offer opportunities for students to gain valuable practical experience in the field.**

<b>PROJECT # 10009</b>		<b>Updated: 23.8.09</b>
<p><b>Description</b> The aim of the project will be to create and implement a Youth Judo Development Plan including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Strategic Plan</li> <li>• Marketing Plan (<i>including recruitment strategies</i>)</li> <li>• Development of youth judo services/courses</li> <li>• Sponsorship Prospectus</li> <li>• International Exchange</li> </ul>		
<p><b>Outcome(s)</b> Increased community awareness of UWA Judo Club products &amp; services Substantial growth of new junior memberships leading to increased tertiary memberships and increased representation at State, National &amp; International events.</p>	<p>Visiting Coach from Japan Mr. Wakayama</p>	
<p><b>Host Organisation</b> UWA Judo Club <a href="http://www.judouwa.com.au">www.judouwa.com.au</a> <i>The UWA Judo Club has been operating for 20 years. It has developed strong relationships with clubs &amp; universities in Japan, China, the Middle East and South Africa. The Club aims to develop their youth judo component over the next five years resulting in a clearly defined pathway for young sportspersons with an interest in judo from primary school, through high school and on to university.</i></p>		
<p><b>Venue</b> The UWA Judo Club operates out of the UWA International Martial Arts Centre. Student(s) will be expected to spend some of their time at the operational venue. Computers, resources and work stations will be available for students to utilize at the Tertiary Sports W.A. office located at the UWA Sports Park, Mt Claremont. TSWA Regional Manager will also be available in a support capacity.</p>		
<p><b>Induction</b> Student(s) will undergo a short induction to the Club, parent body (UWA Sport &amp; Recreation Association) and Tertiary Sports W.A.</p>		
<p><b>Time Commitment</b> 100 to 150 hours <i>Note: student(s) will be expected to attend some youth judo sessions at the Club as part of their orientation; some meetings with Club Executives may occur after normal working hours; Project planning days &amp; times will be flexible</i></p>		
<p><b>Desired knowledge/skills/attributes</b> Knowledge of Judo would be beneficial but not essential. Students should possess the ability to work under minimal supervision. Basic computer skills including microsoft word &amp; excel.</p>		
<p><b>Skills/knowledge that may be developed through involvement in the project</b> Strategic planning tools; marketing strategies; event/program development &amp; management; web site management; knowledge of community grants &amp; funding available for sporting organisations</p>		
<p><b>Contact Person</b> Jeannette Meakins, Manager of Regional &amp; International Sport, Tertiary Sports W.A. Phone: 6488 3922 Mobile: 0411 103 683 E-mail: <a href="mailto:tswa@sport.uwa.edu.au">tswa@sport.uwa.edu.au</a> <i>Student(s) will also be expected to meet with Executive Officers and Coaches of the Club at times to discuss their vision.</i></p>		
<p><b>Interested Students</b> Should forward their 'Expression of Interest' by e-mailing the Contact Person listed above listing their full name, contact phone number &amp; e-mail address, tertiary institution, course, year of study along with the number of prac hours required and preferred start &amp; finish dates.</p>		