PROFESSIONAL SNOWSPORTS EDUCATION, CERTIFICATE

Requirements for an undergraduate certificate may be completed at any campus location offering the specified courses for the certificate.

Program Description
This nine credit certificate program introduces students to professional snowsports education and focuses on three components. First component, becoming a member of the Professional Ski Instructors of America- American Association of Snowboard Instructors (PSIA-AASI), preparing for and completing the level I certificate. Second component, learning about snowsports areas and leadership responsibilities when working in winter environments (including nutrition, group management, health and safety, fitness and physical conditioning). Final component, developing an understanding of leisure and the role it plays in people lives and theories that can help in enhancing the guest experience.

What is Professional Snowsports Education?
The Snowsports Education Certificate program is a 9 credit certificate that guides students on a first step into teaching people about snowsports and understanding the snowsports industry. The program is available in a convenient hybrid format, with most course content taught on-line and a three day snow assessment course which can be taken in various snowsport resorts across the country.

You Might Like This Program If...
- You enjoy winter sports and spending time with people who are learning new skills.
- You want to provide potential employers with a credential that shows your expertise in teaching about snowsports.