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TSC MEN'S ULTIMATE STANDINGS

3rd place at Bellingham Invite
(2017-18)

1st place Northwest
Challenge (2016-17)

13th at USAU Nationals
(2016-17)

1st place Canadian Western
University Ultimate
Championships (2016-17)

1st place Canadian Western University Ultimate Championships (2015-16)

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SPORT CLUBS

UBC THUNDERBIRDS

MEN'S ULTIMATE SPORT CLUB



UBC TSC: Your Community on Campus

UBC Thunderbirds Sport Clubs are opportunities for highly competitive students to officially represent the university in sports at the non-varsity level, to build community, and to gain leadership and sport management skills. If you trained in one of the available sports in high school, or are looking to diversify your athletic skillset find out more about how to join at sportclubs.ubc.ca.



TRAVEL FOR COMPETITION

Teams travel locally, across Canada and internationally to compete against other universities and clubs.



STUDENT LED TEAMS

Each Sport Club is managed by a team of student executives that take care of all the administrative tasks, finances, marketing, travel and safety logistics, and everything in between.



TRAIN AND COMPETE WITH FRIENDS

Most Sport Clubs athletes train and compete on a weekly basis with their teammates during the year. UBC TSC also hosts socials and events to mingle with 300+ student athletes.



THE SPORT CLUBS EXPERIENCE

"UBC TSC Ultimate provides an opportunity for students to play against the top college teams in North America and compete at the highest level of college ultimate. Joining our team will also give you access to our world class coaches, and teammates that will push you to be the best player you can be. Through this team you will also make friendships and memories that will last a lifetime."

— Ryan Hoy

UBC Thunderbird Men's Ultimate Sport Club

ACADEMICS

UBC Thunderbirds Sport Clubs (UBC TSC) is open to any Undergraduate, Graduate, or Exchange Students across all faculties and disciplines. Participants must enroll in at least 9 credits per semesters (three courses) with minimum good academic standing, both semester and cumulative.

Practices/Competitions and Academics

Thunderbirds Sport Clubs athletes are students first and athletes second. Athletes are expected to balance their sport and their academics in a responsible and organized manner. Since competition schedules may require the team to be away for competitions on weekends, athletes should look ahead to coordinate competitions alongside their academic commitments. It is ultimately up to the individual athlete to choose how to manage their time. It is important that the student works with their professors to make up for any missed assignments or exams in advance.

COMPETITION AND TRAINING

The UBC TSC Men's Ultimate Sport Club typically practices and trains approximately three times per week, at two-three hours per practice (two hours weeknights, three hours weekends), from November to May. Additional practices are organized as needed throughout the season. Team practices are held around Vancouver depending on field availability. While all athletes are offered an equal opportunity to compete, playtime varies depending on skill set, work ethic, practice attendance, and situational variables like academic commitments.

Men's Ultimate competes as part of the USA Ultimate (USAU) Collegiate Circuit in Division I. The majority of the season is spent competing against colleges along the Pacific Northwest Coast of the United States, from Washington to California, in addition to hosting regular games against the University of Victoria.

Yearly Calendar

Practices: Competitions:

November - May January - End of May

Time Commitment

Team Activites: Individual Activities:
6 to 10 hours per week 2 to 6 hours per week

Try-outs and Requirements

The Men's Ultimate Sport Club hosts open tryouts in the beginning of the academic year, usually in late October.

Broken into three rounds, the first two tryouts are open to all prospective athletes, with the third round by invitation only. While previous ultimate frisbee experience is not required, many previous players have competed in CUC JR or YCC (or international equivalent). Several athletes on UBC TSC Men's Ultimate have played professionally (Vancouver Riptide or Vancouver Nighthawks) or participated as U24/ U20 Team Canada Athletes. The Head Coach will select the final competition roster of 23-28 players by early November.

OUTSIDE OF THE SPORT

Fundraisers

The Men's Ultimate Sport Club holds a number of fundraisers throughout the year such as bar nights and merchandise sales to alleviate individual team fees. Funds are also used to support team travel expenses.

Philanthropic Work

Many members of the Men's Ultimate Sport Club volunteer as coaches at local high schools or junior clubs, in addition to helping out at Vancouver Ultimate League's clinics. UBC TSC Men's Ultimate also participates at UBC TSC's annual Spin-a-Thon, in partnership with Right to Play, to raise awareness and funds for Aboriginal youth in their pursuit for sport.