



Be a Leader in Sport Management

MASTER IN SPORT BUSINESS BARGELONA



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10 months (60 ECTS)

MASTER IN SPORT BUSINESS BLENDED BARCELONA



"It is a program that responds specifically to what sports companies demand".

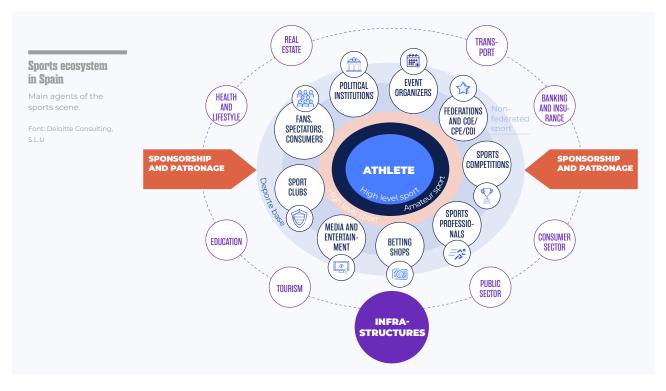
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The sports industry already accounts for 1% of the world's GDP and is one of the professional sectors with the highest economic growth. This fact has favored the creation of new professions and jobs, as well as a greater specialization in the management of companies. However, in an increasingly competitive and constantly changing market, it is necessary to have better prepared professionals.

The professionalization of sport requires, therefore, a constant updating of knowledge as well as management specialists who are familiar not only with the most current tools for correct decision making, but also with the specifics of the sports sector.

The Master in Sport Business is a 10-month program that delves into the most important aspects of management applied to the sport business.

Classes with expert faculty closely linked to sport, are combined with master classes with exclusive guest lecturers from the world of sport management, outdoor visits (field trips) and a study trip that will enrich the experience you'll have in Barcelona with your classmates, broadening your network of contacts in the sporting world. In addition, each module of the Master will include some hours online.



OBJECTIVES

6 GOALS TO HELP YOU EXCEL PROFESSIONALLY

We have designed a master's degree close to business reality, which offers you the vision to recognize business opportunities and anticipate changes. Prepare yourself to make the most of the resources of any company or sports organization.

These are the main objectives of the Master in Sport Business.

- 1. To obtain a strategic vision of the sports industry from a business perspective.
- 2. Create new market opportunities through entrepreneurship and innovation.
- 3. Use the most innovative practices in sports marketing and develop effective branding and sponsorship strategies.
- 4. Lead professional teams and obtain the best results from them.
- 5. Interpret the financial statements of a sports organization and create financing strategies for new projects and ventures.
- 6. Optimize the management of sports facilities and events.





STUDY PLAN

13 MODULES, 60 ECTS

This master's degree consists of 12 modules, distributed over two semesters, and a final project (MFP) that is carried out throughout the course. The entire structure of the program has been designed to meet the needs of today's sports industry.

Both the approach and the level of demand, ensure that you will have the right knowledge and skills to guide your professional career in sport management.

- 2 Strategic Management 6 ECTS
- Governance in Sport 3 ECTS
- 4 People Management 3 ECTS
- Financial Management 6 ECTS
- nnovation and entrepreneurship 3 ECTS
- / Commercial Management 3 ECTS
- Sport Facility Management 6 ECTS
- Sport Event Management 6 ECTS
- Sport Sponsorship 6 ECTS
- Sport Media 3 ECTS
- Digital Transformation 3 ECTS

THROUGHOUT THE MASTER

Final Project 6 ECTS

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

The program includes visits to sport facilities and entities that provide an on-the-ground and first-hand understanding of what management challenges are faced on a day-to-day basis, in the hands of active professionals.

The program may be subject to change. The institution reserves the right to cancel the edition of the program if it does not meet the minimum number of students.

10 MONTHS OF EDUCATION, 5 EXTRAS FOR A CHALLENGE

Studying at Johan Cruyff Institute grants you access to a broad variety of sports entities, plus it is a very rewarding experience. This is just a preview of what you will find in a master's degree designed by and for sports lovers:

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Personal and professional growth

The investment you make for a few months ensures a lasting impact on your career and is an experience for life.

3.

Job opportunities

We compile for you a list of job offers from around the world in the field of sports and send them to you on a weekly basis.

4.

Development of the skills and competencies most demanded by sports companies

At Johan Cruyff Institute we sign agreements with different entities in the sports sector to provide you with professional opportunities with great future prospects.

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A full program of online seminars with industry experts is an excellent opportunity to expand your professional network.

5.

Study trip

If you want to go further, the program offers you the possibility of a trip where you will continue your education while living an unforgettable experience.



AN ALL-AROUND MASTER

The Master in Sport Business covers a wide field of knowledge: whatever your goals, you will have opportunities in different professional fields.

We are closely linked to the sports industry, and we constantly update our programs so that they respond to the needs of the sports entities. These are some of the job opportunities within your reach:

SPORTS COMPETITION

Sports director of clubs, federations and sports organizations.

MANAGEMENT OF SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS

Financial manager in sports organizations. Human resources manager in sports organizations. Director of sports and leisure companies.

SPORTS FACILITIES AND EVENTS

Director of sports facilities.

Director of sporting events companies.

COMMUNITY SPORTS

Manager of sports complexes and municipal facilities. Manager of non-profit sports foundations. Sport manager in public organizations.

SPORTS CONSULTING

Sports services advisor.

MARKETING AND SPONSORSHIP

Director of marketing for sports organizations.
Sponsorship manager for sports organizations.
Fan engagement specialist.
Sports industry data analyst.
Partnerships manager.
Market analyst.







PEDAGOGICAL MODEL

YOU ARE THE PROTAGONIST

Immerse yourself in an ecosystem designed to improve your performance: progress alongside professionals from the sports industry, with the constant assistance of a program manager, teachers who accompany and guide you, and a teaching team that has taken care of every detail of the master's program.



This is how you learn:

Learning by doing

Learn theoretical concepts and quickly put them into practice while using the most innovative tools in sport management. By using Johan Cruyff Institute's pedagogical model, you train "technique" and "tactics" through 'learning by doing', where the lived experience is the main source of knowledge.

Teamwork

Work on projects with people of different nationalities and professional backgrounds who share the same team spirit and passion for sport. Have fun, learn from your colleagues, share your points of view with them and participate together in debates that are as diverse as they are enriching.

Challenging business cases

Face real business challenges, tackling the challenges that companies in the sports sector face on a daily basis.

Personally present your solutions to Johan Cruyff Institute and its partner companies, who challenge you with specific strategic problems.

Different learning environments

Imagine a master's program that goes beyond the boundaries of the classroom. Thanks to technology, you will have access to the virtual campus, the e-learning platform that supports your academic progress and facilitates collaborative team work. Thanks to field trips and the international study trip, you will get to know different companies and sports organizations first-hand.

You are at the center

We accompany you, but we are demanding. We guide you, but you are responsible for your learning process. We prepare you, but in this race, you are the one who competes.

RESOURCES AT YOUR FINGERTIPS

- Case studies developed as a team
- Projects that respond to real business challenges
- Business simulations
- 4 Discussions and forums
- Webinars and live chats
- **6** ICT apps and management tools
- 7 Self-assessment exercises
- (8) Virtual resources
- **9** Research
- Links to bibliographic references

THE MASTER THAT FITS YOUR LIFE

Make your studies compatible with your work and personal life: enjoy all the advantages and flexibility of online education without giving up the immersive and rewarding experience of face-toface sessions.

Maximum adaptability

Face-to-face and online classes are coordinated and run simultaneously throughout the course to achieve common objectives. The face-to-face classes are the backbone of the master's degree and are held on Fridays and some Thursday afternoons. Based on this central axis, you will usually be asked to work on a series of contents and activities before and after each of these sessions. During the course, the teacher will set the work guidelines, the "training rhythm", but you will manage your own time and dedication.

You never walk alone

During the classes, the teachers continuously monitor your progress and help you improve your performance. In face-to-face classes, you put theory into practice, but you also have access to theoretical webinars to reinforce your knowledge. When you use the resources of the digital platform, you are in contact with a teacher who can answer your questions at any time.

Final project and cross-cutting projects

They are the opportunity to put into practice everything you are learning and to put your knowledge into practice by carrying out a real project. You will be developing a real project with the help of a tutor during your preparation. Also, throughout the course, you will participate in a series of seminars where specialists and entrepreneurs in the sports sector will present their business initiatives. Is there a better source of inspiration for your projects?

Voluntary internships

Football clubs, federations, sports complexes, event and sport marketing companies, intermediary agencies, consulting firms—every year we sign agreements with different entities in the sports sector to meet your preferences, whatever your professional interests may be. In this program, internships are extracurricular, but if you are interested in doing one you can apply for any the offers that we publish in the virtual classroom of the master's degree or select the company that interests you the most and we will guide you through the process to provide you with the best experience.

5-8 h on campus weekly

5-6 h online weekly

750 hours of voluntary internships (non-curricular)

ADVANTAGES

- You can pursue education while you continue working, training, and competing.
- You can study from anywhere you want, but always in direct contact with your teachers.
- You have flexible hours to progress at your own pace.
- · You do some excellent networking.
- You learn from the direct experience of professionals in the sports sector.

+120
AGREEMENTS
WITH
COMPANIES,
FEDERATIONS
AND CLUBS

YOUR TRAVEL COMPANIONS

If you believe that the exchange of ideas multiplies talent and you want to educate yourself in a cosmopolitan environment, you're in the right place. At Johan Cruyff Institute, you will meet people with diverse cultures, from different countries and professional backgrounds, but who have in common their passion for sport.

AVERAGE AGE YEARS

MEN

PROFESSIONAL ATHLETES

ALREADY WORK IN THE SPORTS INDUSTRY

NATIONALITY

SPANISH

68% INTERNATIONAL

WOMEN

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

35%

MARKETING AND COMMUNICATION

22%

MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

14%

SPORT

29%

OTHER







"Every person you meet opens a door to a new experience. Beyond what you learn is who you learn with".

JÚLIA BARBANY Master in Sport Business (Spanish edition) Academic Year 2020-21



"The different nationalities of the students have allowed me to learn about other cultures, something that I consider of inestimable value".

LUCA VASARIMaster in Sport Business
(Spanish edition)
Academic Year 2020-21

AN EXPERIENCE BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

At Johan Cruyff Institute you will enjoy an educational experience that breathes sport through and beyond. Imagine a program where you can share experiences and opinions with your colleagues, with professional days that are perfect for networking and with inspiring conferences and meetings.

SUPPORT

From the moment we welcome you until the day of your graduation you are permanently supported. Throughout the master's program you will be directly assisted by a program manager who will monitor your progress and you will have the constant assistance of tutors, teachers and the administrative staff of Johan Cruyff Institute.

PASSION

If sport is passion, it is normal that you are connected to people full of energy, classmates, teachers, professionals in the sports industry who share this differentia value with you and who pass on their excitement for what they do.









PROFESSIONAL NETWORKING

You have different opportunities to expand your professional network through the different conferences and events we have scheduled. These are some of them:

- Step Day: a day of scheduled interviews to connect master's degree participants with sports companies and facilitate access to professional internships at companies in the sector.
- Study trip: we give you the option of going on a study trip (not included in the program price) where you can complement your education with unforgettable moments.
- The Challenge: Amsterdam-Barcelona conference: Master's students from both cities share a day in Barcelona where they form teams and solve a business challenge. We encourage you to participate.
- Visits to sports entities and facilities guided by managers who will introduce you to their management model.
- The C Room: the webinars
 where current topics in the
 sports industry are presented
 and you can discuss them
 online with students from all
 over the world.

SOCIAL NETWORKING

A master's degree is a professional launch pad, but also an adventure that is lived in the company of your classmates. In the classrooms you share experiences, motivations, and friendships are born that, on occasions, lead to professional relationships.

- Kick off: the opening ceremony of the master's program and the moment when we welcome you and you meet your professors and classmates. It is held in person and virtually.
- Play Time: football, tennis, water polo... every month you have the opportunity to practice a different sport, share effort and boost team spirit together with the participants of the different programs in Barcelona.
- Graduation ceremony: the moment to celebrate with your classmates that you have successfully completed a stage full of effort and dedication.

You enjoy invitations and discounts at the main congresses and conferences in the sports industry, so you'll always be up to date and get the most out of your master's degree. And you also have reduced-price tickets to various sporting events.

THE BEST NETWORK OF COLLABORATORS

We work with different institutions and collaborating companies that actively participate in meetings, conferences and activities. Together we have woven a network where there is a constant transfer of talent and knowledge, which enriches us mutually.

























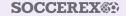












MARIËL KOERHUIS

General Manager of Johan Cruyff Institute



On the way to the top

At Johan Cruyff Institute, we offer you the tools and the learning environment you need for a successful career in the sports industry, a scenario as uncertain as it is full of opportunities, where quality professional education is more essential than ever.

But the road to the top is not easy: the route requires breaking down barriers and overcoming obstacles, keeping pace with the technological revolution, innovating and adapting to the dizzying changes that companies and sports organizations are undergoing. So, whether you are an athlete or not, get ready to start a rigorous and competitive study program, which will demand effort, perseverance and discipline, and where your drive and mentality will be great allies to achieve success.

At Johan Cruyff Institute, we accompany you on this exciting journey along which you will grow personally and professionally, and with every step you take towards the top, you become stronger.

At Johan Cruyff Institute, sport permeates everything: it is present in every class, in every tutorial, in every little detail, in the atmosphere you breathe and in the spirit we share as teachers, students and collaborators.

We welcome you to the institution where your passion is also your professional future, where we listen to your needs, and where we transmit the knowledge and experience that only those closely linked to the sports industry have.

JOHAN CRUYFF INSTITUTE

THE OFFICE AS SEEN FROM THE FIELD

Johan Cruyff Institute is a business school founded in 2002, specialized in the sport management training of athletes and professionals in the sports industry.

We grew out of an idea of Johan Cruyff, who decided to create an educational institution to help athletes enter the world of work. This plan was brought to life with a ground-breaking approach that he would describe as "thinking from the playing field transferred to the boardroom", and thus transferring all his experience as a player and coach to the business environment.

During these two decades we have progressed and adapted along with the times, while always remaining faithful to our philosophy of "learning by doing" and advancing side by side with our students. And, above all, looking to the future, to give them all the knowledge and innovation demanded by today's sports industry, where areas that did not exist a short time ago, currently offer a wealth of great opportunities.

As a result, more than 9,500 graduates of Johan Cruyff Institute work as sport managers around the world, in areas as diverse as business administration and management, marketing and leadership in sport management.

What began as a pioneering initiative that looked at the professional world from the sport perspective, has become a consolidated and global sport management education project, which today has centers in Spain, the Netherlands, Mexico and Peru, but also reaches all over the world thanks to our extensive experience in online learning. What's more, Johan Cruyff Institute offers programs that have official accreditations from universities and master's degrees that are well placed in the ranking lists for sport management education.

We like to think that this recognition and the achievements obtained are the result of our own work culture, where sport, innovation and academic quality share the focus with social commitment.





+9,500 **STUDENTS**

CAMDIICE

CAMPUSES



BARCELONA AMSTERDAM LIMA MEXICO CITY **56**% ON CAMPUS

44% ONLINE

+90 Academic

programs

DELEGATIONS WORLDWIDE

Rankings SportBusiness International Magazine SEPTEMBER 2022

TOP40
GLOBAL

RANKINGS MASTER IN SPORT MANAGEMENT

2nd

WORLDWIDE

MASTER IN SPORT MANAGEMENT ONLINE INTERNATIONAL AGENTS IN 18 DIFFERENT COUNTRIES

- · Australia
- · Brazil
- · Chile
- · Colombia
- Denmark
- El Salvador
- · Faroe Islands
- Guatemala
- Iceland
- · Ireland
- · Israel
- Italy
- Mexico
- · Middle East
- Norway
- Peru
- · Venezuela

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Teachers

15

Universities and international partners

+150

Agreements with companies, federations and clubs

LEARN FROM THE BEST PROFESSIONALS

Businessmen, executives, managers, entrepreneurs, researchers... Your teachers are passionate about teaching, but they combine their educational role with their day-to-day work in their companies, their consultancies and their various professional activities.

The Johan Cruyff Institute faculty is made up of professionals from the sports industry who know how to connect what they teach in the classroom with their experience in their day-to-day business. They do it through case-based teaching, simulations, workshops, forming interdisciplinary work teams and bringing the experience and practical reality of their work closer to you.





FACULTY TEAM

Working with professionals implies that the list of professionals may eventually be subject to change. In any case, we always ensure the highest teaching quality.



"We stand out for our firm commitment to practical training, supported by a teaching staff that is well acquainted with the latest trends in sport management."

VÍCTOR JORDÁN
PROFESSOR OF THE
MASTER IN SPORT
MANAGEMENT ONLINE.
Academic Director at
Johan Cruyff Institute

MARTIJN BAKX

Martijn Bakx is a media rights manager at Mediapro. With over 20 years of experience, he currently oversees all international broadcasting rights sales for LaLiga. In addition to that, he is responsible for new sport-related media projects within the Mediapro Group.

Martijn started in the sports business as a promoter of football and basketball games. In his role as executive producer, he was responsible for the European Basketball Championships in 2007 and the Euroleague Final Fours in 2009 and 2010. As a rights manager, Martijn strategically assesses business opportunities, from both the sales and the acquisition perspectives, for the domestic Spanish market as well as on a global scale. In recent years, in addition to his work for LaLiga. Martijn has started up ambitious media projects in Canada, France and Belgium.

BRUNO BATLLE

Bruno is General Manager at CE Sabadell FC SAD. He is also General Manager at Prime Time Sport.

JOSÉ LUIS BELTRÁN

José Luis Beltrán is digital project manager at FC Barcelona and a specialist in fan engagement, digital strategy & analytics. In his position, he leads the communication and integration tasks between the commercial, marketing, operations and customer service departments from a technological perspective. He is also responsible for communication projects, negotiation and consensus in decision-making between business and technology, as well as the management of e-commerce and m-commerce

MARC BERNADICH

Marc Bernadich is PhD in Business Entrepreneurship and Management. Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona. He has been director of business studies at Manresa-Fundació Universitària del Bages (FUB) for more than 14 years, and is professor of entrepreneurship and innovation in sports organizations. He holds a PhD in business administration and management from the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona.

DAVID HIDALGO

David is CEO at Grand Valira Soldeu Ski Resort, general manager of the Andorra 2027 World Ski Championships bid. and president of the Andorra Esports Cluster. He has extensive experience in the ski industry. resort planning and operations, organizing world-class sporting events and the management of tourism and leisure activities. David is a lecturer on programs in sport management and sport event management, and is also an expert in finance, innovation and information technology.

KEPA LARUMBE

Kepa Larumbe is director of the legal department of BDO in Spain. He is a specialist in sports law with extensive experience in managing litigation before sports governing bodies (Consejo Superior de Deportes and Tribunal Administrativo del Deporte), international arbitration bodies (Court of Arbitration for Sport based in Lausanne, Switzerland) and law courts in the areas of administrative, civil and labour litigation.

JORDI MORENO

Jordi has a PhD in health and sports psychology from the UAB. He is currently a training and selection consultant at Randstad. He has more than 10 years of teaching experience and collaborates as a professor at the UAB, the UOC and Johan Cruyff Institute in areas such as sport psychology, motivational psychology, people management and leadership.

ROSER DE PUIG

Roser de Puig is project manager of the institutional relations, public relations and protocol department of FC Barcelona, and has a degree in law and a master's degree in sports law. Roser joined FC Barcelona in September 2021 after leading the organization of Euro 2020 in Seville within the Spanish Football Federation.

VERÓNICA RIERA

Verònica Riera is project manager at Advance Inspiring Social Innovation, a strategic consultant for projects linking the world of sport and the social sphere, and a university lecturer at Ramón Llull. With a master's degree in sport management and a postgraduate degree in psychology, Verònica comes from the marketing and communication sector and has experience in the organization of sporting events. Verònica was previously director of the Sánchez Casal Academy in Florida for a period of three years, a consultant at Itik Consulting Sport & Leisure, and marketing & communication manager at I-Con Sports.

MAR ROTGER

Mar Rotger is managing director at Grupo Arsenal. As head of business development, she is responsible for the definition and technical planning of sponsorship projects, the development of strategies and commercial operations, the optimization of resources and costs, and the activation of sponsorships and events organization. Prior to joining Grupo Arsenal, Mar was a project consultant at CA Sports, marketing and events manager at the Catalan Volleyball Federation and project management consultant at Aura Sports and Creativialab.

JESÚS OLIVER

Jesús is Director at WEARECEN-TRIC. Digital and Strategic Marketing Consultant. MSc Marketing and Sales Management. ESIC Business School.

JORDI VIÑAS FORT

Managing partner and founder of Itik Consulting Sport & Leisure. Degree in CAFE. Master in Sport Management from Loughborough

University. MBA at Esade. More than 20 years working in the management of sport entities, in the public and private sector, being his areas of expertise strategic planning and facility management. Member of the Social and Educational Research Group of Physical Activity and Sport (GISEAFE).

SERVICES

ALWAYS WITH YOU

Johan Cruyff Institute offers different services to enhance your employability, complete your education and improve your experience before, during and after your studies.



EMPLOYABILITY

Every week we send you a newsletter with job offers from football clubs, companies and sports entities so that you can follow in detail how the job market is evolving in the sports industry and be the first to know about available job opportunities.

In addition, we have built a wide network of professional partners who are looking for talent and turn to us to fill their vacancies. Johan Cruyff Institute selects the best qualified profiles among its network of students according to their suitability.





PROFESSIONAL INTERNSHIPS

Our students are well-trained candidates, able to bring a lot of value to companies and, therefore, perfect for integrating into their teams through the formula of professional internships. These internships are, in turn, an enriching learning experience, and through them you have the opportunity to live the reality of a sports organization and put into practice the knowledge you have acquired.

ALUMNI CRUYFF INSTITUTE

The Alumni Cruyff Institute digital platform allows more than 9,000 students who have studied with us to maintain the links created during their studies, as well as to participate in webinars and training sessions, among other resources.

Connect to this network and get in touch with peers who share your interests and with former students working in companies and institutions around the world, while keeping the spirit of Johan Cruyff Institute alive.

HOSPITALITY

If you are coming to study from outside Spain, we are here to help you. We will help you with the paperwork and provide you with information about accommodation, health insurance, currency and all the details you need to know to make your experience in Barcelona perfect.

HOW DO I ACCESS THE MASTER'S PROGRAM?

To ensure that your experience at Johan Cruyff Institute is excellent, we make sure that your interests match the objectives of the program and that your educational and professional background matches its characteristics.

REQUIREMENTS

To take this master's degree you must meet one of these three requirements:

- · Hold a bachelor's degree, diploma or equivalent.
- Have a minimum of three years of experience in the field of sport management (other fields apply).
- Have developed a career as a professional athlete.

REGISTRATION

Open until the beginning of the master's program or until all places are available or until all places are filled.

The program may be subject to change and may be cancelled if the minimum number of students is not reached.

QUALIFICATION

If you successfully complete the different modules of the study program, you will receive the academic title of Master in Sport Business from Johan Cruyff Institute.

PRICE

The price of this program is:

€ 890 Enrollment Fee +

€ 12,000 Tuition Fee +

€ 30 Registration Fee (the registration fee is non-refundable).

Payment in installments is possible: €3,600 in September 2023 + €4,800 in December 2023 + €3,600 in March 2024.

Special conditions are available for former students and members of related entities.

ADMISSION PROCESS

The final selection of candidates for the master's degree is made through a four-stage admission process:

Pre-registration form

To apply for admission to the program you must fill out a <u>pre-registration form</u> in which you tell us about your personal and professional achievements, so that we can get to know you.

Admissions Committee

The Admissions Committee of Johan Cruyff Institute evaluates your application.

3 Personal interview

You are unique, and that is how we treat you. If you meet the requirements, you will have a personal interview where we will assess whether your aspirations and motivations for pursuing this program are in line with the objectives of the program.

A Admission

Within 72 hours, one of our advisors will contact you. If you have received a positive evaluation, he/she will provide you with all the information you need to enroll in the master's program.



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