



SNOW ACADEMY



## Do you want a great gap year and career change?

Voulez-vous une année sabbatique et un changement de carrière?

## Do you want to become a ski and snowboard Pro?

Voulez-vous devenir un professionnel du ski et du snowboard?



**"The SMS Ski & Snowboard Academy offers you an opportunity to kick-start your career in the exciting and dynamic industry of snow sport instructing through a full-time gap programme"**



**"The academy has for a goal to provide a professional, fun end energetic learning environment, to ensure you as students have a sound knowledge of technical skiing/riding and teaching skills"**



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## Why choose us?

Pourquoi choisir la SMS Ski & Snowboard académie?

L'académie propose une formation de moniteur de ski et de snowboard professionnelle et dynamique dans une atmosphère décontractée, en marge de notre école de ski. Les candidats de l'académie font partie intégrante du staff de l'école de ski. La formation ainsi acquise permet à aux participants d'accroître leurs compétences et expériences tant théoriques que pratiques. L'accès et la formation à l'académie est payante. Le coût de la formation est couvert en partie par la contre-prestation des stages pratiques effectués, en cours privé et en cours collectifs, le solde, par un forfait mensuel, fixe. The academy offers dynamic and fun ski and snowboard instructor training in a casual yet professional atmosphere on the sidelines of our ski school. Academy candidates are an integral part of the ski school staff. The training thus acquired allows participants to increase their skills and experiences, both theoretical and practical. Access and training at the academy pays off. The cost of the training is covered in part by the counter-benefit of the practical training carried out, in private lessons and collective lessons, the balance, by a fixed monthly fee.

La formation est divisée en plusieurs phases, lesquelles comprennent 115 heures de formation sur la neige, sans compter l'acquisition d'une expérience pratique, en situation réelle d'enseignement. L'académie se déroule de début décembre à fin mars. The training programme is divided into several phases, which include 115 hours of training, not to mention the acquisition of practical experience, in real teaching situation. The academy runs from early December to late March.





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**Au terme des 4 mois d'académie, les participants sont très préparés pour poursuivre leur cursus formation au sein des organismes suisses qui délivrent les diplômes de professeurs de ski et de snowboard (SSSA / SSBS), hautement reconnus à travers le monde et grâce auxquels d'excellentes perspectives d'emploi futures sont à envisager.** At the end of such academy, the participants are very well prepared to continue their training course in the Swiss organizations that issue ski and snowboard instructor diplomas (SSSA / SSBS). These Swiss qualifications are highly recognized throughout the world and thanks to which excellent future job prospects are to consider.

**Notez que les candidats que ne nous jugerions pas suffisamment expérimentées ou qui se verrait écartées de la sélection de notre école de ski/snowboard pour des raisons de quotas, peuvent espérer se former au sein de notre académie. Cette alternative permet de maximiser sa saison sur les skis, en se formant et en travaillant contre rémunération. Il faut comprendre notre académie comme étant un solide investissement pour s'ouvrir les portes du monde de l'enseignement du ski et du snowboard. La rémunération des cours données en cours de saison permet de financer tout ou partie du coût de l'académie.** Note that people who we think are not sufficiently experienced or who would be excluded from the selection of our ski / snowboard school for reasons of quotas, can hope to form within our SMS instructor courses academy. This alternative maximizes the season on skis and board, working for pay. Understand our academy as a solid investment to open the doors to the world of ski and snowboard school industries. The remuneration of the working courses given during the season makes it possible to finance all or part of the cost of the academy





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## Brief overview of the academy

L'académie en quelques points

- + Accessibilité financière à l'académie réduite en raison d'une contre-partie des heures d'enseignement données lors des stages pratiques (80 heures) + un coût mensuel fixe (4 x CHF 150.-)
- + Formation professionnelle, en environnement clientèle réel avec stages pratiques, techniques et théoriques variés
- + 115 heures de formation encadrées par des enseignants de ski & de snowboard de qualification mondiale
- + Formation au cœur des magnifiques alpes valaisannes, en Suisse
- + Abonnement de ski pour la saison à Crans-Montana

En option :

Logement en co-location

- + Access to the academy according to a concept proposing a reduced cost of admission in counterpart of the opportunity to train and earn (paid) as you work (80 hours) + a fixed monthly fee (4 x CHF 150.-)
- + Professional training performed in a real client environment with practical, technical and theoretical programs
- + 115 hours of training program supervised by world-class ski & snowboard fully qualified instructors
- + Training in the Swiss Alps in a beautiful and large ski area
- + Ski pass for the season in Crans-Montana resort

In option :

Shared accommodation



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## The costs of the academy

Le coût de l'académie

Académie Academy	Hébergement Accommodation	Participation fixe mensuelle Monthly fixed fees	1 <sup>er</sup> paiement 1 <sup>st</sup> payment	2 <sup>ème</sup> paiement 2 <sup>nd</sup> payment	3 <sup>ème</sup> paiement 3 <sup>rd</sup> payment	4 <sup>ème</sup> paiement 4 <sup>th</sup> payment
			15.11.20xx	31.12.20xx	31.01.20xx	28.02.20xx
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>CHF 800.-</b>				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>CHF 150.-</b>	15.11.20xx	31.12.20xx	31.01.20xx	28.02.20xx

**...+ 80 heures d'enseignement données dans le cadre des stages pratiques**

...+ 80 hours of instructing given in practical-for-real training

**"This training program is also ideal for gap year graduates or anyone who would like to pursue a career in snow sports instruction. The programme is designed to maximise your potential and give you time to develop your personal skiing ability. The long course duration allows you the freedom and flexibility to prepare for all aspects of instructing whilst still enjoying that Crans-Montana resort winter season has to offer"**



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## How to book?

Comment s'inscrire?

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### Etape 1 - Step 1

Envoi de votre dossier de candidature en utilisant la fiche de candidature ci-après annexée.

Le présent document est téléchargeable sur le lien : [www.sms04.ch/index.php/fr/emplois](http://www.sms04.ch/index.php/fr/emplois), sous le point concernant l'académie.

Sending of your application file using the application form attached hereto.

This document can be downloaded from the link: [www.sms04.ch/index.php/en/jobs](http://www.sms04.ch/index.php/en/jobs), under the point concerning the academy.

### Etape 2 - Step 2

Après étude de votre demande pour rejoindre notre académie, et selon une première sélection, nous prenons contact avec vous pour convenir d'un entretien vidéo Skype. After studying your request to join our academy, and according to a first selection, we contact you to arrange a Skype video interview.





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## A quick introduction to Swiss Mountain Sports

L'univers de Swiss Mountain Sports

**Operating in the Valais region of Switzerland and based in Crans-Montana, Swiss Mountains Sports –SMS- is located in one of the most beautiful areas of the Swiss Alps. SMS specialized in all-year provision of carefully-designed sports and outdoor programs for children, teenagers, adults and corporations. We run highly successful winter ski & snowboard programs as well as bike school, summer overnight camps, language courses, summer sports, and more.**

### SKI & SNOWBOARD SCHOOL

Founded in 2004, SMS has built up extensive in ski and snowboard instruction and in a wide range of winter outdoor services, as private lessons and group courses, as well as 'out of the slope' programs. SMS is an official ski & snowboard school and member of the 'Swiss Snowsports' ski schools federation. SMS incorporates an official guide office offering the services of professional IFMGA guides, a Ski & Snowboard Academy.



**SWISS MOUNTAIN SPORTS**

### BIKE SCHOOL

In 2006, SMS designed its own Bike School structure for MTB cross-country, Downhill, E-Bike and Road cycling for both group and private coaching training, and tours. A background in road racing in our youth explains our deep commitment to cycling and from those origins we now have extensive experience on dirt as well as tarmac.

### SUMMER SPORT SCHOOL

SMS accesses the beauty and assets of the Rhone Alps all year round, from the lakes to the high passes. We run a wide range of programs for adults and have been running many day programs for children since summer 2005, all of these carefully adapted to their skill levels and abilities. These include overnight summer camps as well as day-by-day programs.

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FICHE DE CANDIDATURE    à envoyer à [info@sms04.ch](mailto:info@sms04.ch)  
Application form    ←  
to send to info@sms04.ch



Photo  
picture

Nom : .....  
Last name

Prénom : .....  
First name

Adresse principale  
Permanent address

Nationalité : .....  
Nationality

Date de naissance : .....  
Date of birth

NPA + ville  
post code + city

tél. (natel/GSM)  
mobile phone

pays  
country

Skype  
Skype

**Objectif(s) professionnel(s)** Professional / career goals

Date – saison Date – season	société – pays company - country	Description du poste Tasks descriptions	Référence reference





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### Connaissances linguistiques

Languages

Langue maternelle / mother tongue : .....

Langue 1 : .....

Parlé / spoken : .....

écrit / written : .....

1 = notion de base

1 = basic notion

Langue 2 : .....

Parlé / spoken : .....

écrit / written : .....

2 = niveau moyen bas

2 = low level

Langue 3 : .....

Parlé / spoken : .....

écrit / written : .....

3 = niveau moyen haut

3 = low advanced

Langue 4 : .....

Parlé / spoken : .....

écrit / written : .....

4 = bon

4 = advanced

5 = excellent

5 = expert

### Compétences

skills and abilities

Expériences, formations, brevets:

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Qualification and experiences

#### SKI

Niveau technique

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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Technical ability level

#### SNOWBOARD

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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Niveau méthodologique :

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<input type="checkbox"/>							

Methodology level

Basse → haute compétence low to high skills

### AUTRES FORMATIONS DANS LE SPORT

Other sport qualifications

Expériences, formations, brevets:

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Qualification and experiences

