# Hochgebirgsklinik Davos



## SUPERVISION FOR BACHELOR, MASTER AND DIPLOMA PROJECTS

IN EXERCISE-BASED CARDIAC REHABILITATION, PREVENTIVE CARDIOLOGY AND SPORTS CARDIOLOGY PD Dr. med. David Niederseer



## **PARTICIPATION**

Students of sport science, physiotherapy, medicine, and nursing science are welcome to participate.



## **BACKGROUND**

Physical activity and training have proven beneficial on physical and mental well-being, on cardiovascular health and disease. Exercise-based cardiac rehabilitation is therefore recognized as a key component in comprehensive disease management. It has shown to be successful at improving health-related quality of life and cost-effectiveness. Additionally, providing reduced risk of cardiovascular mortality, myocardial infarction, and hospitalization.



#### **AIMS**

The aim of this research is to investigate exercise-based cardiac rehabilitation effects on body composition and functional performance of cardiovascular patients. In a next step the investigation aims to unravel potential gender, age, diagnosis, and training intervention related effects.



#### **TASKS**

- body composition assessment (BIA)
- functional performance assessment (6MWT)
- Cardiopulmonary Pulmonary Exercise Testing (CPET)
- data extraction and analysis
- publication, presentation, and dissemination of data



## **BENEFITS**

- gaining experience in interdisciplinary clinical research
- own research activity
- practical tasks and experience with cardiovascular patients
- close supervision and collaboration
- independent and flexible working
- internal educational opportunities (e.g., journal club attendance, CPET education attendance, etc.)



## DATE

Entrance is possible at any times.



### CONTACT

Interested? Please send a CV and motivational letter to letizia.halbheer@hgk.ch







