



**Master's thesis topics in the area of  
nonprofit management  
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— Dear master's students of the Socioeconomics department,

We, the Silke Boenigk professorship team, are delighted to present the following list of overarching master's thesis topics. The topics may be selected by any students who are pursuing a **master's program within the Socioeconomics department**.

If you are interested in one of the topics, please first contact **the relevant contact person** to discuss your objectives and the structure of your paper.

We are also happy to supervise a master's topic of your own choosing. In this instance, please contact us.

— We wish you the best of success with producing your master's thesis.

Kind regards,

Prof. Dr. Silke Boenigk

P.S.: You can find additional topics relating to the area of public management on the website of [Prof. Dr. Rick Vogel](#).

| No. | Overarching topics                                                                                                                   | Research associate/<br>contact person                           |
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| 1   | Social entrepreneurship in sport as an instrument for the promotion of social sustainability                                         | SJ Weber                                                        |
| 2   | The leverage effect of sports events on sustained sports participation                                                               |                                                                 |
| 3   | Volunteer management strategies in the area of blood donation                                                                        | Sarah Fenske                                                    |
| 4   | Promoting diversity in the area of blood donation                                                                                    |                                                                 |
| 5   | Change processes in nonprofit organizations                                                                                          | Alexander Rödl                                                  |
| 6   | Management strategies for the political influence of nonprofit organizations                                                         |                                                                 |
| 7   | Corporate philanthropy                                                                                                               | Lena Höpken                                                     |
| 8   | Meta-analysis in the area of diversity, equity, and inclusion in nonprofit organizations                                             |                                                                 |
| 9   | Reorientation of fundraising in times of dwindling funding opportunities, based on the example of a psychosocial center for refugees | Silke Boenigk, Lena Höpken and Thorsten van der Velten (SEGEMI) |

A *master's thesis* may be produced either in German or English.