KINESIOLOGY MINOR

for the Undergraduate Minor in Kinesiology

The Kinesiology Program is committed to the study and research of human movement in all its dimensions. Undergraduate study focuses on exercise stress, movement efficiency, and fitness; the social, cultural, and psychological aspects of participation in physical activity and sport; coordination, control and skill physical activity; physical growth, development, and body form throughout the lifespan; the effects of therapeutic techniques of kinesiology upon recovery from physical injury; and the instructional process of teaching/coaching of physical activity and sport.

To obtain a minor, students must complete 12 hours of foundational courses and 9 hours within an area of specialization, including at least 6 hours of 300- and 400-level courses. To learn more, visit the Kinesiology minor website (https://ahs.illinois.edu/kinesiology-minor/).

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Minimum required course work: Students must complete 12 hours of foundational courses and 9 hours within an area of specialization, including at least 6 hours of 300- and 400-level courses. Minimum hours required for completion: 21 hours.

Foundational Courses

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Specialization Areas (choose one) 1:

Exercise Psychology & Health Behavior

Required advanced level courses: 6

* KIN 340 Social & Psychological Aspects of Physical Activity
* KIN 448 Exercise & Health Psychology

Electives (choose at least 1): 3

* KIN 247 Intro to Sport Psychology
* KIN 443 Psychophysiology in Ex & Sport
* KIN 447 Psych of Sport Performance
* KIN 474 Tech-Driven Health Intervention

Exercise Physiology

Required advanced level courses: 6

* KIN 150 Bioscience of Human Movement
* KIN 352 Bioenergetics of Movement

Electives (choose at least 1):

* KIN 451 Skeletal Muscle Physiology
* KIN 452 Clin & Applied Ex Physiology
* KIN 453 Nutrition for Performance
* KIN 470 Exercise Endocrinology

Teaching & Coaching Physical Activity

Required advanced level courses: 6

* KIN 361 Curriculum in Grades K-6
* KIN 362 Curriculum in Grades 7-12

Electives (choose at least 1): 3

* KIN 360 Adapted Physical Education
* KIN 363 Instructional Strategies in PE
* KIN 369 Coaching Strategies
* KIN 460 Technology & Pedagogical KINES

Biomechanics

Required advanced level courses: 6

* KIN 355 Biomechanics of Human Movement
* KIN 457 Motor Learning & Control

Electives (choose at least 1): 3

* KIN 259 Motor Development and Control
* KIN 473 Skill Acquisition Strategies

Cultural & Interpretive Studies

Required advanced level courses: 6

* KIN 249 Sport & Modern Society
* KIN 346 Case Study: Endless Summer

Electives (choose at least 1): 3

* KIN 401 Measure & Eval in Kinesiology
* KIN 442 Body, Culture & Society
* KIN 473 Skill Acquisition Strategies

1 Students are allowed to enroll in courses outside their areas as needed based on advisor approval.

Programs in Kinesiology and Community Health

Undergraduate Programs

- Majors
  - Community Health, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/)
    - optional concentrations
      - Community Health: Health Education, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/health-education-promotion/)
      - Community Health: Health Planning & Administration, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/health-planning-administration/)
      - Community Health: Rehabilitation & Disability Studies, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs/rehabilitation-studies/)
  - Kinesiology, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs/)

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• optional concentrations
  • Kinesiology: Teacher Certification, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs/teacher-certification/)
  • Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/)
  • optional concentrations
  • Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health & Aging, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-aging/)
  • Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health Behavior Change, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-behavior-change/)
  • Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health Diversity, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-diversity/)
  • Interdisciplinary Health Sciences: Health Technology, BS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs/health-technology/)

• Minors
  • Disability Studies (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/disability-studies/)
  • Health Administration (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/health-administration/)
  • Health Technology, Interdisciplinary (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/interdisciplinary-health-technology/)
  • Interdisciplinary Aging (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/aging/)
  • Kinesiology (p. 1)
  • Public Health (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/minors/public-health/)

• Joint Programs
  • Community Health, BS and Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs-public-health-mpmhp/)
  • Community Health, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/community-health-bs-epidemiology-mpmhp/)
  • Kinesiology, BS and Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs-public-health-mpmhp/)
  • Kinesiology, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/kinesiology-bs-epidemiology-mpmhp/)
  • Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS and Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs-public-health-mpmhp/)
  • Interdisciplinary Health Sciences, BS and Epidemiology, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/ahs/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-bs-epidemiology-mpmhp/)

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Kinesiology and Community Health
Kinesiology Department website (http://www.kch.illinois.edu/)
Kinesiology & Community Health faculty (https://ahs.illinois.edu/kch-directory-update/)

College of Applied Health Sciences
Applied Health Sciences College Catalog page (http://catalog.illinois.edu/schools/ahs/academic-units/)
Applied Health Sciences College website (http://www.ahs.illinois.edu/)

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Graduate Programs

• Majors
  • Community Health, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/community-health-ms/)
  • Community Health, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/community-health-phd/)
  • Epidemiology, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/epidemiology-mpmhp/)
  • Health Administration, MHA (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/health-administration-mha/)
  • Health Technology, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/health-technology-ms/)
  • Kinesiology, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/kinesiology-ms/)
  • Kinesiology, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/kinesiology-phd/)
  • Rehabilitation, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/rehabilitation-ms/)
  • Public Health, MPH (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/public-health-mpmhp/)
  • Public Health, MPH & Community Health, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/joint-degree/public-health-mpmhp-community-health-phd/)
  • Public Health, MPH & Food Science & Human Nutrition, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/aces_ahs/joint-degree/food-science-human-nutrition-mpmhp/public-health-mpmhp/)
  • Public Health, MPH & Kinesiology, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/joint-degree/public-health-mpmhp-kinesiology-phd/)
  • Public Health, MPH & Nutritional Science, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs/joint-degree/public-health-mpmhp-nutritional-science-mpmhp/)
  • Public Health, MPH & Social Work, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs_socw/joint-degree/public-health-mpmhp-social-work-phd/)
  • Public Health, MPH & Urban Planning, MUP (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs_faa/joint-degree/public-health-mpmhp-urban-planning-mup/)

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