

**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, EAST BAY**

Designation Code: **2009-10 CAPR 02**

Date Submitted: October 20, 2009

TO: The Academic Senate  
FROM: Committee on Academic Planning & Review (CAPR)  
SUBJECT: MS Kinesiology Option Discontinuances ~~Modification~~  
PURPOSE: For Action by the Academic Senate

**ACTION**

REQUESTED: That the Academic Senate approve the proposed modifications to the Kinesiology MS program, specifically the Discontinuances of the Options in Exercise Physiology, Humanities/Cultural Studies, Professional Perspectives, and Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology; effective for the 2011-12 catalog

**BACKGROUND**

INFORMATION: CAPR unanimously recommended at its October 15 meeting that the Academic Senate approve the proposed modifications to the Kinesiology MS program, specifically:

- Discontinuance of Option in Exercise Physiology
- Discontinuance of Option in Humanities/Cultural Studies
- Discontinuance of Option in Professional Perspectives
- Discontinuance of Option in Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology

Note that CAPR was also presented with a request for approval of Revision of the Degree Program/Major in Kinesiology and voted on this also. CAPR thus also unanimously recommends that the Academic Senate approve this revision but noted that the form submitted needs to be amended to include the following information or equivalent in section 8.b

Department: Department of Psychology

Concern: The Department of Psychology Curriculum Council approved the four new psychology-related courses KIN6411, 6412, 6413 and 6415 but strongly urged that they include PSYC 1000 as a pre-requisite”

CAPR did not recommend that Kinesiology act on this concern or amend its revision documentation in any other way – it considers this to be an internal curriculum decision and the responsibility of the program advisor to ensure that the MS candidates have the required background in Psychology.

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Quarter: **FALL**  
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**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DISCONTINUANCE OF  
OPTION IN EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY**

1. **Department:** KINESIOLOGY
  
2. Full and exact title of program, with name of major for options: Option in Exercise Physiology, M.S. in Kinesiology.
  
3. List of **other options, minors, certificates, or credentials** in the major/department. The department is proposing the elimination of all four (4) options in the graduate program.
  - a. Humanities/Cultural Studies
  - b. Exercise Physiology
  - c. Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology
  - d. Professional Perspectives
  
2. **Purpose** of the Proposed Discontinuance. Gives the department and the students enrolled in the program much more flexibility in designing a program of study. Students will still be able to follow a course of study in exercise physiology/nutrition, though the option name will be eliminated. In addition, it is no longer realistic to offer this option (and the three others) with so few tenure track faculty - who serve a very large undergraduate major as well as the graduate program.
  
3. **How many students** are currently pursuing this option, minor, certificate, or credential?  
10 - 12 students pursue this option each year.
  
4. The **Department is responsible for accommodating students** who are currently pursuing this option, minor, certificate, or credential in finishing their program. The department is prepared to accommodate all current students in the program by offering at least one translatable course each quarter, so that degree completion is processed in a timely manner without disruption to students.
  
5. **RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS:** No additional fees or staffing required – so no resource implications.
  
6. **CONSULTATION** with other affected departments and program committee:
  - a) The following **department(s)** has (have) been consulted and raise **no objections:**  
All Departments in the College of Education and Allied Studies were consulted and there were no objections.
  - b) The following **department(s)** has (have) been consulted and **raise concerns:** N/A  
Department: N/A  
Concern: N/A
  
7. Certification of **DEPARTMENT APPROVAL** by the chair and faculty.  
Chair: Original Signed by Dr. Rita Liberti Date: June 8, 2009  
Rita Liberti, Ph.D., Chair, Kinesiology
  
8. Certification of **COLLEGE APPROVAL** by the dean/associate dean and college curriculum committee.  
Dean/Associate Dean: Original Signed by Dr. Jodi Servatius Date: June 9, 2009  
Jodi Servatius, Ed.D., Interim Dean, CEAS

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**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DISCONTINUANCE OF  
OPTION IN HUMANITIES/CULTURAL STUDIES**

1. **Department:** KINESIOLOGY
2. Full and exact title of program, with name of major for options: Option in Humanities/Cultural Studies, M.S. in Kinesiology.
3. List of **other options, minors, certificates, or credentials** in the major/department. The department is proposing the elimination of all four (4) options in the graduate program.
  - e. Humanities/Cultural Studies
  - f. Exercise Physiology
  - g. Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology
  - h. Professional Perspectives
4. **Purpose** of the Proposed Discontinuance. Gives the department and the students enrolled in the program much more flexibility in designing a program of study. In addition, it is no longer realistic to offer this option (and the three others) with so few tenure track faculty - who serve a very large undergraduate major as well as the graduate program.
5. **How many students** are currently pursuing this option, minor, certificate, or credential?  
2 - 3 students pursue this option each year.
4. The **Department is responsible for accommodating students** who are currently pursuing this option, minor, certificate, or credential in finishing their program. The department is prepared to accommodate all current students in the program by offering at least one translatable course each quarter, so that degree completion is processed in a timely manner without disruption to students.
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**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DISCONTINUANCE OF  
OPTION IN PROFESSIONAL PERSPECTIVES**

1. **Department:** KINESIOLOGY
2. Full and exact title of program, with name of major for options: Option in Professional Perspectives, M.S. in Kinesiology.
3. List of **other options, minors, certificates, or credentials** in the major/department. The department is proposing the elimination of all four (4) options in the graduate program.
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  - b. Exercise Physiology
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  - d. Professional Perspectives
2. **Purpose** of the Proposed Discontinuance. Gives the department and the students enrolled in the program much more flexibility in designing a program of study. Students will still be able to follow a course of study in this general area of study, though the option name will be eliminated. In addition, it is no longer realistic to offer this option (and the three others) with so few tenure track faculty - who serve a very large undergraduate major as well as the graduate program.
3. **How many students** are currently pursuing this option, minor, certificate, or credential?  
12 - 14 students pursue this option each year.
4. The **Department is responsible for accommodating students** who are currently pursuing this option, minor, certificate, or credential in finishing their program. The department is prepared to accommodate all current students in the program by offering at least one translatable course each quarter, so that degree completion is processed in a timely manner without disruption to students.
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**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DISCONTINUANCE OF  
OPTION IN SKILL ACQUISITION/SPORT PSYCHOLOGY**

1. **Department:** KINESIOLOGY
2. Full and exact title of program, with name of major for options: Option in Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology, M.S. in Kinesiology.
3. List of **other options, minors, certificates, or credentials** in the major/department. The department is proposing the elimination of all four (4) options in the graduate program.
  2. Humanities/Cultural Studies
  3. Exercise Physiology
  4. Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology
  5. Professional Perspectives
4. **Purpose** of the Proposed Discontinuance. Gives the department and the students enrolled in the program much more flexibility in designing a program of study. Students will still be able to follow a course of study in this general area, though the option name will be eliminated. In addition, it is no longer realistic to offer this option (and the three others) with so few tenure track faculty - who serve a very large undergraduate major as well as the graduate program.
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This modification is *information to the Senate ONLY!*

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**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF REVISION OF THE  
DEGREE PROGRAM/MAJOR IN KINESIOLOGY**

1. **Department:** KINESIOLOGY
2. Full and exact **title** of major, including degree earned: KINESIOLOGY, M.S.
3. **Purpose** of the proposed revision: To meet current demands in professional fields in Kinesiology. To enable the department to be more flexible in terms of course requirements to better meet the needs of students.
4. List of all **program requirements** including prerequisites and **courses**. A comparison of the existing and proposed portions of the program must be provided. This should be done by copying and pasting the existing catalog section(s) and revising by indicating deleted text using strikethrough (~~deleted text~~), and added text using underline (added text). For sections that are heavily revised, strikethrough the entire pertinent text section (~~text~~) and enter the new text underneath indicated by underline.

**Total required units** in both old and new programs must be included even if there is no change.

**Option Areas**

The M.S. degree has four options:

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1 ~~Humanities/Cultural Studies: Study of the historical, social, cultural and philosophic aspects of sport and exercise.~~

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2 ~~Exercise Physiology: Study of the response of physiological systems to exercise and the limitations of these systems to perform work.~~

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3 ~~Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology: Study of the nature of sensorimotor skill acquisition and performance and the influence of psychological variables.~~

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4 ~~Professional Perspectives: Study of kinesiological phenomena related to the~~

- ~~development of curriculum, programs and facilities for physical education and athletics.~~

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## **Features**

Upon acceptance into the program, students are immediately directed to a faculty member who will assist them in developing a course of study. Emphasis areas include, but are not limited to, exercise physiology, psychology of physical activity, and teaching and coaching.

The department offers a complete range of laboratory facilities and technologies for graduate students. These resources enable comprehensive research opportunities in all ~~option~~ areas of study. ~~Biomechanical digitizing~~ Motion analysis software, gas analysis, biofeedback, coincidence timing, nutritional analysis, and computer statistical packages are examples of available tools.

Other features include the potential for individualized programs of study to meet specific interests and needs, extensive library resources, and a seminar instructional format which stimulates high interaction among students and promotes independent scholarship.

## **Admission to the Program in "Classified Graduate" Status**

[no changes]

## **"Conditionally Classified Graduate" Status**

[no changes]

## **"Unclassified Post-baccalaureate" Status**

[no changes]

## **Advancement to Candidacy**

"Classified Graduate" students are eligible for Advancement to Candidacy based on the criteria given below.



- 1 Maintain a 3.0 grade point average in all graduate work completed.  
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- 2 Complete KPE 6000 in the first two quarters in the program.  
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- 3 ~~Declare in writing to the graduate coordinator the choice of Sport Humanities, Exercise Physiology, Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology, or Professional Perspectives as an option. This declaration must be made before more than 18 units of graduate study have been completed.~~
- 4 Submit to the graduate coordinator an approved program of study developed in conjunction with the appropriate faculty committee.

### **Prerequisite Courses (36-38 units)**

[no changes]

### **Degree Requirements**

The Master of Science degree will be awarded when the general requirements listed below have been successfully completed:

1. Completion of a minimum of ~~46~~ 45 quarter units of approved upper division and graduate courses
2. A minimum grade point average of 3.0
3. ~~Completion of breadth requirements listed below~~  
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4. ~~Completion of an option~~  
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5. Completion of one Capstone Experience:

- a University Thesis
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  - b Department Thesis
  - .
  - c Comprehensive Examination
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6. In addition to departmental requirements, every student must also satisfy the university requirements for graduation which are described in the Graduate and Post-baccalaureate Studies chapter at the beginning of the graduate section in this catalog. These requirements include the 32-unit residence requirement, the five-year rule on currency of subject matter, the minimum number of units of 6000-level courses, the 3.00 grade point average, and the University Writing Skills requirement. For information on meeting the University Writing Skills Requirement, see the testing Web site at [www.testing.csueastbay.edu](http://www.testing.csueastbay.edu) or call 510.885.3661.

Curriculum Requirements (~~46~~ 45 units)

I. Required Course (5 units)

KPE 6000 Foundations of Graduate Research (5)

II. ~~Breadth~~ Core Requirements (~~12 units~~) (16 units)

~~A minimum of one seminar (four units) from each of the three option areas outside the selected option. See the next section for a description of the options.~~

KPE 6655 Physiological Perspectives of Health and Wellness (4).

KPE 6411 Psychology of Physical Activity (4).

KPE 6425 Political Issues in Kinesiology (4)

KPE 6710 Leadership in Kinesiology (4).

III ~~Options (Minimum 16 units)~~

(If a student wishes to have an additional option recorded, that option must contain three unique seminar courses not used for any other option and totaling a minimum of 12 units.)

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~~A Humanities/Cultural Studies Option~~

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~~KPE 6430 Seminar in the History of Sport (4)~~

~~KPE 6440 Seminar in Sport in Contemporary Society (4)~~

~~KPE 6460 Seminar in Philosophy of Sport (4)~~

~~Repeat one option Seminar (4)~~

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~~Additional courses may be selected in consultation with an option area advisor.~~

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~~B Exercise Physiology~~

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~~KPE 6420 Seminar in Exercise Physiology (4)~~

~~KPE 6470 Seminar in Exercise Nutrition (4)~~

~~KPE 6650 Seminar in Sports Medicine (4)~~

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~~Repeat one option Seminar (4)~~

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~~C Skill Acquisition/Sport Psychology~~

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~~KPE 6400 Seminar in Biomechanics (4)~~

~~KPE 6410 Seminar in Sport Psychology (4)~~

~~KPE 6415 Seminar in Motor Learning and Control (4)~~

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~~Repeat one option Seminar (4)~~

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~~Additional courses may be selected in consultation with an option area advisor.~~

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#### D Professional Perspectives

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~~KPE 6450 Seminar in Motor Development (4)~~

~~KPE 6610 Seminar in Physical Education Programs and Facilities (4)~~

~~KPE 6620 Seminar in Athletic and Sport Management (4)~~

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~~Repeat one option Seminar (4)~~

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~~Additional courses may be selected in consultation with an option area advisor.~~

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#### III. Electives ~~(4-13 units)~~ (15-24 units)

The number of elective units you take is determined by the Capstone Experience you choose in IV below (e.g. 15 units of electives with a 9-unit University Thesis). Total units for III. Electives and IV. Capstone Experience must be 24. Total units for degree is 45.

Selection of appropriate courses in consultation with option advisor.

#### IV Capstone Experience (0-9 units)

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1 KPE 6909 Departmental Thesis (2-5)

2 KPE 6910 University Thesis (6-9)

3 Comprehensive Examination (no unit credit) ~~in the student's option.~~

5. List of **New Course, Course Modification, and Course Discontinuance Requests**, if any, submitted along with this proposal:

New Course Requests:

- KPE 6411 – Psychology of Physical Activity (4)
- KPE 6412 – Psychomotor Skill Acquisition (4)
- KPE 6413 – Mental Skills for Physical Performance (4)
- KPE 6415 – Exercise Psychology (4)
- KPE 6425 – Political Issues in Kinesiology (4)
- KPE 6445 – Social Inclusion in Physical Activity (4)
- KPE 6480 – Legal Applications in Kinesiology (4)
- KPE 6605 – Teaching and Coaching Effectiveness (4)
- KPE 6615 – Sport Education (4)
- KPE 6655 – Physiological Perspectives on Health and Wellness (4)
- KPE 6670 – Training for Physical Performance (4)
- KPE 6710 – Leadership in Kinesiology (4)

6. **RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS** of the proposed revision, if any:

No additional resources needed.

7. Relationship of Revised Program to requirements for **teaching credentials, accreditation** and/or **licensing**, if any:

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9. Certification of **DEPARTMENT APPROVAL** by the chair and faculty.

Chair: Original Signed by Dr. Rita Liberti Date: 06-11-09  
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10. Certification of **COLLEGE APPROVAL** by the dean and college curriculum committee.

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