

<p>Course Name: KNPE 491/3.0</p> <p>Special Project in Physical Education or Kinesiology</p>	<p>Course Coordinator:</p> <p>Mr. Robert Watering</p>	<p>Contact Hours:</p> <p>Independent study and meetings with supervisor (by individual contact)</p>
		<p>Prerequisite:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4th year standing in BPHEH or BSCH KINE program • Permission of the Course Coordinator <i>and</i> Department Manager and Undergraduate Chair in the School of Kinesiology and Health Studies.
		<p>Exclusion:</p>
<p>Course Description:</p> <p>This is an independent project in an area of specialization in Physical Education or Kinesiology. The independent project has an applied aspect versus exclusively a review of literature as in KNPE 456/3.0. Students will conduct a research study or develop an applied project with a wide variety of options available in terms of the design of the study.</p> <p>Students must arrange for a faculty advisor approved by the School of Kinesiology and Health Studies to oversee their project.</p>		<p>Course Texts:</p> <p>N/A</p>
<p>Course Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ To allow students to pursue a topic of interest at an advanced level in an area relevant to physical education or kinesiology. ◦ To gain experience researching a topic in depth. ◦ To implement a project that involves the application of theoretical knowledge. ◦ To engage in an intensive study of the particular topic or question and pursue self-directed study under the supervision of a faculty advisor. ◦ To present work in the related disciplinary format with technical competence. 		<p>Course Evaluation:</p> <p>The written presentation is evaluated by the student's faculty advisor.</p> <p>Evaluation of the project is pre-determined through a contractual arrangement between the faculty supervisor and student.</p> <p>Ethics approval if appropriate.</p>
<p>Applied Project – a project that involves some practical component and/or the development of a program or resource for an existing or proposed organization, group, school, etc. Examples include developing a workshop,</p>		<p>Research Project – this is a project that involves conducting research in any area related to health enhancement and disease prevention. The primary difference between</p>

<p>teaching manual, or program; preparing a promotional resource; conducting focus groups; etc. Often an applied project involves the completion of a community-based apprenticeship or volunteer hours.</p>	<p>this research-based half credit project and the full credits HLTH 595/6.0 or KNPE 595/6.0, is the magnitude of the study.</p>
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