# BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, MAJOR IN KINESIOLOGY (CLINICAL EXERCISE SCIENCE)

This degree track prepares students for a career in clinical exercise science. Future job prospects include cardiac rehabilitation, hospital/clinic-based fitness and wellness facilities, sport-science based performance facilities, and/or research facilities. This degree also prepares students for further graduate education in exercise science, sport and human performance, and allied health fields (e.g., physical therapy, occupational therapy, prosthetics and orthotics, etc.). A minor is not required for this track, however, electives should be used to fulfill courses related to one's career goals.

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Total Hours 120-121

1. Satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area II (Mathematics). Students interested in attending PT/OT school should take MATH 1314.
2. Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area III (Life and Physical Science).
3. Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences).
4. Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IX (Component Area Option).
5. KINE 1331 should be taken in your first or second year.
6. BIOL 2401 and BIOL 2402 may be used as a transfer course for this requirement; please see a SAM Center advisor for more details.
7. For all electives, students should ensure that the courses meet professional career goals and/or advanced degree prerequisites. Examples of courses that those interested in the following fields may want to pursue include: (a) Physical Therapy: PHYS 1302, PHYS 1102, PSYC 3374; (b) Occupational Therapy, PSYC 3331, PSYC 3374, & PSYC 3333; (c) PT & OT may also need 1-3 hours of medical terminology. Other suggested electives include: ATTR 4369 & KINE 4369; KINE 4117 and KINE 4392 can be taken for students wanting to gain research experience. Six to nine elective hours may need to be 3000- and/or 4000-level courses to meet the 42 advanced hour requirement.
8. PSYC 3401 will add 1 hour to the degree.
9. Register for 2 sections to complete 6 semester credit hours.

Notes

All KINE majors and/or minors must earn a "C" or better for all KINE/ATTR courses.

MATH 1410 or MATH 1316 or MATH 1420 are prerequisites for PHYS 1301 and PHYS 1101. A grade of "C" or higher is required for courses.

CHEM 1411, with a "C" or higher, is a prerequisite for CHEM 1412.

Students must take BIOL 2403 and BIOL 2404 as an 8 hour sequence.

MATH 3379 requires 3 hours of college math.

BIOL 4374 requires 8 hours of advanced BIOL and MATH 1314 or MATH 1420.

ENGL 1301 and ENGL 1302 are prerequisites for ENGL 3330 and satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area I (Communications).

ATTR 3370 requires a prerequisite of BIOL 2401 or BIOL 2403 and 60+ hours.

KINE 4117 and KINE 4392 can be taken for students wanting to gain research experience.

KINE 3362 requires a prerequisite of BIOL 2401 or BIOL 2403 and 60+ hours. Students may co-enroll with BIOL course.

KINE 4393 requires 90+ hours.

KINE 4394 requires KINE 4393 and KINE 4377.

KINE 4362 requires a prerequisite of KINE 3362, PHYS 1301 and PHYS 1101.

KINE 4377 requires a prerequisite of KINE 3362 and KINE 3373.

KINE 4373 requires a prerequisite of KINE 3373.

KINE 3373 requires a prerequisite of BIOL 2403 and BIOL 2404 or co-enrolled in BIOL 2404 and 45 hours.

KINE 3364 requires 60+ hours.

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4. Satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IX (Component Area Option).
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The BS in Kinesiology (Clinical Exercise Science) is designed to provide graduates with the following marketable skills:

- Exercise assessment and prescription.
- Fitness program design and implementation.
- Critical thinking and decision making related to ethical and professional responsibilities in exercise science.
- Strategies for performance enhancement and prevention of injuries.
- Effective communication with a range of audiences in exercise science settings.