COLLEGE OF THE DESERT

Course Code KINE-069

Course Outline of Record

1. Course Code: KINE-069

a. Long Course Title: Biomechanics of Running
 b. Short Course Title: BIOMECHANICS/RUNNING

3. a. Catalog Course Description:

This course provides instruction on proper biomechanics of running. It will cover proper form and technique of the natural, efficient and minimalist style of running. The course will also go over different cardiorespiratory exercise prescription for interval training, endurance and trail running. It will include a component of injury prevention and exercise prescription design to improve individual training safely. In addition basic strength, core and flexibility exercises will be covered to improve biomechanics and fitness for the runner enthusiast.

b. Class Schedule Course Description:

This course covers proper biomechanics, form and techniques of the natural and minimalist style of running.

- c. Semester Cycle (if applicable): N/A
- d. Name of Approved Program(s):
 - FITNESS SPECIALIST
- 4. Total Units: 1.00 Total Semester Hrs: 36.00 Semester Lecture Hrs: 9.00

Lab Units: 0.5 Semester Lab Hrs: 27.00

Class Size Maximum: 40 Allow Audit: Yes

Repeatability No Repeats Allowed

Justification 0

5. Prerequisite or Corequisite Courses or Advisories:

Course with requisite(s) and/or advisory is required to complete Content Review Matrix (CCForm1-A) N/A

- 6. Textbooks, Required Reading or Software: (List in APA or MLA format.)
 - a. McDougall, Christopher (2011). Born to Run (1st/e). New York Random House Inc...

College Level: Yes

Flesch-Kincaid reading level: N/A

- b. Runner's world magazine
- 7. Entrance Skills: *Before entering the course students must be able:*
- 8. Course Content and Scope:

Lecture:

The course would go over the Pose Running Technique to include the following.

- 1. S like body position with slightly bent knees
- Forward lean from the ankles to employ gravity and work with it not against it.
- 3. Pulling or lifting feet under hip
- 4. Ball of foot landing under your body.

The course would also go over the Minimalist strategy and benefits.

- 1. Reducing impact
- 2. Improving training and performance
- 3. Competiive edge
- 4. Reduction of Injuries
- 5. Holistic appreciation of running

Analysis of forefoot and midfoot running. The breakdown of the muscles, tendons and ligaments in the

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feet and legs strengthened during this style of running.

Individual gait analysis and improved efficiency in running.

History of different cultures and forced minimalist strategy due to footwear and terrain.

Cardiorespiratory exercise fitness design over a one year period and it's goal of injury prevention and personal improvement.

Introduction to different running terrain and benefits associated with different terrain.

Strengthening exercises of the core, upper and lower body to be addressed as well to improve running form and fitness.

Lab: (if the "Lab Hours" is greater than zero this is required)

The course will include lab activities each day to apply the natural efficient running methods and minimalist method of running to improve overall biomechanics of running.

The lab activites will be designed with progression over time to incude variety of intensities, style of terrain and duration of exercise.

The lab activities will also include flexibility, agility and upper, lower and core strengthening exercises to improve overall fitness.

- 9. Course Student Learning Outcomes:
 - 1.

Cite the proper biomechanics of pose running.

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Identify how the minimalist strategy prevents injuries.

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Demonstrate proper running form in cardiorespiratory fitness testing.

- 10. Course Objectives: *Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:*
 - a. Demonstrate proper POSE running form.
 - b. Identify the minimalist strategies to improving running biomechanics.
 - c. Cite how proper biomechanics can improve running performance.
 - d. Identify how injuries can be reduced with the minimalist biomechanics.
 - e. Apply basic kinsiology principles to improve running efficiency and form.
 - f. Demonstrate improved cardiorespiratory endurance levels in fitness testing.
- 11. Methods of Instruction: (Integration: Elements should validate parallel course outline elements)
 - a. Activity
 - b. Demonstration, Repetition/Practice
 - c. Discussion
 - d. Individualized Study
 - e. Laboratory
 - f. Lecture
 - g. Observation
 - h. Participation
 - i. Self-exploration

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1	Technology-based	instruction

21. Grading Method (choose one): Letter Grade Only

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12.	Assignments: (List samples of specific activiti	ies/assignments students	are expected to comple	ete both in and outside of class.,)							
	In Class Hours: 36.00											
	Outside Class Hours: 18.00											
	a. Out-of-class Assignments											
	1. Reading article critiques and	literature										
	2. Viewing of videos with report	s										
	b. In-class Assignments											
	Pre and Post fitness testing											
	Partner Gait analysis											
	Group Running drills and tests											
	Individual goal setting and nutrti	on concepts and desig	ın									
13.	Methods of Evaluating Student Progress: The	student will demonstrat	e proficiency by:									
	• College level or pre-collegiate essays											
	 Written homework 											
	• Critiques											
	• Portfolios											
	• Self-paced testing											
	• Laboratory projects											
	Group activity participation/observation	on										
	• Student participation/contribution											
	 Student preparation 											
1.4	Methods of Evaluating: Additional Assessmen	t Information:										
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15	Need/Purpose/Rationale All courses must n	neet one or more CCC m	issions									
15.	PO-GE C5 – Personal Growth and Development											
Exhibit habits of intellectual exploration, personal responsibility, and well being. IO - Personal and Professional Development Demonstrate an understanding of ethical issues to make sound judgments and decisions.												
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							16.	Comparable Transfer Course				
	University System Campus	Course Number	Course Title	Catalog Year								
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17	Special Materials and/or Equipment Required	L of Students:										
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10.	Materials Fees: Required Material?											
Material or Item		Cost 1	Per Unit	Total Cost								
19.	Provide Reasons for the Substantial Modifica	tions or New Course:										
	It will accompany our courses related in conto	ent for our Kinesiology p	program and will provide	le additional but new courses fo	r							
	students to improve their health and knowledge	•••										
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	b. Replacement Course (Enter original C	Course Code): N/A										

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22. MIS Course Data Elements

- a. Course Control Number [CB00]: CCC000554123
- b. T.O.P. Code [CB03]: 83500.00 Physical Education
- c. Credit Status [CB04]: D Credit Degree Applicable
- d. Course Transfer Status [CB05]: B = Transfer CSU
- e. Basic Skills Status [CB08]: 2N = Not basic skills course
- f. Vocational Status [CB09]: Not Occupational
- g. Course Classification [CB11]: Y Credit Course
- h. Special Class Status [CB13]: N Not Special
- i. Course CAN Code [CB14]: N/A
- j. Course Prior to College Level [CB21]: Y = Not Applicable
- k. Course Noncredit Category [CB22]: Y Not Applicable
- 1. Funding Agency Category [CB23]: Y = Not Applicable
- m. Program Status [CB24]: 1 = Program Applicable

Name of Approved Program (if program-applicable): FITNESS SPECIALIST

Attach listings of Degree and/or Certificate Programs showing this course as a required or a restricted elective.)

23. Enrollment - Estimate Enrollment

First Year: 40 Third Year: 40

- 24. Resources Faculty Discipline and Other Qualifications:
 - a. Sufficient Faculty Resources: Yes
 - b. If No, list number of FTE needed to offer this course: N/A
- 25. Additional Equipment and/or Supplies Needed and Source of Funding.

N/A

26. Additional Construction or Modification of Existing Classroom Space Needed. (Explain:)

N/A

27. FOR NEW OR SUBSTANTIALLY MODIFIED COURSES

Library and/or Learning Resources Present in the Collection are Sufficient to Meet the Need of the Students Enrolled in the Course: Yes

28. Originator Wendy Ansley Origination Date 01/06/14

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