

## **MASTER OF SCIENCE IN KINESIOLOGY AND HEALTH Plan B (Paper, Distance, Experiential Learning Experience)**

The Plan B option of the Master of Science degree in Kinesiology and Health is designed to prepare students who are seeking a terminal degree. This option is not designed for students seeking to pursue a doctoral degree at the completion of the Master of Science degree in Kinesiology and Health.

This program involves a minimum of thirty (30) credit hours of coursework and a culminating paper/presentation that is developed on a topic selected by the student in conjunction with his/her graduate faculty advisor. The process for writing the culminating paper includes the development of a prospectus of the culminating paper and the final presentation. At least twenty-one (21) credit hours of coursework is required from the Division of Kinesiology and Health (i.e., HLED and KIN courses), which includes the nine (9) hours of general required courses.

### I. General Required Courses (9 hours)

<u>Course #</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Credits</u>
KIN 5080	Investigations in Kinesiology and Health	3.0
KIN 5085	Research Methods in Health and Physical Education	3.0
STAT 5050 <sup>1</sup>	Statistical Methods for the Biological Sciences	3.0

<sup>1</sup>May substitute STAT 5060, 5070, or 5080; or EDRE 5600 or EDRE 5640. Decision made in conjunction with advisor. This course is included in the 21 credits required from within the Division of Kinesiology and Health (i.e., it may not be used to fulfil the “outside elective” requirement below).

### II. Elective Kinesiology and Health Courses (minimum of 12 hours)

### III. Outside Elective Courses (minimum of 3 hours)

At least one elective course (3 hours) must be taken from outside the Division of Kinesiology and Health. All elective course decisions must be made in conjunction with your advisor.

### Contributions of Independent Study, Practicum/Internship, and 4000 Level Coursework to M.S. Degree Program

1. Independent Study Coursework: Maximum of 3-credit hours of Individual Problems (HLED/KIN 5097) and Special Problems (HLED/KIN 5587) may contribute to the 21 credit hours from the Division of Kinesiology and Health.
2. Practicum/Internship Coursework: Maximum of 3-credit hours of Practicum in College Teaching (HLED/KIN 5900) and Internship (KIN 5990) may contribute to the 21 credit hours from the Division of Kinesiology and Health.
3. 4000 Level Coursework: Maximum of two 4000 level courses (3 or 4 credit hours each) may contribute to the 21 credit hours from the Division of Kinesiology and Health.