**KIN 471/496 ADMISSION CRITERIA:**

Undergraduate Kinesiology students may be eligible to enroll in Internship Prep (KIN 471) during Fall 2020, then a 3 or 6 credit hour internship in Kinesiology (KIN 496) during Spring 2021 if the following criteria are met:

Prior to enrollment in KIN 471:
- Accepted into the KIN program (no pre-KIN)
- Successful completion of the following KIN courses: 220, 250, 265 (or 120/130)
- At least a 2.50 cumulative GPA

Prior to enrollment in KIN 496:
- Successful completion of at least two of the following KIN courses: 353, 375, 376, 386
- Enroll in KIN 471 in Fall 2020 for a Spring 2021 internship
- At least a 2.50 cumulative GPA

*Depending on type of internship, additional coursework may be required prior to enrolling in KIN 496. These recommendations are at the discretion of the Undergraduate Studies Committee in Kinesiology. Successful completion requires a grade of C or better.*

**KIN 471 APPLICATION PROCESS:**

The procedure for admission into KIN 471 to KIN 496 is as follows:
1. Please submit a letter of intent with the information/criteria listed below.
2. Letters of intent are due **Wednesday, March 18th** to Ms. Emily Britt. You may submit hard copy in person (at advising day) or email a word document attachment to ecbritt@uncg.edu. Should a letter be submitted after the deadline, it may still be reviewed by the committee; however, those students submitting letters before the deadline will receive priority.
3. The Undergraduate Studies committee will review your letter of intent and notify you of the decision by **Friday, March 27th**.
4. Please do not register for a different course in place of KIN 471 while you wait to hear back. In other words, do not register for another course as a KIN elective or general elective. The committee will let you know if you are accepted into 471 before the end of the registration window.

**Letter of intent content (must include the following):**
1. Intended credit hours of the internship: 3 (150 contact hours) or 6 (300 contact hours).
2. Intended number of credit hours AND number of courses to take while interning (in addition to KIN 496).
3. Type of internship you are interested in: Population (athletes, individuals with cardiovascular disease, children, etc.), setting (university, hospital, fitness center, etc.).
4. Observational or hands on (some sites might only allow for one or the other).
5. Ideas of potential sites (first choice and backup options). Refer to #3 and #4 to answer this question
6. Future career goals – address how this internship will better prepare you to achieve these goals (graduate school, career, etc.)?
7. Do you have reliable transportation for the semesters you plan to enroll in KIN 471 and KIN 496?
NOTES:

Be advised that you may not be placed at your #1 choice for a variety of reasons, including but not limited to:

- Particular site may not be taking interns that semester or may limit the number of interns
- Supervisor felt you were not a good fit (for example if you did not have course work in a specific area, such as electrocardiograms)
- Site may request interns for 300 (6 ch) hours and you can only intern for 150 (3 ch) hours or vice versa

You MUST enroll in KIN 471 the semester immediately preceding your internship (KIN 496)

- Spring internship? Enrolled in KIN 471 in preceding fall semester.
- Summer internship? Enrolled in KIN 471 in preceding spring semester.
- Fall internship? Enrolled in KIN 471 in preceding spring semester.