

Doctor of Education in KINESIOLOGY

Join a community of scholars—accomplished faculty and practicing kinesiology professionals from all over the country—who work together to make an impact not just in the field of kinesiology, but in their communities.

Program at a Glance

- Four-year online doctoral program includes 42 hours of coursework and 12 hours of dissertation
- Professional learning communities support academic and professional growth throughout the program
- Three required campus visits foster collaboration and community in cohorts
- First fully online EdD in Kinesiology in the country.

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Ed.D. in Kinesiology Online Total Credits Required: **54**

CATEGORY	PRE-PROGRAM	YEAR 1			YEAR 2			YEAR 3			YEAR 4		
	SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	SUMMER
DEGREE COMPLETION STEPS	Orientation	Begin online coursework Explore the field of kinesiology and issues facing practicing professionals			Continue coursework Review literature for dissertation			Complete comprehensive exam Work on dissertation proposal			Continue dissertation process, including final defense and presentation		
COURSES & CREDITS		KIN 750 Seminar in Kinesiology	KIN 723 Statistical Methods in Kinesiology	KIN 715 Professional Ethics in Health and Human Sciences	KIN 716 Mixed Methods in Kinesiology Research	KIN 701 Research Topics in Kinesiology	KIN 732 Analysis of Teaching and Learning	KIN 751 Advanced Research Seminar in Kinesiology	KIN 778 Professional Seminar in Grant Writing	KIN 799 Dissertation	KIN 799 Dissertation	KIN 799 Dissertation (2 credits)	KIN 799 Dissertation (1 credit)
		KIN 762 Program Design in Kinesiology and Related Professions	KIN 724 Physical Activity and Health	KIN 706 Online Pedagogy in Kinesiology and Related Professions	KIN 731 Curriculum Development in Kinesiology	KIN 735 Program Evaluation and Evidence-Based Practice in Physical Activity Programs		KIN 714 Field Practicum in Kinesiology (2 credits)	KIN 799 Dissertation			KIN 779 Dissertation Presentation Seminar (1 credit)	
TOTAL CREDITS BY SEMESTER		6	6	6	6	6	3	5	6	3	3	3	1
COMPS & DISSERTATION STEPS	Consider learning community placement based on research and professional goals	Explore dissertation topic			Develop individual dissertation topic Establish dissertation committees Establish learning communities based on dissertation topics			Complete written and oral comps (Fall) Propose dissertation (May)			GRADUATION (August)		
REQUIRED CAMPUS VISITS	1 st on-campus visit: Orientation program (June; 3 days)							2 nd on-campus visit: Dissertation proposal (May; 5 days)			3 rd on-campus visit: Presentation of dissertation (May; 2 days)		



A Reputation for Excellence

Kinesiology has a rich history at UNC Greensboro, as the first fully online EdD in Kinesiology in the country.



Core Faculty
Back row: Ben Dyson, William Karper, Pam Brown
Front row: Erin Reifsteck, Michael Hemphill, Diane Gill

An Outstanding Value

Estimated Tuition & Fees (2021-22)

Residency	Per Credit Hour	Total Credits in Program	Est. Program Cost
In-State — This rate applies if you're a legal resident of NC.	\$336	54 (19 courses)	\$18,103
Outside NC* — This rate applies if you're not a legal resident of North Carolina and receive online education outside NC. <small>* Most students in the EdD in Kinesiology program living outside of NC would qualify for this category.</small>	\$626	54 (19 courses)	\$33,760
Out-of-State — This rate applies if you're not a legal resident of North Carolina and receive online education in NC.	\$1,098	54 (19 courses)	\$59,258

Additional costs for all students:

- First-year summer orientation (\$500; includes housing, food, and orientation sessions)
- Spring campus visits in Years 3 and 4 (estimated fee \$300 per year; includes food and sessions)
- \$65 application fee
- \$6 class registration fee (per semester)

Financial Aid

Visit [Financial Aid](#) to find out what's available for online students.

Our Students

Our **EdD students** are a diverse group of professionals working in a variety of positions:

- University faculty and administrators
- Public school teachers
- Coaches and athletic trainers
- Physical therapists
- Wellness directors
- Sports medicine directors/clinic owners
- Health promotion managers
- Sport psychology consultants

Next Steps

Admission Requirements

- Three years of full-time professional experience in kinesiology or related field
- Master's degree or equivalent

How to Apply

- Create your account at grs.uncg.edu.
- Complete the online application.
- Order your transcripts.
- Submit GRE scores (optional for 2021), three letters of recommendation, and \$65 nonrefundable fee.

Learn More

If you have questions, please contact us:

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