Doctor of Education in KINESIOLOGY

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

Program at a Glance

- Celebrating 10+ years after welcoming the first fully online cohort in 2014
- Four-year online doctoral program includes dissertation
- Cohort model and alumni network support academic and professional growth
- Emphasis on making a real impact in your professional practice or community

Ed.D. in Kinesiology Online

Total Credits Required: 48

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<th>CATEGORY</th>
<th>PRE-PROGRAM</th>
<th>YEAR 1</th>
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<td>SEMESTER</td>
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<td>DEGREE COMPLETION STEPS</td>
<td>Orientation</td>
<td>Begin online coursework Explore the field of kinesiology and issues facing practicing professionals</td>
<td>Continue coursework Review literature for dissertation Develop proposal</td>
<td>Complete comprehensive exam Propose dissertation</td>
<td>Continue dissertation process, including final defense and presentation</td>
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<td>COURSES &amp; CREDITS</td>
<td>KIN 750* Seminar in Kinesiology</td>
<td>KIN 737* Applied Data Analysis in Kinesiology</td>
<td>KIN 715* Professional Ethics in Health and Human Sciences</td>
<td>KIN 701* Research Topics in Kinesiology</td>
<td>KIN 751* Advanced Research Seminar in Kinesiology</td>
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<td>TOTAL CREDITS BY SEMESTER</td>
<td>6</td>
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<td>COMPS &amp; DISSERTATION STEPS</td>
<td>Discuss dissertation interests along with current student research &amp; past dissertations</td>
<td>Explore dissertation topics Develop scholarly skills Engage in professional development</td>
<td>Written comps (Dec), oral comps (Jan/Feb) Develop individual dissertation topic Establish dissertation committees</td>
<td>Dissertation Proposal (Dec) Transition to Doctoral Candidacy</td>
<td>Dissertation Defense (Spring) Graduation (May)</td>
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<td>REQUIRED CAMPUS VISITS</td>
<td>1st on-campus visit: Orientation program (June; 3 days)</td>
<td>2nd on-campus visit: Dissertation proposal (Dec or May as determined by program; 3 days)</td>
<td>3rd on-campus visit: Dissertation Showcase (May; 1 day)</td>
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* Required courses

A Reputation for Excellence

Kinesiology has a rich history at UNC Greensboro based on strong programs and strong faculty. It has made its mark as the first fully online EdD in Kinesiology in the country.
## An Outstanding Value

### Estimated Tuition & Fees (2023–24)

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<th>Residency</th>
<th>Per Credit Hour</th>
<th>Total Credits in Program</th>
<th>Est. Program Cost</th>
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<td>In-State — This rate applies if you’re a legal resident of NC.</td>
<td>$234.79</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>$11,269.92</td>
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<td>Outside NC* — This rate applies if you’re not a legal resident of North Carolina and receive online education outside NC.</td>
<td>$419.04</td>
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<td>$20,113.92</td>
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<td>* Most students in the EdD in Kinesiology program living outside of NC would qualify for this category.</td>
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<td>Out-of-State — This rate applies if you’re not a legal resident of North Carolina and receive online education in NC.</td>
<td>$890.87</td>
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For the most up-to-date program costs, please check the [GR Online/Distance list](https://kin.wp.uncg.edu/edd).

### Additional costs for all students:

- First-year summer required on-campus orientation ($600; includes housing, food, and orientation sessions)
- Spring campus visits in Years 3 and 4 (estimated fee $400 per year; includes food and sessions)

### Financial Aid

Visit [Financial Aid](https://financialaid.uncg.edu/) to find out what’s available for online students.

### 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](https://grs.uncg.edu).
- Complete the online application.
- Order your transcripts.
- Submit three letters of recommendation, and $65 nonrefundable fee.

### Learn More

If you have questions, please contact us:

**UNC Greensboro**  
**School of Health and Human Sciences**  
**Department of Kinesiology**

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[Apply Now >](https://kin.wp.uncg.edu/edd)

### Our Students

Our [EdD students](https://kin.wp.uncg.edu/edd) 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
- Health and wellness program directors
- Sports medicine directors/clinic owners
- Sport psychology consultants
- Strength & conditioning professionals
- and More