

## DOCUMENTS OF THE GENERAL FACULTY

**PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE EXERCISE SCIENCE MAJOR IN THE COLLEGE OF  
EDUCATION CHAPTER IN THE *UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG 2016-2018***

Dean Manuel Justiz, in the College of Education has filed with the secretary of the Faculty Council the following changes to the *Undergraduate Catalog, 2016-2018*. The secretary has classified this proposal as legislation of *exclusive* application and of primary interest only to a single college or school.

The Committee on Undergraduate Degree Program Review recommended approval of the changes on January 20, 2016, and forwarded the proposal to the Office of the General Faculty. The Faculty Council has the authority to approve this legislation on behalf of the General Faculty. The authority to grant final approval on this legislation resides with UT System.

If no objection is filed with the Office of the General Faculty by the date specified below, the legislation will be held to have been approved by the Faculty Council. If an objection is filed within the prescribed period, the legislation will be presented to the Faculty Council at its next meeting. The objection, with reasons, must be signed by a member of the Faculty Council.

To be counted, a protest must be received in the Office of the General Faculty by February 8, 2016.



Hillary Hart, Secretary  
General Faculty and Faculty Council



- d. Do you anticipate a net increase (or decrease) in the number of students from your college taking courses in other colleges? Yes  No
- If yes, please indicate the number of students and/or class seats involved. Approximately one hundred student decrease in foreign language enrollment on campus.

**If 4 a, b, c, or d was answered with yes, please answer the following questions. If the proposal has potential budgetary impacts for another college/school, such as requiring new sections or a non-negligible increase in the number of seats offered, at least one contact must be at the college-level.**

How many students do you expect to be impacted?

Impacted schools must be contacted and their response(s) included:

Person communicated with:

Date of communication:

Response:

- e. Does this proposal involve changes to the core curriculum or other basic education requirements (42-hour core, signature courses, flags)? If yes, explain: **No**

**If yes, undergraduate studies must be informed of the proposed changes and their response included:**

Person communicated with:

Date of communication:

Response:

- f. Will this proposal change the number of hours required for degree completion? If yes, explain: **No**

## 5. COLLEGE/SCHOOL APPROVAL PROCESS

Department approval date:	August, 27, 2015	Approved by whom: KHE Undergraduate Advisory Council
College approval date:	September 8, 2015	Approved by whom: CoE Curriculum Committee
Dean approval date:	September 21, 2015	Approved by whom: Dean Manuel Justiz

## PROPOSED NEW CATALOG TEXT:

### Exercise Science

Students who plan to major in exercise science must apply for admission to the program. A student's grade point average and completion of prescribed prerequisite coursework are factors in the admission decision. Information about admission requirements is available from an academic adviser.

Exercise science majors must complete the following:

1. The Prescribed Work described above, with the following modifications:
  - a. To fulfill the mathematics requirement, exercise science majors must complete Mathematics 408C or 408K. Either course may also be counted toward the mathematics requirement of the core curriculum.
  - b. To fulfill the natural science requirement, exercise science majors must complete Biology 311C, Chemistry 301 and 302, and Physics 302K and 302L. Biology 311C Chemistry or physics may also be counted toward part I of the science and technology requirement of the core curriculum; ~~either the chemistry or the physics coursework~~ Biology 311C may also be counted toward part II of that requirement.
  - c. ~~In addition to the core curriculum requirements above, exercise science undergraduates are expected to have completed two years in a single foreign language in high school. Students without two years of high school foreign language coursework must earn credit for the second college level course in a foreign language; this credit does not count toward the student's degree. Students should consult their advisers to determine whether additional foreign language requirements apply to them.~~

2. ~~Eighteen~~ Twenty-three semester hours in the cognate in exercise science:
  - a. ~~Kinesiology 321M~~ 424K
  - b. ~~Kinesiology 322~~ 425K
  - c. ~~Kinesiology 324K~~ 326K
  - d. ~~Kinesiology 325K~~ Three hours chosen from KIN 321M, KIN 335, KIN 336, or 338
  - e. 9 hours of exercise science electives; approved courses available in the Student Dean's Office, George I. Sánchez Building 216 and in the Kinesiology Advising Center, Belmont Hall 1005.
  - f. ~~Kinesiology 336~~
3. ~~Either a specialization in the Department of Kinesiology and Health Education or a minor outside the department; minors consist of fifteen hours of coursework, six of which must be upper division. Students planning to attend medical school, physical therapy school, or graduate school in exercise physiology are encouraged to complete the pre-health sciences specialization to ensure that they complete the science coursework required for admission to those programs. Either a specialization in the Department of Kinesiology and Health Education, a minor outside the department, a certificate, or a track in a second field of study which consist of a minimum of fifteen hours of coursework, six of which must be upper-division. No more than six hours in the minor may also be counted toward other degree requirements. Information about approved areas of study and specific courses that may be used is available in the Student Dean's Office, George I. Sánchez Building 216 and in the Kinesiology Advising Center, Belmont Hall 1005.~~

{No additional changes}