Clinical Rotation in Athletic Training  
KIN 427-3b  
Wednesday 7:00 – 8:30 pm  
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Course Description
Entry knowledge and skills used to manage and rehabilitate orthopedic injuries at various clinical settings including colleges, high schools, and rehabilitation clinics.

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A student will gain knowledge and skills used to manage, evaluate and rehabilitate orthopedic injuries and general medical conditions in various clinical settings including colleges, high schools, and/or rehabilitation clinics. A student will meet during the scheduled class time for instruction and guided practice of the skills and knowledge in preparation for the NATABOC examination.

Clinical Component:
There is a clinical component tied to the 427 credit. You are assigned to an ACI and clinical rotation each semester. It is a student’s responsibility to communicate with their ACI and understand what is expected. A student must fulfill the expectations at a satisfactory level to remain in good standing in the Athletic Training Education Program (ATEP.) You will be evaluated at mid semester and end of the semester to allow you time to modify behavior/skills if necessary. A student that does not meet expectations will be placed on probation until the next evaluation period then removed from probation if behavior/skills improved or suspended if behavior/skills were not corrected.

Required Text:
Role Delineation Study, 5th Edition. Only can be purchased at the bocatc.org website

Recommended Text:
2. Physical Examination of the Spine and Extremities. Hoppenfeld, Stanley  
4. Evaluation of Orthopedic and Athletic Injuries. Starkey, Chad

Course Objectives:
A. To develop knowledge regarding special topics related to athletic training through research and practice  
B. To develop and reinforce positive attitudes in the NATA Domains and Competencies and the Clinical Proficiencies  
C. To prepare students for the NATABOC examination.
**Attendance:**
Students are required to attend class. Clinical rotation experiences are not an automatic excused absence. Each unexcused absence will result in a 5 point deduction.

**Dress Code:** A student is expected to come to class dressed appropriately for the day’s subject (i.e.: shorts and t-shirt for palpation review and professional dress for presentations.)

**Assignments:**
Weekly assignments may be scheduled to guide a student through recommended review material for the NATBOC examination. A student will be required to complete two practical examinations under the direction of a graduate student and staff member. A student will be required to turn in all assignments to receive credit for KIN 427-3b.

**Case Study:** A student will perform a case study on an injured athlete. This case study will include injury mechanism, acute treatments performed, future treatments and a plan of care for rehabilitation the athlete for return to play. Due on 1/30/08 for 30 points.

eSIMS: A student will complete 10 eSIMS scenarios and obtain a minimum score of no less than 80%. A student will be required to print the results page and turn it in to the instructor. A student must turn in all scenarios by March 27, 2008 for 100 points.

**Journal review:** A student will choose a research study from a reputable journal and perform a review of the study including findings and future ideas for research of his or her own. This review of the literature will be presented to the class on March 20 and 27, 2008 for 20 points.

**Grading:**
A student will be evaluated on class participation, weekly assignments, and clinical evaluation.

**Point Breakdown:**
Clinical Assignment Evaluations: 500 points (end of semester evaluation x 10)
Projects/Assignments: 150
Class Participation: 10
Total Points Available: 660

**Grading Scale:**
92-100 4.0
85-91 3.5
78-84 3.0
71-77 2.5
64-70 2.0
57-63 1.5
50-56 1.0
Below 50 0.00
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Also know that the test has direct quotes from the position statement and the code of ethics from the NATA.org website