KINESIOLOGY PRACTICUM DESCRIPTION

Practicum Position Title: Strength and Conditioning Assistant

Agency/Company: Dinos Athletics GoDinos.com

Location / Schedule: University of Calgary / TBD

Terms Available: Fall or Winter

Number of Positions: 1-2

Dinos Athletics Strength and Conditioning is an internal department in cooperation with the varsity teams. This opportunity includes working with Head Strength and Conditioning Coach, Rich Hesketh, in an assistant role for one or more varsity teams within Dinos Athletics.

Project Duties/Responsibilities:

- attending S&C training sessions during team training (team dependent), schedule will be determined during interview process
- assist with set up and tear down of equipment needs for training sessions
- assist in the design creation and delivery of training programs
- be prepared to assist with facilitate training sessions within the parameters and protocols provided by the Head S&C Coach
- testing and evaluation of pre-workout and beginning of week protocols

Required Student Qualifications:

- Successful completion of KNES 478 Strength Training Science prior to this practicum, or concurrently enrolled in both KNES 478 and this practicum course
- CPR and first aid

Assets:

- general technical knowledge in the Olympic lifts.
- fundamental movement skills for running, jumping and throwing is preferred
- understanding of training methodology and periodization
- students must have intermediate to advanced strength training experience
- coaching experience is helpful

On-Site Supervisor: Rich Hesketh, richard.hesketh@ucalgary.ca
Kinesiology Practicum Application

Placement: Dino Athletics, University of Calgary

Students must have 60 units completed to qualify for a practicum, including 30 units of KNES
Students may participate in up to three practicums.

INSTRUCTIONS
1. Contact the on-site supervisor to arrange an interview.
2. Bring a copy of this application with the completed student portion to your interview to be completed by the On-Site Supervisor.
3. Submit application and required documentation (if applicable) to knespracticum@ucalgary.ca; our office will email your @ucalgary address within 5 business days with next steps for you and your On-Site Supervisor.

STUDENT PORTION – COMPLETE PRIOR TO INTERVIEW

Practicum Term
☐ Fall________ (year)    ☐ Winter_______ (year)    ☐ Spring_______ (year)

Student Information
Name: UCID:

Phone Number: Email: @ucalgary.ca

Student Practicum Expectations: Why have you chosen this practicum placement? (1-2 sentences)

Code of Conduct
Students are responsible for compliance with the University of Calgary’s Code of Conduct.

☐ Yes  ☐ No I have read and understood the University of Calgary’s Code of Conduct.
☐ Yes  ☐ No Do you have a pre-existing relationship(s) with person(s) or group(s) associated with this practicum placement?
If yes, please briefly explain the nature of the relationship:

I agree that:
• No salary or payment will be received based upon my participation in a Kinesiology practicum placement
• I will meet the expectations of the practicum placement for which I am applying
• I will be punctual throughout my practicum placement and will adequately notify the On-Site Supervisor about any absence(s).
• I will complete 60-72 hours within the dates of the term.

Start Date (first day of lectures)   End Date (last day of lectures)

☐ I agree with the above-mentioned terms and conditions.

Student’s Signature: Date:

ON-SITE SUPERVISOR PORTION

Name: Rich Hesketh

Phone: Email: richard.hesketh@ucalgary.ca

As the On-Site Supervisor, I agree that:
• No salary or compensation will be given to the practicum student
• I will provide sufficient hours, supervision, and guidance during this practicum placement
• I will complete a mid-point and final evaluation for the practicum student.

☐ I agree with the above-mentioned terms and conditions.

On-Site Supervisor’s Signature: Date:
CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

Practicum students and the agency must complete the signed confidentiality agreement and submit it (along with the practicum application form) to knespracticum@ucalgary.ca.

THIS AGREEMENT is made as of the_______ day of_________, 20___.

BETWEEN:

________________________________________________________________________

(hereinafter called the “Agency”)

AND:

________________________________________________________________________

(hereinafter called the “Student”)

Whereas:

It is the Student’s legal and ethical responsibility to protect the privacy, confidentiality and security of all records, proprietary information and other confidential information relating to the Agency, including business, employment and medical information relating to patients, members, employees and health care providers. (“Confidential Information”).

And whereas:

The Agency has adopted policies and procedures regarding Confidential Information including its policies and procedures for complying with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and the Health Information Act (“Policies and Procedures”).

In witness hereof, the parties agree as follows:

1. The Agency agrees to disclose and the Student agrees to receive Confidential Information in furtherance of participating in his/her practicum with the Agency, as set out in the Practicum Agreement.

2. The Agency agrees to advise, instruct and guide the Student as to the Policies and Procedures.

3. Upon receipt of the information set out in paragraph 2 herein, the Student agrees to use his/her best efforts to comply with the Policies and Procedures and to protect the Confidential Information, or any part thereof, and prevent it from being disclosed to any person contrary to the Policies and Procedures.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have duly executed this Agreement effective as of the day and year first written above.

Agency

Signed: _________________________
Print Name: _______________________
Title: ___________________________
Date: ___________________________

Student

Signed: _________________________
Print Name: _______________________
Date: ___________________________

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