Our M.S. program in Exercise Science provides advanced training to prepare students for research-based careers and for pursuing doctoral training. Along with in-depth, laboratory-based immersion, we provide our students with high-quality classroom-based instruction through a core graduate curriculum, electives and seminars.

For more information about program prerequisites, requirements, and application procedures, please contact:

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OUR STUDENTS have access to state-of-the-art labs in the Department of Kinesiology and Applied Physiology, as well as other labs and facilities in affiliated programs at the University of Delaware. They gain valuable research experience through involvement in federally funded research projects and interaction with a variety of interdisciplinary research groups.

OUR RESEARCHERS are continuously generating and disseminating new knowledge on health, aging, development, chronic disease, and injury rehabilitation and prevention. Examples of current faculty research include the following:

- Cardiovascular, vascular, renal, and metabolic physiology
- Neuromuscular alterations associated with aging and movement disorders
- Exercise interventions for older adults and individuals with disabilities
- Physical activity interventions for young children
- Executive function and motor control in children with autism
- Muscle and bone health
- Musculoskeletal, gait, and rehabilitative biomechanics
- Sports medicine and related injuries

Currently, we offer the following concentrations in the exercise science M.S. program:

- Biomechanics
- Exercise physiology
- Motor control
- Sports medicine

The Masters of Science in Exercise Science Program has rolling admissions so students may apply at any time. However, we recommend that you complete your application by the dates below to ensure adequate time to process the application. Please keep in mind that students must identify an Advisor before their applications will be reviewed. Potential advisors will need time to review your application as they consider different applicants for positions in their research labs.

- Complete application by mid-April for Fall Semester
- Complete application by mid-Sep for Winter Session
- Complete application by mid-Oct for Spring Semester

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Bachelor’s degree based on a four-year curriculum from an accredited college or university
- Undergraduate major in exercise science or related field
- Acceptable undergraduate transcript
- 300 minimum recommended score (combined quantitative and verbal) on the Graduate Record Examination
- Three letters of recommendation indicating the scholarly potential of the candidate for graduate study

International applicants may have additional language requirements.