

Athletic Coaching Minor 18 cr

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of Athletics in Education 3  
PED 340 Health Sciences Applied to Athletic Coaching 3

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PED 319 Soccer Coaching Techniques  
PED 322 Techniques of Ice Hockey Coaching  
PED 324 Men's Lacrosse Coaching Techniques  
PED 326 Tactical and Coaching Concepts of Lacrosse  
GST 303 Career Awareness II (Athletic Technique Internship)

B. Elective Requirements 9 cr

Nine credit hours, selected under advisement, from the following:

PED 290 Intercollegiate Athletics  
PED 325 Women in Sport  
PED 440 Athletic Training  
HSC 300 Emergency Medical Technician-Basic  
HSC 315 Nutrition Concepts  
HSC 332 Scientific Foundations of Fitness  
HSC 343 Drug Use and Abuse in Society  
GST 303 Career Awareness II (Athletic Coaching Field  
Experience)  
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C. Cognate Requirements None

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**Changes to the Athletic Coaching Minor**  
**Department of Health Promotion and Wellness**  
**02-09-2015**

**Overview:**

Anyone wishing to coach interscholastic athletic activities (grades 7-12) in New York State (NYS) public schools must apply for Coaching Certification. Individuals with NYS Teacher Certification may apply directly after completing the necessary coursework and trainings. All others must apply for a NYS Temporary Coaching License. After acquiring at least three Temporary Renewals, a Professional Coaching License may be acquired. A holder of a Professional Coaching License is considered on "equal footing" with certified teachers for coaching positions. The Department of Health Promotion and Wellness at SUNY Oswego currently offers a combination of coursework required for the New York State Temporary Coaching Certification as part of the Athletic Coaching Minor. The following sections highlight key components of the New York State Education Department ( NYSED) Temporary Coaching License.

Teacher Education Majors: Teachers who are not certified in the area of physical education are required to complete Theory & Techniques of Coaching and Health Sciences Applied to Coaching within 3 years of his/her employment as a coach at the secondary level. Philosophy, Principles and Organization of Athletics in Education must be completed within the first 2 years of employment as a coach.

Other Majors: All non-classroom teacher coaches need to apply for a NYS Temporary Coaching License (nurses, pupil personnel service staff, teaching assistants, community members, etc.). Non-classroom teachers may only be appointed if there are no certified teachers available with experience and qualifications to coach the sport.

**NYSED mandates three required courses for the Temporary Coaching License:**

The Philosophy, Principles and Organization of Athletics in Education  
Theory and Techniques of Coaching  
Health Sciences Applied to Coaching and Physical Activity (at SUNY Oswego take both)

In addition for a New York State Temporary Coaching License a current and valid Red Cross **Responding to Emergencies [or its equivalent] card** is required at the time of application. SAVE (Safe Schools, Healthy Schools) and DASA (Dignity for all Students Act) training is required as is fingerprinting and school district recommendation for appointment to coaching positions.

For detailed information go to: NYS Coaching Guidelines :

[http://www.p12.nysed.gov/ciai/pe/toolkitdocs/coachingguidelines\\_07\\_09.pdf](http://www.p12.nysed.gov/ciai/pe/toolkitdocs/coachingguidelines_07_09.pdf)

## Rationale for Changes

### 1) ADD a Catalog Description:

Students should plan to complete the Athletic Coaching minor over four semesters. The athletic coaching minor is designed for students who wish to coach in New York

State secondary schools (grades 7-12). Coursework extends beyond the credits required for the New York State Temporary Coaching License.

Anyone wishing to coach interscholastic athletic activities (grades 7-12) in New York State (NYS) public schools must apply for Coaching Certification through the New York State Education Department (NYSED). Individuals with NYS Teacher Certification may apply directly after completing the necessary coursework and trainings. All others must apply for a NYS Temporary Coaching License. After acquiring at least three Temporary Renewals, a Professional Coaching License may be acquired. A holder of a Professional Coaching License is considered on "equal footing" with certified teachers for coaching positions. The Department of Health Promotion and Wellness at SUNY Oswego currently offers the three courses required for the New York State Temporary Coaching Certification as part of the Athletic Coaching Minor. For a New York State Temporary Coaching License a current and valid Red Cross **Responding to Emergencies [or its equivalent] card** is required at the time of application. SAVE (Safe Schools, Healthy Students) and DASA (Dignity for All Students Act) training is required as is fingerprinting and school district recommendation for appointment to coaching positions. SUNY Oswego offers both SSHS 1020 (Safe Schools, Healthy Students) and DASA 1020 (Dignity for All Students Act) professional development workshops administered through the Division of Extended Learning in support of degrees conferred through the School of Education.

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2) **Add PED 350 Theory and Techniques of Coaching** in order to comply with NYSED Temporary Coaching License Regulation changes (July 2009). Also the SUNY Oswego department of athletics is no longer having the majority of the coaches teach as part of their job responsibility. Historically coaching staff were also physical education faculty. That has changed over the past 20 years and most coaches are not trained physical educators anymore. Thus all sport specific courses are no longer being offered and they are replaced by PED 350, the state-mandated course. This course is one of three that students take in order to be eligible to apply for

the NY Temporary Coaching license. Students will be able to more easily apply for the NY Temporary Coaching License through the NY TEACH system. See [http://www.p12.nysed.gov/ciai/pe/toolkitdocs/coachingguidelines\\_07\\_09.pdf](http://www.p12.nysed.gov/ciai/pe/toolkitdocs/coachingguidelines_07_09.pdf)

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PED 350 is the required course (NYSED) for students to take in order to be prepared to be certified in a specific sport. Also the Department of Athletics has asked to have most coaches working in athletics and the Chair of HPW agrees that this is best most are unfamiliar with NYSED grades 7-12 coaching guidelines.

**4) Delete GST 303 Career Awareness II (Athletic Coaching Field Experience)**

as an elective choice from the minor. There is no guarantee or oversight that this course can be completed in an athletic coaching venue. GST 303 has changed over the past few years and there are no faculty to sponsor or monitor athletic coaching placements. Accessing public schools requires multiple levels of clearances and background checks, thus making this too cumbersome for the large number of minors.