## **Directed Inquiry (KINE 798) Proposal Form**

To be acceptable, the Directed Inquiry must:

- Be clearly in the Kinesiology field and address a need or an important issue as derived from the testimony of experts, analysis of research, projection of trends, and other accepted sources;
- Demonstrate the ability to apply knowledge, skill and ability acquired in coursework to address a Kinesiology issue in a professional or research setting;
- Emphasize an evidence-based approach to address a Kinesiology related issue;
- Prepare the student for a specific career in the field of Kinesiology.
- Approved by a committee chaired by a primarily affiliated MS in Kinesiology faculty member.

Student will submit a 1 page summary of capstone course experience agreed upon by the capstone course committee and MS in Kinesiology program director following a formal presentation to the committee. This document should include changes recommended by committee and accurately reflected the agreed upon KINE 798 experience.

### **Directed Inquiry Proposal Process**

The process is as follows:

- 1. Student works with faculty mentor during KINE 501 to develop proposal and form a committee.
- 2. Student presents a proposal to the committee.
- 3. Following the proposal the committee either approves as is or requires changes (page 2)
- 4. Student submits a final written proposal to the committee by email and cc's the program director (page 3)
- 5. The program director then reviews and either approves or requires changes.
- 6. A final directed inquiry form is kept on file with the program director.
- 7. Once approved the student may enroll in KINE 798.

# **Components of Directed Inquiry Proposal (Oral and Written)**

Submit an updated resume to the committee.

State your career goals and necessary knowledge, skills and abilities needed for this career.

Describe your proposed directed inquiry experience then address the following 3 questions:

- 1. How will you apply knowledge, skill and abilities obtained in prior coursework to you directed inquiry?
- 2. How will you demonstrate evidence-based practice?
- 3. How will the directed inquiry support your future career goals?

\*All students will be required to submit a final paper and make a final presentation to fulfill KINE 798 requirements. This does not need to be described in the proposal.

### **Oral Directed Inquiry Proposal Presentation**

#### Checklist (all must be met for proposal to be satisfactory):

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- Demonstrate the ability to apply knowledge, skill and ability acquired in coursework to address a Kinesiology issue in a professional or research setting.
- Emphasize an evidence-based approach to address a Kinesiology related issue.
- Prepare the student for a specific career in the field of Kinesiology.
- Submit a professionally formatted resume.

The student has satisfactory orally presented a directed inquiry proposal

 Directed inquiry Committee Chair Name
 Signature
 Date

 Committee Member Name
 Signature
 Date

 Committee Member Name (If applicable)
 Signature
 Date

#### Written Directed Inquiry Proposal

Address the following prompts/questions. Each response should be approximately 500 words.

Provide a summary of your proposed directed inquiry experience.

How will you apply knowledge, skill and abilities obtained in prior coursework to you directed inquiry?

How will you demonstrate evidence-based practice?

How will the directed inquiry support your future career goals?

What specific requirements has your directed inquiry committee agreed should be completed to satisfy the KINE 798 requirements? (Note: all students are required to submit weekly reports, a final paper, and make a final presentation).

The student has satisfactory proposed a directed inquiry.

Directed inquiry Committee Chair Name	Signature	Date
Committee Member Name	Signature	Date
Committee Member Name (Optional)	Signature	Date
MS in Kinesiology Program Director	Signature	Date