



*Q1.* APPLIED PHYSIOLOGY AND KINESIOLOGY (APK) INTERNSHIP SITE APPROVAL FORM

## Q2.

The **Department of Applied Physiology and Kinesiology** (APK) at the University of Florida would like to thank you in advance for taking the time to complete the approval process and your willingness to provide valuable internship opportunities to our students. The Department of APK requires that all **undergraduates** complete a 12-credit internship experience in their final semester of study. The experience requires a minimum of 520 clock hours or 35-40 hours a week for 15 weeks, for the Fall and Spring semesters, or 40-45 hours a week for 13 weeks during the Summer semester. Graduate students in the Human Performance concentration may elect to complete between 3 - 9 credits of internship to count towards their degree. Each registered credit of graduate internship requires a minimum of 48 clock hours be completed and a graduate student must register for at least 3 credits in any semester they intend to complete an internship. Therefore, a graduate student will be required to complete between 144 - 432 hours during their internship. Ideally, interns become exposed to the tasks that will be required of them as professionals in the field, as well as receive opportunities to develop their skills and areas of interest. A brief description of our undergradaute and graduate programs is below:

**APK Undergraduate Program**: Prepares students to function as an exercise technician, exercise specialist, and/or wellness instructor in hospital, corporate, private, or governmental agency, to pursue graduate study in kinesiology, OR to pursue graduate study in a health profession requiring education beyond an undergraduate degree. The curriculum provides a strong basic science background and requires additional course work in the biological aspects of exercise. Students may pursue internship opportunities in healthcare, research, fitness, or other areas of human performance.

**Human Performance (Graduate)**: The Human Performance concentration is a non-thesis program leading to a Master of Science degree in Applied Physiology and Kinesiology. Its purpose is to train students for careers where they can promote scientifically based exercise, wellness, and psychological factors to enhance health, athletic development and/or movement performance. Furthermore, students may be trained to be an integral part of the health care team that administers, assesses, and develops programs for clinical populations.

Please review the <u>APK Internship Policies and Procedures</u> Document to gain a better understanding of the expectations of students and site supervisors during the experience.

Gainesville Health and Fitness Personal Training

*Q6.* Organization Location(s) - Include Addresses Of All Locations To Be Included As Part Of This Approval

4820 Newberry Rd, Gainesville, FL 32607 2441 NW 43rd Street, Gainesville, FL 32606 12830 SW 1st Lane, Suite 100, Newberry, FL 32669

## Q10. URL of Website For Organization

www.ghfc.com

Q7. Name of Individual Who Will Receive Applications From Students

Robert M Mallard

Q8. Email Address of Individual Who Will Receive Applications From Students

matt.mallard@ghfc.com

*Q9.* Phone Number of Individual Who Will Receive Applications From Students

904.483.7567

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Will the person receiving internship applications from students be the same person supervising the student and completing the student evaluations during the internship?

🔘 Yes

⊖ No

*Q11.* Name of Individual Who Will Supervise Students Directly During Internship and Complete Student Evaluations

This question was not displayed to the respondent.

*Q12.* Email Address of Individual Who Will Supervise Students Directly During Internship and Complete Student Evaluations

This question was not displayed to the respondent.

*Q13.* Phone number of Individual Who Will Supervise Students Directly During Internship and Complete Student Evaluations

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Q14. What Semester(s) Is Your Organization Available To Accept Interns? (select all that apply)

- Fall (August December)
- ✓ Spring (January April)
- Summer (May August)

*Q15.* APK Internship Policy requires that a site supervisor hold one degree higher than the student intern. This means that site supervisors of undergraduate interns must hold at least a bachelor's degree and those of graduate interns must hold at least a master's degree. Based on this policy, for which category of students is your organization willing to accept applications? Check all that apply

✓ Undergraduate Students

🗸 Graduate Students

Q16. How many interns is your organization willing and able to support per semester?

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*Q17.* Describe the normal working hours anticipated for an intern at your organization. Please indicate likelihood and circumstances surrounding any evening or weekend time commitments.

No weekend or evening time required. Interns can start as early as 5am and as late as 8am, as long as hours are reached each day

Q18. Does your organization offer non-paid or paid internships?

🔘 Non-paid

Paid (amount) Hourly, based on tasks

*Q21.* List other benefits your organization offers interns (i.e. housing, health insurance, travel reimbursement, etc.)

If the intern wants to become a CPT with our organization we offer Health Insurance coverage for full-time trainers, free membership to all locations, discounts on small group, retail, and boutique offerings, a CEU credit system where the trainers can have some or all of their CEUs paid for, paid time off bonus that is based on accumulated training hours, and 2 hours of childcare per day per location.

*Q22.* List required purchases for interning with your organization (i.e. parking pass, uniform, I.D. Badge, etc.)

1.Personal Training uniform shirt(\$20) available to purchase from GHF 2. Black Pants, to be purchased by the individual 3. Black Shoes, to be purchased by the individual

Q23. List required skills or previous experience necessary for interning with your organization

This internship is designed for individuals that want to pursue a career in Personal Training. Must have good customer service skills, demonstrate integrity, must be hard working, and show initiative. Needs to be familiar with exercise and be proficient in demonstrating and coaching various movement patterns.

*Q24.* List any special credentials or documents required to intern with your organization (i.e. CPR/First Aid, Liability Insurance, Personal Training Certification, OSHA training, HIPPA training, Pre-Internship orientation, background check)

CPR/AED certification Must be currently certified or must have the test scheduled 30 days or fewer from start date

*Q25.* Provide a bulleted list of duties/responsibilities your organization expects to be fulfilled by interns:

-Must complete a 2 week, 44 hour, new trainer orientation -Prospecting and training clients -Program design and client tracking -Running bodyfat and movement screens -Attending Staff and Team meetings -Shadow high performing trainers -Meet with a mentor multiple times a week -Train a practice client. This is done with one of our more experienced trainers. -Cleaning and basic equipment maintenance

*Q26.* Please describe a typical day for the intern:

-Intern will train 3-6 clients, or prospect for those clients. Sessions are a mix of 55min and 25min -1-2 hours of hands on education -1-2 hours shadows -1 hour mentor meeting	
Q28. All Interns (undergraduate and graduate) MUST be evaluated on <b>at least</b> 6 of the following 9 Student Learning Outcomes (SLO's), though evaluation of all 9 is preferred. Please check each SLO that applies to the duties/responsibilities provided to interns at your organization.	
Integrate principles and methods of math, social sciences, and/or arts and humanities to applied physiology and kinesiology, health, wellness, and/or fitness environments.	<ul> <li>Select and utilize the appropriate scientific principles when assessing</li> <li>the health and fitness of an individual and prescribing physical activity based on those assessments.</li> </ul>
Identify and relate the nomenclature, structures, and locations of components of human anatomy to health, disease, and physical activity.	Solve applied physiology and kinesiology problems from personal, scholarly, and professional perspectives using fundamental concepts of health and exercise, scientific inquiry, and analytical, critical, and creative thinking.
Identify, examine, and explain physiological mechanisms of homeostasis at various levels of an organism (i.e., cells, tissues, organs, systems).	Collect, compare, and interpret qualitative or quantitative data in an applied physiology and kinesiology context.
Investigate and explain the effects of physical activity on yesphological health as well as the perspectives used to enhance adherence to healthier lifestyles.	<ul> <li>Effectively employ written, oral, visual, and electronic communication</li> <li>techniques to foster inquiry, collaboration, and engagement among applied physiology and kinesiology peers and professionals as well as with patients, clients, and/or subjects.</li> </ul>
Identify and explain the acute and chronic anatomical and physiological adaptations to exercise, training, and physical activity.	

Q33. Name of APK student that requested the site approval form from you (if applicable)

Q29. Would you like to be added to the Department's list of approved sites for future interns?

Yes

🔿 No

Q32. Have you reviewed the APK Internship Policies and Procedures Manual?

Yes

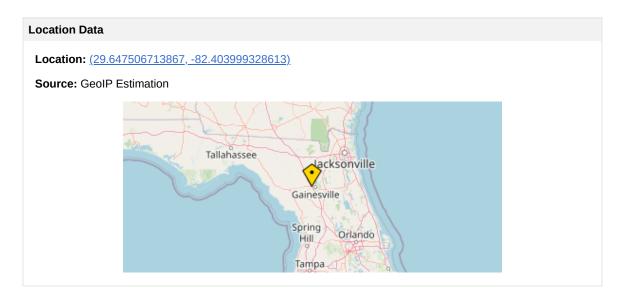
🔿 No

Q30. Signature of Individual Who Will Be Receiving Internship Applications

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*Q31.* Signature of Individual Who Will Be Supervising And Evaluating Students During The Internship

This question was not displayed to the respondent.



Approved: 3.2.22

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