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FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES  
WESTERN UNIVERSITY

BIOMECHANICAL ANALYSIS OF DISCRETE SKILLS  
KIN 3343B 2016/17

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Lectures: Mon 1:30 2:30  
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LABORATORY SESSIONS:  
Mon 2:30 4:30  
Tue 4:30 6:30  
Wed 4:30 6:30  
Thu 10:30 12:30  
Thu 2:30 4:30

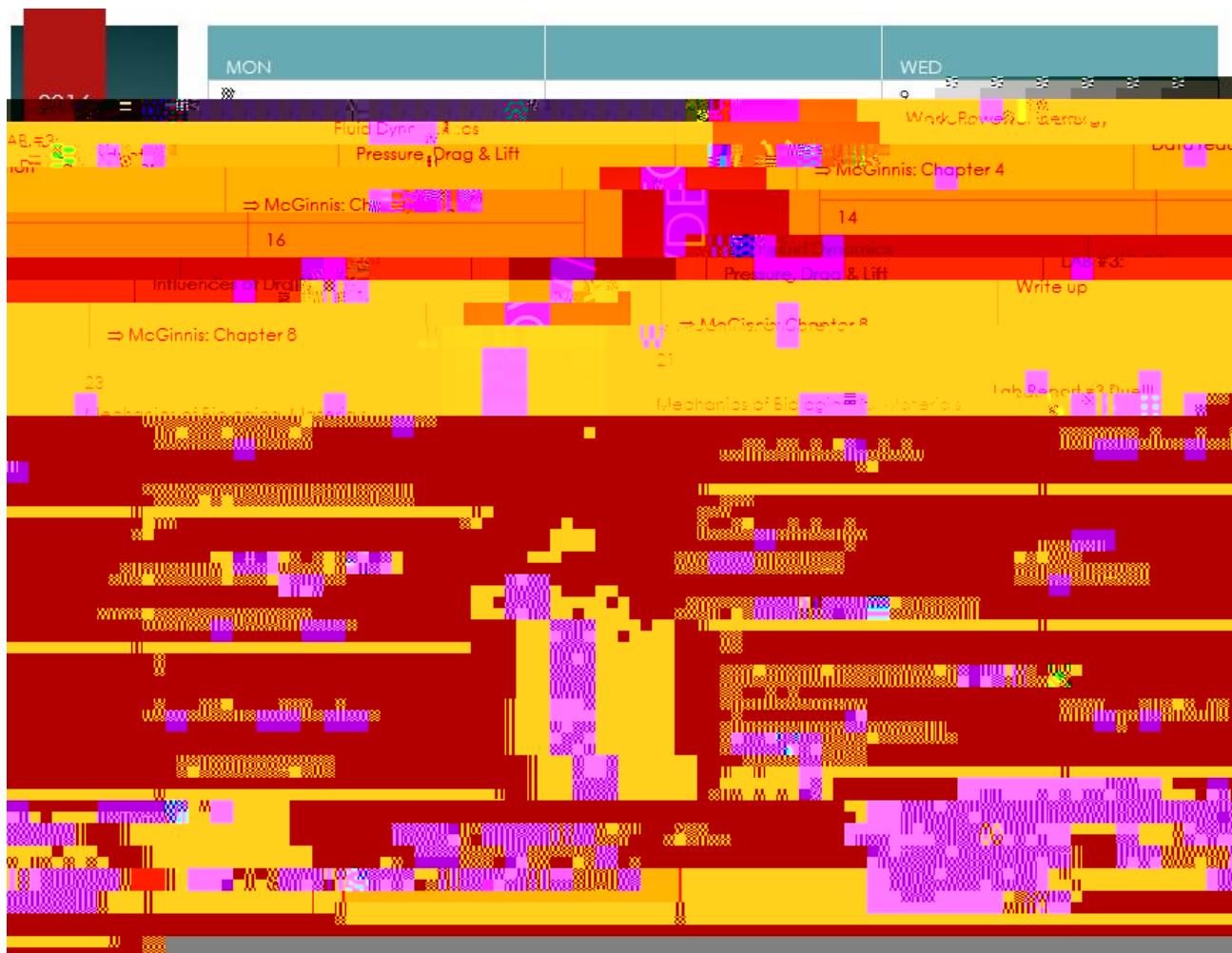
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NOTE: All course information including grades, assignment outlines, deadlines, etc. are available via OWL.

COURSE DESCRIPTION This laboratory-oriented course is designed to study discrete sport skills from a biomechanical view in theory, as well as through practical tests. Principles of dynamics, first-hand experience in systematic biomechanical analysis, and hands-on experience with instrumentation used in biomechanics.







## Course/University Policies

1. **Lateness/Absences** Assignments are due at the beginning of class on the assigned due date and will not be accepted late, except under medical or other compassionate circumstances. Electronic assignments will not be accepted (unless otherwise specified) under any circumstances. Submitting a late assignment without appropriate documentation will result in a zero (0) grade. Appropriate documentation for assignments worth less than 10% could be submitted to the Undergraduate Office. A missed midterm examination without appropriate documentation will result in a zero (0) grade. The course policy is not to allow make-ups for scheduled midterms, presentations or final exams, nor to assign a grade of Incomplete without acceptable and verifiable medical (or equivalent compassionate) reasons. Acceptable reasons might include hospital stays, serious illness, family emergencies (like serious accidents or illness, death) or similar circumstances.
  2. **Written documentation:** Whenever possible, students who require academic accommodation should provide notification and documentation in advance of due dates, examinations, etc. stating specific reasons and dates. Students must follow up with their professors and their Academic Counselling office in a timely manner. Documentation for any request for accommodation shall be submitted directly, as soon as possible, to the appropriate Academic Counselling Office. I W K H V W X G H Q W ( V ) D F X K O W T H E R F K R R O R R  
structor, with a request for relief specifying the nature of the accommodation being requested. This documentation should be obtained at the time of the initial consultation with the physician or walk-in clinic. These documents will be read L Q H G L Q W K H V W X G H Q W ( V I L O H D Q G Z L O O E H K H O G V L W \ ( V 2 I I L F L D O 6 W X G H Q W 5 H F R U G , Q I R U P D W L R Q 3 U L Y D F \ 3 R O L F P  
See <https://studentservices.uwo.ca/security> for specific policy and forms relating to accommodation.
  3. **Grades:** Where possible assignment objectives and rubrics will be posted. You should have a concern regarding the grade you received for an assignment or feel that it is unfair, you must wait 24 hours from the receipt of the assignment to approach the instructor or TA. In doing so, please make an appointment and prepare in writing, with evidence, why you feel your grade is inappropriate. Please be aware that in requesting a grade reassessment, your grade could go up/down/or stay the same. Note that calculation errors (which do occur!) should be brought to my attention immediately.
  4. **Scholastic offences:** They are taken seriously and students are directed to read the appropriate policy, specifically, the definition of what constitutes a Scholastic Offence, at the following Web site:  
[http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/handbook/appeals/scholasticdiscipline\\_undergrad.pdf](http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/handbook/appeals/scholasticdiscipline_undergrad.pdf)
- A) Students must write their essays and assignments in their own words. Whenever students take an idea, or a passage from another author, they must acknowledge their debt both by using quotation marks where appropriate and by proper referencing such as footnotes or citations. Plagiarism is a major academic offence (see Scholastic Offence Policy in the Western Academic Calendar). All required papers might be subject to submission for textual similarity review to the commercial plagiarism detection software under license to the University for the detection of plagiarism. All papers submitted for such checking will be included as source documents in the reference database for the purpose of detecting plagiarism of papers subsequently submitted to the system. Use of the service is subject to the licensing agreement, currently between Western University and Turnitin.com (<http://www.turnitin.com>)
- B) Computer marked multiple choice tests and/or exams may be subject to submission for similarity review by software that will check for unusual coincidences in answer patterns that may indicate cheating
5. **Formatting** (as recommended by the course instructor) 67.06 465.5(78t)-4( be s)-3(ub)11(j)-4(( ag)9(r)-3(ee)-

6. According to the Examination Conflict policy, students who have a conflict with an examination in any 24-hour period may request alternative arrangements through the office of their Academic Counsellor. \*This policy does NOT apply to midterm examinations. There will be no make-up for the mid