THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO SCHOOL OF HEALTH STUDIES

Faculty of Health Sciences REHABSCI 3360B Musculoskeletal Disorders in Rehabilitation Sciences

COURSE INFORMATION		January – April, 2018
Instructor	Dr. Amanda Lorbergs	
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Office Hours	TBD	
Course Format	Lecture/Seminar	
Day and Time of Lectures	Tuesdays, 6:30pm-9:30pm	
Location	HSB-35	

COURSE DESCRIPTION

An introductory course in the area of musculoskeletal disorders as encountered in sport, the workplace, and activities of daily living. Materials covered include the mechanisms of injury, tissue biomechanics, physiology of injury and healing, epidemiology, assessment, treatment, prevention, and rehabilitation of acute and chronic trauma. Current evidence-based practices in diagnostic testing and treatment options will be discussed. Problem solving and critical inquiry will be addressed through case studies and journal reviews.

PREREQUISITE CHECKING

Unless you have either the requisites for this course or written special permission from your Dean to enroll in it, you may be removed from this course and it will be deleted from your record. This decision may not be appealed. You will receive no adjustment to your fees in the event that you are dropped from a course for failing to have the necessary prerequisites. **Prerequisite(s)**, as listed in (www.westerncalendar.uwo.ca): Health Sciences 2300A/B or Health Sciences 2330A/B or Kinesiology 2222A/B or Anatomy and Cell Biology 2221 **Antirequisite(s)**: Health Sciences 3091B section 001 if taken in 2011

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to: 1.

COURSE MATERIALS

There is no textbook required for this course. All required readings, course notes, and other useful resources will be posted online on OWL throughout the semester. Information on these slides may only be partially complete and students are expected to attend

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

The purpose of the Code of Student Conduct is to define the general standard of conduct expected of students registered at The University of Western Ontario, provide examples of behaviour that constitutes a breach of this standard of conduct, provide examples of sanctions that may be imposed, and set out the disciplinary procedures that the University will follow. For more information, visit http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/board/code.pdf.

ENGLISH PROFICENCY FOR THE ASSIGNMENT OF GRADES

Visit the website http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/exam/english.pdf

ACCOMMODATION FOR MEDICAL ILLNESS OR NON-MEDICAL ABSENCES

http://www.westerncalendar.uwo.ca/2017/pg117.html

The University recognizes that a student's ability to meet his/her academic responsibilities may, on occasion, be impaired by medical illness. Illness may be acute (short term), or it may be chronic (long term), or chronic with acute episodes. The University further recognizes that medical situations are deeply personal and respects the need for privacy and confidentiality in these matters. However, in order to ensure fairness and consistency for all students, academic accommodation for work representing 10% or more of the student's overall grade in the course shall be granted only in those cases where there is documentation indicating that the student was seriously affected by illness and could not reasonably be expected to meet his/her academic responsibilities.

A UWO Student Medical Certificate (SMC) is required where a student is seeking academic accommodation. This documentation should be obtained at the time of the initial consultation with the physician or walk-in clinic. An SMC can be downloaded under the Medical Documentation heading of the following website: http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/medicalform.pdf

Documentation is required for non-medical absences where the course work missed is more than 10% of the overall grade. Students may contact their Faculty Academic Counselling Office for what documentation is needed.

Whenever possible, students who require academic accommodation should provide notification and documentation in advance of due dates, examinations, etc. 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, as soon as possible, to the appropriate Academic Counselling Office of the student's Faculty of registration. For BHSc students, you may go to the School of Health Studies Office in HSB room 222.

SCHOLASTIC OFFENCES

Scholastic offences are taken seriously and students are directed to read the appropriate policy, specifically, the definition of what constitutes a Scholastic Offence, at the following website: http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/scholastic_discipline_undergrad.pdf

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