ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Kinesiology SF State Scholars Program is designed for exceptional undergraduate students in Kinesiology that would like to complete both their undergraduate and Master's degrees in a shortened time frame (5-5 1/2 years). The program provides an excellent opportunity for students to further enhance their knowledge base and academic skills in the field of Kinesiology while reducing the overall cost of the graduate degree. It also allows students to develop more competitive applications to doctoral programs (e.g. Physical Therapy, Medicine, Kinesiology) and improve their employment opportunities. Students receive specialized advising from a faculty mentor as well as extended research experience in the student's area of interest.

APPLICATION PROCESS

To be considered for admission, students must be a declared Kinesiology major and have received:

- a grade of A in Kin 250
- a grade of A in Kin 384GWAR
- a minimum of a B in Anatomy
- a minimum of a B in Physiology
- a minimum All University GPA and SFSU GPA of 3.3
- 9-12 lower or upper Kinesiology units
- Junior status (no more than 90 units completed)

REQUIREMENTS

1. A personal statement describing:
   your background, reasons why you are interested in the program, long-term professional/academic goals, and the faculty member with whom you would like to work
2. Minimum two (2) letters of recommendation from faculty
3. Unofficial transcript(s)

HOW TO APPLY

1. Meet with Dr. Hamel to discuss eligibility
2. Prepare a personal statement
3. Request letters of recommendation from faculty
4. Submit all documents to Dr. Hamel for review.
5. If approved, submit SF Scholars application to Graduate Studies

APPLICATION DEADLINE
FALL ADMISSION - JUNE 1
SPRING ADMISSION - DECEMBER 1

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