Exercise Science

Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science

**COURSE SELECTION**

- **FRESHMAN**
  - Meet with your academic advisor each semester to discuss career goals and create a plan for completing coursework in four years.
  - Take BIOL 1020/1021 & BIOL 2500

- **SOPHOMORE**
  - Research admission requirements and prerequisites for graduate programs you are considering.
  - Take PHYS 1500 & CHEM 1030/1031

- **JUNIOR**
  - Meet with your academic advisor to discuss career goals and whether you are a competitive applicant for graduate school.
  - Take BIOL 1030/1031 & BIOL 2510

- **SENIOR**
  - Take pre-requisites for the graduate schools you are pursuing.

**ASK FOR ASSISTANCE**

- Check in each term with your academic advisor in the School of Kinesiology to discuss your progress and available support services.

**GAIN EXPERIENCE**

- Start shadowing in a health professions area, possibly for practicum credit.
- Volunteer with community and campus organizations.

**GET INVOLVED**

- Consider joining the Physical Therapy/Occupational Therapy Club or AED (Alpha Epsilon Delta).
- Utilize AUInvolve to identify organizations of interest.

**Career Planning**

- Explore graduate or professional school opportunities.
- Attend career events like the Auburn University Career Fair, STEM Career Expo, and Graduate and Professional School Fair.

**Physical Therapist**

- Minimum Education: D.P.T.
- Entry Level Salary Range: $54.5K - $84.4K

**Occupational Therapist**

- Minimum Education: M.S.
- Entry Level Salary Range: $51.6K - $77.3K

**Athletic Trainer**

- Minimum Education: M.S.
- Entry Level Salary Range: $31.3K - $39.8K

These are just three options out of many that exercise science majors pursue. For more career options be sure to check out “What Can I Do With a Major In...” on auburn.edu/career.

The program provides an understanding of both the acute and chronic effects of physical activity. It emphasizes physiological, biochemical, and psychological aspects of human function in response to exercise and physical activity. The primary goal is to prepare students for graduate study in field sub-disciplines and entry into professional programs.

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