## **Athletic Training Master's**

**Department Information** 

- Department Web Site:
  ndsu.edu/hnes/graduate\_programs/athletic\_training\_professional/ (http://ndsu.edu/hnes/graduate\_programs/athletic\_training\_professional/)
- Application Deadline: Rolling admission schedule
- Credential Offered: M.A.Trg.
- English Proficiency Requirements: TOFL (ibt): 100; IELTS: 7; Duolingo: 125; Academic PTE: 68
- Program Overview: ndsu.edu/programs/graduate/athletic-training (http://ndsu.edu/programs/graduate/athletic-training/)

## Apply Now (https://ndsugrad.my.site.com/Application/TX\_SiteLogin/?startURL=/Application/ TargetX\_Portal\_\_PB)

Code	Title	Credits
HNES 720	Advanced Emergency Care	3
HNES 780	Athletic Training Techniques	3
HNES 770	Evidence Based Research and Practice	2
HNES 781	Orthopedic Assessment I	4
HNES 778	Athletic Training Administration and Professional Development	3
HNES 782	Orthopedic Assessment II	5
HNES 774	Therapeutic Exercise	3
HNES 775	Therapeutic Modalities	3
HNES 776	Non-Orthopedic Assessment	3
HNES 772	Prevention and Health Promotion in Athletic Training	2
HNES 773	Athletic Training Capstone	2
HNES 794	Practicum/Internship	12
Total Credits		45

## **Admission and Application Requirements**

Graduate School admission and application requirements are found on the Admission Information (http://catalog.ndsu.edu/graduate/admission-information/) page. In addition to these requirements, the following are required:

- 1. Overall GPA of 3.0 at the time of application (3.0 GPA or higher maintained to start of program)
- 2. The following courses must be completed with a letter grade of "C" or better and documented on official transcripts prior to the start of the program in Summer 2023.
  - Human Anatomy and Lab
    1 semester
  - Human Physiology and Lab
    1 semester
  - General Physics
    1 semester
  - General Chemistry
    1 semester
  - Biology 1 semester
  - Biomechanics and/or Kinesiology
    1 semester
  - Medical Terminology
    1 semester
  - Nutrition 1 semester
  - Psychology 1 semester
- 3. Statement of Purpose: Please include the following information in your statement:
  - a. Reasons why you are pursuing graduate studies at NDSU
  - b. Explain your interest in pursuing a career in Athletic Training

- c. Background preparation for Athletic Training
- d. Relevant skills and experiences you have acquired
- 4. Writing sample: Pitch the profession of athletic training as if you were speaking to a new student in the profession. Maximum word count: 300 words.
- 5. Two letters of recommendation at least one letter must be from an instructor/professor. They must testify to integrity (i.e. professionalism, communication skills, work ethic) of the student.
- Documentation of a minimum of 20 hours of observation completed under the direct supervision of a BOC ATC® in an athletic training room setting. Twenty hours must be completed within one (1) calendar year of application. Form can be found on M.A.Trg. website. Submit signed form under supplemental materials.
- 7. Documentation of current CPR Training in one of the following:
  - a. American Heart Association: BLS Healthcare Provider/BLS Provide
  - b. American Red Cross: CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer
  - c. American Red Cross: Basic Life Support of Healthcare Providers
    - i. Submit copy of certificate under supplemental materials.

## **Application Process**

- 1. Apply online through ATCAS: https://atcas.liaisoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login.
- 2. After creating your account, select the NDSU M.A.Trg. program.
- 3. Follow steps to pay the \$35 NDSU application fee.