

WHAT CAN I DO WITH A MAJOR IN HUMAN KINETICS

CAREER INFORMATION FOR MAJOR IN HUMAN KINETICS

This handout provides sources of career information for **Human Kinetics Majors**. There are different career options available in the field of **Human Kinetics**. Below is a sample of some of the types of positions for graduates with major in **Human Kinetics**. Please note that you might require further education and experience for some positions.

SKILLS DEVELOPED BY HUMAN KINETICS STUDENTS

- Write scientific reports
- Memorize large amounts of information
- Analyze and evaluate information
- Develop and implement programs in physical and mental health
- Knowledge of theories of health and fitness
- Knowledge of human anatomy and trends in the field
- Interpretation of trends from results
- Work independently and also within a team
- Manage time effectively and set priorities
- Administration of biological tests
- Attention to detail
- Oral and written communication skills
- Working in a team
- Organizing skills
- Skills in planning and administering activities
- Skills in organizing groups and events
- Analytical and problem solving skills

CAREERS IN HUMAN KINETICS

- Aquatic Activity Coordinator
- Athletic Therapist
- Cardiovascular Technician
- Chiropractor
- Coach
- Coordinator
- Community Rehabilitation
- Conditioning Policy Analyst
- Ergonomist
- Exercise Coordinator
- Fitness Instructor
- Health and Safety
- Health Service Manager
- Health Technician
- Kinesiologist
- Medical Doctor
- Occupational Therapist
- Physical Educator
- Physical Conditioning Consultant
- Physical Therapist
- Physiotherapist
- Sports, Leisure, and Physical
- Recreational Therapist
- Referee
- Rehabilitation Consultant
- Sales Representative
- Sports Administration
- Sports Counselor Worker
- Sports Marketing Specialist
- Teacher/Professor

AREAS OF EMPLOYEMENT FOR HUMAN KINETICS GRADUATES

- City Recreation Programs
- Community Organizations
- Convention Centres
- Government Sport Organizations
- Federal Government
- Provincial Government
- Municipal Government
- Hall of Fame
- Hospitals
- Marketing Companies
- Minor Sports Organizations
- Pro-Sports Organizations
- Rehabilitation Clinics
- Recreation Facilities
- Sports Medicine Clinics
- Television/Radio
- Universities/Colleges

EMPLOYERS WHO HIRE HUMAN KINETICS GRADUATES

- Government of Canada
- Provincial Governments
- Municipal Governments
- Health Promotion Businesses
- Clinics
- Corporate Health Programs
- Sport and athlete development programs
- Health Services
- Health and Fitness Clubs
- NGO Health Organizations
- Nursing Homes
- Pharmaceutical companies
- Rehabilitation Services
- Research Laboratories
- School Districts

HUMAN KINETICS ASSOCIATIONS

Subsidiaries: Canada - Human Kinetics
<http://www.humankinetics.com/international-offices/canada>

Canadian Athletic Therapists Association
<http://www.athletictherapy.org/en/index.aspx>

Athletics Canada
<http://www.athletics.ca/>

Canadian Yachting Association
<http://www.sailing.ca/>

National Sport Organizations - Links - Coaching Association of Canada
http://www.coach.ca/eng/links/nat_sport_orgs.cfm

Canadian Colleges Athletic Association (CCAA)
<http://www.ccaa.ca/web/index.php/en/>

National Sport School
<http://schools.cbe.ab.ca/b830/>

Pentathlon Canada <http://www.pentathloncanada.ca/>

JOBS AND CAREER RESOURCES FOR HUMAN KINETICS STUDENTS

Canada's Top 100 Employers
<http://www.canadastop100.com/national/>

AUCC University Study (Search academic programs in Canada)
<http://www.universitystudy.ca/search-programs/>

CanadianSportsJobs.com:
http://www.biotalent.ca/default_e.asp

Outdoor Action Guide to Outdoor/Environmental Careers:
<http://www.princeton.edu/~oa/jobs/careeroe.html>

Sport and Exercise Sciences (Kinesiology):
www.bases.org.uk/vacancies,

Healthcare: National Health Service (NHS)
www.healthjobsuk.com

Sport and Leisure (General):

www.jobswithballs.com

www.leisurejobs.com

www.leisureopportunities.co.uk

www.sportengland.org

www.uksport.gov.uk

www.sportscoachuk.org

Health Employment Internet Project:
http://www.biotalent.ca/default_e.asp

National Job Bank: <http://jb-ge.hrdc-drhc.gc.ca/>