#### KCOMB 5.1 Course Outline as of Fall 2017

## **CATALOG INFORMATION**

Dept and Nbr: KCOMB 5.1 Title: BEGINNING FOIL FENCING

Full Title: Beginning Foil Fencing

Last Reviewed: 2/13/2017

Units		Course Hours per Week	. 1	Nbr of Weeks	<b>Course Hours Total</b>	
Maximum	1.50	Lecture Scheduled	0	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	0
Minimum	1.50	Lab Scheduled	3.00	3	Lab Scheduled	52.50
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	3.00		Contact Total	52.50
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 26.25 Total Student Learning Hours: 78.75

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade or P/NP

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly: PHYED 82.1

### **Catalog Description:**

Fundamentals of French foil fencing with an emphasis in basic footwork, attacks, parries, bladework, and bout experience.

## **Prerequisites/Corequisites:**

# **Recommended Preparation:**

#### **Limits on Enrollment:**

### **Schedule of Classes Information:**

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Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended:

Limits on Enrollment: Transfer Credit: CSU;UC.

Repeatability: Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

# **ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:**

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive: CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**IGETC:** Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**CSU Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Fall 2011 Inactive: Fall 2023

**UC Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Fall 2011 Inactive: Fall 2023

### CID:

## **Certificate/Major Applicable:**

Major Applicable Course

## **COURSE CONTENT**

## **Student Learning Outcomes:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Apply basic foil fencing footwork.
- 2. Execute basic attacks, defenses, and counterattacks.
- 3. Demonstrate an understanding of fencing rules and concepts for competition.

## **Objectives:**

- 1. Perform various flexibility exercises.
- 2. Demonstrate the basic fencing positions.
- 3. Perform basic fencing footwork.
- 4. Demonstrate beginning bladework positions.
- 5. Analyze basic fencing attacks.
- 6. Construct beginning fencing defenses.
- 7. Assist as director of a bout.

# **Topics and Scope:**

- I. Foil Positions
  - A. First position
  - B. On guard position
  - C. Parts of the foil
  - D. Holding the foil
  - E. Salute
- II. Basic Foil Footwork
  - A. Advance
  - B. Retreat
  - C. Lunge
  - D. Appel
  - E. Patinando
  - F. Ballestra
  - G. Fencing distances
- III. Basic Bladework Positions

- A. Hand positions
- B. Target area
- C. Invitations
- D. Engagements
- E. Changes of engagements
- IV. Basic Fencing Attacks
  - A. Extension in line
  - B. Direct attacks
  - C. Disengage attacks
  - D. Beat attacks
  - E. Deceive your opponent
  - F. (1-2) attack
  - G. Double
  - H. Feints
- V. Construct Various Defenses
  - A. Four simple parries
  - B. Riposte
  - C. Circular parries
  - D. Counter ripostes
- VI. Director and/or Judge of a Basic Strip Bout

### **Assignment:**

Students are expected to spend an additional one and one-half hours per week outside of class on one or more of the following activities:

- 1. Film analysis
- 2. Journal writing
- 3. Physical training and conditioning
- 4. Development and demonstration of related skills including practice and match performance
- 5. Establishing goals
- 6. Written exam

#### Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

**Writing:** Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Journal writing

Writing 5 - 10%

**Problem Solving:** Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Problem solving 0 - 0%

**Skill Demonstrations:** All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Performance exams

Skill Demonstrations 15 - 35% **Exams:** All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Written exam

Other: Includes any assessment tools that do not logically

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Participation and attendance
Other Category
40 - 60%

# **Representative Textbooks and Materials:**

Fencing: Skills, Tactics, Training (Crowood Sports Guides). Sowerby 2012 (classic) Instructor prepared materials