Syllabus for HESA 227 –Skin & Scuba Diving II

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**Credit Hour:** Two

**Prerequisite:** HESA 226 or equivalent skill

**Course Website**

http://courses.ncsu.edu/hesa227/common/

http://moodle.wolfware.ncsu.edu/

**Course Description**

This course trains divers in the knowledge and skills needed to manage risks and effectively handle surface and in-water problems and diving emergencies including assists, transports, surface rescues, depth rescues, and using shore/boat based personnel to assist in the rescue. Students will also be exposed to search and recovery, light salvage, and full face masks with underwater communications. Students' skills will be video taped throughout the semester to enhance skill development.

**Note:** You must also complete the open water training fieldtrip if you wish to earn nitrox, scuba advanced or rescue diver certification.

**Health Information Statement**
Students in our scuba program are required to completed a medical history form, and if determined necessary, to see a diving physician in order to participate in our diving program. In all of our Health & Exercise Studies Department’s offerings care needs to be taken not to put a student at risk. Therefore, all of our activity courses have the following health information statement listed:

Physical activities in this class are considered moderate to vigorous and are considered limited contact. The NC State Department of Health and Exercise Studies supports the development and improvement of physical health, while doing so safely. If you have a known medical condition that could be adversely affected by participating in the typical activities of this class, please contact your usual physician for recommendations about how to participate safely or whether it is more appropriate to choose a different Health and Exercise Studies course. If your physician has provided you with recommendations to modify participation in this class, please share those recommendations with the instructor within the first week of class, if possible. If you are not certain whether you have a medical condition that puts you at risk for participation in this class or have a medical condition and cannot access your usual physician in a timely manner for recommendations for safe participation, consider making an appointment at Student Health to discuss your concerns (appointment number is 919.515.7107 or book on-line at healthweb.ncsu.edu).

**Learning Outcomes**

Each Student, upon completion of the course, is expected to:

- Demonstrate a working knowledge of the following topics: diving physics, medical aspects of diving, diver's first aid procedures, oxygen administration, rescue techniques, underwater navigation, basic search patterns, buoyancy control and body trim, marine environment, marine life, repetitive diving, gas mixes for recreational diving, and dive planning.
- Demonstrate the skills to safety participate in assisting and performing rescues in the open water environment.
- Demonstrate MATURITY to safely participate in open water training by making wise decisions regarding all aspects of scuba diving.

**Prerequisites (More Detail)**

- Provide proof of entry-level certification from a nationally recognized scuba agency.
- Adequately perform basic skin diving skills: mask clearing/replacement, snorkel clearing, tows, headfirst dive, feet first dive, etc.
• Adequately perform basic scuba diving skills: buoyancy control, OOA drills, basic self-rescue skills (cramp release, tows, etc.), regulator recovery/clear, swimming without a mask, etc.
• Demonstrate swim proficiency: swim 250 yards non-stop using any stroke (<6min for rescue certification), tread water 15 minutes, recover 10 lb. object from bottom of deep pool, 25 yard underwater swim (one breath, no push off wall, proper technique).

Books & Materials

There is a $115 fee assessed for the materials for this course. This fee covers the cost of the NAUI Training Kit for this course. The fee also covers the cost of using the scuba unit (not mask, fins, snorkel, booties) for the pool sessions. This fee is due by the third class meeting. Payment must be by check or money order. Checks should be made out to N.C. State University. In the memorandum (for) section of the check the student should write "HESA 227 – BM and their student id number ". The check must be turned in to HES departmental receptionist for in room 2000 Carmichael Gymnasium on Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. with the exception of the noon hour (12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.).

Water Skills Assessment

Each student should possess adequate swimming skills so that they are comfortable in the water without the aid of skin and scuba diving equipment and other floatation devices. Each student will demonstrate his/her swimming skills during a swim assessment during the first week of class. The swim assessment will consist of the following components: underwater swimming, treading water, survival swimming (downproofing), retrieving a diving brick from the bottom of the pool, basic swimming strokes, mask & snorkel clearing, kicking with fins, surface dives, buoyancy control and trim. If your skills are weak, your instructor will offer recommendations to help you improve. All students are expected to practice their water skills outside of the class meeting time on a weekly basis. The recreation pool schedule is at http://studentaffairs.ncsu.edu/recreation/.

Attendance

Students are expected to attend all classes and to arrive and leave at the scheduled times. The instructor will adhere to the university attendance policy. See http://www.ncsu.edu/policies/academic_affairs/courses_undergrad/REG02.20.3.php for more information.
You are required to attend class as scheduled and MUST participate in class. If you miss more than five classes, you will not pass this course for university credit. Two tardies will count as one absence. A documented excuse will ONLY be used to process a late drop (no make-ups). This policy applies to late-add students. Verification of total absences is the responsibility of the student. If you cannot adhere to these attendance policies then you need to switch to a different class that does not present a time conflict for you.

For students registering late, all missed classes count as absences.

The inability to participate in class will result in an absence.

If a student has an excused absence (Illness, Family Emergency, Court, school excused event) a written verification from the appropriate official is required within one week of the absence, however, the absence will remain.

Please call or email Coach Brown to let him know if you are sick.

All WORK missed as a result of an excused absence must be made up as soon as possible following the absence for certification purposes. However, absences are still counted towards the maximum number of absences (five) allowed for passing the class.

The student is responsible for all assignments and materials covered during an absence.

Perfect class attendance is required to participate in the open water training fieldtrip. Your instructor must approve any exceptions to this policy.

Students with perfect attendance will receive a bonus of 3 points added to their final grade.

Medical History

Each student will complete a medical history form and be clear of absolute contraindications to diving before using scuba in this class.
Grading Scale

Each student has the option of taking the class for a letter grade (+/-), credit only, or audit.

Note: The student is responsible for requesting the desired grading option on MyPack Portal by the University deadline.

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Requirements for Credit Only

In order to receive a grade of S, students are required to take all exams and quizzes, complete all assignments, and earn a grade of C- or better. The class attendance policy applies to Credit Only students just as it does for students taking the class for a grade. Refer to the Registration and Records calendar for deadlines related to grading. For more details refer to:

http://www.ncsu.edu/policies/academic_affairs/courses_undergrad/REG02.20.15.php

Note: The student is responsible for requesting credit only grading on MyPack Portal by the University deadline.

Requirements for Auditors

Audit students must attend all classes except written exams and will be allowed four absences before NR will be recorded as a final grade.

http://www.ncsu.edu/policies/academic_affairs/pols_regs/REG205.00.5.php
**Incomplete Grades**

http://www.ncsu.edu/policies/academic_affairs/grades_undergrad/REG02.50.3.php

Incomplete grades will be assigned only if unavoidable and unforeseen events occur, such as a medical emergency, preventing the student from completing a course requirement before the final grades are submitted. Incompletes must be made up before the end of the next regular semester in which the student is enrolled and in no case may be made up more than 12 months after the end of the semester in which the IN is awarded, unless the teacher or department offering the course is not able to provide the student with an opportunity to make up incomplete work, in which case the period can be extended. Make up work is to be limited to accomplishing the work not completed.

**Online Class Evaluations**

Online class evaluations will be available for students to complete during the last 2 weeks of semester. Students will receive an email message directing them to a website where they can login using their Unity ID and complete evaluations. All evaluations are confidential; instructors will not know how any one student responded to any question, and students will not know the ratings for any instructors.

Evaluation website: https://classeval.ncsu.edu/
Student help desk: classeval@ncsu.edu
More information about ClassEval: http://www.ncsu.edu/UPA/classeval/

**Evaluation**

Learning progress will be noted and grades assigned on the basis of academics and skills. This class may be taken for a "Letter Grade" or "Credit Only" or as an "Audit". For Outdoor Leadership Minor students: You must take the class for a letter grade and must receive a "C-" or better if you are enrolled in the Outdoor Leadership Minor.

Points will be accumulated as follows:

**Academics: 45 points**

- Quizzes
- Exams
Skills: 55 points

(Please see “skills tests sheet” on the website at http://courses.ncsu.edu/hesa227/common/ for explanation of these items)

*Weight belt removal & replacement (shallow water):* 10 points

*Out of air drill in shallow water using alternate air source:* 10 points

*Propulsion/Trim Drill:* 10 points

*Scuba Rescue:* 10 points

*Life Support Skills (CPR, AED, Oxygen Administration):* checked off for certification

*Ditch & Don MFS:* 5 points

*Underwater Swims; Underwater Kicks; Surface Dives:* 5 points

*Subjective evaluation* of student’s skills throughout the semester: includes decision-making, equipment handling, buddy techniques, trim, buoyancy control, propulsion techniques, hand movement, etc.: 5 points

Assignments

Please note from the previous section that both skill and knowledge development will be assessed during the semester. **It is expected that students will include outside of class practice time into their personal schedules where he/she can come to the pool and practice skills with a buddy.** The knowledge assignments will incorporate the use of the Moodle learning management system.

Electronic Hosted Course Components

Students may be required to disclose personally identifiable information to other students in the course, via electronic tools like email or web postings, where relevant to the course. Examples include online discussions of class topics, and posting of student coursework. All students are expected to respect the privacy of each other by not sharing or using such information outside the course.
Open Water Training

Part of the requirement for scuba certification is for the student to proficiently demonstrate skin and scuba diving skills in the open water environment. The class, as a group, can choose between two options: One fieldtrip option is Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, November 04, 05, & 6, 2015. The fieldtrip will last from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Thursday, and from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Friday. The second option is at the completion of the spring semester 2015 (Dates TBA). Students must demonstrate the skill proficiency, knowledge, and maturity to safety in the open water training sessions in order to attend the open water training session.

Open Water Training Fee

Cost for open water training fieldtrip is $90. This fee must be paid prior to attending the open water training fieldtrip. Please note that this fee does not include your rental equipment and transportation. Payment must be by check or money order. Check is to be made out to N.C. State University. In the memorandum (for) section of the check the student should write "HESA 227 – OW and their student id number". The check must be turned in to HES departmental receptionist for in room 2000 Carmichael Gymnasium on Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. with the exception of the noon hour (12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.).

Equipment for Open Water Training Fieldtrip

Students are required to provide their own equipment for the open water training fieldtrip. Equipment rental packages are available from local dive shops. You need to schedule your equipment early to ensure that you are able to find equipment that fits you. It is your responsibility to pick up from the dive shop where you rent the equipment and to transport the diving equipment to the dive site and then back to the dive shop. The equipment package that you will need to rent from the dive shop includes: 3 tanks each day (2 air tanks and 1 nitrox tank for the first day and 3 air tanks for the second and third day); regulator with 2 gauge console (spg & depth), power inflator hose, and octopus; BC; complete wetsuit including top, farmer john bottom, hood, and gloves; weight belt with lead; underwater light and chemical glow stick for the night dive. Students must drop off one air tank and pick up a nitrox tank at the conclusion of the first day of diving before the dive shop closes. Students will meet at N. C. State at 7:00 a.m. on the second day and third day of diving to fill tanks.
**Mask, Snorkel, Fins, & Booties**

Students are expected to provide their own mask, fins, snorkel, and booties. **Students must bring this equipment to the second day of class.**

**Certification**

Certification is not a requirement for a grade in the class; however, you must be certified in order to scuba dive on your own outside of this class. In order to become certified, the student must:

- Score at least 85% on the written examination (and review all incorrect answers).
- Complete all webassign assignments with at least a 90% score.
- Successfully complete all pool skills.
- Attend every class period (both pool and classroom). It is very difficult to make up missed pool sessions. Please do your best to attend every class. Your instructor will do his best to help you make up classes but sometimes it is impossible to make up the skills missed.
- Attend and successfully complete the field trip consisting of at least three days of open water training. Students must provide their own equipment and transportation.
- Depending upon skills and knowledge gained, dives made, and maturity exhibited, it is possible for the student to receive the following certifications: nitrox diver, advanced diver and rescue diver. The certification fee for each of these certifications is $18.
- You will also have the opportunity to take the Diver Emergency Management Provider course (DEMP). The cost of the DEMP course book and certification is $60. More information regarding the DEMP course will be given later in the semester.

Pay a $18 fee for each certification registration that you desire and for which you qualify. This fee is due Nov 20th. Payment must be by check or money order. Check is to be made out to N.C. State University. In the memorandum (for) section of the check the student should write "HESA 227 – C and their student id number ". **The check must be turned in to HES departmental receptionist for in room 2000 Carmichael Gymnasium on Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. with the exception of the noon hour (12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.).**

- **Demonstrate skill proficiency, knowledge, and MATURITY to safety dive at the appropriate certification levels.**
**Summary of Costs & Fees**

- **Books & materials:** fee of $115 covers the cost of the NAUI Training Kit, pool equipment usage fee and other materials for this class. *This fee is due by the third class meeting.*

- Students must provide their own mask, snorkel, fins, and booties for pool and open water training sessions. **Students must bring this equipment to the second class meeting.**

- **Open water fieldtrip fee of $90.** *This fee must be paid prior to attending the open water training fieldtrip.*

- Students are required to provide their own equipment for the open water training fieldtrip. Equipment rental packages are available from local dive shops.

- Certification is optional and available for all students that meet the qualifications for the certification level. **Registration costs for certification for Nitrox Diver, Advanced Diver, & Rescue Diver is $18 for each certification.** *This fee is due Nov 20th.* **The cost of the DEMP course, including book and certification, is $60.** Details for the DEMP course will be announced later in the semester.

Please note that payment for fees must be by check or money order. Check is to be made out to N.C. State University. In the memorandum (for) section of the check the student should write "HESA 227 – BM and their student id number " for books & materials, "HESA 227 – OW and their student id number " for open water training, and "HESA 227 – C and their student id number " for certification. **The check must be turned in to HES departmental receptionist for in room 2000 Carmichael Gymnasium on Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. with the exception of the noon hour (12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.).**

**General Information**

1. **Academic Integrity:** For all written assignments, students will be expected to adhere to the **University Honor Code:** “I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid on this test or assignment.” It is the understanding and expectation of the instructor that the student’s signature on any test or assignment means that the student neither gave nor received unauthorized aid. Consult the university website: [http://www.ncsu.edu/policies/student_services/student_discipline/POL11.35.1.php](http://www.ncsu.edu/policies/student_services/student_discipline/POL11.35.1.php)

2. **Students with Disabilities:** Reasonable accommodations will be made for students with verifiable disabilities. In order to take advantage of available accommodations, students must register with Disability Services for Students at 1900 Student Health Center, Campus Box 7509, 515-7653. For more information on NC State’s policy on working with students with disabilities, please see the
3. **Anti-Discrimination Statement**: NC State University provides equality of opportunity in education and employment for all students and employees. Accordingly, NC State affirms its commitment to maintain a work environment for all employees and an academic environment for all students that is free from all forms of discrimination. Discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, creed, national origin, age, disability, veteran status or sexual orientation is a violation of state and federal law and/or NC State University policy and will not be tolerated. Harassment of any person (either in the form of quid pro quo or creation of a hostile environment) based on color, religion, sex, creed, national origin, age, disability, veteran status or sexual orientation is also a violation of state and federal law and/or NC State University policy and will not be tolerated. Retaliation against any person who complains about discrimination is also prohibited. NC State’s policies and regulations covering discrimination, harassment, and retaliation may be accessed at [http://www.ncsu.edu/policies/campus_environ](http://www.ncsu.edu/policies/campus_environ) or [http://www.ncsu.edu/equal_op](http://www.ncsu.edu/equal_op). Any person who feels that he or she has been the subject of prohibited discrimination, harassment, or retaliation should contact the Office for Equal Opportunity (OEO) at 515-3148.

4. **General University Policies**: Apply to All Courses & Websites for the Department of Health & Exercise Studies: Provides information via university links on university policies regarding Course Syllabus, Attendance, Audits, Credit-Only, Disability Statement, Diversity Policy, Incomplete grades, Learning Outcomes (replaces course objectives), Honor Pledge, Academic Regulations- Beginning of Semester Reminders, and Academic Regulations- End of Semester Reminders can be found at [http://www.ncsu.edu/provost/academic_policies/](http://www.ncsu.edu/provost/academic_policies/)

5. **Attire**: NC State issue or special activity attire as indicated by your instructor. For this class you should wear an appropriate swimsuit for in-pool activities.

6. You must show your ID card to enter Carmichael Gymnasium.

7. Due to the nature of this activity, it may be necessary for the instructor to touch the student to assist in form/technique.

8. Every physical activity has certain inherent risks and regardless of precautions taken it is impossible to ensure total safety. Adhere to all safety guidelines to reduce your risk of injury.

9. All NC State issued clothing (shorts, t-shirts, swim suits, athletic supports and towels) must be returned by the last day of exams. Students will be charged for clothing not returned. All personal items left in the locker will be disposed.

10. Do not bring or use illegal drugs, tobacco products, alcoholic beverages during class time.

11. Do not bring visitors and/or pets to class. Firearms, weapons, and/or fireworks are prohibited from class.

12. Do not use profanity during class.

13. Turn off pagers, cell phones, etc. during class time.
**Recommendations For Your Safety**

1. Students should warm-up and stretch properly before participating in activity and cool-down after any workout. Always work out with a partner.
2. Inform instructor immediately if you have any medical issue that would affect your performance in class.
3. Let instructor know immediately of any symptoms of nausea, fainting, shortness of breath, dizziness, or any other symptoms of discomfort.
4. Your instructor must be on deck or a lifeguard on duty at the pool where you class is being held before you can enter the water.
5. Diving into the pool in not allowed unless you are receiving diving instruction from your instructor. Please click on "video" to see how easily a neck injury could occur when diving into the pool. This swimmer was fortunate that an injury was avoided.
6. Hyperventilation is extremely dangerous due to the increased risk of shallow water blackout in an aquatic environment. Students are not to hyperventilate during any aquatic activity.
7. Use swimmer’s aid solution after each pool and open water session to avoid swimmer’s ear problems.
8. Equalize continuously during each ascent in the pool or open water.
9. Never hold your breath while breathing compressed air.
10. Never dive when you are unable to equalize or when you have congestion in your chest.
11. Perform all equipment checks before donning equipment.
12. Perform all equipment cleaning/storing procedures before storing equipment.
13. Be aware of location of emergency phones/transmitters and other methods of obtaining help.
14. NC State Student Health Services has information about the Mental Aspects of Sports Participation Guidelines.
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