APPLICATIONS for
Fall 2013 (UL) and Spring 2014 (UWIC & UL)

Kinesiology Department
California State University, Long Beach
International Student Exchange Program
Application Form

As of Spring 2012 the Kinesiology Department at CSULB will be able to directly exchange students with two universities in Europe. The University of Wales, Institute Cardiff (UWIC) has been an exchange program partner for over 25 years and continues to provide opportunities for a number of CSULB Kinesiology majors to study in Cardiff, Wales. This exchange program is predominantly a spring semester program. The University of Limerick (UL) exchange program is new and provides the opportunity for a couple of students from the CSULB Kinesiology Department to study in Limerick, Ireland. It is intended that 2-3 CSULB students will participate in this exchange every semester. Due to the schedule of classes offered at the UWIC or University of Limerick, you should consult with Dr. Williams to ascertain the feasibility of taking required coursework at either institution.

CHECKLIST & INSTRUCTION FOR EXCHANGE APPLICATION CANDIDATES

☑ Completed Application Form:
  Complete all items. Type or print neatly. Original and one copy must be returned to Dr. Emyr Williams. You care in preparing this application can determine whether you are selected to participate). * Reference

☑ Purpose statement
  Write a brief essay summarizing your academic interests and career goals that will show how your participation in overseas study can contribute to these objectives. Your ability to succinctly express your reasons for applying for this program, as well as the grammar and spelling, are considerations in the selection of applicants. Please restrict your essay to no more than 2 pages (double-spaced).

☑ Transcripts: From CSULB, & any other colleges that you’ve attended.
  An official transcript is required from each college or university you have attended (including summer sessions) outside of CSULB. Please include your transcripts from other institutions with this application. For CSULB, the myCSULB printed transcripts are sufficient.

☑ The Application Deadline (Thursday after Thanksgiving for UL Fall and the first Thursday in April for UWIC/UL Spring semesters)
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APPLICATION FORM

Please indicate your application choice/s. If you have a preference, please indicate by identifying your first choice, 2nd choice etc.,

☐ Applying for UL (FA)
☐ Applying for UWIC (SP)
☐ Applying for UL (SP)
☐ Applying for both UWIC and UL (SP or FA)

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CSULB
1250 Bellflower Boulevard
Long Beach
CA 90840-4901
Phone: (562) 985-7344

Name: ____________________________  ____________________________
Last                 First             Middle initial

STUDENT ID # (P.I.N.): ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________
e-mail: ____________________________

Local/Campus Address
Street: ____________________________
City: ____________________________  ZIP: __________
Phone: ____________________________

Home/Parents’ Address
Parent’s Name/s: ____________________________
Relationship: _________
Street: ____________________________
City: ____________________________  ZIP: __________
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Phone:______________________________
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1. Country of Citizenship:_____________________________________________

2. Resident Status: □ Resident, □ Nonresident, □ Foreign Student

3. Marital Status: □ Single, □ Married, □ Divorced, □ Separated,

4. Current major field of study:________________________________________

5. Minor: ___________________________________________________________

6. GPA: Cumulative GPA:__________, Last Semester GPA:__________

7. Expected Date of graduation:__________

8. Units completed by September 2013: ________________

9. Class level: □ Freshman, □ Sophomore, □ Junior, □ Senior, □ Graduate

10. Educational Experience

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11. List below academic honors, extra-curricular activities, offices held, and interests:

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12. How did you learn about the exchange program?

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13. What made you decide to apply for the exchange program?

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14. Experience working in education related activities

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15. Other employment experience
(including summer, part-time, and military service):

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16. Career Plans:

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17. Please list any talents, abilities, special interests and/or athletic achievements:

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18. If you have traveled or studied abroad, please list the countries visited, the duration, and the purpose of your visit:

________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
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19. List any serious illnesses or periods of hospitalization during the past three years. Indicate any history of chronic physical ailments and of psychological problems. If special medical care is required, state the nature of that care. Continue on a separate sheet if necessary:

(Do you have any allergies (hayfever, asthma, and certain types of medication)?

____________________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________

20. List any languages that you speak, read, or write, and level of fluency:

____________________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________

21. I intend to finance my semester abroad in the following manner

Estimated cost $:

____________________________________________________________

Personal Savings $:

____________________________________________________________

Parental Support $:

____________________________________________________________

Other (Scholarships, loans, financial aid, etc.,) _________

(Note: Due to currency fluctuations estimated costs may be higher or lower than presented at orientation meeting).

22. References: List the names, addresses, and phone number of two references, one of which should be a CSULB faculty member. (CSULB KPE faculty do not need to write a reference, they can contact Dr. Williams directly. CSULB faculty can e-mail or call Dr. Williams (5-7344) with their reference. References outside of CSULB must be written.

Name: ________________, Address: _______________________________________

Phone: ________________

Name: ________________, Address: _______________________________________

Phone: ________________

I certify that the information given on this application is correct, and I agree that if accepted, I shall abide by all rules, regulations, and requirements of the Kinesiology and Physical Education Department’s International Student Exchange Program.

____________________________________________ Date

____________________________________________

Type or Print Name
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Reference Form:

KINESIOLOGY DEPARTMENT
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Student’s Name:____________________
Name:______________________________
Phone:______________________________
Address:___________________________

In writing a reference please indicate how long have you known the student? Additionally, why do you think the student would be a suitable candidate for the International Exchange? Please take into consideration that students in Europe are required to work independently. Additionally, course grades are based in large part on course projects and final comprehensive exams. Students are expected to be able to synthesize research and be able to demonstrate their subject matter knowledge based upon 3+ hour essay type final examinations. You can use this form or complete the reference on your own letterhead.
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