**August Intersession**

**HES 3593: Sport and Physical Activity in Society**

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**Course Description:**
This **3 credit hour** course examines major theoretical perspectives and research with particular emphasis on sport and physical activity in contemporary American society. Specifically, we will address the following issues that concern physical activity and sport in our society:

- The history of sport and physical activity.
- The role of educational institutions as an influencing factor of American children.
- Social problems and issues surrounding violence and deviance.
- Gender and ethnic minorities.
- The media’s influence on sport and physical activity.

**THIS CLASS QUALIFIES AS AN UPPER DIVISION ELECTIVE FOR HES MAJORS.**

**ALL ACADEMIC DISCIPLINES WELCOME**

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me!