COURSE DETAIL

METABOLISM, NUTRITION, AND EXCERCISE

Country Netherlands

Host Institution Maastricht University – University College Maastricht

Program(s) Biological and Life Sciences, Maastricht, University College Maastricht

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s) Health Sciences Biological Sciences

UCEAP Course Number 109

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title METABOLISM, NUTRITION, AND EXCERCISE

UCEAP Transcript Title METABOLISM

UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00

UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

The course provides a solid understanding of the key aspects of energy metabolism and the effects of nutrients on skeletal muscle metabolism during exercise of different types. The first part of the course provides a theoretical framework on the basics of exercise biochemistry and exercise physiology. In the form of tutorial groups, the physiology of muscles, the metabolism of macronutrients, the hormonal regulation of metabolism, and the biochemical and physiological role of micronutrients in relation to exercise and fatigue are discussed. The second part of the course investigates a case study. A recommendation on your case, in the form of a group assignment, concludes this part of the course. The course requires prior knowledge of some simple (bio)chemical concepts (e.g. the structure and function of macromolecules, common forms of chemical reactions, basic cell structure, and metabolism of macromolecules).

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number SCI3005

Host Institution Course Title METABOLISM, NUTRITION, AND EXCERCISE

Host Institution Campus

Maastricht University

Host Institution Faculty

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Host Institution Degree

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