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Graduate School News Highlights



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EXERCISE SCIENCE & HEALTH PROMOTION

ALLIED HEALTH

From **Bridget M. Newell, Ph.D. Interim Associate Provost for Graduate Studies**

Resolutions. Distractions. Focus.

It's now mid-February. A month ago, at the start of the new year, many of us made resolutions. We may have wanted to exercise more, eat less "junk," stay in better touch with those who are far from us. We wanted to better ourselves in some way. For some of you, this meant entering a graduate program at Otterbein. For others, this meant recommitting to graduate school and your courses at Otterbein. We were all so ready, weren't we? [Continue reading >>](#)

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Spring 2022

The Graduate School Lecture Series

March 22, 2022 | 6:30 p.m. | Towers 112

Graduate Student Conference

April 14, 2022 | 5 p.m. | Science Center

Graduate School Commencement

May 1, 2022 | 5:30 p.m. | Otterbein's Memorial Stadium

Allied Health Master of Science in Athletic Training Program Begins this Summer

Beginning in fall 2022, accredited athletic training programs must prepare students at the graduate level. To meet this new requirement, Otterbein's Health and Sport Sciences Program has developed and is ready to launch its new Master of Science in Athletic Training (MSAT) Program this summer, with the first graduating class anticipated in spring 2025.

The Department of Health and Sport Sciences has a long history of successfully preparing athletic training graduates under the supervision of the department chair, Joan Rocks, Ph.D. This new program combines the best of our undergraduate curriculum with new graduate offerings. The incoming cohort of athletic training graduate students will take some of the same classes as students in the Master of Science in Allied Health (MSAH) Program. This will enrich classroom perspectives and discussions and broaden interdisciplinary networks within our graduate programs. We look forward to future partnerships that enhance the MSAH and MSAT programs, and we are pleased that our empathetic, rigorously prepared graduates are able to serve the surrounding community. [Continue reading >>](#)

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