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**Course Outline for KIN ETD1**  
**ESKRIMA - TENIO DECUERDAS 1**  
**Effective: Fall 2018**

**I. CATALOG DESCRIPTION:**

KIN ETD1 — ESKRIMA - TENIO DECUERDAS 1 — 1.00 - 2.00 units

An introductory course of the Filipino martial art system of Tenio DeCuerdas Eskrima: a complete system combining 18 styles of eskrima, kali, and arnis. The course will focus on history of the system, basic movement and striking, increasing hand speed, defenses against daga, daga versus daga, and how to receive techniques safely.

1.00 - 2.00 Units Lab

**Grading Methods:**

Letter or P/NP

**Discipline:**

- Martial Arts/Self-Defense

**Family:** Kinesiology Tenio DeCuerdas Eskrima

	<u>MIN</u>	<u>MAX</u>
<b>Lab Hours:</b>	54.00	108.00
<b>Total Hours:</b>	54.00	108.00

**II. NUMBER OF TIMES COURSE MAY BE TAKEN FOR CREDIT: 1**

**III. PREREQUISITE AND/OR ADVISORY SKILLS:**

**IV. MEASURABLE OBJECTIVES:**

**Upon completion of this course, the student should be able to:**

- A. Explain the history and the development of system.
- B. Display proper martial arts etiquette
- C. Perform low level receiving techniques
- D. Demonstrate proper warm-ups and stretching
- E. Perform open hand techniques and drills employing parrying and sweeping.
- F. Perform proper leg movements involving pivoting.
- G. Perform proper feeding drills, and introductory level earth to earth concepts.
- H. Compare different styles of Filipino martial arts

**V. CONTENT:**

- A. History
  1. Founder
  2. System
- B. Martial arts etiquette
- C. Warm-ups and stretching
- D. Receiving techniques
  1. Low/medium side fall
  2. Low/medium front fall
- E. Hands
  1. Pure boxing
    - a. Hands
  2. Defense against daga
    - a. Parry with the force
    - b. Sweep against the force
  3. Rhythms and beats
    - a. Four beat
- F. Legs
  1. Pivot
- G. Daga
  1. Angles of attack
  2. Earth to earth
    - a. Hook
    - b. Block-roll
    - c. Live hand
    - d. Under over

- e. Weave under
- H. Styles of Filipino martial arts
  - 1. Kali
  - 2. Arnis
  - 3. Eskrima

VI. METHODS OF INSTRUCTION:

- A. **Lecture** - Explain concepts, principles, tactics, and history of techniques and the system
- B. Application of techniques, concepts, and drills
- C. Partner and individual practice
- D. **Demonstration** - techniques and drills
- E. **Individualized Instruction** -

VII. TYPICAL ASSIGNMENTS:

- A. Participate in warm-ups
- B. Perform low level receiving techniques
- C. Participate in drills and techniques
- D. Demonstrate a defense against a punch

VIII. EVALUATION:

A. **Methods**

- 1. Class Participation
- 2. Class Performance

B. **Frequency**

- 1. Class Participation
  - a. Daily
- 2. Class Performance
  - a. 2-4 per semester

IX. TYPICAL TEXTS:

- 1. *The Filipino Martial Arts as taught by Dan Inosanto*. 1st ed., Know Now Publishing Company, 1980.
- 2. Lewis, Peter. *Filipino Martial Arts: Exploring the Depths*. 1st ed., Crowood Press, 2016.
- 3. Latosa, Rene, and Bill Newman. *Eskrima: The Art of Filipino Stick Fighting: An Essential Guide to FIGHTING with WEAPONS*. 1st ed., Rising Sun Books, 2017.

X. OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED OF STUDENTS:

- A. Wooden or metal training knife.