


ISA Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist Course (Leading to National Strength and Conditioning Association Certification)

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Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialists (CSCSs) are professionals who apply scientific knowledge to train athletes for the primary goal of improving athletic performance. They conduct sport-specific testing sessions, design and implement safe and effective strength training and conditioning programs and provide guidance regarding nutrition and injury prevention. Recognizing that their area of expertise is separate and distinct, CSCSs consult with and refer athletes to other professionals when appropriate.

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| Course Duration | 35 hours over 3 weekends (Sat & Sun) |
| Course Dates (Next Intake) | 14, 15, 21, 22, 28 Sep 2024 |
| Course Fees | \$2,100.00 (inclusive of course materials and examination fees) |
| Grants Available (T&Cs apply) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SkillsFuture Credits: For Singaporeans 25 years old and above with minimum 75% attendance rate • UTAP: 50% of unfunded course fees (before GST) for NTUC members with minimum 75% attendance rate, capped at \$250.00/year for members below 40 years old, and \$500.00/year for members 40 years and above |
| Entry Requirements | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any Bachelor's Degree OR • Chiropractic / Medicine Degree granted by an accredited institution AND • Valid CPR-AED Certification |
| Continuing Education Credits (if applicable) | 10 CoachSG CCE Hours awarded upon completion |
| Registration Deadline | 24 Aug 2024, 6pm |

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Course Objectives

Upon successful completion of the course, participants will understand:

- Structure and Function of the Muscular, Neuromuscular, Cardiovascular and Respiratory System
- Bioenergetics of Exercise and Training
- Endocrine Responses to Resistance Exercise
- Biomechanics of Resistance Exercise
- Adaptations to Anaerobic and Aerobic Training Programs
- Age and Sex Related Differences and Their Implications for Resistance Exercise
- Psychology of Athletic Preparation and Performance
- Performance Enhancing Substances
- Nutritional Factors in Health and Performance
- Principles of Test Selection and Administration
- Administration, Scoring, and Interpretation of Selected Tests
- Warm-Up, Stretching, Resistance Training and Spotting Techniques
- Plyometric Training, Speed, Agility and Speed-Endurance Development
- Periodization, Rehabilitation and Reconditioning
- Facility Organization, Risk Management, Policy Development and Procedures Manual

Course Syllabus

Please refer to pages 3-4 for detailed course syllabus and class schedule.

Award

Upon completion of the course, each participant will be awarded

1. **ISA Certificate of Completion for ISA Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist Course**
2. **NSCA Certificate for Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist (awarded upon passing the NSCA CSCS Certification Examination)**

Venue

International Sports Academy

1 Stadium Place, Kallang Wave Mall, #01-11
Singapore 397628
(opposite beach volleyball courts)

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Detailed Content Outline

| SCIENTIFIC FOUNDATIONS (1.5 hours) | |
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| 1. Exercise Science | 44 questions |
| 2. Sport Psychology | 19 questions |
| 3. Nutrition | 17 questions |
| 4. Non-scored Questions | 15 questions |
| Total for Scientific Foundations | 95 questions |
| PRACTICAL / APPLIED (2.5 hours) | |
| 1. Exercise Techniques | 44 questions |
| 2. Program Design | 19 questions |
| 3. Organisation and Administration | 17 questions |
| 4. Testing, Ongoing Monitoring and Data Evaluation | 20 questions |
| 5. Non-scored Questions | 15 questions |
| Total for Practical / Applied | 125 questions |

Course Schedule

Due to new measures announced for COVID-19 in Singapore, theory components that was originally meant to be delivered face to face will now be delivered via Zoom. Practical components from each week will be compiled over 2 sessions and delivered face to face to minimise the requirement to head to ISA Campus for all sessions (as per previous format). For this intake, students are only required to head to ISA Campus in small groups (in adherence to the current measures) for the 2 practical sessions.

| Day | Topics | Schedule |
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| 1 (Theory) | Introduction & Preparation Strategies SCIENTIFIC FOUNDATIONS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exercise Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Anatomy & Physiology ○ Bioenergetics & Metabolism ○ Neuroendocrine Physiology ○ Adaptations to Anaerobic Training Programs | <u>Delivered via Zoom</u> Date: 14 Sep 2024 (Sat) Time: 9.30am – 5.30pm (7hr + 1hr lunch break) |
| 2 (Theory) | SCIENTIFIC FOUNDATIONS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exercise Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Adaptations to Aerobic Endurance Training Programs ○ Age- & Sex-related Differences & Their Implications for Resistance Exercise ○ Scientific Research & Statistics in Exercise Sciences • Sports Psychology | <u>Delivered via Zoom</u> Date: 15 Sep 2024 (Sun) Time: 9.30am – 5.30pm (7hr + 1hr lunch break) |

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| 3 (Theory) | <p><u>SCIENTIFIC FOUNDATIONS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nutrition <p><u>PRACTICAL / APPLIED</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Testing, Ongoing Monitoring, & Data Evaluation • Exercise Technique <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Movement Preparation ○ Resistance Training ○ Olympic Weightlifting & Plyometric Exercise ○ Speed & Agility ○ Energy Systems Development ○ Recovery Techniques | <p><u>Delivered Face-to-Face</u> Date: 21 Sep 2024 (Sat) Time: 9.30am – 1.30pm (4h) Venue: ISA Campus @ 1 Stadium Place #01-09 (S)397628</p> |
| 3 (Practical) | <p><u>PRACTICAL / APPLIED</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Testing, Ongoing Monitoring, & Data Evaluation • Exercise Technique <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Movement Preparation ○ Resistance Training ○ Olympic Weightlifting & Plyometric Exercise ○ Speed & Agility ○ Energy Systems Development ○ Recovery Techniques | <p><u>Delivered Face-to-Face</u> Date: 21 Sep 2024 (Sat) Time: 2.30pm – 5.30pm (3h) Venue: ISA Campus @ 1 Stadium Place #01-09 (S)397628</p> |
| 4 (Practical) | <p><u>PRACTICAL / APPLIED</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exercise Technique <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Movement Preparation ○ Resistance Training ○ Olympic Weightlifting & Plyometric Exercise ○ Speed & Agility | <p><u>Delivered Face-to-Face</u> Date: 22 Sep 2024 (Sun) Time: 9.30am – 5.30pm (7h + 1hr lunch break) Venue: ISA Campus @ 1 Stadium Place #01-09 (S)397628</p> |
| 5 (Theory) | <p><u>PRACTICAL / APPLIED</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Design & Periodisation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Resistance Training ○ Plyometric Training ○ Speed & Agility Training ○ Aerobic Endurance Training ○ Periodisation ○ Rehabilitation & Reconditioning • Organisation & Administration | <p><u>Delivered via Zoom</u> Date: 28 Sep 2024 (Sat) Time: 9.30am – 5.30pm (7hr + 1hr lunch break)</p> |

Please note that course dates and times are subject to change at the discretion of the International Sports Academy.