

KSS 1504 - Life After Sports

Fall 2026 Syllabus, Section 01, CRN 42256,

Credit hours: 2

Instructor

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Course Description

1504. Life After Sports. Life After Sports is a continuation of the student-athlete development model through development research, NCAA programming, and practical application to prepare student-athletes for life after athletics as they develop the necessary skills to be engaged citizens and prepared professionals. 2 s.h.

Course Readings

Group	Title	Author	ISBN
No Readings			

The course readings are subject to change in the event of extenuating circumstances, research developments, current events, and/or to ensure better learning.

Schedule of Topics and Assignments

Day	Date	Reading(s)	Proposed Topic	Due/To Prepare for Class
Mon	8/24	Syllabus and Podium X Intro		
Wed	8/26			Elevator Pitch & Business Card
Mon	8/31	Email Etiquette PowerPoint & Reading		
Wed	9/2			Email Assignment
Mon	9/7	Resume Development PowerPoint		
Wed	9/9			Grad School Research Assignment
Mon	9/14	Budget and Salary/Housing Cost PowerPoint & Readings Midterm Assignment Document		
Wed	9/16			Budget Assignment
Mon	9/21	Letter of Recommendation PowerPoint		Resume Midterm
Wed	9/23	LinkedIn Development PowerPoint		
Mon	9/28	Cover Letter PowerPoint		
Wed	9/30	Interview Prep Basics Reading		Cover Letter Assignment
Mon	10/5			Mock Interview
Wed	10/7			Mock Interview

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