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Western Kentucky University
UA19 Athletics
Series 16 Athletic Media Relations
Subseries 3 Student Athlete Biographical File

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Administrative History: Athletic Media Relations began as a section of Public Relations. The following have headed up the program:

1935-1955 - Kelly Thompson, Public Relations director

1955-1971 - Robert Cochran, Public Relations director; Dean of Public Affairs

1962-1978 - Ed Given

1978-2002 - Paul Just

2002- - Brian Fremund

Description: An incomplete run of biographical information sheets created by student athletes to be used in the creation of press releases. The binders are arranged by year, by sport and alphabetically by student name.

The sheets are in the form of questionnaires:

Name

Roster Name

Sport

Height and weight

Academic class and major

Hometown

Parents, occupation

Birthplace, date, marital status, spouse, children

High school, junior college and other colleges, includes athletic statistics, honors and records held

Post graduate plans

Hobbies

Famous relatives especially in athletics

Hometown media outlets

Sports included are baseball, men and women's basketball, cross country, men and women's golf, soccer, swimming, men and women's tennis and volleyball.

Restrictions on access: Social Security numbers to be redacted before patrons may use the binder.

Dates: 1943-2004

Extent: 21 binders

Subject Analytics:

Athletes
Athletics (WKU)

Western Kentucky University

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Accession Information: These records transferred to the WKU Archives from WKU Athletic Media Relations in accordance with the records retention schedule.

Access Restrictions: Restricted access - inquire in University Archives

Allied Materials:

[UA1B3.3 Athletic Committee](#)

[UA1C5.1 Baseball Photos](#)

[UA1C5.2 Basketball - Mens Photos](#)

[UA1C5.3 Basketball - Women Photos](#)

[UA1C5.4 Golf Photos](#)

[UA1C5.5 Cheerleaders Photos](#)

[UA1C5.6 Football Photos](#)

[UA1C5.8 Fan Photos](#)

[UA1C5.9 Track & Field Photos](#)

[UA1C5.10 Swimming & Diving Photos](#)

[UA1C5.11 Tennis Photos](#)

[UA1C8.1 Logos & Symbols - Athletics](#)

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[UA19/17/4 Athletic Media Clipping File](#)

[UA37.5 E.A. Diddle Faculty/Staff Papers](#)

[UA80 W Club](#)

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Finding Aid Report

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UA19.16.3	Records	Date
Level	Subseries	Linked toUA19.16
Title	UA19 Athletics	
Collection	Series 16 Athletic Media Relations	
Scope & Content	Subseries 3 Student Athlete Biographical File	

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Container List	Folder	Creator	Date	Title
Container				
Binders 1-16		Athletic Media Relations (WKU)	1979-1995	Student Athlete Biographical File
Binders 17-22		Athletic Media Relations (WKU)	1998-2004	Student Athlete Biographical File