

### **MODULE SPECIFICATION**

Refer to guidance notes for completion of each section of the specification.

Module Code:	FAW512						
Module Title:	The Football Industry						
Level:	5	Credit Value:	20				
Cost Centre(s):	GASP	JACS3 code: HECoS code:	C610 100095				
Faculty	FSLS	Module Leader:	Chris Hughes				
Scheduled learning and teaching hours					30 hrs		
Placement tutor s	upport				0hrs		
Supervised learning	ng eg practical cla	asses, workshops			0 hrs		
Project supervision (level 6 projects and dissertation modules only)			0 hrs				
Total contact hours			<b>30</b> hrs				
Placement / work based learning			0 hrs				
Guided independent study			170 hrs				
Module duration (total hours)			200 hrs				
Programme(s) ir	n which to be offe	ered (not including e	xit awards)	Core	Option		
BSc (Hons) Football Coaching and the Performance Spe			cialist	✓			
Pre-requisites							
None							
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# **Module Aims**

- To provide an opportunity to enhance subject specific skills in relation to the applied football environment.
- To enable the student to engage in the process of reflective practice in order to enhance and develop their football work-related experience.

Module Learning Outcomes - at the end of this module, students will be able to				
1	Examine the various levels and environments within the football industry.			
2	Critically reflect upon the specific skills required within the football industry.			
3	Execute oral discussion in relation to a specific role within the industry.			

Employability Skills The Wrexham Glyndŵr Graduate	I = included in module content A = included in module assessment N/A = not applicable	
Guidance: complete the matrix to indicate which of assessment in alignment with the matrix provided in	f the following are included in the module content and/or	
CORE ATTRIBUTES		
Engaged	I	
Creative	I, A	
Enterprising	A	
Ethical	I, A	
KEY ATTITUDES		
Commitment	1	
Curiosity	1	
Resilient	I, A	
Confidence	I, A	
Adaptability	I	
PRACTICAL SKILLSETS		
Digital fluency	A	
Organisation	I, A	
Leadership and team working	I, A	
Critical thinking	I, A	
Emotional intelligence	I, A	
Communication	I, A	
Derogations		
N/A		

#### Assessment:

**Indicative Assessment Tasks:** 

## **Self-Reflection Report**

Students will complete a self-reflection report in relation to current skillset. Skills will be identified utilising the WGU Employability Matrix. Students will completed a 2000 written report, drawing upon evidence from industry to identify their areas of development and their strengths. The report will conclude with a structured action plan of how they wish to develop these skills.

#### **Oral Assessment**

A 15 minute individual simulated interview supported by a 500 word written submission for a sport/football related job or a higher degree course application. A choice of 4 simulated advertisements and job details will be provided. Students will be assessed on their ability to synthesise and communicate their skills and attributes through oral means.

Assessment number	Learning Outcomes to be met	Type of assessment	Weighting (%)
1	1 & 2	Self-Reflection Report	40%
2	3	Oral Assessment	60%

### **Learning and Teaching Strategies:**

Planning, organisation, observation, discussion, self-management, independent thinking, problem solving, IT skills, communication skills, interpersonal skills of interacting with performers and reflective practice.

This module will be delivered with a variety of learning & teaching strategies, where students have to engage with a range of activities, which include lectures, seminars, blended learning, small group work, practical activities and practical workshops.

### Syllabus outline:

- Grassroots industry and roles
- Elite industry and roles
- Coaching vs Management
- Interview techniques
- Skill Development
- Communication within the applied environment
- Performance Evaluation
- Reflective Practice

### **Indicative Bibliography:**

#### **Essential reading**

Zhang, J. j., and Pitts, B. G. (2018) The Global Football Industry. Routledge: Oxon, Uk.

## Other indicative reading

Helyer, R. (2015) *The Work-Based Learning Student Handbook.* 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Palgrave McMillan: Hampshire, UK.

Huntley, E., Cropley, B., Gilbourne, D., Knowles, Z., & Speakes, A. (2014). Reflecting Back and Forwards: The Ebb and Flow of Reflective Practice Peer-Reviewed Research in Sport. *Reflective Practice*, Vol. 15, pp. 863-876.