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A knife-wielding psycho stabbed a pregnant woman and her boyfriend on a subway train in the Village during yesterday's evening rush, paralyzing straphangers on the packed car.
The winning edge

College athletes have more job options open to them than their less sporty fellow students

By ERIKA WELZ PRAEFER

EVER wonder what became of your favorite college athletes? If the professional sports world takes a pass on such talent, where do they end up? Bear in mind that these people are likely to be driven, team players. If you guessed Wall Street or the entertainment industry, sure, a fair share enter those arenas.

But in the eat-or-be-eaten world of corporate America, employers such as the pharmaceutical and medical device fields are quickly recognizing the drive and forte of this population and hoping to attract more student-athletes to their staff.

"I'm seeing corporations take a longer look at studen-athletes," says Chris Monasch, director of athletics for St. John's University. "They are competitors by nature. Similar to the business world, their leadership skills and focus are measured every day by whether they win or can bounce back from a loss quickly.

"Time-management is another common trait which is displayed by top sports players, and this is also strongly valued by today's employers. With numerous practices, travel and team meetings, athletes are logging in 30 to 40 hours a week for their sport, in addition to their studies. "They have a strong work ethic, are disciplined, and know what it takes to be successful, academically and athletically," adds Monasch.

Such qualities are so highly regarded in today's marketplace, that for an entry-level spot, one executive says he'd hire an athlete college sports backgrounds.

Locally, Ellman has previously recruited from NYU, St. John's, CW Post, Adelphi, Stonybrook and Columbia universities.

"In our field, the desire to succeed, ability to adjust to change and decisiveness go a long way," he adds.

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— Dr. Jon C. Garito, President, Ellman Int'l

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Above: Dr. Jon C. Garito of Ellman International, with a photo of Ivy Roemig, who played on the woman's NCAA Division II softball team at the University of Tampa. She's now hitting home runs for his medical company. The firm hopes to expand their athlete recruitment efforts this year by offering an unrestricted grant to the athletic divisions of those colleges and universities that participate in and promote their specialized staffing program.

In fact, the medical device field not only offers a potential six-figure income after the first year, but according to Dr. Garito, "The range of positions is quite wide -- hospital sales, medical trade shows, medical sales, medical trade shows, customer relationship sales."

They hope to encourage their graduating student athletes to interview with their hiring manager. For more information on hiring at Ellman International, call (516) 594-3333 or visit their website at ellman.com.

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