



**REPORT OF THE
NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S LACROSSE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE
JANUARY 8, 2026, VIDECONFERENC**

ACTION ITEMS.

- **None.**

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

1. **Selection metric proposal.** The NCAA Division I Men's Lacrosse Oversight Committee reviewed and discussed a proposed selection metric for the 2027-28 NCAA Division I Men's lacrosse championship.
2. **Other business.** The Men's Lacrosse Oversight Committee will discuss a proposal to amend the starting date for recruiting activities at a future oversight committee meeting. Additionally, the Men's Lacrosse Oversight Committee initially discussed implementing highlighter green as the game ball color and black as the game net color for the 2027-28 Division I men's lacrosse championship postseason. The Men's Lacrosse Oversight Committee noted the rules subcommittee will review and potentially vote on any changes to game ball color and goal net color during its annual meeting in June 2026. The committee will look to discuss implementing ball and net color adjustments for the 2027 championship during its next meeting in March.
3. **Future meeting schedule.**
 - a. March 2, 2026, videoconference.
 - b. May 24, 2026, in-person meeting in conjunction with the 2026 Division I Men's Lacrosse Championship.
 - c. July 27-28, 2026, videoconference.

Committee Chair: Matthew Colagiovanni, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick

*Staff Liaison(s): Connor Bush, Division I Governance and Member Services
Will Hopkins, Championships and Alliances
Ryan Tressel, Championships and Alliances
Jerry Vaughn, Division I Governance and Member Services*

Division I Men's Lacrosse Oversight Committee January 8, 2026, Videoconference	
Attendees:	
Tom Abbott, NCAA Coordinator of Officials (nonvoting member).	
J.B. Clarke, Intercollegiate Men's Lacrosse Association (nonvoting member).	

Matthew Colagiovanni, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick.
Christine Copper, U.S. Naval Academy (nonvoting member).
Nick Gannon, Drexel University.
Jeremy Gibson, Lehigh University.
James Greene, Big East Conference.
Shawn Lyght, University of Notre Dame.
Jamie Mullin, University of Syracuse.
Brad Ross, Bryant University.
Willie Scroggs, NCAA Secretary-Rules Editor (nonvoting member).
Alanna Wren, University of Pennsylvania.
Absentees:
None.
Guests in Attendance:
David Seidman, Lars Tiffany and Chris Wojcik.
NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:
Connor Bush, Will Hopkins and Ryan Tressel.
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:
Mark Bedics, Leslie Havens, Connor Lancashire and Nick Moeller.