



**REPORT OF THE  
NCAA DIVISION III MEN'S SOCCER COMMITTEE  
FEBRUARY 6-8, 2025, MEETING**

**ACTION ITEMS.**

- None.

**INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.**

- 1. Preliminary-round evaluations.** The committee reviewed the preliminary rounds and final site evaluations. The committee discussed a few key topics from the evaluations and made notes on how to make minor improvements to address these concerns.
- 2. Rankings, selections, and bracketing.** The committee reviewed the rankings process, while also spending time discussing the proposed change to NPI/Pairwise. The committee will need more time, information, and training to full make its recommendation on NPI/Pairwise. Discussion continued into the Joint Meeting with the women's soccer committee. Recommendation and feedback will be provided by the end of the month.
- 3. Automatic qualification, regional advisory committees, and NCAA manuals.** The committee will review conference affiliations, RAC rosters, and the championship manuals in the spring/summer as there has been a lot of movement in the membership and also with the introduction of the new shared online folder for the championship and how that can be used in conjunction with the manuals.
- 4. Committee Chair.** The committee elected Brian Marcantonio as the chair of the committee for 2024-25.

*Committee Chair:* Gabe Margolis, Brandies University  
*Staff Liaison(s):* Kevin Alcox, Championships and Alliances

Committee Name
Date, Teleconference OR Meeting
<b>Attendees:</b>
Carl Christian, CUNY Athletic Conference.
Rob Dallas, Cabrini University.
David Kulik, Johnson & Wales University (Providence).
Briand Marcantonio, Utica College.
Gabe Margolis, Brandeis University.
Dejan Mladenovic, John Carroll University.
Miguel Ruiz, Cal Lutheran University.

Brian Sisson, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota.
Nate Stewart, Centre College.
Michael Zapolski, Augustana College.
<b>Absentees:</b>
None.
<b>Guests in Attendance:</b>
None
<b>NCAA Staff Liaison (or Staff Support if subcommittee) in Attendance:</b>
Kevin Alcox, Bryce Peters
<b>Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:</b>
None.