



**REPORT OF THE  
NCAA DIVISION II MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SWIMMING AND DIVING COMMITTEE  
AUG. 21, 2025, VIDEOCONFERENCE**

**ACTION ITEMS.**

- None.

**INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.**

1. **Division II Championships Committee updates.** The committee received updates from the Division II Championships Committee, which included the following key items: (1) the transition to a metric-based selection process for team sports (NPI); (2) the sunsetting of championships festivals after the fall 2026 festival; and (3) the proposed timeline for the triennial budget cycle.
2. **Bonafide competition.** The committee approved the following meets to be acceptable for achieving time standards, consideration standards and optional-entry standards for the 2026 championships, as long as they take place during the season and are short-course meets: (1) the USA Swimming 2025 Toyota U.S. Open; (2) the World Aquatics World Swimming Championships; (3) the USA Diving National Championships; and (4) the 2025 Speedo Winter Junior Championships East and West.
3. **Double dual tracking.** NCAA staff is collaborating with USA Swimming to explore tracking double dual meets as two separate competitions within the SWIMS 3.0 software. This enhancement would streamline the process and improve accuracy in tracking minimum contest requirements.
4. **Triennial budget cycle.** The committee formalized its recommendations for the upcoming triennial budget cycle. NCAA staff is currently working internally to generate financial estimates, which will be reviewed by the Championships Committee later this fall, with final approval scheduled for February 2026.
5. **Bid cycle update.** The championships and alliances staff is in the early stages of the upcoming host bid cycle, which will cover a three-year period (2029, 2030 and 2031). The NCAA national office will host a bid symposium in Indianapolis Sept. 15. The event will provide interested cities, venues and local organizing committees the opportunity to learn more about the nuances of hosting championships and to engage directly with NCAA staff.
6. **2026 championships.** The committee revisited key areas of emphasis and focus identified during its annual meeting in preparation for the 2026 championships, which will be held in Evansville, Indiana. NCAA staff will conduct a site visit in the coming weeks to begin initial planning efforts.

*Committee Chair:* Gregg Petcoff, Western Colorado University, Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference  
*Staff Liaison:* Micaela Liddane, Championships and Alliances

Division II Men's and Women's Swimming and Diving Committee Aug. 21, 2025, Videoconference	
<b>Attendees:</b>	
Elle Elder, Mars Hill University.	
Andrew Makepeace, Augustana University (South Dakota).	
Gregg Petcoff, Western Colorado University.	
Jessica Siegele, University of North Carolina, Pembroke.	
<b>Absentees:</b>	
Marc Danin, Adelphi University.	
<b>Guests in Attendance:</b>	
None.	
<b>NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:</b>	
Micaela Liddane, Championships and Alliances.	
<b>Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:</b>	
Kerstin Hunter, Championships and Alliances.	