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## REPORT OF THE NCAA DIVISION III MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SWIMMING AND DIVING COMMITTEE OCT. 13, 2025, VIDEOCONFERENCE

## ACTION ITEMS.

None.

## **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.**

- 1. **Welcome and introductions.** The videoconference participants introduced themselves for the benefit of the new committee members and NCAA staff.
- 2. **2024-25 annual report.** The committee reviewed and approved the report from the 2024-25 annual meeting.
- 3. **2026 diving regional bids.** The committee reviewed the bids for regions one, two and four, and made preliminary selections of host institutions for those regions. The committee reviewed two possible options for region three and instructed the diving coordinator to follow up with representatives from the two institutions to collect additional information for the committee's consideration. The committee will finalize its recommendations for the four diving regional hosts after the additional information for region three options is collected and considered.
- 4. **Diving regional site representatives.** The committee tabled this agenda item until the four diving regionals are selected.
- 5. **Diving judge qualifications.** The committee reviewed the diving judge qualifications document for Division I and determined that some of the Division I qualifications were not appropriate for Division III. The committee instructed the championship manager and diving coordinator to produce similar, but appropriate, diving judge qualifications for potential Division III diving judges at the finals site.
- 6. **2026 championships officials.** The committee approved the swimming officials who were recommended by the meet coordinator and assistant meet coordinator. The diving coordinator noted some discrepancies in the diving judge applicant database. The committee instructed the diving coordinator to confirm interest of individuals in the diving judge database and correct any other discrepancies as necessary before the committee receives diving judge recommendations from the diving coordinator. Once the diving judge database is updated, the committee will consider diving judge recommendations from the diving coordinator at its Dec. 8 meeting or via an email discussion and vote, whichever can occur earlier.
- 7. **Men's participant cap.** The committee received an update from the championship manager on the process of requesting an increase to the men's participant cap and instructed the championship manager to submit the men's participant cap financial analysis questionnaire to the financial planning and accounting staff of the national office. After receiving the financial

analysis from the national office staff, the committee will consider making a request to the Division III Championships Committee to increase the men's participant cap.

- 8. **Championship format survey results.** The committee briefly discussed the survey results and tabled further discussion of the results until the next meeting.
- 9. **2026 championship site visit.** The committee received a brief 2026 championship site visit report from the committee chair and championship manager.
- 10. **2028-2031 championships bid process.** The committee received a brief report on the 2028-2031 championships bid process.
- 11. **Head diving coach contact information.** The committee received a brief report on the process of the national office collecting contact information for head diving coaches.
- 12. **2025-26 Manuals.** The committee received a brief report on the process of creating and publishing the 2025-26 manuals.
- 13. **Travel policy updates.** This agenda item was tabled until the next meeting.
- 14. **Future meetings.** The committee reviewed the future meeting dates and times and instructed the championship manager to resend the meeting requests.

Committee Chair: Kiki Jacobs, Roger Williams University, Conference of New England

Staff Liaison: Corey Bray, Championships and Alliances

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Attendees:
Shawn Austin, State University of New York at Geneseo.
Andy Brabson, California Institute of Technology.
Abby Jarvis, Northwest Conference.
Christopher Sykes, Illinois College.
Kristin Jacobs, Roger Williams University.
Carolyn Miles, Williams College.
Doug Milliken, Case Western Reserve University.
Absentees:
Dean Brownley, Centre College.
Guests in Attendance:
Keith Beckett, Peggy Carl and Lewis Fellinger.

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NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:
Corey Bray.
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:
CJ Sowards.