

REPORT OF THE NCAA DIVISION I FOOTBALL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE JANUARY 8, 2021, VIDEOCONFERENCE

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

- 1. Review of NCAA Division I Football Oversight Committee's December 17 Report. The Football Oversight Committee reviewed and approved its December 17, 2020, videoconference report.
- **2. Division I Governance Update.** Amanda Conklin, director of Division I governance, provided the Football Oversight Committee with an overview of legislative proposals that will be discussed on the January 11, 2021, NCAA Division I Council meeting. It was also noted that the Football Oversight Committee will receive a Transfer Portal update during its January 28 meeting.
- **3. American Football Coaches Association Update.** Todd Berry, executive director of AFCA, provided the Football Oversight Committee with an update from the 2021 AFCA Convention on several topics, including name, image and likeness proposals, playing rules items affected by the COVID-19 pandemic and the current state of the recruiting model.
- 4. Issues Impacting COVID-19.
 - a. Impact of the National Football League draft on 2020-21 NCAA Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) season. Chris Howard, director of enforcement, provided an update to the Football Oversight Committee on the impact of the extension of eligibility on the National Football League draft process.
 - b. Updates from Football Oversight Committee members.
- 5. Future Meetings and Teleconferences.
 - a. 4 to 5:30 p.m. Eastern time, Thursday, January 21; Videoconference.
 - b. 4 to 5:30 p.m. Eastern time, Thursday, January 28; Videoconference.

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Committee Chair: Shane Lyons, West Virginia University.

Staff Liaisons: Ty Halpin, NCAA Championships and Alliances.

Kris Richardson, NCAA Academic and Membership Affairs.

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Attendees:

Mark Alnutt, University at Buffalo, the State University of New York.

Whit Babcock, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Sandy Barbour, Pennsylvania State University.

Todd Berry, American Football Coaches Association.

Greg Byrne, University of Alabama.

Ryan Cassidy, Rutgers University, NCAA Division I Student-Athlete Advisory Committee.

Adam Cushing, Eastern Illinois University, Head Football Coach.

David Cutcliffe, Duke University, Head Football Coach.

Troy Dannen, Tulane University.

Jean Gee, University of Montana.

Bret Gilliland, Mountain West Conference.

Doug Gillin, Appalachian State University.

Mark Harlan, University of Utah.

Shane Lyons, West Virginia University.

Kyle Moats, Missouri State University.

Frank Messina, University of Alabama at Birmingham.

Chrissi Rawak, University of Delaware.

Patty Viverito, Missouri Valley Conference.

Absentees:

Patrick Fields, University of Oklahoma.

Michael Hamrick, Marshall University.

Jennifer Williams, Alabama State University.

NCAA Staff Liaisons in Attendance:

Ty Halpin and Kris Richardson.

Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:

Michael Bazemore, Amanda Conklin, Anthony Holman, Chris Howard, Chris Johnson, Greg Johnson and Greg Pottorff.