



REPORT OF THE  
NCAA DIVISION I FOOTBALL BOWL SUBDIVISION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE  
NOVEMBER 7, 2024, VIDEOCONFERENCE

**ACTION ITEMS.**

- None.

**INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.**

1. **Request to amend maximum institutional official visit limitation for Football (FBS).** The committee continued their discussion of a request to amend football's official visit legislation. The committee directed the staff to approve a blanket waiver to allow institutions to provide an unlimited number of official visits in bowl subdivision football over the period of April 1, 2024, through March 31, 2025. The committee will discuss legislative solutions in a future meeting.
2. **Playing and Practice Season Subgroup update.** The committee received an update from the subgroup's October videoconferences. The committee discussed feedback from the FBS conferences regarding the first contest date and will continue the discussion in December. Feedback was provided on behalf of the College Football Playoff (CFP) management committee, which has requested time to develop and provide feedback before the FBSOC finalizes a recommendation. Additionally, the subgroup plans to discuss spring football and summer athletic activities during future videoconferences.
3. **Request to exempt a contest from the maximum annual contest limitations.** The committee continued their review of a request to establish the football contest between the United States Military Academy and the United States Naval Academy as an annual exemption. The committee was informed that the CFP Board of Managers will review this item at its January meeting and provide feedback to the FBSOC.
4. **Update on 2024-25 FBS postseason deserving teams.** The committee received an update on postseason bowl games and was reminded of the committee's responsibility for NCAA legislation in this area (e.g., deserving team status). The FBS members of the Football Oversight Committee's administrative committee will assist with any urgent requests, as needed.
5. **NCAA Division I Football Student-Athlete Connection Group.** The committee received an update from the November 3 FSACG videoconference. During that videoconference, the FSACG discussed the first contest date concepts and playing season legislation. They also received a demonstration of the NCAA NIL Assist application. The connection group's next meeting is on December 1.
6. **NCAA Division I governance update.** The committee received an update on the NCAA Division I October 8-9 NCAA Division I Council meeting and future governance meetings.
7. **NCAA legal issues update.** The committee received a legal update from the NCAA Office of Legal Affairs.

8. **FCS to FBS reclassification update.** The committee deferred this update to its December videoconference.
9. **NCAA Football Rules and Officiating update.** The committee deferred this update to its December videoconference.
10. **Approve NCAA Division I Football Bowl Subdivision Oversight Committee October 7 report and Football Bowl Subdivision and Football Championship Oversight Committees October 8 joint report.** The committee approved the October 7 FBSOC report and the October 8 FBSOC and FCSOC joint report.
11. **Future meetings.**
  - a. 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Eastern time, Thursday, December 5, 2024; videoconference.
  - b. 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Eastern time, Thursday, January 30, 2025; videoconference.
  - c. Monday, February 10 and Tuesday, February 11, 2025; Indianapolis.

*Committee Chair:* Mark Alnutt, University of Buffalo, the State University of New York.  
*Staff Liaisons:* Ty Halpin, NCAA Championships and Alliances.  
Kris Richardson, NCAA Academic and Membership Affairs.

NCAA Division I Football Bowl Subdivision Oversight Committee November 7, 2024, Videoconference	
<b>Attendees:</b>	
Mark Alnutt, University of Buffalo, the State University of New York; Mid-American Conference.	
Scott Barnes, Oregon State University; Pac-12 Conference.	
Bret Bielema, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign.	
Craig Bohl, American Football Coaches Association.	
Josh Brooks, University of Georgia; Southeastern Conference.	
Lisa Campos, University of Texas at San Antonio; American Athletic Conference.	
Scott Draper, Big 12 Conference. (alternate)	
Keith Gill, Sun Belt Conference.	
Richard Clark, College Football Playoff.	
Alan Green, University of Southern California.	
Erick Harper, University of Nevada, Las Vegas; Mountain West Conference.	
Bryan Maggard, University of Louisiana at Lafayette; Sun Belt Conference.	
Chris McIntosh, University of Wisconsin-Madison; Big Ten Conference. (alternate)	
Dan Radakovich, University of Miami (Florida); Atlantic Coast Conference.	
James Senter, University of Texas at El Paso; Conference USA.	
Michael Strickland, Atlantic Coast Conference.	
<b>Absentees:</b>	
Richard Clark, College Football Playoff.	
Taurus Simmons, West Virginia University.	
<b>NCAA Staff Liaisons in Attendance:</b>	
Ty Halpin and Kris Richardson.	
<b>Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:</b>	
Geoff Bentzel, DJ Brown, Amanda Conklin, Ethan Hite, Chris Howard, Chris Johnson, Greg Johnson, Jackson Marcotte and Greg Pottorff.	