

REPORT OF THE NCAA DIVISION I STUDENT-ATHLETE ADVISORY COMMITTEE JANUARY 22-24, 2020, MEETING

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

- 1. Approval of NCAA Division I Student-Athlete Advisory Committee October 19-20, 2019, Report. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee reviewed and approved the report from its October 19-20, 2019, meeting.
- **2. NCAA Guest Speakers.** The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee welcomed several guest speakers from the NCAA national office staff:
 - a. Mark Emmert, NCAA president, provided an update on priorities for the association, including the importance of the student-athlete voice in all association matters.
 - b. Susan Peal, NCAA director, discussed the 2018-19 NCAA Transfer Portal data and sought feedback on a policy related to the National Letter of Intent.
 - c. Lydia Bell, NCAA associate director of research, and Tom Paskus, principal research scientist, shared the results of the 2019 GOALS Study.
- 3. NCAA Division I Name, Image and Likeness Legislative Solutions Group. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee received an update on the work of the Name, Image and Likeness Legislative Solutions Group.
- **4. NCAA Division I Transfer Waiver Working Group.** The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee received an update on the work of the Transfer Waiver Working Group.
- 5. Update on Exceptions to the Use of a Season of Competition. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee received an update on the discussion regarding participation in minimal competition without using a season of competition.
- **6. Legislative Feedback.** The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee reviewed its position on 2019-20 NCAA Division I Council-governance proposals based on feedback provided by conference student-athlete advisory committees.
- 7. Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Good Governance. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee discussed appropriate engagement, expectations and best practices related to good governance and outlined themes and potential options for future consideration.

- **8. Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Chair and Vice Chairs.** The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee elected the following student-athletes to serve as chair and co-vice-chairs, with terms beginning June 1, 2020:
 - a. Chair: Ethan Good, Bowling Green State University; Mid-American Conference.
 - b. Vice Chair: Caroline Lee, Southeastern Louisiana University; Southland Conference.
 - c. Vice Chair: Justice Littrell, University of Northern Colorado; Big Sky Conference.
- 9. Conference Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Advisor Meeting. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee met with conference Student-Athlete Advisory Committee advisors and discussed ways to improve student-athlete engagement at the institutional and conference levels, mental health and well-being best practices, and general campus and conference Student-Athlete Advisory Committee best practices.
- 10. Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Representatives to Division I Committees. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee reviewed upcoming vacancies for Student-Athlete Advisory Committee representatives serving on Division I and NCAA Association-wide committees. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee discussed the importance of committee service to growing and sharing the student-athlete voice. The executive team will appoint committee members during their April 22 in-person strategic planning meeting.
- **11. Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Video Contest.** The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee discussed and finalized a topic for the 2020 video contest.
- 12. Campus Sexual Violence Prevention. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee received an update on the discussion regarding campus sexual violence prevention. The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee affirmed that campus sexual violence prevention is an Association-wide issue, and initial development of potential NCAA policy addressing campus sexual violence most appropriately lies with the NCAA Board of Governors Student-Athlete Engagement Committee.

13. Future Meeting Schedule.

- a. April 22, 2020, strategic planning meeting Indianapolis.
- b. July 17-19, 2020, full committee meeting Indianapolis.
- c. October 3-4, 2020, full committee meeting Indianapolis.

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Committee Chair: Morgan Chall, Cornell University; The Ivy League.

Committee Vice Chairs: Ethan Good, Bowling Green State University; Mid-American

Conference.

Sam Perelman, Old Dominion University; Conference USA. Stephanie Grace, NCAA Academic and Membership Affairs.

Sarah Hebberd, NCAA Academic and Membership Affairs.

Marissa Robinson, NCAA Leadership Development.

Quintin Wright, NCAA Academic and Membership Affairs

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Attendees:

Staff Liaisons:

Vedika Anand, Wagner College; Northeast Conference.

Anna Claire Atha, Wofford College; Southern Conference.

Hannah Buck, Santa Clara University; West Coast Conference.

Brynn Carlson, Kansas State University; Big 12 Conference.

Amanda Carroll, Florida Gulf Coast University; ASUN Conference.

Ryan Cassidy, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick; Big Ten Conference.

Morgan Chall, Cornell University; The Ivy League.

Bryce Choate, Oral Roberts University; The Summit League.

Alicia Cooperman, James Madison University; Colonial Athletic Association.

Kiera Dalmass, University of Connecticut; American Athletic Conference.

Gabriel Boscardin Dias, Winthrop University; Big South Conference.

Christian Ellsworth, University of Northern Iowa; Missouri Valley Conference.

Alexis Garrett, Troy University; Sun Belt Conference.

Jake Gibbons, Texas A&M University, College Station; Southeastern Conference.

Ethan Good, Bowling Green State University; Mid-American Conference.

Joel Harvey, Butler University; Big East Conference.

Khadejah Jackson, University of Oregon; Pac-12 Conference.

Erik Janss, La Salle University; Atlantic 10 Conference.

Megan Klavitter, Chicago State University; Western Athletic Conference.

Leon Krapf, North Carolina State University; Atlantic Coast Conference.

Ava Lawson, Northern Kentucky University; Horizon League.

Caroline Lee, Southeastern Louisiana University; Southland Conference.

Shelby Lee, University of California, Irvine; Big West Conference.

Justice Littrell, University of Northern Colorado; Big Sky Conference.

Halie Mariano, Bucknell University; Patriot League.

Grace McGuire, Utah State University; Mountain West Conference.

Kailyn Myshrall, University of Vermont; America East Conference.

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Karen Paisley, University of Utah; Pac-12 Conference, Faculty Athletics Representative.

Samuel Perelman, Old Dominion University; Conference USA.

Justin Sell, South Dakota State University; The Summit League,

NCAA Division I Council Representative.

Thomas Stuart, Manhattan College; Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference.

Amani Taylor, Tennessee State University; Ohio Valley Conference.

Absentees:

Romaro Gill, Seton Hall University; Big East Conference.

Jacob Milton, Norfolk State University; Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference.

Carl-Sylvester Thompson, Alabama State University; Southwestern Athletic Conference.

NCAA Staff in Attendance:

Elizabeth Conte, Stephanie Grace, Sarah Hebberd, Marissa Robinson and Quintin Wright.

Other NCAA Staff in Attendance for a Portion of the Meeting:

Lydia Bell, Mark Emmert, Tom Paskus and Susan Peal.