

REPORT OF THE NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S AND WOMEN'S BASKETBALL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES APRIL 24, 2025, JOINT VIDEOCONFERENCE

ACTION ITEMS.

None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

- 1. NCAA 2025 Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Championships update. The NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Oversight committees received an update from the NCAA staff on the attendance, broadcast ratings, social media, community events and highlights from the 2025 NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Championships.
- 2. National Association of Basketball Coaches and Women's Basketball Coaches Association Conventions updates. The oversight committees received updates from the NABC and WBCA regarding their recent conventions that occurred in conjunction with the 2025 NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Championships.
- 3. Maximum contest limitation proposal discussion. The oversight committees took action to amend NCAA Division I Proposal No. 2025-2 (Playing and Practice Seasons Basketball Maximum Number of Contest and Qualifying Regular-Season Multiple-Team Event Requirements) to include the elimination of the in-season foreign competition legislation in basketball. The oversight committees noted that maintaining the current in-season foreign competition rule would impose an unintended restriction on the location of future multiple-team events. Further, the intent of Proposal No. 2025-2 is to lessen restrictions in order to maximize an institution's discretion surrounding scheduling decisions (e.g., location of contest).

Additionally, the oversight committees noted if the amended proposal is adopted, NCAA Division I Bylaw 17.1.7.10.1 (Exception – Participation in Qualifying Regular-Season Multiple-Team Event) would be eliminated. This legislation specifies that one time during a four-year period, an institution is not required to provide student-athletes with three consecutive days off when a team participates in a qualifying regular-season multiple-team event during the institution's official vacation period after the first term when classes are not in session (e.g., winter break).

4. Update on preseason practice scrimmages and exhibition contests legislation and legislative proposal for women's basketball. The Women's Basketball Oversight Committee shared an update from the NCAA Division I Council's April 15-16 meeting regarding Proposal No. 2025-1. Specifically, the Council took action to amend and adopt the proposal as expedited legislation, aligning it with Proposal No. 2024-12 which was adopted in January 2025 in men's basketball. As a result of Council action on Proposal No. 2025-1, men's and women's basketball teams may now participate in up to two preseason scrimmages and/or exhibition games against four-year institutions beginning with the 2025-26 basketball season.

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- 5. Review Men's and Women's Basketball Oversight Committees' Council-approved legislative and policy priorities. The oversight committees reviewed their respective legislative and policy priorities that were approved by the NCAA Division I Council Coordination Committee.
- **6. NCAA Division I Decision-Making Working Group update.** The oversight committees received an update from the NCAA Division I Decision-Making Working Group.
- 7. Other business. The oversight committees received an update from the NCAA staff regarding the upcoming NCAA Men's and Women's Basketball Playing Rules Committee meetings which will occur May 6–8.
- 8. NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Oversight Committees' January 14 and March 25, 2025, joint videoconferences reports. The oversight committees reviewed and approved the January 14 and March 25 joint videoconferences meeting reports.

MBOC Committee Chair: Dan Butterly, Big West Conference Staff Liaisons: Dan Gavitt, Basketball Championships

Charnele Kemper, Academic and Membership Affairs

WBOC Committee Chair: Kelly Barsky, University of California, Santa Barbara

Staff Liaisons: Meredith Cleaver, Women's Basketball

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NCAA Division I Joint Men's and Women's Basketball Oversight Committees
April 24, 2025, Meeting
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Attendees:

Val Ackerman, Big East Conference.

Kelly Barsky, University of California, Santa Barbara.

Amy Beggin, University of New Mexico.

Jackie Blackett, Columbia University – Barnard College.

Don Bruce, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Dan Butterly, Big West Conference.

Julie Cromer, Ohio University.

Kery Davis, Howard University.

Danielle Donehew, Women's Basketball Coaches Association.

Steve Forbes, Wake Forest University.

Terry Gawlik, University of Idaho.

Garth Glissman, Southeastern Conference.

Jeff Jackson, Missouri Valley Conference.

Alicia Jessop, Pepperdine University.

Brent Jones, Troy University.

Julie Roe Lach, Horizon League.

Ed McLaughlin, Virginia Commonwealth University.

Craig Robinson, National Association of Basketball Coaches.

Heath Schroyer, McNeese State University.

Jill Shields, Kansas State University.

Drew Speraw, Western Athletic Conference.

Brooke Wyckoff, Florida State University.

Absentees:

Patricia Anumgba, Towson University.

Ketra Armstrong, University of Michigan.

D'Ante Bass, Alabama State University.

Amanda Braun, University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee.

Ed Cooley, Georgetown University.

Keith Gill, Sun Belt Conference.

Brandon Martin, University of Missouri – Kansas City.

Patrick McCaffery, Butler University.

Lindy La Rocque, University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

Brad Walker, America East Conference.

Kennedy Todd-Williams, University of Mississippi.

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Guests in Attendance:

Jon Levinson, Women's Basketball Secretary-Rules Editor.

Jeff O'Malley, Men's Basketball Secretary-Rules Editor.

NCAA Staff Liaisons in Attendance:

Meredith Cleaver, Dan Gavitt, Lynn Holzman, Charnele Kemper and Binh Nguyen.

Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:

Jejuan Bowser, Keisha Burnette, Emily Capehart, Jessie Carmack, Judy Delp, Jenn Fraser, Kelsey Gurganus-Wright, Khadian Harrison, J.D. Hamilton, Greg Johnson, Kelsi Mahoney, Abbie Markey, Jobrina Marques, Austin Moutry, Massillon Myers, Amy Reis, JoAn Scott, Rachel Seewald, Andy Supergan, Jared Tidemann, Darin Van Vlerah and Meghan Wright.