

REPORT OF THE NCAA INTERNATIONAL STUDENT RECORDS COMMITTEE NOVEMBER 21, 2024, MEETING

ACTION ITEMS.

None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

- **1. Review committee report.** The committee reviewed and approved the report from its October 24, 2024, teleconference.
- 2. Review of Bhutan as a new country entry/listing in the Guide to International Academic Standards for Athletics Eligibility. The committee reviewed and approved Bhutan as a new country listing in the Guide to International Academic Standards for Athletics Eligibility. The new country entry for Bhutan will be published in the next available update to the Guide to International Academic Standards for Athletics Eligibility, and will appear as follows:

BACKGROUND				
Academic Calendar	March to December			
What is year nine called?	IX			
Where is year nine typically located?	First year of middle school			
Native Language(s)	Dzongkha			
GRADUATION TIMELINE				
6 + 2 + 2 + 2 = 12	12 years total: six years primary, two years lower secondary, two years middle school and two years upper secondary			

Acceptable Forms of Proof of High School Graduation

1. Bhutan Higher Secondary Examination Certificate (BHSEC)

Expected Timeline of Completion	12 years (four years or eight semesters from the initial start of year nine)
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NOT Acceptable Forms of Proof of High School Graduation

1. Bhutan Secondary Examination Certificate (BCSE)

Expected Timeline of Completion	10 years (two years or four semesters from the initial start of year nine)
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Grading Scales

GRADE	DESCRIPTOR	U.S. GRADE EQUIVALENT	QUALITY POINTS
Α	Very good	A	4
В	Good	В	3
С	Satisfactory	С	2
D	Fair	D	1
E	Fail	F (Failure)	0

NUMERIC GRADE	DESCRIPTOR	U.S. GRADE EQUIVALENT	QUALITY POINTS
1, 2	Very good	A	4
3, 4, 5	Credit	В	3
6, 7	Pass	С	2
8, 9	Fail	F (Failure)	0

Report of the NCAA International Student Records Committee Teleconference November 21, 2024

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Committee Chair: Hanna Lantz, Texas A&M University- Kingsville, Lone Star Conference

Staff Liaison(s): Trey Jenkins, Eligibility Center

International Student Records Committee
November 21, 2024, Teleconference

Attendees:

Dr. Scott Glenn, Goldey-Beacom College.

Hanna Lantz, Texas A&M University- Kingsville.

Santiago Pinzon, Troy University.

Drew Sanchez, High Point University.

Absentees:

Lisa Swope, Saint Francis University.

Guests in Attendance:

None.

NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:

Trey Jenkins.

Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:

Aliyah Brown.

Allie Grady.