

# REPORT OF THE NCAA STANDARDIZED TEST SCORE TASK FORCE AUGUST 12, 2021, VIDEOCONFERENCE

# **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.**

- 1. **Timeline.** Task force members discussed the projected timeline for completing their work and submitting a recommendation to the Division I Committee on Academics and the Division II Academic Requirements Committee.
- **2. Governance Agenda.** Task force members received an update regarding the <u>NCAA</u> Constitution Committee, as well as other governance matters.
- **3. Survey.** Task force members reviewed membership survey feedback regarding current perspectives on standardized tests.
- **4. Knight Commission on Intercollegiate Athletics.** Task force members received a presentation from the Knight Commission on Intercollegiate Athletics regarding its May 2021 <a href="Achieving Racial Equity in College Sports report">Achieving Racial Equity in College Sports report</a>, including a recommendation to close educational opportunity gaps.
- **5. Questions.** Task force members asked follow-up questions to previous presenters and noted outstanding items (e.g., additional membership feedback) to review in the October meeting.
- 6. Future Meeting Dates.

• October 14, 1 to 4:30 pm Eastern time.

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# NCAA Standardized Test Score Task Force August 12, 2021, Videoconference

#### **Attendees:**

Dr. Jerri Mullins Beggs, Illinois State University.

Brynn Carlson, Kansas State University.

Dr. Cynthia Williams Brown, Winston-Salem State University.

Brenda Cates, University of Mount Olive.

Jeremy Christoffels, Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference.

Dr. John E. Davidson, The Ohio State University.

K. Renia Edwards, Mississippi Valley State University.

Ursula Gurney, University of Missouri-Kansas City.

David Haase, University of West Georgia.

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Glada Horvat, University of Georgia.

Felicia M. Johnson, Virginia Union University.

Audra Kedy, Great American Conference.

Maura Smith, Sun Belt Conference.

Kristy Bannon Sromovsky, Temple University.

Jackson Stava, Seattle Pacific University.

Jessica Harbison Weaver, Pacific West Conference.

Dr. David Kwabena Wilson, Morgan State University.

#### **Absentees:**

Madison Heck, Georgian Court University.

Jennifer Heppel, Patriot League.

### **Guests in Attendance:**

Chris Brown, Christine Copper, Len Elmore, Robin Gray, Walter Harrison, Shanteona Keys, Jacques McClendon and Amy Perko.

## Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:

Michele Babb, Niya Blair, Shauna Cobb, Markie Cook, Matt Davis, Gary deCastro, Dan Grady, Doug Healey, Donna Hedges, Jennifer Henderson, Michelle Hosick, Jessica Kerr, Nora Loechel, Felicia Martin, Mike Massa, Binh Nguyen, Sarah Overpeck, Tom Paskus, Stephanie Quigg, Angela Red, Dave Schnase, Kathy Sulentic, Glenn Terry and Stan Wilcox.