



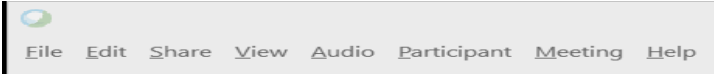
# Division III May Webinar

## Updates from April SAAC, Management and President Council Meetings

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We will begin at promptly 1:30 p.m. (EST). Please MUTE  
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# Agenda

- Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Updates.
  - Mental health social media campaign.
  - Working group updates.
- Management and Presidents Council Updates.
  - COVID-19 resources and impacts (e.g. budget).
  - Name, Image and Likeness.

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# Agenda

- Management and Presidents Council Updates (cont.).
  - Arrington settlement.
  - Medical care and coverage at away events.
  - Legislative actions.
  - Health and safety survey.
  - International ice hockey pilot.
  - Playing rules implementation timeline.
- Q&A.

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# SAAC Updates

- Mental Health Social Media Campaign.
  - May 4-7, 2020.
  - Platform to start the discussion, speak out on, and break the stigma surrounding mental health.
  - #BreakTheStigma.
  - [Resource page](#) on ncaa.org.
    - ✓ Planning your campaign.
    - ✓ Engagement ideas.
    - ✓ Resources.

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# SAAC Updates

- Working Group Updates.
  - Inclusion.
  - Special Olympics.
    - If you held a Special Olympics event(s) during the 2019-20 academic year to report the activity [here](#).
  - Sustainability.

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# COVID-19 Resources and Impacts

- Budget impact.
  - 70% reduction to revenue (approx. \$22M). Overage covered by mandated reserve.
  - Anticipate full revenue allocation in FY21. Reviewing possible budget reductions to comply with mandated reserve through 2023-24.
- COVID-19 Action Team, Advisory Panel and Playing and Practice Seasons Working Group.
  - Principles of resocialization of sport guidelines and FAQ.
- Web resource pages: [SSI page](#) and [NCAA Social Series](#).

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# Name, Image and Likeness Background

## Background:

- In May 2019, BOG created an A-wide working group.
- Reviewed existing NIL legislation and recent waiver and interpretation trends.
- In April., A-wide working group presented its final report to the BOG. The BOG approved the report, and directed the transition to each divisional legislative process.
- April 29 email sent to the Association regarding the BOG's action including a link to the full report.

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# NIL Concept 1: Academics and Work Product

- Student-athletes may use their status as athletes to promote their own work product, business or service including academic based.
  - Academic research, book publishing, class projects, tutoring, creative endeavors, private lessons, personal business, autographs, media activities.
- Institutions should only be involved to the extent that they are involved with students generally.
- Initial support: MC; PC; ILC; SAAC.

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# NIL Concept 2: Endorsements

- Student-athletes may use their status as an athlete to endorse third party products or services provided:
  - Commercials, testimonials, brand ambassador, personal branding, modeling, appearances.
  - Payment is commensurate with the going rate.
  - No institutional involvement in procuring opportunities and must treat student-athletes similar to the student body.
  - Opportunities are not part of the recruiting process.
- Initial support: MC; PC; ILC; SAAC.

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# NIL: Other Considerations

- Crowdfunding—pay for play concern.
- Access institutional logos and marks like other students.
- Reporting/monitoring/education process—3rd party model.
- Restrictions on objectionable endorsements (e.g. gambling, alcohol, tobacco) inconsistent with NCAA and campus corporate partnerships.
- Feedback form to be distributed in May.
- Final legislative proposals approved during the summer Council meetings.
- Possible federal action and continuing interest at the state level. No current bill has an effective date before Jan. 2021.

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# Arrington Settlement

- Arrington concussion settlement.
  - Certification, in writing, that schools have a concussion management plan – due no later than May 18.
  - Annual baseline testing of all student-athletes in 2020-21.
  - Management Council approved non-controversial legislation to require the annual reporting of all concussions in 2020-21. (Association-wide)
- Arrington settlement [resource page](#) on ncaa.org.

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# Medical Coverage at Away Events

- CSMAS producing an educational resource (Summer 2020).
  - Remind institutions of legislative responsibility and obligation to provide medical care and coverage for student-athletes away from home.
- Provides guidance.
- No new obligations.

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# Legislative Actions

- 2021 Convention Legislation.
  - Allow member institutions to provide monetary donations to nonathletic bona fide youth organizations and eliminate the geographic restrictions for equipment donations.

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# Legislative Actions

- Noncontroversial.
  - Amend Bylaw 21.9.6.2 to adjust sport committee rosters to coincide with the new sport regional alignment.
  - Expand the current final semester/quarter exception to student-athletes enrolled in the final term of their minor or undergraduate certificate program (designated before the applicable term).
  - Add national and international junior-level and international regional events to the list of permissible events for which an institution may provide its student-athletes with actual and necessary expenses.

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# Health and Safety Survey

- Distributed in December 2019 – voluntary survey.
- Over 200 institutions participated.
- Conducted a follow up survey to assess process – positive feedback.
- Management Council endorsed the continuation of the survey, on a voluntary basis for 2020-21 and beyond.
- Survey results inputted into NCAA IPP for benchmarking.

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# International Ice Hockey Pilot

- 2019: Management Council endorsed a second year of the pilot with modifications.
- Student-athletes completed the Eligibility Center's certification application and paid the initial certification fee (average of \$100) with 50% refund. The EC conducted 156 reviews.
- Conducted a survey of participating schools and conferences.
- In April, the Council reviewed the survey feedback and determined it would not conduct a third year of the pilot.
- Staff has distributed the survey results to the membership.

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# Playing Rules With Financial Impact

- Several playing rules with a financial impact slated for implementation in 2020-21.
- Four rules are related to health and safety and one relates to the construction of new tracks – these rules will not be delayed.
- Management Council specifically requested PROP consider four rules be delayed until 2021-22.
- PROP approved the recommendations to delay and will notify the membership.

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# Questions?

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