



UAAAC Minutes

Date 04/05/2022 Start Time 4:00 PM Adjournment Time 5:00 PM Location SSC In Person
 Type of Meeting Regular Special

CHAIR	Leigh Hersey
SECRETARY	Arturo Rodriguez
ATTENDEES	Mary Adams, Wendy Bailes, Leigh Hersey, Erika Cheung, Arturo Rodriguez, Carmen Wright
ABSENT (EXCUSED)	Scott McDonald, Anthony Malta

Agenda

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS		
March minutes were not presented at this meeting. They will be revised and approved at a later date.		
DISCUSSION TOPICS		
<p>Athletics and Compliance: (Erika Cheung, Scott McDonald) -- Athletics has been preparing for upcoming renewals and eligibility requirements. They have been working on revising, updating, and improving processes and procedures that will minimize violations. Six athletes have been deemed ineligible due to procedures that were ignored. The goal for this summer is to restructure these processes and procedures so that Staff and Athletes have a full understanding of what to do to remain eligible. The year-end banquet is scheduled for May 2nd. A discussion about transgender student-athletes was held. Since no guidance has been provided from the conference or the NCAA, the committee agreed that a comprehensive policy needs to be developed. The committee will ask the DEI and Title IX offices as well as the Student Affairs department to determine if they are working on a campus-wide policy.</p> <p>FAR/Academic Integrity and Compliance Subcommittee: (Mary Adams) -- The meetings to select candidates for different student-athlete awards will take place soon. SAAC elections will occur on April 11th. Dr. Fields and Dr. Adams will be present.</p> <p>Equity and Student-Athlete Well-being: (L. Hersey) -- Suicide prevention training is contemplated to take place on May 3rd at 5:00 pm. A discussion about student-athletes affected by the Russia-Ukraine conflict occurred. Athletics is working on determining how to house the student affected by the war for the summer.</p> <p>Governance: (TBD) no report</p> <p>Academics: (B. Michaelides) Barbara and Carmen -- working on the Warhawk Way initiative. This plan will be finalized soon and will be presented to the committee soon. Athlete registration was underway with no major issues present. Graduation breakfast is scheduled to occur at 10:00 am the day before graduation in the terrace. A new mental health counselor for athletes is in the works, and is planned to start sometime during the summer.</p> <p>New Business: A short discussion about Dr. Michaelides replacement was held. It was agreed to wait for a replacement to the committee once Dr. Michaelides replacement is hired.</p>		
CONCLUSIONS		
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE

Approved by committee/council chair Yes on