



UAAAC Minutes

Date 04/07/2020 Start Time 4:00 PM Adjournment Time 4:36 PM Location Zoom Virtual Meeting
 Type of Meeting Regular Special

CHAIR	Leigh Hersey
SECRETARY	Caroline Carpenter
ATTENDEES	Mary Adams, Todd Dooley, Barbara Michaelides, Lance Nickelson, Ashleigh Simmons, Ken Leppert, Anthony Malta, Leigh Hersey, Caroline Carpenter
ABSENT (EXCUSED)	Scott McDonald, Meredith McKinnie, Lakeyn Bolfing, Gloria Alvarez, Jim Doull, Ty Harp

Agenda

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS		
March minutes were accepted. Motion to accept: Ashleigh Simmons Second: Barbara Michaelides		
DISCUSSION TOPICS		
<p>Athletics and Compliance: (T. Dooley/A. Simmons) Ashleigh: NCAA announced that Spring athletes will get their year back. Todd: Head coaches meeting today. Key piece is what does it look like going into the fall - fluid at this point. Models of schedules were discussed: partial vs full. Issues with travel. Do students play in front of empty arenas? There would still be exposure among the athletes. NCAA lost 700 million dollars in revenue by not having the NCAA tournament. 2/3 distribution of what they had given in the past is expected. Unprecedented in its nature. Large sporting events will likely be the last to return. Recruiting and all things are impacted. Large international student population. Embassys are closed. Might be an issue with issuing visas. It will continue to be a team effort as we navigate these uncharted waters.</p> <p>FAR/Academic Integrity and Compliance Subcommittee: (M. Adams) Student athletes are participating well in the online learning platform. Meredith, Leigh and Mary met to look at nominations. 2 faculty members were standouts, and Shannon Banks from toxicology is the winner- name has been sent to Patrick. President has approved. Nominations have been uploaded to Moodle for future reference. Sunbelt moved the deadline to the fall for the post graduate scholarship awards. Sunbelt May meeting will now be a teleconference.</p> <p>Equity and Student-Athlete Well-being: (L. Hersey) Leigh, Mary, and Meredith have met with Scott. Continued academic integrity. Continued focus on mental health wellness. Continue to enhance the partnership between athletics and academics.</p> <p>Governance: (K. Leppert/L. Nickelson) No report.</p> <p>Academics: (B. Michaelides) Pass/Fail option instead of A,B,C. It will not count in the GPA. This could be beneficial to certain students to keep them from going below a 2.0 and students who are high performers. For graduate students an A or B can be converted to a Pass. First step for student athletes is to talk to their counselor. There are many things to consider. Withdrawal date has also been moved back to May 1, 2020. Pass/Fail option is irreversible. Class rank has been communicated to students to help with when to register. At risk reports continue to be submitted. Student support services are still in place for our student athletes. Tutoring and Mentoring is still being offered.</p> <p>New Business: The Staff award was voted on Tyler Edwards is the winner.</p>		
CONCLUSIONS		
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE

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