2020 Report to the Faculty Senate

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The Intercollegiate Athletic Committee (IAC) is a faculty committee appointed by the President to provide oversight and recommend policies related to academic issues affecting or affected by intercollegiate athletics.

- Monitoring of admissions and academic progress of all student-athletes
- Receive, review and advise on various reports related to student athlete academic wellbeing
- Recommend policy changes related to academic issues affecting or affected by intercollegiate athletics
- Make additional recommendations to the President on any other matters related to academic issues affecting or affected by intercollegiate athletics
- Report to the faculty on issues related to intercollegiate athletics via the University Senate
Today’s Report

• 1. Academic Success Metrics
  • Current GPAs
  • Graduation Success Rate (GSR)
  • Academic Performance Rate (APR)

• 2. Student-Athlete Wellbeing During the COVID-19 Shutdown

• 3. Update on NCAA Governance Issues
Academic Success Metrics
Current GPA

3.06
GPA by Gender

Current GPA

- Men:
  - 2013: 2.80
  - 2014: 2.80
  - 2015: 2.80
  - 2016: 2.80
  - 2017: 2.90
  - 2018: 2.90

- Women:
  - 2013: 3.20
  - 2014: 3.20
  - 2015: 3.20
  - 2016: 3.20
  - 2017: 3.20
  - 2018: 3.24
Graduation Success Rate (GSR)
Graduation Success Rate (vs FGR)

- **FGR**
  - Tracks graduation over 6 years
  - Federally mandated calculation for all schools that offer athletic scholarships.
  - Counts all transfers as academic failures
    - Essentially measures the percentage of students who complete a bachelors degree from their initial school within six years

- **GSR**
  - Tracks graduation over 6 years
  - NCAA DI metric
  - Accounts for transfers in/out and mid-year enrollees.
  - Student-athletes who depart a school while in good academic standing (would have met NCAA’s and school’s progress-toward-degree standards) are passed from that school’s cohort to another school’s cohort.
  - Student-athletes who depart in poor academic standing are deemed non-graduates by both the Federal rate and the GSR.

http://www.ncaa.org/about/resources/research/graduation-rates
UF vs. Peers Federal Graduation Rate

Single Year Student Body Federal Graduation Rate

- Florida
- All Division I
- FBS
- SEC
- Peer Publics

Graduation Rate: 89.8%
GSR Trends

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Single Year Graduation Success Rate

92.2%
GSR by Gender of Athlete

Single Year Graduation Success Rate

- Men: 94.5%
- Women: 88.6%
GSR by Race of Athlete

Single Year Graduation Success Rate

- African Am.
- Other
- White
Annual Progress Rate (APR)
Annual Progress Rate (APR)

- Based on RETENTION and ELIGIBILITY each SEMESTER
  - Each student-athlete receiving athletically related financial aid earns one point for staying in school and one point for being academically eligible.
  - A team’s total points are divided by points possible and then multiplied by 1,000 to equal the team’s Academic Progress Rate.
  - In addition to a team’s current-year APR, its rolling four-year APR is also used to determine accountability.
Single Year APR

Single Year Academic Progress Rate (APR)

- Florida
- All Division I
- FBS
- SEC
- Peer Publics

Year: 2013 to 2018

Value: 988
Single Year APR by Gender

Single Year Academic Progress Rate (APR)
Multiyear APR = 4 year APR

### Multiyear Academic Progress Rate (APR)

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Florida 987
- Peer Publics:
  - Maximum: 993
  - 75th Percentile: 991
  - 50th Percentile: 988
  - 25th Percentile: 985
  - Minimum: 978
Student-Athlete Wellbeing During COVID-19 Shutdown
**Metrics**

- **Most student-athletes left campus**
  - As of April 14\(^{th}\)
    - 108 remained in GNV
    - 5 remained in UF residence halls

- **Virtual Tutoring**
  - March 15\(^{th}\) to April 25\(^{th}\)
    - 3,765 Online Tutoring Sessions
    - Average of 628 per week

- **Sport Physical Health**
  - Athletic Training/Sport Health through April 10\(^{th}\) on campus
  - Telehealth rehab started after that time with athletic trainers

- **Sport Mental Health**
  - Continue to work with athletes via telehealth access
April 3:
1. “It was MOVED and SECONDED to suspend all in-person athletics activities, voluntary or required, including practices, individual and team workouts through at least May 31.”

2. “It was MOVED and SECONDED to permit institutions to engage in up to 4-hours per week of non-physical, virtual athletic activities subject to specified Conference and NCAA guidelines.”

Revised to 8-hours per week on April 20th

April 30:
1. “It was MOVED and SECONDED To extend for all sports through Friday, July 31 (subject to adjustment based upon public health information), the existing Conference prohibition on hosting or conducting in-person camps and coaches’ clinics.”
Important NCAA Governance Updates
NCAA Governance Updates

The Safe Return of NCAA Sports

NCAA establishes coronavirus advisory panel
March 3, 2020 4:52pm

The NCAA has established a COVID-19 advisory panel of leading medical, public health and epidemiology experts from their respective fields of study and NCAA member schools to guide its response to the outbreak of the coronavirus disease.

NCAA Chief Medical Officer Dr. Brian Hainline will lead the group, which will include:

SEC and Member Institutions monitor COVID-19
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Name, Image, and Likeness (NIL)

Three elements that make up a legal concept known as “right of publicity”

The NCAA Board of Governors at its April 28, 2020 meeting outlined specific categories in which student-athletes could earn compensation from their name, image and likeness within certain categories.

- Compensation for third-party endorsements related to athletics, without school or conference involvement.
- Compensation for other student-athlete opportunities, such as social media, new businesses, and personal appearances, without institutional involvement or the use of trademarks/logos.
NIL - What happens next?

• NCAA

April 28-29, 2020
Updates to divisional presidential committees and the Federal and State Legislation Working Group reports to Board of Governors during NCAA governance meetings.

Spring/summer 2020
Continued discussion and feedback in each division.

Sept. 1, 2020
Each division should have initial legislative proposals.

Nov. 1, 2020
Each division should have final legislation drafted to update NIL rules.

Jan. 31, 2021
Legislation should be approved, with effective dates no later than the start of 2021-22 academic year.

• State Laws

• As of 4/30 only CA and CO have passed their own NIL Laws
  • Both go into effect in 2023
  • Florida’s House of Representatives NIL bill would allow athletes to begin profiting from their name, image and likeness beginning in July 2021.

• Federal Interventions are Expected

• NCAA Board of Governors formed a Presidential Subcommittee on Congressional Action
• Several US Senators are actively engaged in the matter
Thank you.

Please email or visit our website with any recommendations or questions for the IAC.

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