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2020 Report to the Faculty Senate

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IAC Mission Statement:

<http://iac.aa.ufl.edu>

- 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

Peer Group Comparisons

Peer Public Institutions

Peer Publics



Peer Publics

California, UCLA, Illinois, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, North Carolina, Ohio St., Penn St., Texas A&M, Texas, Virginia, Washington, Wisconsin

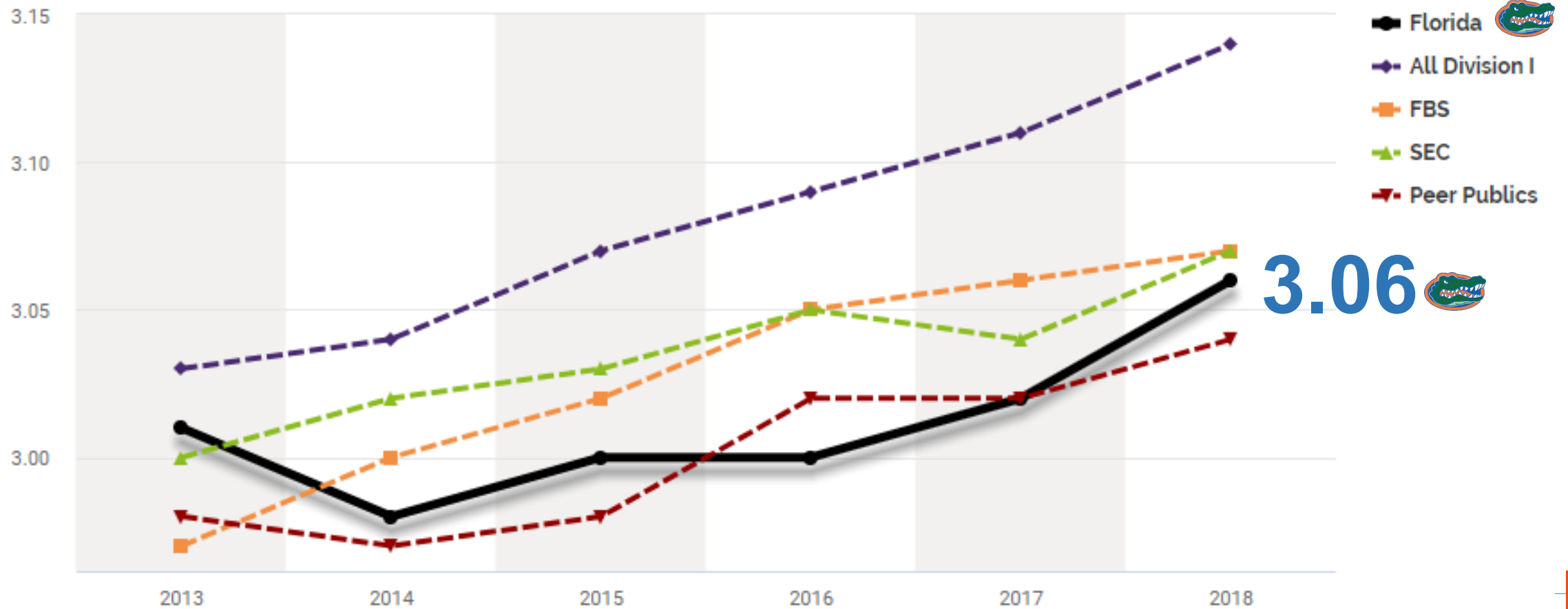


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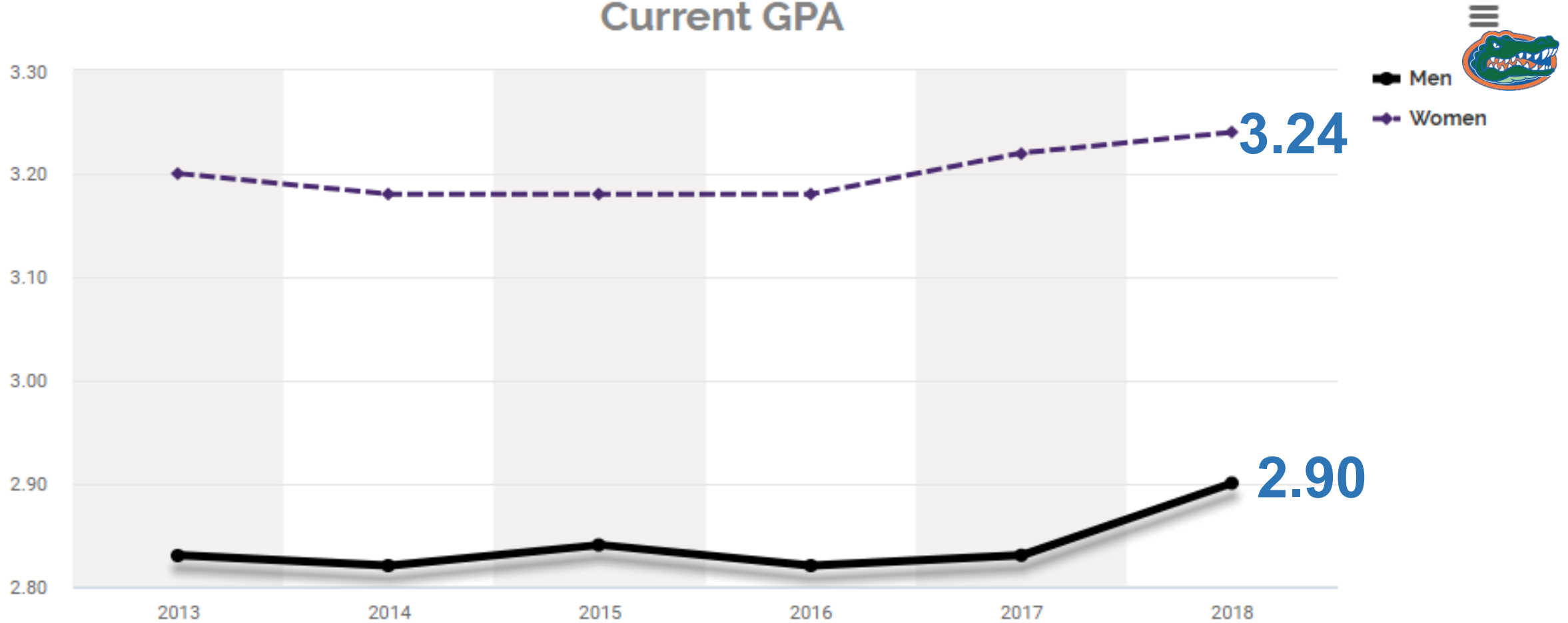
Current GPA

Current GPA



GPA by Gender

Current GPA





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Graduation Success Rate (GSR)

Graduation Success Rate (vs FGR)

- **FGR**

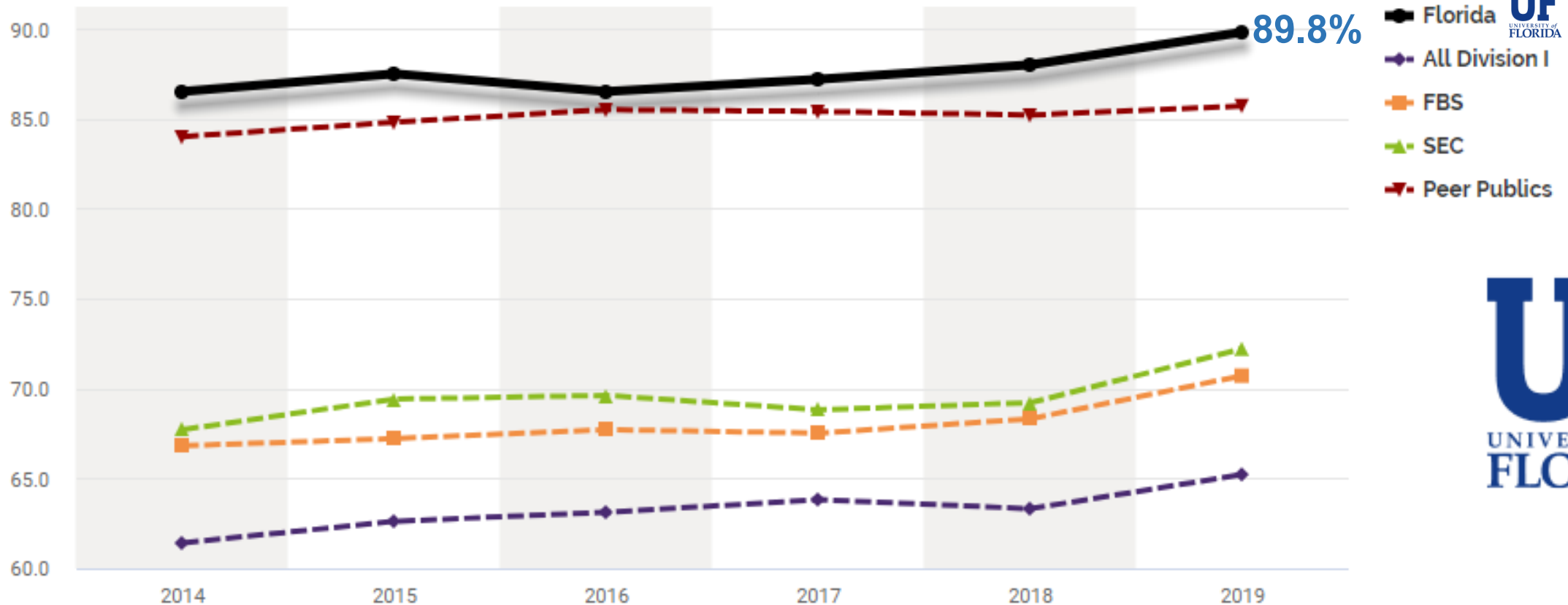
- Tracks graduation over 6 years
- Federally mandated calculation for all schools that offer athletic scholarships.
- Counts all transfers as academic failures
 - Essentially measures the percentage of students who complete a bachelors degree from their initial school within six years

- **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.

UF vs. Peers Federal Graduation Rate

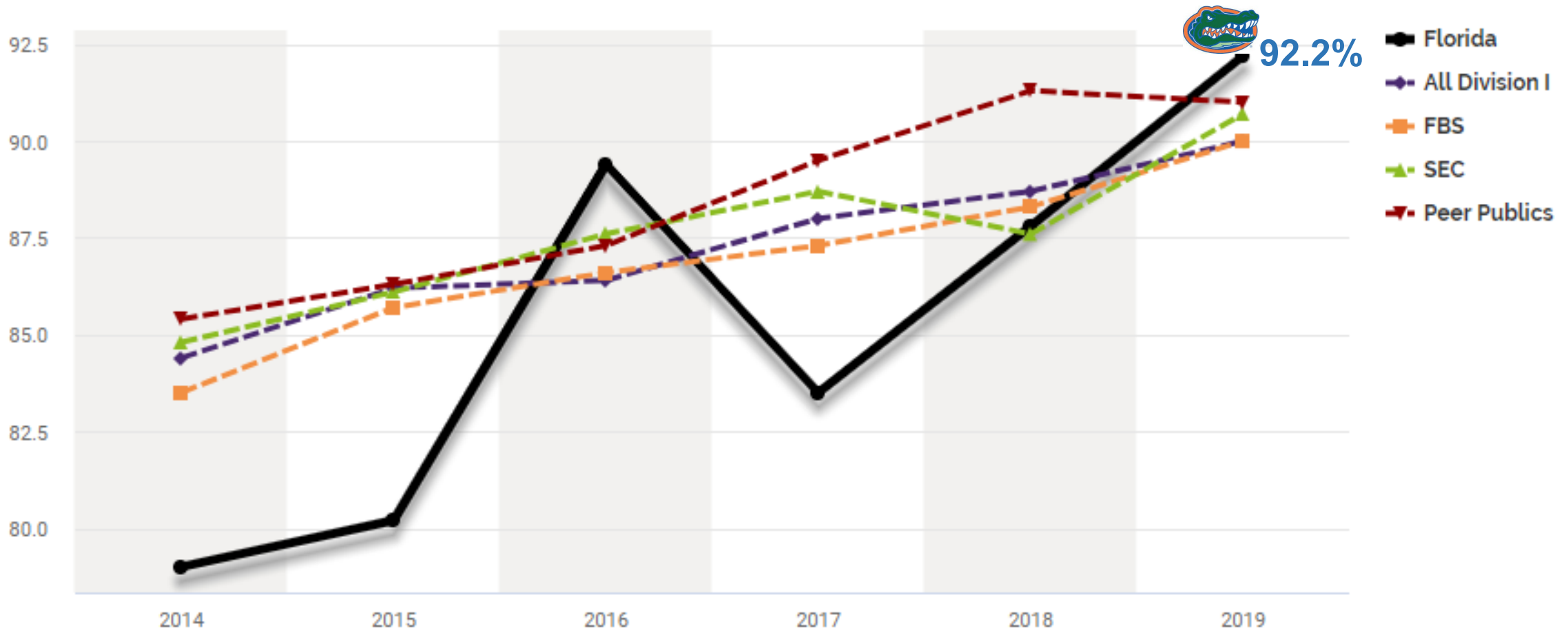
Single Year Student Body Federal Graduation Rate



GSR Trends

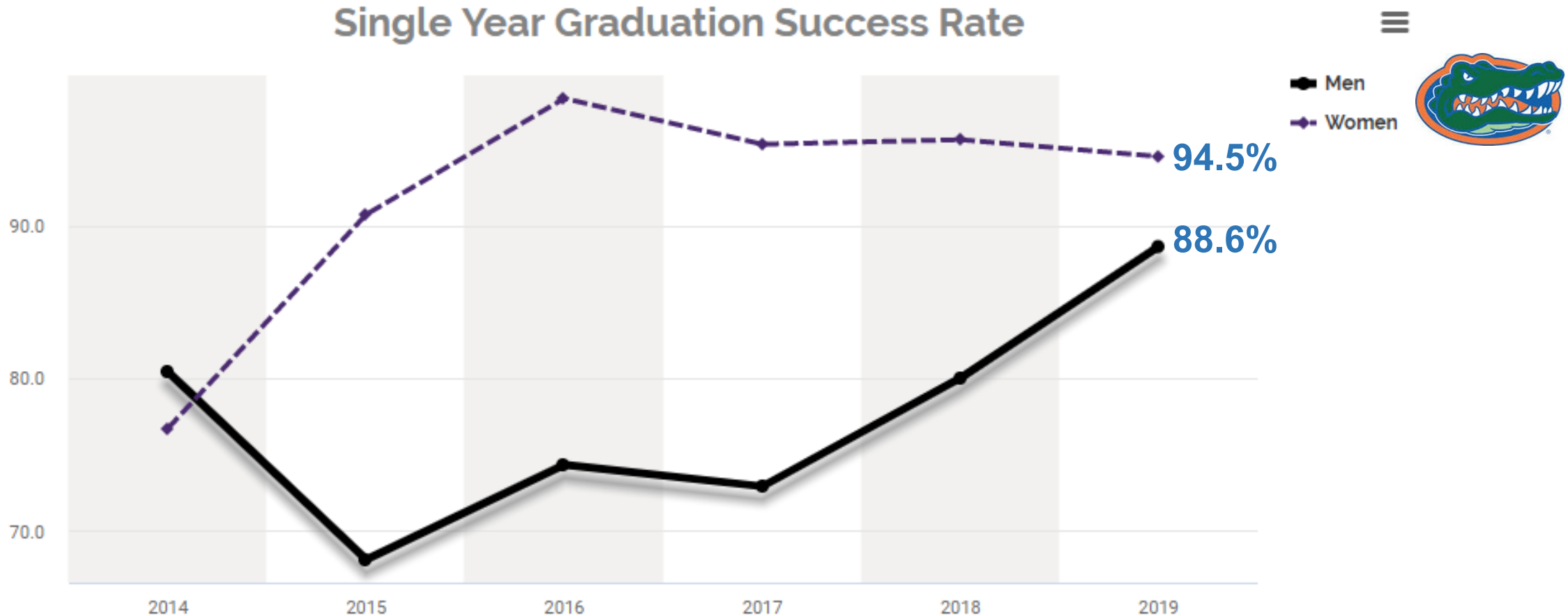
2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
79.0	80.2	89.4	83.5	87.8	92.2

Single Year Graduation Success Rate



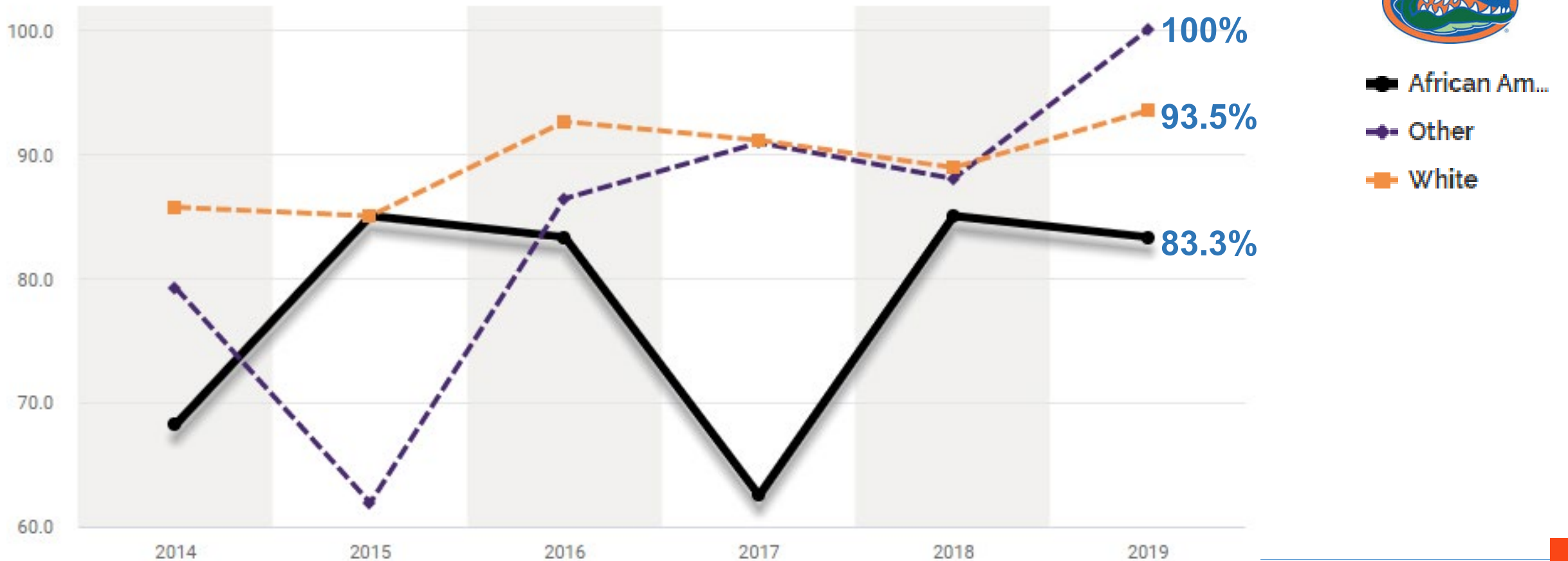
GSR by Gender of Athlete

Single Year Graduation Success Rate



GSR by Race of Athlete

Single Year Graduation Success Rate



- African Am...
- Other
- White



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Annual Progress

Rate

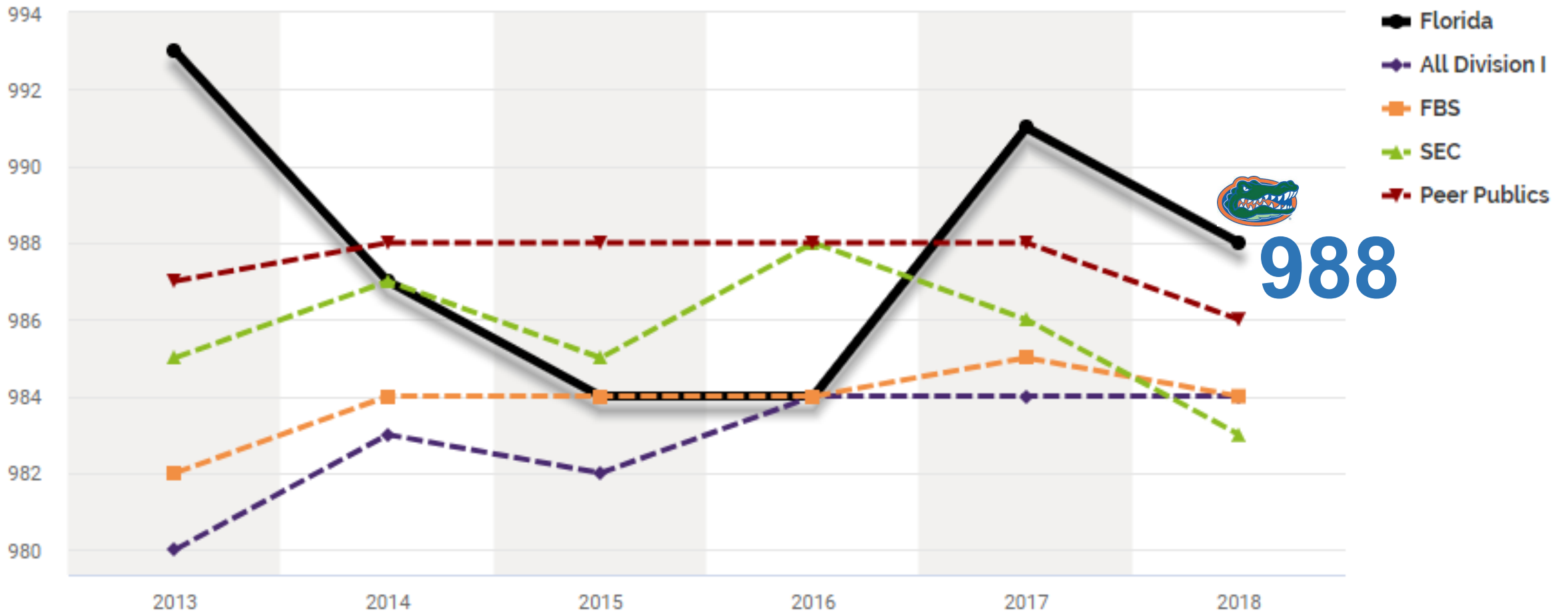
(APR)

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.

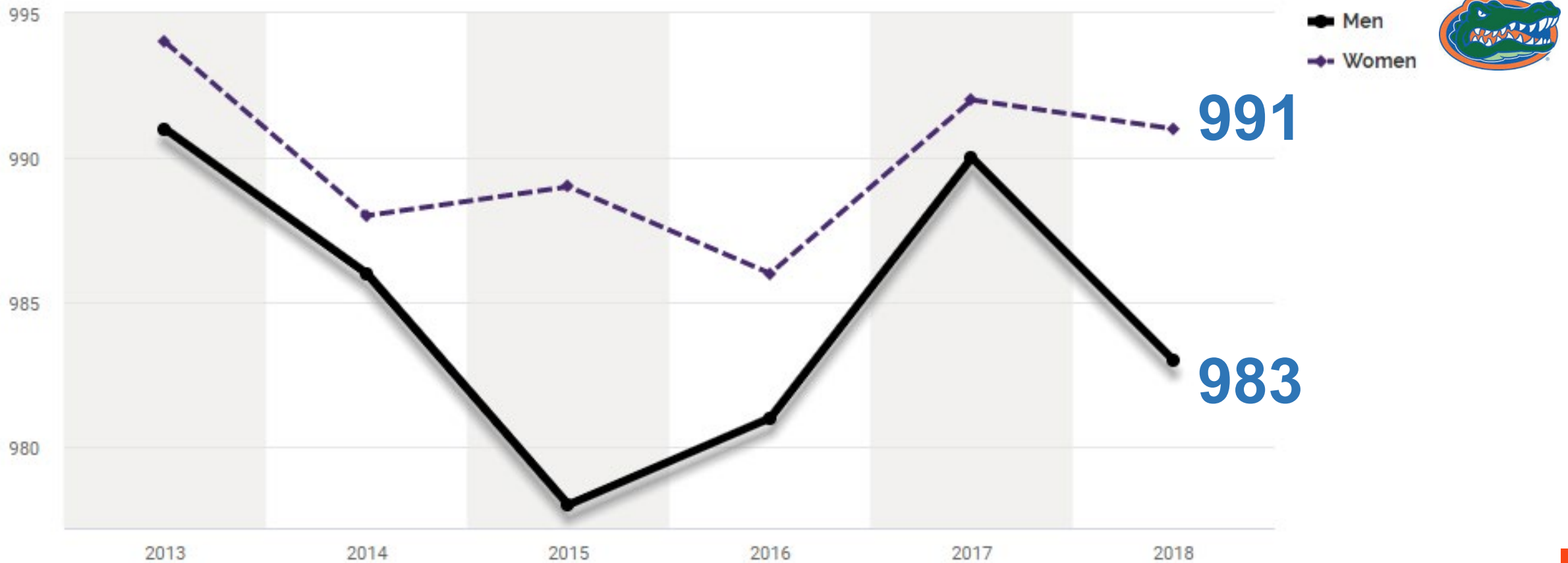
Single Year APR

Single Year Academic Progress Rate (APR)



Single Year APR by Gender

Single Year Academic Progress Rate (APR)



Multiyear APR = 4 year APR

Multiyear Academic Progress Rate (APR)

 **987**

	Minimum	25th	50th	75th	Maximum
All Division I	926	978	984	989	998
FBS	968	980	985	989	996
SEC	981	984	987	989	996
Peer Publics	978	985	988	991	993

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 14th
 - 108 remained in GNV
 - 5 remained in UF residence halls

- **Virtual Tutoring**

- March 15th to April 25th
 - 3,765 Online Tutoring Sessions
 - Average of 628 per week

- **Sport Physical Health**

- Athletic Training/Sport Health through April 10th on campus
- Telehealth rehab started after that time with athletic trainers

- **Sport Mental Health**

- Continue to work with athletes via telehealth access

Sports Performance and Team Meetings

Sports Performance and Coach/Team Meetings

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



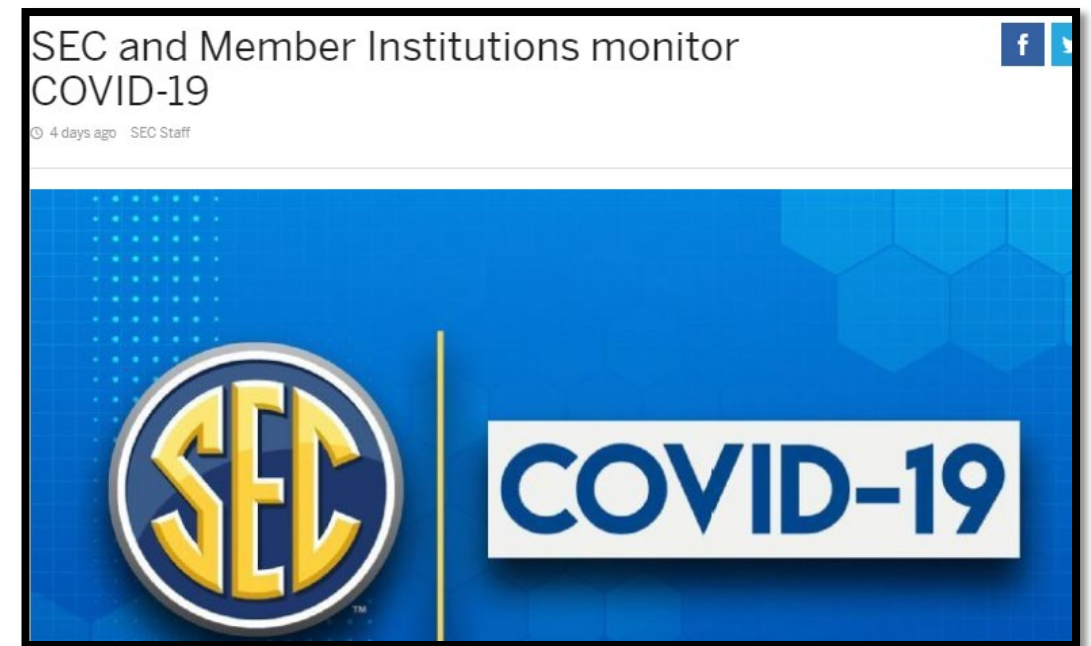
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NCAA establishes coronavirus advisory panel

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

4 days ago SEC Staff

SEC COVID-19

NCAA Governance Updates (cont.)

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



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