

## **Report of the Faculty Athletics Representative**

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Since June, the Committee on Academic Performance has held five meetings. The agendas for these meetings have included the following items for discussion and action.

### ***Discussion Items:***

Results of the 2016 Student-Athlete Questionnaire

Academic Integrity and Quality Control Issues

U of L Concussion Policy

2015-2016 Academic Highlights and Team Statistics (GPA and APR)

Problems with Degree Credit Reports from the Units

Recruiting Disadvantage and Student-Athlete Costs resulting from U of L Scholarship Stacking Limit Policy

Student-Athlete Issues with Gen 105

Reasons for Student-Athlete Changes of Major and Comparison with General Student Body

### ***Action Item:***

Approval of "The Committee on Academic Performance Process for Transfer Appeals"

As FAR, I have attended a joint ACC business meeting of Athletic Directors, Senior Woman Administrators, and Faculty Athletic Representatives at the University of North Carolina, October 3-6, have participated in several FAR conference calls, and have continued to serve as U of L's elected representative to the Autonomy Committee of the Conference. Locally, I have administered the NCAA Coaches Exam, met with each of our teams, promoted student-athletes for national postgraduate scholarships, approved student-athlete eligibility rosters and a variety of waivers, conferred with the President and Provost, and reviewed and submitted U of L positions on NCAA legislative proposals.

The ACC has taken a leading role in the promotion of time demands legislation that will be addressed by NCAA delegates at the January Convention in Nashville. Moreover, the ACC continues to promote a number of academic research initiatives that allow U of L to showcase our outstanding faculty and students via the ACC Academic Consortium.

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