

Report of the Faculty Athletics Representative
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Dear Senators,

I will miss the Senate meeting to attend the visitation for our administrative associate, but want to share with you the very good Graduation Success Rates for our student-athletes that was released in November.

Do read the explanation sheet that accompanies the second attached report, but below is the gist of the difference between federal graduation rates and GSR or Graduate Success Rates.

The NCAA Graduation Success Rate or GSR, like the federal graduate rate, calculates the proportion of full time athletes on scholarship who graduate within six years. However, it differs from the federal calculation in two important ways. First, the GSR holds colleges accountable for student-athletes who transfer into their school. Second, the GSR does not penalize colleges whose student-athletes transfer--in good academic standing. Those student-athletes are moved into another college's cohort. Unlike GSR, the federal rate does not account for students who transfer from their original institution and graduate elsewhere; they are considered non-graduates at both the institution they left and the one from which they eventually graduate.

You will note that the rates for Men's Golf are low, but golf had only eight freshmen who entered on athletics aid in the period. Only two graduated. Five of the other six transferred and were eligible; one left to go pro. Thus, the rates were skewed for this cohort. However, the team is much more stable now and will score higher next time.

This last week-end, I attended an ACC FAR Council meeting in Charlotte, at which time we shared exit interview and student-athlete questionnaire procedures. It was very informative and should help CAP review our own processes. At the ACC Hall of Legends Awards Dinner on Friday, football's Lamar Jackson (Player of the Year) and Trevon Young (Brian Piccolo Award) were recognized, and former Cardinal football player Joe Jacoby (Washington Redskins) was inducted into the ACC Hall of Legends as the Louisville honoree.

CAP will meet on December 14 for its final meeting of the semester. At our last meeting, we welcomed a student-athlete liaison, Maryssa Becker, who is providing us with a wealth of good information and ideas!

I hope you have a restful and enjoyable holiday.

Elaine Wise, FAR

Graduation Success Rate Report

2007 - 2010 Cohorts: University of Louisville

Men's Sports			Women's Sports		
Sport	GSR	Fed Rate	Sport	GSR	Fed Rate
Baseball	76	49	Basketball	87	52
Basketball	91	64	Bowling	-	-
CC/Track	80	71	CC/Track	85	66
Fencing	-	-	Crew/Rowing	96	83
Football	76	68	Fencing	-	-
Golf	40	25	Field Hockey	100	71
Gymnastics	-	-	Golf	100	90
Ice Hockey	-	-	Gymnastics	-	-
Lacrosse	-	-	W. Ice Hockey	-	-
Mixed Rifle	-	-	Lacrosse	85	61
Skiing	-	-	Skiing	-	-
Soccer	74	45	Soccer	95	73
Swimming	82	74	Softball	100	83
Tennis	86	63	Swimming	97	90
Volleyball	-	-	Tennis	100	67
Water Polo	-	-	Volleyball	100	64
Wrestling	-	-	Water Polo	-	-
Men's Non-NCAA Sponsor. Sports	-	-	Women's Non-NCAA Sponsor. Sports	-	-

University of Louisville

FRESHMAN-COHORT GRADUATION RATES

	All Students	Student-Athletes #
2010-11 Graduation Rate	53%	73%
Four-Class Average	53%	67%
Student-Athlete Graduation Success Rate		86%

1. Graduation-Rates Data

a. All Students

	Men				Women				Total			
	2010-11		4-Class		2010-11		4-Class		2010-11		4-Class	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Am. Ind./AN	0	-	6	83	2	50	9	56	2	50	15	67
Asian	36	72	141	70	26	85	134	68	62	77	275	69
Black	111	50	422	47	170	48	719	46	281	49	1141	46
Hispanic	44	43	119	39	53	70	127	56	97	58	246	48
Nat. Haw./PI	2	50	2	50	0	-	0	-	2	50	2	50
N-R Alien	6	83	27	56	14	64	46	63	20	70	73	60
Two or More	35	40	61	51	47	57	92	61	82	50	153	57
Unknown	3	33	56	61	0	-	50	58	3	33	106	59
White	1004	50	3990	51	951	55	4014	56	1955	52	8004	54
Total	1241	50	4824	51	1263	55	5191	55	2504	53	10015	53

b. Student-Athletes

	Men						Women						Total					
	2010-11		4-Class		GSR		2010-11		4-Class		GSR		2010-11		4-Class		GSR	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Am. Ind./AN	1	100	1	100	1	100	1	100	1	100	1	100	2	100	2	100	2	100
Asian	0	-	0	-	0	-	1	100	4	100	4	100	1	100	4	100	4	100
Black	19	84	62	65	70	74	8	50	32	50	27	81	27	74	94	60	97	76
Hispanic	1	100	4	50	4	75	1	100	3	67	2	100	2	100	7	57	6	83
Nat. Haw./PI	0	-	0	-	1	100	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	1	100
N-R Alien	3	67	11	64	23	78	10	70	36	69	36	97	13	69	47	68	59	90
Two or More	1	0	1	0	1	100	2	100	2	100	2	100	3	67	3	67	3	100
Unknown	2	50	3	67	2	100	0	-	0	-	0	-	2	50	3	67	2	100
White	32	63	121	60	105	78	52	79	167	75	144	94	84	73	288	69	249	88
Total	59	69	203	61	207	77	75	76	245	72	216	94	134	73	448	67	423	86

c. Student-Athletes by Sport Category

Baseball				Men's Basketball				Men's CC/Track			
% - N				% - N				% - N			
	2010-11	4-Class	GSR		2010-11	4-Class	GSR		2010-11	4-Class	GSR
Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-	Asian	-	-	-	Asian	-	-	-
Black	100-a	100-a	50-a	Black	100-a	63-b	83-b	Black	0-a	50-b	60-a
Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	-	-	-
Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-
N-R Alien	-	-	-	N-R Alien	100-a	50-a	100-a	N-R Alien	100-a	50-a	67-b
Two or More	-	-	-	Two or More	-	-	-	Two or More	-	-	-
Unknown	-	100-a	100-a	Unknown	-	-	-	Unknown	-	-	-
White	64-c	46-e	77-e	White	0-a	75-a	100-a	White	100-a	81-d	93-c
Total	67-c	49-e	76-e	Total	67-a	64-c	91-c	Total	86-b	71-e	80-e
Football				Men's Other							
% - N				% - N							
	2010-11	4-Class	GSR		2010-11	4-Class	GSR				
Am. Ind./AN	100-a	100-a	100-a	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-				
Asian	-	-	-	Asian	-	-	-				
Black	100-c	69-e	78-e	Black	33-a	40-a	50-b				
Hispanic	100-a	100-a	100-a	Hispanic	-	33-a	50-a				
Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	100-a				
N-R Alien	-	-	-	N-R Alien	0-a	71-b	81-d				
Two or More	-	-	-	Two or More	0-a	0-a	100-a				
Unknown	100-a	100-a	100-a	Unknown	0-a	0-a	-				
White	100-a	58-c	60-c	White	50-c	62-e	78-e				
Total	100-d	68-e	76-e	Total	40-d	58-e	76-e				
Women's Basketball				Women's CC/Track				Women's Other			
% - N				% - N				% - N			
	2010-11	4-Class	GSR		2010-11	4-Class	GSR		2010-11	4-Class	GSR
Am. Ind./AN	100-a	100-a	100-a	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-	Am. Ind./AN	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-	Asian	-	-	-	Asian	100-a	100-a	100-a
Black	60-a	41-d	82-c	Black	33-a	58-c	77-c	Black	-	67-a	100-a
Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	-	-	-	Hispanic	100-a	67-a	100-a
Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-	Nat. Haw./PI	-	-	-
N-R Alien	-	-	-	N-R Alien	0-a	25-a	100-a	N-R Alien	78-b	75-e	97-e
Two or More	-	-	-	Two or More	100-a	100-a	100-a	Two or More	-	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	Unknown	-	-	-	Unknown	-	-	-
White	-	100-a	100-a	White	83-b	82-c	91-c	White	78-e	75-e	95-e
Total	67-b	52-e	87-c	Total	67-c	66-e	85-e	Total	79-e	75-e	95-e

Values for N (a. 1-5, b. 6-10, c. 11-15, d. 16-20, e. greater than 20)

2. Undergraduate-Enrollment Data (All full-time baccalaureate-degree seeking students enrolled 2016-17)

a. All Students	Men	Women	Total	b. Student-athletes #	Men	Women	Total
	N	N	N		N	N	N
Am. Ind./AN	10	5	15	Am. Ind./AN	0	0	0
Asian	213	226	439	Asian	1	1	2
Black	556	801	1357	Black	72	23	95
Hispanic	259	264	523	Hispanic	7	8	15
Nat. Haw./PI	6	2	8	Nat. Haw./PI	1	0	1
N-R Alien	128	83	211	N-R Alien	28	25	53
Two or More	255	336	591	Two or More	4	8	12
Unknown	13	1	14	Unknown	2	0	2
White	4453	4633	9086	White	73	143	216
Total	5893	6351	12244	Total	188	208	396

c. Student-Athletes # By Sports Category

Men	Basketball	Baseball	CC/Track	Football	Other
Am. Ind./AN	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	0	0	0	0	1
Black	5	1	7	57	2
Hispanic	0	1	2	2	2
Nat. Haw./PI	0	0	0	1	0
N-R Alien	3	0	5	0	20
Two or More	0	0	1	2	1
Unknown	0	0	0	2	0
White	1	25	8	9	30
Total	9	27	23	73	56

Women	Basketball	CC/Track	Other
Am. Ind./AN	0	0	0
Asian	0	0	1
Black	8	10	5
Hispanic	1	1	6
Nat. Haw./PI	0	0	0
N-R Alien	0	5	20
Two or More	1	3	4
Unknown	0	0	0
White	3	15	125
Total	13	34	161

#Only student-athletes receiving athletics aid are included in this report.



INFORMATION ABOUT THE GRADUATION RATES INSTITUTION REPORT

Introduction.

This information sheet and the NCAA Graduation Rates Institution Report have been prepared by the NCAA, based on data provided by the institution in compliance with NCAA Bylaw 18.4.2.2.1 (admissions and graduation-rate disclosure) and the federal Student Right-to-Know and Campus Security Act. Please note, the NCAA will make this report public.

The Graduation Rates Institution Report gives graduation information about the most recent six-year graduating class of students and student-athletes who entered as freshmen in 2010-11. The graduation rate (percent) is based on a comparison of the number (N) of students who entered a college or university and the number of those who graduated within six years. For example, if 100 students entered and 60 graduated within six years, the graduation rate is 60 percent.

The Graduation Rates Institution Report provides information about two groups of students:

1. All Students. All undergraduate students who were enrolled in a full-time program of studies for a baccalaureate degree; and
2. Student-Athletes. Student-athletes who received athletics aid from the school for any period of time during their entering year. [Note: Athletics aid is a grant, scholarship, tuition waiver or other assistance from a college or university that is awarded on the basis of a student's athletics ability.]

Two different measures of graduation rates are presented in this report: Federal Graduation Rate and Graduation Success Rate. The Federal Graduation Rate indicates the percentage of freshmen who entered and received athletics aid during a given academic year who graduated within six years. The GSR adds to the first-time freshmen, those students who entered midyear as well as student-athletes who transferred into an institution and received athletics aid. Both the Federal Graduation Rate and the GSR subtract students from the entering cohort who are considered allowable exclusions (i.e., those who either die or become permanently disabled, those who leave the school to join the armed forces, foreign services or attend a church mission). In addition, the GSR subtracts those who left the institution prior to graduation, had athletics eligibility remaining and would have been academically eligible to compete had they returned to the institution.

Graduation Rates Report.

1. Graduation Rates Data. The box at the top of the Graduation Rates Institution Report provides the most recent class (i.e., 2010-11) and four-class Federal Graduation Rate for all students and for student-athletes who received athletics aid at this school. Additionally, this box provides GSR data for student-athletes. [Note: Pursuant to the Student-Right-to-Know Act, anytime a cell containing cohort numbers includes only

one or two students, the data in that cell and one other will be suppressed so that no individual can be identified.]

- a. All Students. This section provides the freshman-cohort graduation rates for all full-time, degree-seeking students by race or ethnic group. It shows the rate for men who entered as freshmen in 2010-11 and the four-class average, which includes those who entered as freshmen in 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11. The same rates are provided for women. The total for 2010-11 is the rate for men and women combined, and the four-class average is for all students who entered in 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11.
- b. Student-Athletes. This section provides the freshman-cohort graduation rates and also the GSR for student-athletes in each race and ethnic group who received athletics aid. Information is provided for men and women separately and for all student-athletes.
- c. Student-Athletes by Sports Categories. This section provides the identified graduation rates as in 1-b for each of the eight sports categories. (The small letters indicate the value of N).

2. Undergraduate Enrollment Data.

- a. All Students. This section indicates the number of full-time, undergraduate, baccalaureate, degree-seeking students enrolled for the 2016 fall term and the number of men and women in each racial or ethnic group.
- b. Student-Athletes. This section identifies how many student-athletes were enrolled and received athletics aid for the 2016-17 academic year and the number of men and women in each racial or ethnic group.
- c. Student-Athletes by Sports Categories. This section provides the enrollment data as identified in 3-b for each of the eight sports categories.