

Report of the Faculty Athletics Representative  
4 March 2020

Dear Senators:

I encourage you to participate with your unit in the selection of candidates for the university-wide election of faculty directors to the ULAA Board. Too, please share the application for the new FAR with any of your colleagues who might be a good fit. The deadline for applications is Friday. By the way, my term ends on July 1, so I will be asking the new FAR to shadow me for the rest of the semester. Too, I will be here in the fall, trying to gather twenty years' worth of FAR materials for the new FAR to savor--or discard!

CAP met on Thursday, 27 February, to review the questions for the annual End-of-Year Student-Athlete Questionnaire. This instrument is distributed each spring to gather feedback from our student-athletes concerning their academic experience. The information has been instrumental in effecting responsible changes in our athletic/academic practices.

In the attachment, I share with you the names of our recipients of 2020 ACC Postgraduate Scholarships. We can be very proud of these student-athletes whose graduate or professional education will be supported by the ACC. Meanwhile, we have a number of student-athletes who have been nominated for or are in the watch list for postseason awards. I am currently writing the letter of nomination for a WBB player who is on the watch list for the annual Wooden Award. Keep your fingers crossed!

Best Regards,  
Elaine

February 21, 2020

# 2020 ACC Postgraduate Scholarship Recipients Announced

**GREENSBORO, N.C. (theACC.com)** – The Atlantic Coast Conference announced Friday a list of 50 student-athletes who have been selected as 2020 Weaver-James-Corrigan Postgraduate Scholarship Award recipients.

This year's list includes three student-athletes who will also receive the Thacker Award and eight student-athletes who plan to pursue professional careers in their chosen sports and were named honorary recipients.

The student-athletes will be honored at the annual Cone Health ACC Postgraduate Scholarship Luncheon presented by ESPN on Wednesday, April 8. The luncheon will be hosted by the Nat Greene Kiwanis Club at the Sheraton Four Seasons Guilford Ballroom in Greensboro, North Carolina.

Boston College alumnus Luke Kuechly, who recently retired from the NFL following an All-Pro career with the Carolina Panthers, will serve as the keynote speaker.

The Weaver-James-Corrigan and Jim and Pat Thacker postgraduate scholarships are awarded to selected student-athletes who intend to pursue a graduate degree following completion of their undergraduate requirements. Each recipient will receive \$6,000 toward his or her graduate education. Those honored have performed with distinction in both the classroom and their respective sport, while demonstrating exemplary conduct in the community.

**The following U of L student-athlete will be recognized as 2020 ACC Postgraduate Scholars:**

**Carter Ayars, Louisville, Field hockey, Health and Human Performance in Exercise Science**

**Melanie McHenry, Louisville, Women's Volleyball, Early Elementary Education**

**Grace Oglesby, Louisville, Women's Swimming and Diving, Sport Administration**