

DIII FARA WELCOME

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FARA

- Spans all three divisions
- FAR – member of FARA (automatic)
- President
 - Can be from any division
- Each Division Represented on Executive Committee
 - Division 1 – both football and non-football
- Each Division has VP
- Each Division has Representatives
 - DII / DIII: 3 Reps (3 year alternating terms)
 - D1: 2 each from football and non-football schools
- **Primary Objectives:**
 - 1. Support FARs in their role on campus, conference and association**
 - 2. Professional Development**



DIII INTRODUCTIONS

- **JoAnne Bullard**, President
 - Rowan University
 - Health & Exercise Science; Sport Psychology
- **Jacob Tingle**, DIII Vice President
 - Trinity University
 - Business Administration
- **Jay Corrigan**, DIII Representative
 - Kenyon College
 - Economics
- **Marc Cruea**, DIII Representative
 - Ohio Northern University
 - Communication Arts
- **Karen Tompson-Wolfe**, DIII Representative
 - Westminster College
 - First Year Experience and Learning Opportunities

THE DIII PHILOSOPHY

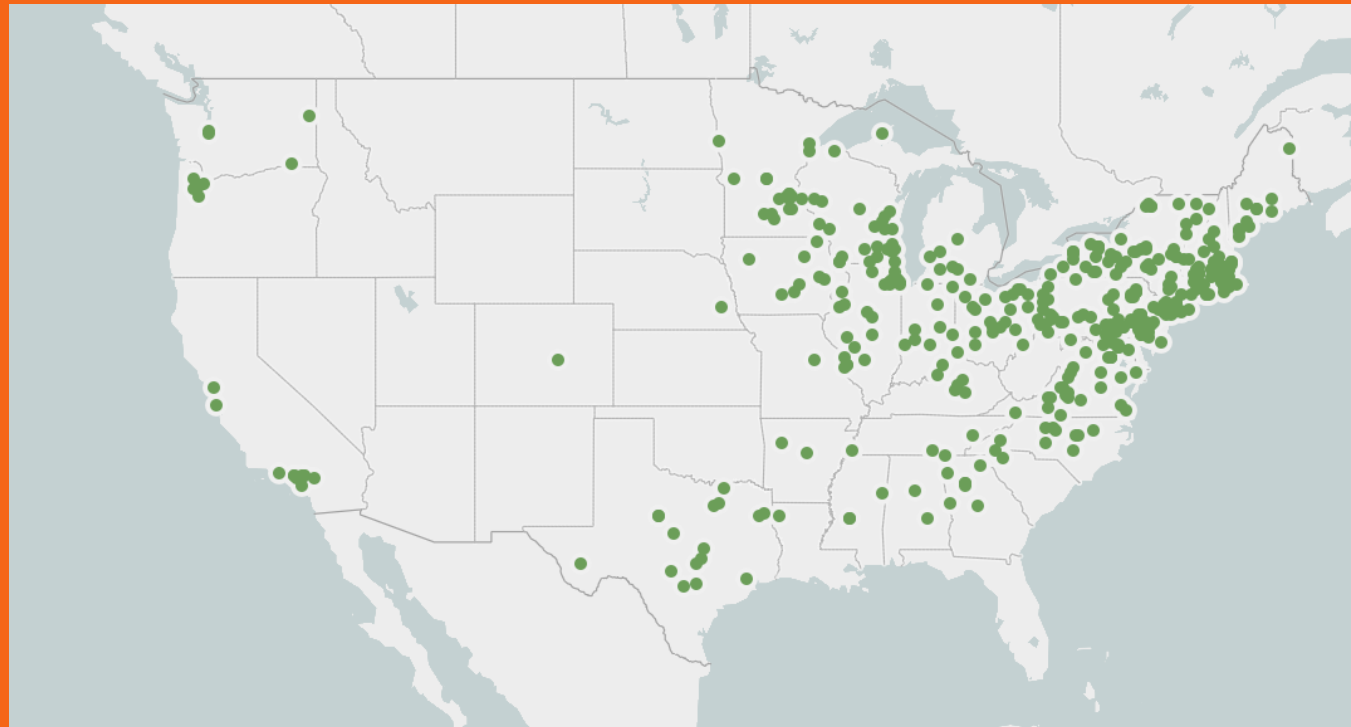
- Two primary tenets (different than DI or DII):
 - **Academic Focus:** the highest priority is the overall educational experience and successful completion
 - **Integration:** athletics is part of the educational experience and supports the overall mission of the institution
 - Support of educating the “WHOLE” student

THE DIII PHILOSOPHY

- The three D's:
 - **Discover:** student-athletes are encouraged to pursue their interests
 - **Develop:** student-athletes are supported to develop into well-rounded adults (educating the “whole” student”)
 - **Dedicate:** student-athletes are expected to dedicate themselves to achieve their full potential and supported to do so

WE ARE DIII

- 42 voting conferences & 23 nonvoting, 429 institutions, >206,000 students
- 39% of the NCAA's total membership
- On average, student-athletes make up 31% of the student body on DIII campuses



WE ARE DIII

Division III 2024-25 Facts and Figures

MEMBERSHIP

Division III is the NCAA's largest division (approximately 39% of total membership).



80%

(339) of active Division III institutions are private.

20%

(86) of institutions are public.

Source: 2024 Sports Sponsorship and Demographics Forms

UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT



Source: 2024 Sports Sponsorship and Demographics Forms

SPORTS SPONSORED PER INSTITUTION

19 average number of sports that Division III schools sponsor.

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ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION

(Including emerging sports)

Approximately **37.3%** of NCAA student-athletes compete at Division III institutions.

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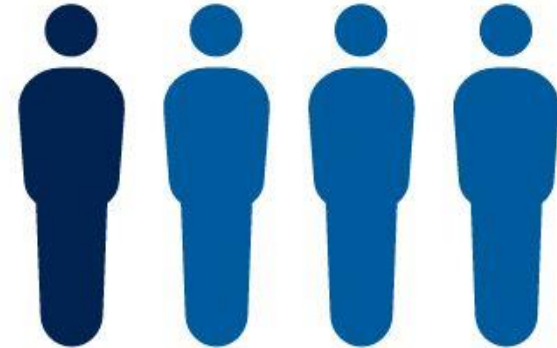
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STUDENT-ATHLETE COMPOSITION

On average, student-athletes comprise **31%** of the student body at Division III institutions. (This percentage ranges from 1.5% to more than 74%.)



301 median number of student-athletes at schools that don't sponsor football.

589 median number of student-athletes at schools that sponsor football.

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DIVISION III STUDENT-ATHLETES

- Former Division III student-athletes report thriving at greater rates on measures of purpose, social, community, and physical well-being than their nonathlete peers.
- Former Division III student-athletes earned a postgraduate degree (41%) at a higher rate than their nonathlete peers (37%).
- 87% of former Division III student-athletes agreed or strongly agreed that they were challenged academically in college, as compared to 83% of nonathletes.
- 63% of former Division III student-athletes held a leadership position in a club or organization, as compared to 38% of nonathletes.
- 87% of Division III student-athletes agree or strongly agree that being an athlete has helped them fit in socially at their college, and 82% report a sense of belonging there.
- Most Division III student-athletes agree or strongly agree that their coaches and teammates create an inclusive environment for all team members (78%).
- Over 90% of Division III student-athletes report that their college athletics experience had a positive or very positive effect on personal competencies such as work ethic, responsibility, teamwork, and goal setting.

Source: Division III Gallup Study (2020) and Division III Growth, Opportunities, Aspirations and Learning of Students in college (GOALS) Study (2019)

THE FAR AND THE FARA ANNUAL MEETING

- “Should the FAR.....?”
- “Can the FAR.....?”
- “Is there a role for the FAR in?”

- **YES, YES, YES!!!**

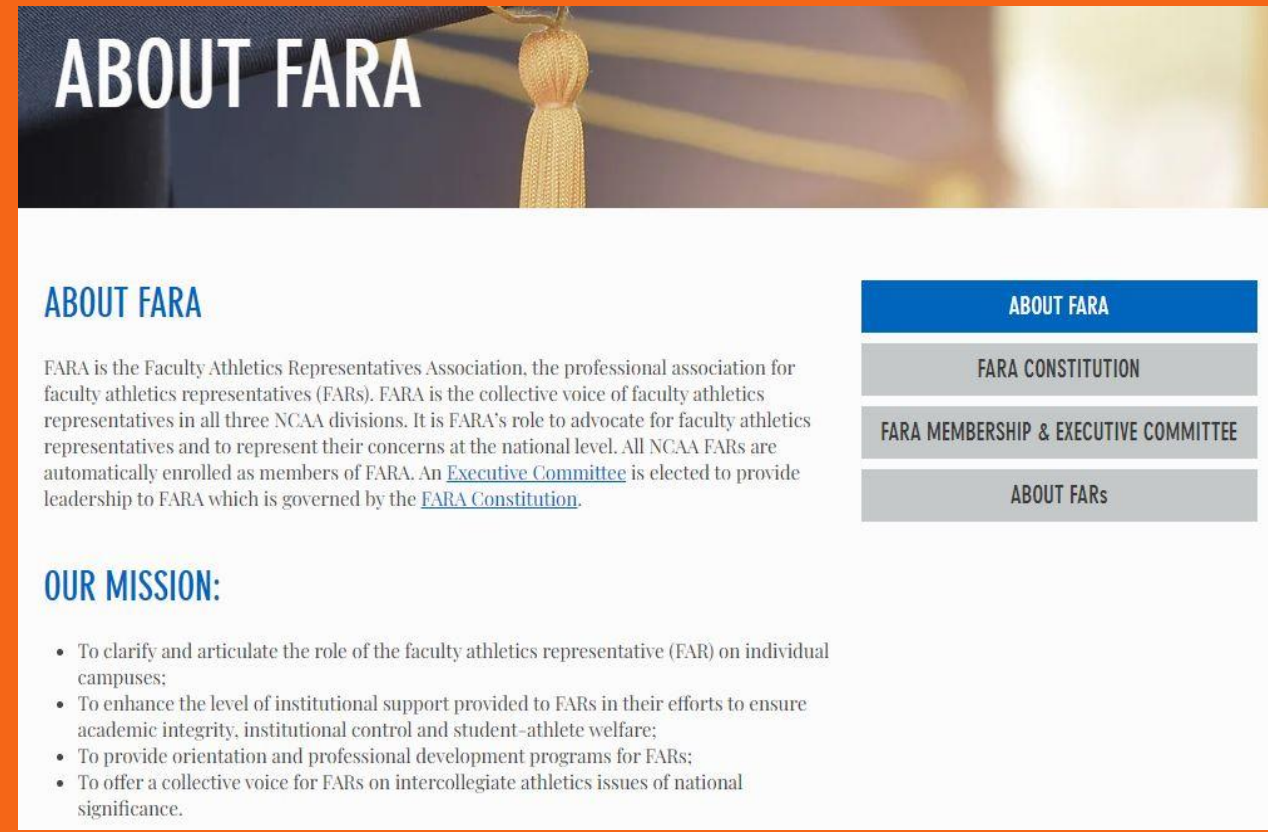
- **FARA and FARA Annual Meeting will support you for whatever your “YES” will be**

FARA WEBSITE

- FARA Website: <https://www.ncaafara.org/>



The screenshot shows the FARA website homepage. At the top left is the NCAA logo and the FARA logo (Faculty Athletics Representatives Association). A navigation menu includes links for ABOUT, FARA VOICE, FARA ANNUAL MEETING, FARA AWARDS, and RESOURCES. The main content area features a large image of a graduation cap with the text: "Welcome to the Faculty Athletics Representatives Association Website". Below this is a paragraph: "FARA is the Faculty Athletics Representatives Association, the professional association for faculty athletics representatives (FARs). FARA is the collective voice of faculty athletics representatives in all three NCAA divisions. It is FARA's role to advocate for faculty athletics representatives and to represent their concerns at the national level. All NCAA FARs are automatically enrolled as members of FARA. An Executive Committee is selected to provide leadership to FARA which is governed by the FARA Constitution."



The screenshot shows the "ABOUT FARA" page. The header features the text "ABOUT FARA" over a background image of a graduation cap tassel. Below the header is a section titled "ABOUT FARA" with the following text: "FARA is the Faculty Athletics Representatives Association, the professional association for faculty athletics representatives (FARs). FARA is the collective voice of faculty athletics representatives in all three NCAA divisions. It is FARA's role to advocate for faculty athletics representatives and to represent their concerns at the national level. All NCAA FARs are automatically enrolled as members of FARA. An [Executive Committee](#) is elected to provide leadership to FARA which is governed by the [FARA Constitution](#)."

Below the text is a section titled "OUR MISSION:" followed by a list of four bullet points:

- To clarify and articulate the role of the faculty athletics representative (FAR) on individual campuses;
- To enhance the level of institutional support provided to FARs in their efforts to ensure academic integrity, institutional control and student-athlete welfare;
- To provide orientation and professional development programs for FARs;
- To offer a collective voice for FARs on intercollegiate athletics issues of national significance.

On the right side of the page, there is a vertical navigation menu with the following items: "ABOUT FARA" (highlighted in blue), "FARA CONSTITUTION", "FARA MEMBERSHIP & EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE", and "ABOUT FARs".

FARA VOICE (MONTHLY EMAIL)

Division III FARA Voice - October 2024 External > Inbox x

Jen Smith
to me ▾

Wed, Oct 30, 7:59 AM (13 days ago) ☆

Web Version



The FARA Voice is the newsletter of the Faculty Athletics Representatives Association.

Click on the links below to access articles from the latest issue.

If you would like to submit an article for the FARA Voice,
please contact Kurt Beron, FAR at the University of Texas at Dallas.

kberon@utdallas.edu

Division III Update October 2024

Association-wide News
(followed by division-specific news)

Hello fellow FARs!

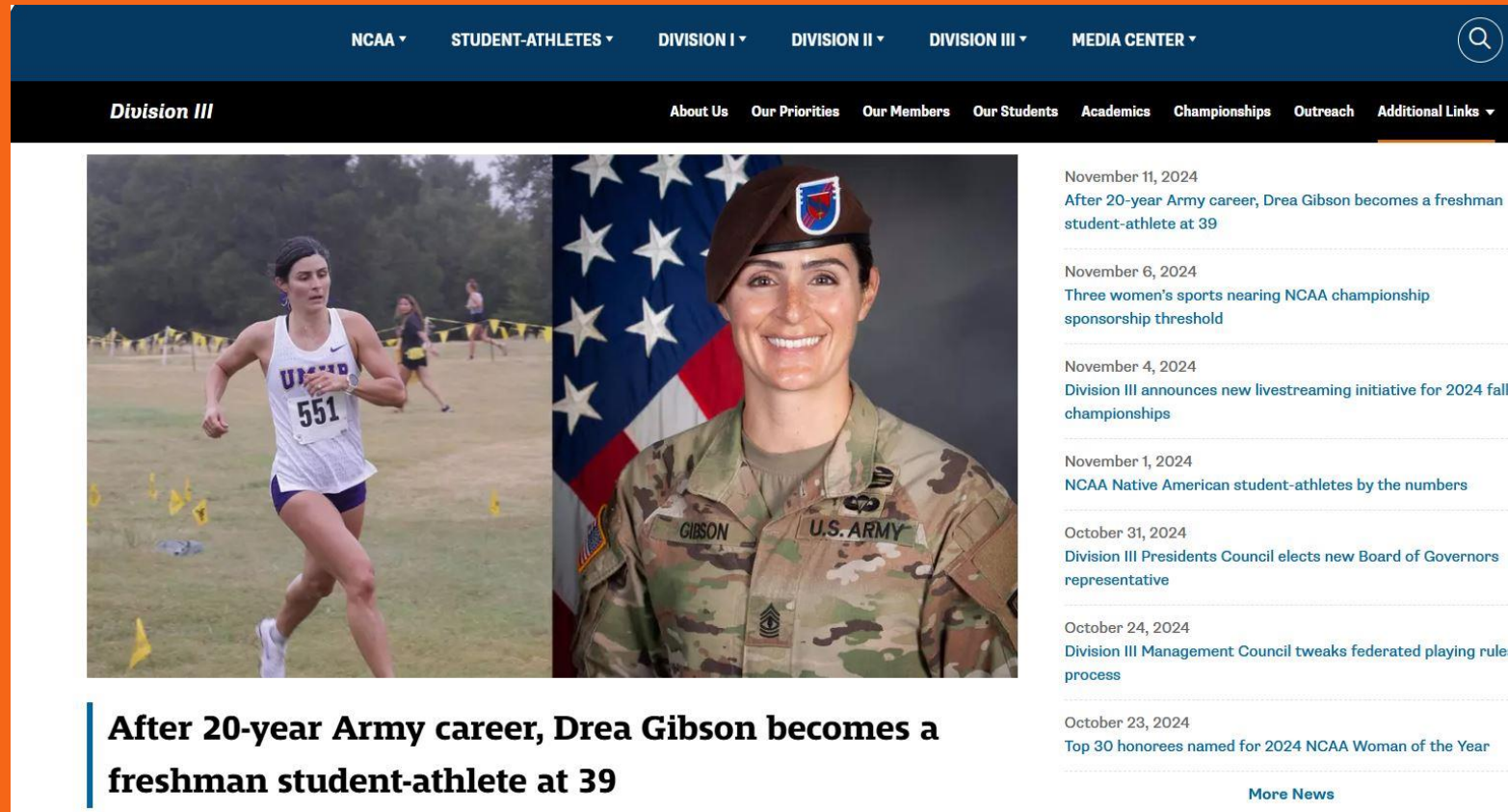
I hope that all of you are doing well and that the semester and fall sports are going well!
In just a few weeks we will be together at the FARA Annual Meeting in Dallas, Texas!

President Baker Press Release: Student-Athlete Harassment on the Rise

On October 10th, President Baker released a statement regarding student-athlete harassment online. The NCAA has partnered with Signify Group to investigate online harassment occurring in college sports using their Threat Matrix service.

NCAA DIII WEBSITE

- <https://www.ncaa.org/sports/d3>



The screenshot shows the NCAA Division III website. The top navigation bar includes links for NCAA, Student-Athletes, Division I, Division II, Division III, and Media Center. Below this is a secondary navigation bar for Division III with links for About Us, Our Priorities, Our Members, Our Students, Academics, Championships, Outreach, and Additional Links. The main content area features a large image of Drea Gibson, split into two parts: on the left, she is running in a white tank top with 'UMEP 551' and blue shorts; on the right, she is in a U.S. Army camouflage uniform with a beret. Below the image is the headline: "After 20-year Army career, Drea Gibson becomes a freshman student-athlete at 39". To the right of the image is a list of news items with dates and titles, including "After 20-year Army career, Drea Gibson becomes a freshman student-athlete at 39", "Three women's sports nearing NCAA championship sponsorship threshold", "Division III announces new livestreaming initiative for 2024 fall championships", "NCAA Native American student-athletes by the numbers", "Division III Presidents Council elects new Board of Governors representative", "Division III Management Council tweaks federated playing rules process", and "Top 30 honorees named for 2024 NCAA Woman of the Year". A "More News" link is at the bottom right.

Division III

[About Us](#) [Our Priorities](#) [Our Members](#) [Our Students](#) [Academics](#) [Championships](#) [Outreach](#) [Additional Links](#)

November 11, 2024
[After 20-year Army career, Drea Gibson becomes a freshman student-athlete at 39](#)

November 6, 2024
[Three women's sports nearing NCAA championship sponsorship threshold](#)

November 4, 2024
[Division III announces new livestreaming initiative for 2024 fall championships](#)

November 1, 2024
[NCAA Native American student-athletes by the numbers](#)

October 31, 2024
[Division III Presidents Council elects new Board of Governors representative](#)

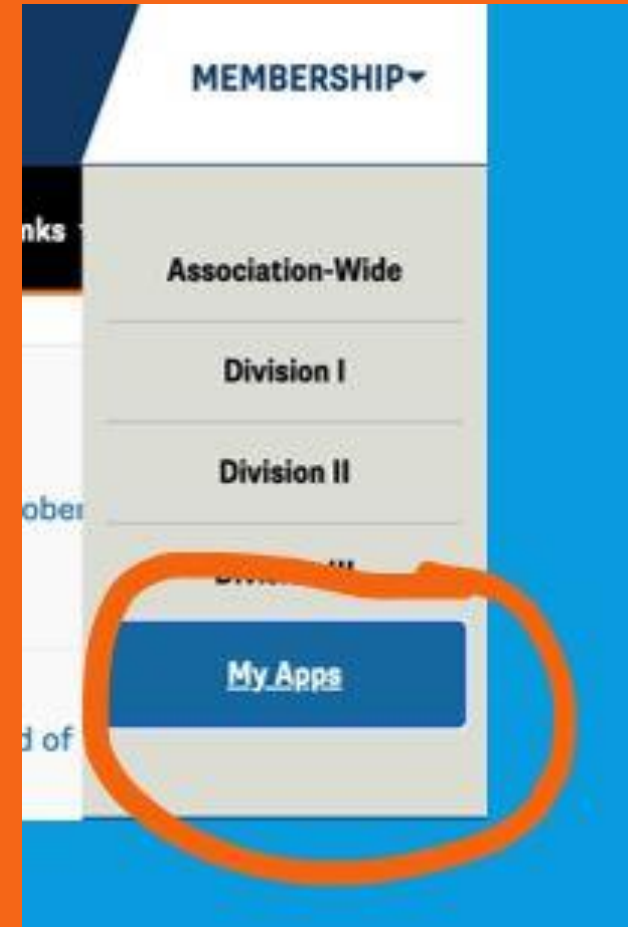
October 24, 2024
[Division III Management Council tweaks federated playing rules process](#)

October 23, 2024
[Top 30 honorees named for 2024 NCAA Woman of the Year](#)

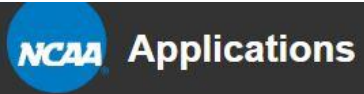
[More News](#)

MY APPS

- My Apps
 - Request Log in access
 - Applications (scholarships, for example)
 - Rules
- **DIII University**



DIII UNIVERSITY



Sort By Name (A-Z) Sort By Name (Z-A) Recently Used



[Academic Portal](#)



Compliance Forms



Membership Secure Resources



NCAA Directory



NCAA Forms



NCAA Learning Portal



Program Hub



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Requests/Self-Reports Online



Self-Study Guide



Travel Expense System


DIII UNIVERSITY







Learning Portal

Search content in the platform

My Homepage - New

WELCOME, DIVISION III!



 <p>MY ASSIGNED COURSES</p>	 <p>BROWSE COURSES</p>	 <p>MY TRANSCRIPT</p>
		

DIII TICKER

<https://www.d3ticker.com/>

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ABOUT

Why D3.Ticker?

Building off the momentum generated by D1.ticker since January of 2013, collegiate administrators & those connected to the industry now have a curation service that will keep them up to date on developments specific to DIII college athletics. Administrative hires, coaching changes, facilities, sponsorships, fund-raising, compliance issues, as well as general trends in social media, technology, new media, marketing, advertising & business operations will be included. Division III athletics also has a distinctly different narrative than Division I or II, so personal interest stories, work-life balance entries & other division-specific topics will be a focus.

D3.ticker is designed for speed & simplicity. One email every Monday, Wednesday & Friday morning with a curated selection of the most important fact-based developments in DIII college athletics. Key for those who want to gain an advantage with their knowledge base, while also freeing more time to excel in their individual roles. Subscription is free, thanks to industry-leader Sidarm Sports. Subscribe now and enjoy your effective time savings without missing a beat.


NACDA: THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGIATE DIRECTORS OF ATHLETICS





- NACDA website: <https://nacda.com/>


The screenshot shows the NACDA website homepage. At the top left is the NACDA logo. To its right is a navigation bar with links for ABOUT US, AWARDS, CONVENTION (highlighted in yellow), EVENTS, and JOB CENTER. Above the navigation bar is a row of logos for various athletic associations: CABMA, CEFMA, D2 ADA, D2 CCA, DIICA, FCS ADA, I-AAA ADA, ICLA, MOAA, NAA, NAAC, and NAADD. Below the navigation bar is a banner for 'HUGE UPGRADES AT UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN FROM DAKTRONICS'. The main content area features a large announcement for the '2025 Post Graduate Scholarship' from the 'McLendon Foundation'. The announcement includes the text 'Apply by: February 1, 2025' and a photograph of a group of people in a stadium. Below this is another announcement: '2025 McLendon Scholarship Applications Now Being Accepted', with the text 'The application deadline is Saturday, February 1.' and a 'MORE NEWS' button.

SOCIAL MEDIA

- NCAADIII (@NCAADIII)
- NCAA Research (@NCAAResearch)


NCAA Division III 
15.3K posts

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
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
The official account of NCAA Division III. #NCAAD3 #whyd3
📍 Indianapolis, IN ncaa.org/d3 📅 Joined January 2012

562 Following 116.6K Followers

 Followed by D3SoccerWorld, Lady Dukers PTX, and 229 others you follow

Posts Replies Highlights Media

 NCAA Division III reposted

 **NCAA**  @NCAA · 6h

Promoting and encouraging graduate education for student-athletes like @generalsmlax's Spencer Kriss with the NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship!

Fall applications are open on.ncaa.com/pgscholarship

NCAA Fall Postgraduate Scholarship





The NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship was created to promote and encourage graduate education by rewarding the Association's most accomplished student athletes. The one-time non-renewable scholarships of \$20,000 are awarded three times a year corresponding to each sport season (fall, winter and spring). Each sports season there are 21 scholarships available for men and 21 scholarships available for women for use in an accredited graduate program.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE
January 10, 2025
@ 5 PM ET

SPENCER KRISS
@generalsmlax

“I am incredibly grateful to have received this award. I reflect back with tremendous pride on the four years I spent playing collegiate athletics, especially the incredible teammates I competed with and the lifelong memories we formed together. I also want to give a special thank you to the entire chemistry & biochemistry department at WLL for making my academic experience so special during my four years in Lexington.”

NCAA Research
5,124 posts


    **Following**

NCAA Research
@NCAAResearch


NCAA Research conducts national research for members on many topics including academic performance, student-athlete well-being, finance and diversity issues.


📍 Indianapolis, IN ncaa.org/research 📅 Joined November 2012

49 Following 26.2K Followers

 Followed by DocHancock, Kelly Simmons, and 154 others you follow

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 NCAA Research reposted

 **Tom Paskus** @tspaskus · Nov 5

A survey of more than 6,000 Division I athletes we conducted @NCAAResearch two weeks ago indicated that more than three-quarters of domestic respondents had already voted or intended to vote in today's election.

WHAT DO WE WANT?

- What do you want information about?
- What resources would you like to see?
- How can FARA support access?

FARA AGENDA – WHAT TO EXPECT!

- Association-Wide Sessions
- Divisional Sessions (DIII breakout sessions)
- Legislative Review
 - Pro/Con LRC
 - Voting
- Awards Dinner
- Social
 - Breakfasts
 - Lunch on Friday
 - Receptions
- **Wear your university colors/shirts for a picture on Friday afternoon!**

FAR AS GARDENER

- Describe the impact you hope to have as a FAR. Consider the FAR “garden” in areas you may focus your efforts.
- Identify 2 or 3 specific actions you are going to take towards you impact based on what you learned at the FARA Meeting.

HAVE A GREAT MEETING!!!

