

## ANNUAL REPORT

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## MISSION STATEMENT

THE ATLANTIC 10 CONFERENCE IS COMMITTED TO PROVIDING QUALITY COMPETITION AMONG ITS MEMBER INSTITUTIONS, WHILE FURTHERING ACADEMIC INTEGRITY AND PROMOTING POSITIVE BEHAVIOR AMONG STUDENT-ATHLETES, COACHES, ADMINISTRATORS AND FANS.

THE CONFERENCE SHALL WORK WITH ALL ITS MEMBER INSTITUTIONS TO PROVIDE SERVICES THAT WILL ENHANCE INSTITUTIONAL RESOURCES AND OFFER A QUALITY EXPERIENCE TO ALL STUDENT-ATHLETES, WHILE UPHOLDING THE STANDARDS ESTABLISHED BY THE CONFERENCE AND THE NCAA.

GREAT PEOPLE. GREAT PLACES.
EXTRAORDINARY OPPORTUNITIES.

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## ABOUT THE ATLANTIC 10

The Atlantic 10 Conference was founded in 1975 and consists of 14 diverse members across eight states and Washington, D.C. The mission of the Atlantic 10 is to provide an enhanced studentathlete experience through 21 nationally competitive championship sports. The basketball-centric conference is committed to integrity, educational excellence and providing quality equitable championship experiences for its student-athletes, coaches and support staff. The membership consists of Davidson College, the University of Dayton, Duquesne University, Fordham University, George Mason University, The George Washington University, La Salle University, the University of Massachusetts, the University of Rhode Island, the University of Richmond, St. Bonaventure University, Saint Joseph's University, Saint Louis University and Virginia Commonwealth University. For more information, visit www.atlantic10.com.



## COMMISSIONER'S WELCOME

The 2017-18 year was one of great accomplishment for the Atlantic 10 Conference, both on the court and in the classroom. Our success spanned all of our member institutions and was highlighted on a national scale. This includes Massachusetts' standout cross country and track and field student-athlete Heather MacLean, who was named as a Top 30 finalist for the NCAA Woman of the Year Award. She is the first A-10 student-athlete in over a decade to be among the top 30 candidates for this prestigious award.

During this past year, we also said farewell to two legends. Davidson Athletic Director Jim Murphy stepped away from athletics after nearly a quarter century to serve the college as the Senior Adviser to the President for Finance and Operations. Additionally, Saint Joseph's Athletic Director Don DiJulia retired after 35 years leading the Hawks and 50 years total in college athletics. Don's impact on Saint Joseph's and the Atlantic 10 spanned five decades and the conference created the Don DiJuila Athletic Director Internship in his honor. The internship is part of the Atlantic 10's commitment to education and fostering the league's prowess as an academically-focused conference.

We again awarded 14 Postgraduate Scholarships, one to each institution, for a total of \$70,000. The league had 67 teams honored by the NCAA's Academic Progress Rate (APR) public recognition last spring, second most in league history. The 67 teams ranked number one for basketball-centric conferences and fourth among the 32 Division I conferences. We had 3,168 student-athletes, which is over half of all A-10 student-athletes, earn Commissioner's Honor Roll distinction, the highest number of unique honorees in a single year.

Our academic successes were complimented by excellence in athletics. Fordham men's soccer made a magical run to the NCAA College Cup quarterfinals last fall. Our men's and women's tennis and golf championships in Orlando gave us the opportunity for the second straight year to host a spring championship festival, allowing student-athletes from all three championships to come together for fellowship. Most of our Olympic sports championship were broadcast digitally on the A-10 Network, which included television-quality productions.

The Men's Basketball Championship was played in the nation's capital for the first time in league history at Capital One Arena. The league set a ticket revenue record for the second straight year, with more than \$1.3 million in revenue.

We had three men's basketball teams earn NCAA bids, marking the 11th straight year the A-10 has received at least three invitations. Davidson claimed its first-ever A-10 Championship title and both St. Bonaventure and Rhode Island recorded wins in their NCAA opening games. The Bonnies had the opportunity to play in a familiar building, participating in the First Four and receiving an Atlantic 10 family welcome from the local Dayton crowd!

In women's basketball, George Washington won its third A-10 crown in four years and seven Atlantic 10 teams reached the postseason. It marked the final year for the Atlantic 10 in the Richmond Coliseum, which served as home for the Women's Basketball Championship for five straight years. Dayton joined GW in the NCAA Tournament, and Duquesne, Fordham, George Mason, Saint Joseph's and Saint Louis all played in the WNIT. Duquesne and Fordham both earned postseason victories and advanced to the third round.

The Atlantic 10 continues to be well positioned within the NCAA as well, with people from around the league serving on key NCAA Councils and Committees. VCU President Michael Rao continues to serve on the Division I NCAA Board of Directors and Davidson President Dr. Carol Quillen is a member of the Presidential Forum. Atlantic 10 Executive Associate Commissioner Keith Gill



completed his term on the NCAA Division I Council, and Saint Louis Athletic Director Chris May has been selected to represent the Atlantic 10. Additionally, several other administrators and coaches serve on NCAA Committees, where their work continues to positively impact our student-athletes and college athletics as a whole.

In 2018-19, we look to build on the league's strong foundation, with NCAA leadership, nationally competitive athletics and robust academic programs at each of our 14 member institutions.

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Sincerely,

Bernadette V. McGlade

## Commissioner

## **OUTGOING ATHLETIC DIRECTORS**



IIM MURPHY Davidson



DON DIJULIA Saint Joseph's



## ACADEMIC SUCCESS

### **GRADUATION SUCCESS RATE (GSR)**

Atlantic 10 Conference student-athletes graduate at a 91 percent rate, according to NCAA Graduation Success Rate statistics released by the NCAA in November. It is the seventh straight year the league has had a score at 89 percent or better. The 2017 statistics reflect the graduation rate of freshmen who enrolled at an A-10 institution in 2010

91%

The conference's 91 percent GSR was the third-highest rate of any Division I league.

A-10 baseball rose five points in the 2017 GSR (88 to 93) over the 2016 score. 6

A-10 men's basketball's GSR climbed six points over the 2016 report (86 to 92).

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A-10 women's basketball's GSR is up four points over 2016 (93 to 97).

### COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

The Atlantic 10 Conference had 3,168 student-athletes earn Commissioner's Honor Roll distinction in 2017-18. The 3,168 student-athletes is the highest number of unique honorees in a single year. This marks the first time the Commissioner's Honor Roll has been based on the entire academic year.



## TOP FIVE ANNUAL TOTALS

2016-17: 3.582

2015-16: 3,377

2012-13: 3,255

2017-18: 3,168\*

2014-15: 3,029

\*Based on full academic year. Previously the award was granted following each semester and the annual totals included studentathletes who made the list in each semester.

To be selected for the Commissioner's Honor Roll, a student-athlete in an Atlantic 10-sponsored sport must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA, and freshmen are eligible to receive the award.



198

The Atlantic 10 honored 198 individuals on sport-specific **All-Academic Teams**. Designed to recognize student-athletes who excel on the field and in the classroom, the awards are modeled after the CoSIDA Academic All-American program, which recognizes student-athletes across the nation from all divisions of college athletics.



### ACADEMIC PROGRESS RATE (APR)

The Atlantic 10 had a near-record 67 teams honored by the NCAA's Academic Progress Rate (APR) public recognition. The 67 teams ranked number one for basketball-centric conferences and ranks fourth among the 32 Division I leagues.

"We have a great track record of excellence in NCAA APR Public Recognition, and I couldn't be more proud of our schools, athletic programs, coaches and student-athletes and their strong commitment to long-term academic success."

BERNADETTE V. MCGLADE A-10 Conference Commissioner



A-10 teams that have received **NCAA** public recognition **every year** since the inception of the 13-year-old APR program:







men's Basketball

Men's Golf

Women's Tennis











The Atlantic 10 is one of the **top five conferences** in number of teams earning NCAA Public Recognition, along with the Ivy and Patriot Leagues, the Big East, and the ACC.

A-10 Number of teams earning NCAA Public Recognition:



**DAVIDSON - 11** 



FORDHAM - 9



**GEORGE WASHINGTON - 8** 



DAYTON - 6



**RICHMOND - 6** 



**SAINT JOSEPH'S - 6** 



**SAINT LOUIS - 6** 



ST. BONAVENTURE - 6

Half of the A-10 (seven schools) either matched or increased last year's number of teams honored. Duquesne, Fordham, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Richmond all had more teams recognized this year over previous year.



## POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

The A-10 honors student-athletes who excel in academics and athletics while being involved in their community with the Atlantic 10 Postgraduate Scholarship Award. For the fourth time in the 26-year history of the program, each institution has had an honoree receive the prestigious award. Designed to provide graduating student-athletes the opportunity to continue their college education, the program awards \$70,000 in scholarship funding to former A-10 student-athletes.

## 3.74 GPA

The selection process, which involves the league's athletic directors, senior woman administrators and faculty athletic representatives, resulted in a class with an average GPA of 3.74. The class is comprised of 10 female student-athletes and four males, representing six different sports. In each of the last four years, the average GPA of the honorees for the Postgraduate Scholarship Program has been 3.70 or higher.

"This is one of the most prestigious and highly-coveted honors that the Atlantic 10 awards its student-athletes. Each of our postgraduate honorees are deserving of this award, super intelligent and multi-talented young people! Each will be exceptional leaders and successful in their postgraduate studies. I offer my congratulations to these 14 outstanding men and women."

BERNADETTE V. MCGLADE A-10 Conference Commissioner

### 2018 POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP HONOREES



SARAH SEARS Davidson Cross Country/Track & Field Latin American Studies



JACKIE KAWAMOTO Dayton Tennis Psychology



ALEXANDRA SANTER Duquesne Swimming & Diving Occupational Therapy



CHRISTOPHER BAZZINI Fordham Soccer Information Systems



SHARON DORSEY George Mason Track & Field Environmental Science



MIRANDA HORN George Washington Soccer International Affairs & History



FABIAN
BERGMAN
La Salle
Swimming & Diving
Integrated Business Science
& Technology



ALEXANDER DESANTIS Massachusetts Soccer



AMANDA NARDELLA Rhode Island Soccer Kinesiology



LAUREN MCRAE Richmond Swimming & Diving



JORDAN POWERS St. Bonaventure Swimming & Diving Biochemistry



KRISTEN KELBON Saint Joseph's Lacrosse Accounting & Finance



AALIYA
COVINGTON
Saint Louis
Basketball
Social Work



TAYLOR
MCCORMICK
VCU
Track & Field
Criminal Justice



CHRISTOPHER BAZZINI Fordham



KRISTEN KELBON Saint Joseph's



FABIAN BERGMAN La Salle



AALIYA COVINGTON
Saint Louis



## MEN'S BASKETBALL



Davidson Men's Basketball Co-Player of the Year

### **TEAM AWARDS**

- Champion: Davidson
- Championship Runner-Up: Rhode Island
- Regular Season Champion: Rhode Island
- Postseason Participants: Davidson (NCAA 0-1), Rhode Island (NCAA 1-1), St. Bonaventure (NCAA 1-1)

- MAJOR AWARDS
  Player of the Year: Peyton Aldridge (DAV), Jaylen Adams (SBU)
- Defensive Player of the Year: Yuta Watanabe (GW)
- Rookie of the Year: Kellan Grady (DAV)
- **Chris Daniels Co-Most Improved Player:** Luwane Pipkins (UM) and LaDarien Griffin (SBU)
- Sixth Man of the Year: Tarin Smith (DUQ)
- · Coach of the Year: Dan Hurley (URI)
- **Championship Most Outstanding Player:** Peyton Aldridge (DAV)



**JAYLEN ADAMS** 

St. Bonaventure Men's Basketball Co-Player of the Year





## WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

### **TEAM AWARDS**

- Champion: George Washington
- Championship Runner-up: Saint Joseph's
- Regular Season Champion: Dayton
- Postseason Participants: Dayton (NCAA 0-1), George Washington (NCAA 0-1), Duquesne (WNIT 2-1), Fordham (WNIT 2-1), George Mason (WNIT 1-1), Saint Joseph's (WNIT 1-1), Saint Louis (WNIT 0-1)

## MAJOR AWARDS • Player of the Year: Natalie Butler (MASON)

- Defensive Player of the Year: G'mrice Davis (FOR)
- Rookie of the Year: Nicole Cardaño-Hillary (MASON)
- Most Improved Player: Micaela Parson (UR)
- Sixth Woman of the Year: Kelli Prange (GW)
- Coach of the Year: Shauna Green (UD)
- Championship Most Outstanding Player: Brianna Cummings (GW)







## MEDIA DAYS





### MEN'S BASKETBALL

The 2017 Men's Basketball Media Day was held in Washington, D.C., at Capital One Arena for the first time. Similar to the past, the format was a split session with seven coaches in the morning and seven coaches in the afternoon. The Atlantic 10 also included student-athletes for the first time in six years. The Preseason First Team All-Conference selections were part of the interview portion.

The media sessions included breakouts for print media, electronic media and special sections for A-10 Live, CBS Sports Network and ESPN Radio.

The luncheon included a highlight "sizzle" video, a Preseason All-Conference video, and comments from Commissioner Bernadette V. McGlade, and Elliott L. Ferguson, Destination DC President. The five student-athletes also participated in a panel discussion during the luncheon program. College basketball analyst Andy Katz emceed the luncheon.



### WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

The 2017 Women's Basketball Media Day was held in Richmond, Va., at the Richmond Marriott for the fourth consecutive year. The format was similar to the previous year's successful media day, which provided additional one-on-one opportunities for coaches with media members, and increased engagement for coaches in each session.

The media sessions included breakouts for print and electronic media, an A-10 social segment and special sections for A-10 Live and A-10 Network features.

The luncheon included a highlight video, a preseason All-Conference video, and comments from Commissioner Bernadette V. McGlade, Senior Associate Commissioner Debbie Richardson, Richmond Mayor Levar Stoney and Richmond Region Tourism President and CEO Jack Berry. Dayton coach Shauna Green spoke on behalf of all 14 A-10 coaches, and Greg Burton from ESPN Radio 950 AM emceed the luncheon.





## **COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

## MEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

4,000

Over 4,000 Washington-area students were provided tickets for the Thursday afternoon session as part of the annual A-10 Education Through Sports program.

#### COMMUNITY INVOLVMENT



- The Atlantic 10 recognized DC-area first responders on Wednesday's Community Outreach Night and DC-area military members on Thursday's Salute to Military night.
- The merchants program, which in a partnership with local restaurants and other business, reached a record nine partners in 2018.

### FAN AMENITIES

- The first game of each session had a National Anthem singer, and the Atlantic 10 brought in popular halftime acts, including Zooperstars, a BMX stunt team and Simon Says (Steve Max).
- Event 1 designed the championship merchandise that was for sale, both on-site at the championship and online. (middle right)
- An interactive fan zone area was again setup on the concourse in a high-traffic area. This included a photo booth that provided fans the oppportunity for trophy photos, pop-a-shot machines, Atlantic 10 branded cornhole boards and more. (bottom right)
- The A-10 expanded its volunteer program, including more fan ambassadors inside and outside the arena.







## WOMEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP



Richmond-area groups were offered discounted tickets to the championship. Groups that took advantage of this program included:

- Adult Assisted Living/Senior Living Communities
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- Boys/Girls Club
- Catholic Youth Organization (CYO)
- Chesterfield County Schools
- Department of Parks and Recreation
- Girl Scouts
- Glen Allen Youth
- Henrico County Schools
- Higher Achievement
- Mentor Role Model Program
- Richmond Police Athletic League
- Richmond City Public Schools (RPS)







## FALL SPORTS

## **MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

- · Champion: Dayton
- Championship Runner-Up: Saint Joseph's

### MAJOR AWARDS

- Most Outstanding Performer: Manuel De Backer (SLU)
- Most Outstanding Rookie: Ryan James (LAS)
- Coach of the Year: Jason Ordway (UD)



## **WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

- Champion: Dayton
- Championship Runner-Up: Richmond
- Postseason Participants: Massachusetts (NCAA Northeastern Regionals), Heather Maclean (NCAA – 26th)

## MAJOR AWARDS

- Most Outstanding Performer: Heather Maclean (UM)
- Most Outstanding Rookie: Caroline Clark (UM)
- Coach of the Year: Jason Ordway (UD)



## FIELD HOCKEY

- · Champion: Saint Joseph's
- Championship Runner-up: Massachusetts
- · Regular Season Champion: Saint Joseph's
- Postseason Participants: Saint Joseph's (NCAA 0-1-1)

### **MAJOR AWARDS**

- Offensive Player of the Year: Anna Willocks (SJU)
- **Defensive Player of the Year:** Melanie Kreusch (UM), Victoria Kammerinke (SJU)
- Rookie of the Year: Quinn Maguire (SJU)
- Coach of the Year: Lynn Farquhar (SJU)
- Championship Most Outstanding Player: Emily Peters (SJU)





### **ANNA WILLOCKS**

Saint Joseph's Field Hockey Offensive Player of the Year



## FALL SPORTS

## **WOMEN'S SOCCER**

Champion: La Salle

Championship Runner-up: VCU
 Regular Season Champion: La Salle

Postseason Participants: La Salle (NCAA 0-1)

### **MAJOR AWARDS**

Offensive Player of the Year: Alexis Kiehl (UD)
 Defensive Player of the Year: Alli Klug (SLU)
 Midfielder of the Year: Linnea Faccenda (DUQ)

Rookie of the Year: Olivia Petit (SLU)
 Coach of the Year: Paul Royal (LAS)

Championship Most Outstanding Player: Larisa Zambelli (LAS)



## MEN'S SOCCER

Champion: MassachusettsChampionship Runner-up: VCU

· Regular Season Champion: Massachusetts

• Postseason Participants: Massachusetts (NCAA 0-1), VCU (NCAA 0-1), Fordham (NCAA 2-1-1)

## **MAJOR AWARDS**

· Offensive Player of the Year: Rafael Andrade Santos (VCU)

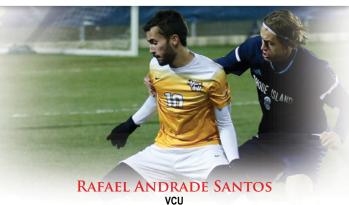
Defensive Player of the Year: Matthew Lewis (FOR)

Midfielder of the Year: Rok Taneski (UD)

Rookie of the Year: Davis Smith (UM)
 Coach of the Year: Fran O'Leary (UM)

Championship Most Outstanding Player: Matthew Mooney (UM)





Men's Soccer Offensive Player of the Year

## VOLLEYBALL

• Champion: VCU

Championship Runner-up: Dayton
 Regular Season Champion: VCU

• Postseason Participants: VCU (NCAA 0-1)

## MAJOR AWARDS

• Player of the Year: Amber Erhahon (UD)

Libero of the Year: Rebekah Strange (VCU)

Setter of the Year: Jane Emmenecker (UD)

Rookie of the Year: Maya Taylor (SLU)

• Coach of the Year: Jody Rogers (VCU)

Championship Most Outstanding Performer: Vicky Giommarini (VCU)





## WINTER SPORTS

## WOMEN'S INDOOR TRACK & FIELD

· Champion: VCU

• Championship Runner-up: George Mason

### **MAJOR AWARDS**

Track Performer of the Year: Sarah Sears (DAV)
 Field Performer of the Year: Jenni Rossi (UD)

Rookie of the Year: Gjaudy John Wallace (MASON)

• Coach of the Year: Jon Riley (VCU)

## MEN'S INDOOR TRACK & FIELD

• Champion: Rhode Island

• Championship Runner-up: George Mason

### **MAJOR AWARDS**

Track Performer of the Year: Nigel Hill (URI)

• Field Performer of the Year: Casey Burley (URI)

• Rookie of the Year: Anthony Misko (FOR)

• Coach of the Year: John Copeland (URI)







## WINTER SPORTS

### WOMEN'S SWIMMING & DIVING

- · Champion: Duquesne
- Championship Runner-up: Richmond

### **MAJOR AWARDS**

- Most Outstanding Performer: Lina Kutsko (SBU)
- Most Outstanding Rookie Performer: Emma Brinton (DUQ)
- Most Outstanding Diver: Emma Roush (UM)
- Women's Diving Coach of the Year: Josh Arndt (UM)
- Women's Coach of the Year: Dave Sheets (DUQ)





EMMA ROUSH
Massachusetts

Massachusetts
Women's Swimming & Diving Most Outstanding Diver

### MEN'S SWIMMING & DIVING

- Champion: George Washington
- Championship Runner-up: George Mason
- Postseason Participants: Gustav Hokfelt (GW NCAA 36th 200 yd. Backstroke)

### **MAJOR AWARDS**

- Most outstanding Performer: Gustav Hokfelt (GW)
- Most Outstanding Rookie Performer: Tjaard Krusch (SBU)
- Most Outstanding Diver: Dylan Yurasits (LAS)
- . Men's Diving Coach of the Year: Steve Kuttruff (LAS)
- Men's Coach of the Year: James Winchester (GW), Peter Ward (MASON)





**GUSTAV HOKFELT** 

George Washington

Men's Swimming & Diving Most Outstanding Performer of the Year



## SPRING SPORTS

## **BASEBALL**

Champion: Saint Louis

Championship Runner-Up: George Mason Regular Season Champion: Saint Louis

Postseason Participants: Saint Louis (NCAA Regionals 0-2)

### MAJOR AWARDS

Player of the Year: Isaiah Pasteur (GW) Pitcher of the Year: Miller Hogan (SLU) Rookie of the Year: Jake Mackenzie (FOR) Coach of the Year: Darin Hendrickson (SLU)

Championship Most Outstanding Player: Drew Reveno (SLU)



## **GOLF**

Champion: Davidson

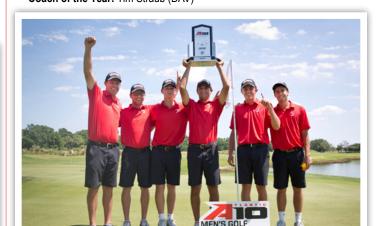
Championship Runner-up: Dayton

Postseason Participants: Davidson (NCAA Regional)

### **MAJOR AWARDS**

**Medalist:** Mike Blasey (DAV)

Player of the Year: Logan Lowe (GW) Most Outstanding Rookie: Alex Ross (DAV) Coach of the Year: Tim Straub (DAV)



## **WOMEN'S TENNIS**

Champion: VCU

Championship Runner-up: Massachusetts

Postseason Participants: VCU (NCAA 0-1)

## MAJOR AWARDS

Most Outstanding Performer: Maria Siopacha (GW), Emily Dunbar (UR)

Most Outstanding Rookie Performer: Emily Dunbar (UR)

Coach of the Year: Paul Kostin (VCU)





**George Washington** Baseball Player of the Year



## SPRING SPORTS

## MEN'S TENNIS

- Champion: VCU
- · Championship Runner-up: Dayton
- Postseason Participants: VCU (NCAA 0-1), Jordan Benjamin (UD)

## MAJOR AWARDS

- Most Outstanding Performer: Jordan Benjamin (UD)
- Most Outstanding Rookie performer: Inigo Torre (VCU)
- Coach of the Year: Paul Kostin (VCU)





### MEN'S OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD

- Champion: Rhode Island
- Championship Runner-up: George Mason
- Postseason Participants: NCAA Prelims Sean Caveney (UD), Dylan Carmack (UD) Ryan Kutch (FOR), Rico Gomez (MASON), Blaine Lacey (MASON), Trent Lancaster (MASON), John Seals (MASON), Raeshawn Bishop (MASON), Carter Day (GW), Matt Lange (GW), Brandon Amo (URI), Mahlik Handley (URI), Ryan Wilkes (URI), Ondrej Honka (URI), Jack Kahrs (URI), Adam Franklin (URI), Nigel Hill (URI), Casey Burley (URI), Manuel de Backer (SLU); NCAA Championship Anthony Howthorne (LAS)

### MAJOR AWARDS

- Track Performer of the Year: Nigel Hill (URI)
- Field Performer of the Year: John Seals (MASON)
- Men's Rookie of the Year: Isaac Elliott (DUQ)
- Coach of the Year: John Copeland (URI)



### WOMEN'S OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD

- Champion: VCU
- Championship Runner-up: Dayton
- Postseason Participants: NCAA Prelims Sarah Sears (DAV), Caroline Yarbrough (DAV), Lilly Cook (UD), Emily Borchers (UD), Laurel Fisher (FOR), Ashley Lewis (MASON), Grace Mancini (LAS), Greta Scott (URI) Maria Acosta (UR), Brooke Fazio (UR), Marisa Ruskan (UR), Claudine Andre (SJU), Olivia Coopwood (VCU), Camora Sanders (VCU), Aliyah Newman (VCU); NCAA Championships Sarah Moore (MASON); NCAA Semifinals Heather MacLean (UM)

## **MAJOR AWARDS**

- Most Outstanding Track Performer: Heather MacLean (UM)
- Most Outstanding Field Performer: Jenni Rossi (UD)
- · Women's Rookie of the Year: GJaudy John-Wallace
- Coach of the Year: Jon Riley (VCU)





## SPRING SPORTS

## **LACROSSE**

- · Champion: Richmond
- · Championship Runner-up: Massachusetts
- Regular Season Champion: Richmond/Massachusetts
- Postseason Participants: Richmond (NCAA 0-1)

### MAJOR AWARDS

- Offensive Player of the Year: Kim Egizi (UR)
- Defensive Player of the Year: Julie Ball (UR)
- Midfielder of the Year: Stephanie Croke (UM)
- Rookie of the Year: Erin Donoghue (MASON)
- Coach of the Year: Allison Kwolek (UR), Jen O'Brien (VCU)
- Championship Most Outstanding Player: Kim Egizi (UR)





## KIM EGIZI Richmond Lacrosse Offensive Player of the Year

## **ROWING**

- · Champion: Rhode Island
- Championship Runner-up: Massachusetts
- Postseason Participants: Rhode Island (NCAA 21st)

### **MAJOR AWARDS**

• Coach of the Year: Shelagh Donohoe (URI)

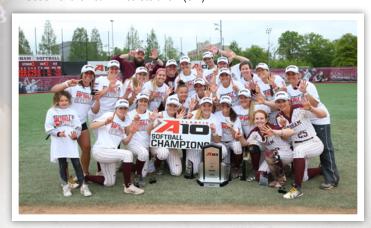


## **SOFTBALL**

- · Champion: Fordham
- Championship Runner-up: Massachusetts
- Regular Season Champion: Massachusetts
- Postseason Participants: Fordham (NCAA Regional 0-1)

## **MAJOR AWARDS**

- Championship Most Outstanding Player: Madie Aughinbaugh (FOR)
- Player of the Year: Jena Cozza (UM)
- Pitcher of the Year: Kiara Oliver (UM)
- · Rookie of the Year: Paige Rauch (FOR)
- · Coach of the Year: Kristi Stefanoni (UM)





## **AWARDS & HONORS**

## **SCHOLAR-ATHLETE AWARD**



DAN SAVAGE
Saint Joseph's
Track & Field/Cross Country



HEATHER MACLEAN

Massachusetts

Track & Field/Cross Country

The Atlantic 10 Conference named cross country/track and field standouts Dan Savage of Saint Joseph's and Heather MacLean from Massachusetts as men's and women's Scholar-Athletes of the Year for 2017-18.

Savage, SJU's 2017 Most Valuable Cross Country Performer, finished as the Hawks' top runner in all six of his races. He turned in a seventh-place finish at the 2017 Atlantic 10 Championship to lead SJU to a second-place finish and earn All-Conference and All-East honors. He opened his final outdoor campaign with a trio of top-ten performances in both the 3000m steeplechase and 4x1500m relay. Savage graduated from Saint Joseph's in May 2017 with a dual degree in finance and risk management and insurance and is currently working toward his MBA in business administration at SJU.

MacLean, an education major, capped her collegiate career by collecting her third career All-America accolade after reaching the NCAA semifinals outdoors in the 800m run. An NCAA Woman of the Year Top 30 finalist, she won two gold medals and set a meet record, earning Most Outstanding Track Performer honors at the 2018 A-10 Outdoor Championships. She became the first UMass women's cross country All-American after finishing 26th at the NCAA Championships. She also won her second straight Atlantic 10 individual cross country title. She was one of 10 seniors honored as 21st Century Leaders at UMass' undergraduate commencement in 2017.

### VETRONE MEDIA AWARD

Tom Archdeacon, long time reporter and columnist for the *Dayton Daily News* was selected as the winner of the 2018 Atlantic 10 Conference Bob Vetrone Media Award. A native of Ottoville, Ohio, and a University of Dayton graduate, Archdeacon joined the Dayton Daily News in 1989. He is known for telling the story behind the story throughout his 40-year career, writing columns and human-interest features about all of the UD athletics teams and their Atlantic 10 opponents. He was inducted in the United States Basketball Writers Association (USBWA) Hall of Fame Class of 2017 and honored at the Final Four in Glendale, Ariz., in April 2017. He's covered Dayton's runs in the NCAA Championship for men's and women's basketball since 1989. Archdeacon



TOM ARCHDEACON

Dayton Daily News

has won numerous writing awards from the USBWA and the Society of Professional Journalists, and is also the recipient of UD's Special Achievement Award, which is presented to an alumnus who has distinguished him or herself by earning special distinction in civic or professional activities, and has, by his or her actions, reflected honor on the Alumni Association and the University.

87

Annual Awards (Player of the Year, Coach of the Year, etc.)

668

All-Conference/All-Rookie/All-Defensive Winners

90

**All-Championship Winners** 

548

**Weekly Award Winners** 

198

**Academic Awards** 

## PAT SUMMITT MOST COURAGEOUS AWARD

Saint Joseph's senior Avery
Marz was selected as the
U.S. Basketball Writers
Association's 2018 Pat
Summitt Most Courageous
Award recipient and was
presented with her award at
the NCAA Women's Final Four
in Columbus, Ohio, as part
of the organization's annual
press conference March 30
in Nationwide Arena several



AVERY MARZ Saint Joseph's

hours in front of the national semifinals.

Marz, who had been sidelined the past two seasons after suffering a stroke at age 17 while moving into her dorm for the fall semester of 2014, returned to active playing duty last year and scored a three-pointer soon after coming off the bench in the Hawks' first game at Niagara. She worked her way into the starting lineup. Marz fought her way back despite some doctors, while telling her she was not in a life-threatening situation, did suggest her playing career was most likely over.



## **AWARDS & HONORS**

## DON DIJULIA ATHLETIC DIRECTOR INTERNSHIP

The Atlantic 10 Conference established Don DiJulia Athletic Director Internship in January to honor and recognize long-time Saint Joseph's University athletic director Don DiJulia, who retired after 35 years at the helm at his alma mater.

DiJulia celebrated his 50th year in college athletics in 2017-18 year, highlighted by his long tenure at SJU that includes serving as director of athletics from 1976-1984 and from 1988 to the present.

The internship will be awarded annually to a candidate aspiring to become an athletic director, who will serve a 10-month apprenticeship for the Atlantic 10 Conference. Included will be an opportunity for the intern to spend time on the campus of an A-10 member institution, shadowing the current athletic director and senior staff during both the fall and spring semesters.



Don DiJulia, alongside Commissioner Bernadette V. McGlade, NCAA President Mark Emmert and VCU Athletic Director Ed McLaughlin, was recognized by the Atlantic 10 last January

"Don models and represents all that is good in college athletics. He leads a highly visible and immensely complex area with professionalism, passion and, above all, integrity, capturing the admiration of coaches, athletes, peers and fans. Don's legacy is etched on the University's playing fields and courts and in the hearts of the Hawks he's led. I am honored to have been able to work with him and look forward to his continuing relationship with SJU and wise counsel for years to come."

DR. MARK C. REED Saint Joseph's University President

"Don is and has been one of the most outstanding administrators in intercollegiate athletics for over 40 years. His contributions to Saint Joseph's, the Atlantic 10, and nationally to the NCAA have been impactful and have made this profession better for all of us. Student-athletes, coaches and administrators will continue to lean on the lessons of integrity and leadership that Don exhibited throughout his career."

BERNADETTE V. MCGLADE Atlantic 10 Commissioner

## INAUGURAL WOMEN'S BASKETBALL **CONTRIBUTOR AWARD**

The Atlantic 10 Conference named veteran Richmond Times-Dispatch sportswriter Vic Dorr the recipient of the inaugural Atlantic 10 Women's Basketball Contribution Award. The award recognizes an individual who has made significant contributions to the Atlantic 10 in the sport of women's basketball and has helped elevate the league nationally.

A decorated sports reporter and longtime writer at the Richmond Times-Dispatch, Dorr recently retired from a career spanning over 40 years in the newspaper business. He moved to the Times-Dispatch in 1992 and became its first women's basketball beat writer. Dorr has long been an advocate for women's basketball, covering events including the first women's Final Four in 1982 and later covering 18 women's Final Fours.

Dorr was honored at halftime of the A-10 Women's Basketball Championship game on March 4 at the Richmond Coliseum.



VIC DORR

"It is an honor to recognize Vic Dorr with this inaugural A-10 Contribution Award. His national reputation, as one of the best writers in the country coupled with his support and advocacy of women's basketball makes this a brilliant choice. I have had the privilege to work with, and get to know Vic, since the late 1990s when I chaired the NCAA women's basketball selection committee, and I can think of no one more deserving of this honor."

BERNADETTE V. MCGLADE

"My vocabulary isn't large enough to permit me to adequately thank the Atlantic 10 in general and Commissioner McGlade in particular. This is more than an honor. It's a career highlight. It's something I'll cherish as long as I'm able to put words on paper. Writing about women's basketball was my job, yes, but I always regarded it as a privilege, and I always tried to treat it as such."

VIC DORR Richmond Times-Dispatch sportswriter



## **AWARDS & HONORS**

### NCAA WOMAN OF THE YEAR

Atlantic 10 Conference institutions nominated 14 extraordinary student-athletes for the prestigious NCAA Woman of the Year Award, representing seven sports and 11 different A-10 institutions. For the first time in over 10 years, an A-10 nominee, Heather MacLean, was one of the NCAA's Top 30 Finalists for the honor.

### NCAA TOP 30 FINALIST & ATLANTIC 10 CONFERENCE NOMINEE

#### **HEATHER MACLEAN**

#### Massachusetts

Women's Cross Country/Track & Field Major: Education (Masters)

Massachusetts women's cross country and track and field alumna Heather MacLean was named one of the Top 30 honorees for the 2018 NCAA Woman of the Year Award. The Peabody, Mass., native was selected from a pool of 154 conference nominees and is one of 10 finalists from Division I institutions. A three-time All-American (mile 2016, cross country 2017, outdoor 800m 2018), MacLean was also a four-time NCAA Outdoor East Preliminary qualifier in her career, which spanned five seasons with the Minutewomen. She was a 10time Atlantic 10 champion (800m, 1,500m, two relays) on the track, to go along with two Atlantic 10 Cross Country individual



titles (2016, 2017). A prolific award winner, she finished her UMass career holding seven individual school records and a share of four relay records, three New England records and two A-10 records. For her work in the classroom, MacLean was a six-time A-10 Academic All-Conference honoree and was among 10 graduating seniors honored for exemplary achievement, initiative and leadership as 21st Century Leaders during UMass' Undergraduate Commencement in 2017.

"We are so pleased that Heather is being recognized by the NCAA as a Woman of the Year Top 30 honoree. Her career at this renowned university — in the classroom, in competition, and in the community — has been absolutely remarkable. She is truly deserving of this special recognition that celebrates the best female student-athletes in the country across all divisions."

RYAN BAMFORD

University of Massachusetts Director of Athletics

"I am honored to represent Massachusetts on the NCAA level and I am incredibly thankful to all the constituents at the university that played a part in shaping the woman I am todav."

> HEATHER MACLEAN NCAA Woman of the Year Top 30 Finalist

### ATLANTIC 10 **CONFERENCE NOMINEE**

#### SHARON DORSEY

George Mason Track & Field Major: Environmental Science

A six-time A-10 champion, Dorsey won six A-10 gold medals (indoor and outdoor). That included helping the Patriots set the A-10 Outdoor Championship record in the 4x400 with a winning

time of 3:38.58 in 2018.



The Baltimore native was named to the Google Cloud Academic All-District Women's Track/Cross Country Team by CoSIDA this past spring. Dorsey received the Atlantic 10's prestigious Postgraduate Scholarship, and was named to the A-10 All-Academic Team for indoor and outdoor track and field five times. In addition, she was named to the A-10 Commissioner's Honor Roll seven times. She received the Mason athletic department's prestigious Susan A. Collins Leadership Award for Women in Sport, and was an A-10 representative for the Student-Athlete Advisory Council (SAAC). A member of the Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society she was the treasurer for her Fellowship of Christian Athletes chapter. She received the Outstanding Performance Departmental Award from the College of Science, the 2017 MVP Award from the Black Excellence Gala. In the community, she volunteered in the Occoquan River Clean Up, the Victim's Rights Run/Walk 5K and the Langston Hughes Middle School Career Day.

### INSTITUTIONAL NOMINEES

#### **IENNA BURDETTE**

#### Dayton

Women's Basketball Major: Exercise Science

## **GRACE MCDONALD**

#### Dayton

Cross Country/Track & Field Major: Accounting

#### KYLIE ISAACS

#### Duquesne

Women's Tennis Major: Information Systems Management

#### CATHERINE NAPOLI

### Fordham

Rowing
Major: Communication and Cultural Studies

### NATALIE BUTLER

#### George Mason

Basketball Major: Global Affairs (Graduate student)

#### **CAMI DROUIN-ALLAIRE**

#### George Washington

Gymnastics Major: Biology

#### BRIANNA CUMMINGS

George Washington Women's Basketball

Major: Biology

### KIM EGIZI

Richmond Women's Lacrosse Major: Psychology

#### **MEG ELLIS**

#### Rhode Island

Rowing Major: Public Relations

#### MARIAH RUFF

### St. Bonaventure

Women's Basketball Major: Chemistry

#### **JACKIE KEMPH**

#### Saint Louis

Women's Basketball Major: Accounting

#### TAYLOR MCCORMICK

#### VCU

Women's Track & Field Major: Criminal Justice

# A-10 institutions Sports



## WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA



### **PODCASTS**

As part of the increased content offerings on Atlantic10.com, the league initiated a podcast for the first time in conference history. Hosted by college basketball analyst Andy Katz, Around the A-10 featured interviews with student-athletes, coaches, administrators and media throughout basketball season.

1,265

unique listeners across 10 podcast episodes

### **FACEBOOK**





In 2017-18, for the second straight year, the A-10 streamed a select number of men's basketball games on Facebook. This was done in conjunction with Stadium, which produced the 10 games. The year before, the A-10 was the first conference to utilize Facebook on a league level as a distribution platform. The league also again used the platform for basketball championship postgame press conferences.

## ATLANTIC 10 SOCIAL MEDIA GROWTH YEARLY MILESTONES PER PLATFORM

	APRIL 15, 2015	APRIL 15, 2016	APRIL 15, 2017	APRIL 15, 2018
<b>y</b>	12,005 (+22%)	22,775 (+189%)	25,771 (+13%)	28,858 (+12%)
f	5,377 (+24%)	7,234 (+35%)	42,498 (+486%)	42,363*
0	1,747 (+119%)	3,016 (+173%)	3,734 (+24%)	4,272 (+14%)
TOTAL	19,129 (+28%)	33,025 (+172%)	71,906 (+118%)	75,493 (+5%)

#### Social media content included:

Video highlights and features | Real-time game updates | Television info | Conference news & notes \*Reduction in number of Facebook Live Games



## TV & DIGITAL MEDIA



### MEN'S BASKETBALL Television coverage

The Atlantic 10 Conference, through its extensive media partnerships, set a new league record with 288 men's basketball games carried live via linear, digital and social media platforms during the 2017-18 season.

126
All Conference games on television, digital and social media outlets

87
games through national television

44
non-conference
road and neutral

site games

104 games digitally on the A-10 Network or Facebook

288

total TV/digital games

### MEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Every game was televised live:



## CHAMPION SHIP VIEWER COMPARISON 2018 CHAMPION SHIP BY CONFERENCE

Rank	Conference	Viewers	l Dav	Date	Teams	Net	Time (EST)
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1	ACC	2.02M	SAT	Mar-10	North Carolina vs. Virginia	ESPN	8:30 PM
2	Big 12	1.74M	Sat	Mar-10	West Virginia vs. Kansas	ESPN	6:00 PM
3	SEC	1.54M	Sun	Mar-11	Kentucky vs. Tennessee	ESPN	1:00 PM
4	AAC	1.37M	Sun	Mar-11	Houston vs. Cincinnati	CBS	3:30 PM
5	MWC	1.04M	Sat	Mar-10	San Diego vs. New Mexico	CBS	6:00 PM
6	BIG EAST	.93M	Sat	Mar-10	Providence vs. Villanova	FOX	6:47 PM
7	Atlantic 10	.92M	Sun	Mar-11	Davidson vs. Rhode Island	CBS	1:00 PM
8	Pac-12	.85M	Sat	Mar-10	USC vs. Arizona	FS1	10:00 PM

## WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TELEVISION COVERAGE

- 13 Nationally Televised Regular Season Broadcasts
- Championship game televised on an ESPN channel for the 21st consecutive year
- CBS Sports Network televised the semifinals for the 10th straight year

### OLYMPIC SPORT CHAMPIONSHIP COVERAGE

The Atlantic 10 provided digital coverage of selected championships through the A-10 Network:

- Cross Country
- Men's Soccer
- Women's Soccer
- Field Hockey
- Volleyball

- Swimming & Diving
- Women's Basketball (non-televised games)
- Lacrosse
- Softball
- Baseball

In addition to the A-10 Network coverage, the conference streamed men's and women's tennis for the second time in league history. The preliminary rounds were streamed through the Playsight cameras at the USTA National Campus, which allowed fans to choose which court they watched. The finals were produced by USTA for YouTube, providing the A-10 championships broad international coverage.

### ORIGINAL A-10 NETWORK CONTENT

#### **FEATURES**

For the third straight year, the Atlantic 10 produced unique "Behind the Scenes" features on each championship. The videos, which were popular among student-athletes and fans, included soundbites from inside huddles and during key moments from coaches and players throughout the championship.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Through its website partner, the Atlantic 10 had highlight packages from selected events throughout the year, including championship events. These highlights were distributed through various social media platforms (especially

2.5 MILLION

Over 2.5 Million Digital impressions via Atlantic10.com, Facebook & Twitter

Twitter) and on Atlantic10.com, resulting in a spike in social media traffic.





## A-10 LEADERSHIP/SAAC

### NCAA LEADERSHIP

### PRESIDENTIAL INVOLVEMENT

VCU President Dr. Michael Rao represents the Atlantic 10 on the Division I Board of Directors, and he is a member of the Board of Directors Finance Committee, Davidson President Dr. Carol Quillen represents the Atlantic 10 on the Presidential Forum. The Presidential Forum serves as the primary advisory entity to the Board of Directors. Duquesne President Kenneth



RAO **VCU President** 



Dr. Carol OUILLEN **Davidson President** 

KENNETH GORMLEY **Duquesne President** 

#### DIVISION I COUNCIL

Gormley was appointed to the Minority Opportunities and Interests Committee, with his term beginning in the Fall

Atlantic 10 Executive Associate Commissioner Keith Gill, who also served on the Competition Oversight Committee, completed his term on the Division I Council in 2018. Saint Louis Athletic Director Chris May has been appointed to the Division I Council to represent the Atlantic 10.

### **NATIONAL** LEADERSHIP APPOINTMENTS

Numerous Atlantic 10 administrators serve on several NCAA Committees, from oversight committees

Fritz Hamburg, Saint Joseph's

Mary Ellen Wydan, La Salle

DIVISION I GOVERNANCE	
Dr. Michael Rao, VCU	Division I Board of Directors
Dr. Carol Quillen, Davidson	Division I Presidential Forum
Ed McLaughlin, VCU	Division I Nominating Committee*
Rick Christensen, Duquesne	Division I Student-Athlete Reinstatement
Chandra Bierwirth, George Washington	Division I Progress Toward Degree Waivers
Millicent Micho, Duquesne	Division I SAAC
COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE(S)	
Chris May, Saint Louis	Division I Council*
Keith Gill, A-10	Division I Council
Keith Gill, A-10	Division I Competition Oversight Committee
Phil Martelli, Saint Joseph's	Division I Men's Basketball Oversight
Bob McKillop, Davidson	Division I Men's Basketball Competition
LaRee Sugg, Richmond	Division I Strategic Vision and Planning
ASSOCIATION WIDE COMMITTEES	
Kenneth Gormley, Duquesne	Minority Opportunities and Interests Committee*
Sherene Brantley, Duquesne	Sportsmanship and Ethical Conduct
Chris May, Saint Louis	Olympic Sports Liaison Committee*
David Roach, Fordham	Playing Rules Oversight Panel
DIVISION I SPORT AND PLAYING RULES	COMMITTEES
Bernadette V. McGlade, A-10	Division I Men's Basketball *
Debbie Richardson, A-10	Division I Women's Basketball
Lynn Farquhar, Saint Joseph's	Division I Field Hockey*
Angela McMahon, UMass	Division I Women's Lacrosse
Kelly Webb, George Mason	Division I Women's Lacrosse*
Jeff B. Smith, UMass	Division I Women's Rowing
Shelagh Donohoe, Rhode Island	Division I Women's Rowing*
D'Ann Keller, Saint Louis	Division I Men's Soccer
Janet Oberle, Saint Louis	Division I Women's Soccer
Mary Ellen Wydan, La Salle	Division I Men's and Women's Swimming & Diving
Katy McNay, Davidson	Division I Men's and Women's Tennis
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<sup>\*</sup> denotes terms that begin fall of 2018

Baseball Rules Committee

### NCAA BASKETBALL COMMITTEES

Atlantic 10 Commissioner Bernadette V. McGlade was named to the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee in March of 2018. The NCAA announced the five-year appointments of McGlade and Bradley Director of Athletics Chris Reynolds, which begin with the 2018-19 season. McGlade is the fifth female to serve on the committee. Under McGlade's leadership, the Atlantic 10 has expanded to include Men's Final Four participants George Mason and VCU, as well as Elite Eight participant Davidson. The league also secured media rights packages with ESPN, CBS Sports Network, NBC Sports Network and Stadium.



BERNADETTE V. **MCGLADE** 

Atlantic 10 Commissioner

Additionally Atlantic 10 Senior Associate Commissioner Debbie Richardson is a member of the NCAA Division I Women's Basketball Committee. Richardson just completed her second year of a five-year term on the committee.

"I am honored and humbled to have been selected to serve on the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee. The committee has a tremendous responsibility as steward of the most iconic sporting event in the nation. I look forward to working with the committee members and the great NCAA support staff and serving the Division I membership at the highest level."

BERNADETTE V. MCGLADE A-10 Conference Commissioner

## STUDENT-ATHLETE ADVISTORY COMMITTEE

#### LEADERSHIP & GOVERNANCE

The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) continued to cultivate relationships with campus athletics administrators as well as conference officials. The group continued its monthly conference calls, and they attended the January Joint Meeting in



Indianapolis with the athletic directors, faculty athletic representatives and senior woman administrators to enhance their leadership skills and network with NCAA staff. Additionally, SAAC developed the Respect Campaign, that launched with a video designed to bring attention to the issues most important to A-10 student-athletes. The video features a student-athlete from each of the A-10 members, speaking about a principle of respect on their campus, such as diversity, inclusion, mental health awareness, academic success and other priorities. SAAC representatives produced the entire video, narrowing down topics, writing scripts and finally providing guidelines for filming their respective videos.

### IT'S ON US

The Atlantic 10 continues to partner with the It's On Us campaign providing outreach by the league, its members institutions and its student-athletes. The league supported the campaign through its various platforms and channels, including a pledge drive at the



2018 Men's Basketball Championship in Washington, D.C. A nationwide movement, It's On Us is designed to end sexual assault nationwide on college campuses.

Men's and Women's Swimming and & Diving Rules\*



## 2017-18 INSTITUTIONAL **ADMINISTRATION**

## **DAVIDSON**









DR. CAROL QUILLEN President Athletics Director DR DONNA MOLINEK Faculty Athletics Representative

### MASSACHUSETTS







DR. KUMBLE SUBBASWAMY RYAN BAMFORD Athletics Director DR REBECCA SPENCER

Faculty Athletics Representative

### DAYTON







DR FRICE SPINA President NEIL SULLIVAN Athletics Director DR. KIMBERLY TRICK

Faculty Athletics Representative ANGIE PETROVIC

## RHODE ISLAND







DR. DAVID DOOLEY President THORR BJORN Athletics Director DR. YVETTE HARPS-LOGAN Faculty Athletics Representative GINA SPERRY

## **DUQUESNE**







KENNETH G. GORMLEY, J.D. President DAVID HARPER DR. AMY PHELPS

Faculty Athletics Representative SHERENE BRANTLEY

## **RICHMOND**







DR. RONALD A. CRUTCHER President JOHN HARDT Athletics Director DR. ELIZABETH RANSOM

Faculty Athletics Representative LAREE PEARL SUGG

## **FORDHAM**







REV. JOSEPH M. MCSHANE, S.J. President DAVID ROACH Athletics Director DR. PATRICIO MENESES Faculty Athletics Representative DJENANE PAUL

Senior Woman Administrator

## ST. BONAVENTURE







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## **GEORGE MASON**







DR. ÁNGEL CABRERA President BRAD EDWARDS Athletics Director DR. DOMINIQUE BANVILLE Faculty Athletics Representative

KELLY WEBB

## SAINT JOSEPH'S







DR. MARK C. REED President DON DIJULIA Athletics Director DR. STEPHEN J. PORTH

Faculty Athletics Representative RENIE SHIELDS

## **GEORGE WASHINGTON**







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## SAINT LOUIS







DR. FRED P. PESTELLO President CHRIS MAY Athletics Director DR. MICHAEL ROSS

Faculty Athletics Representative JANET OBERLE Senior Woman Administrator

### LA SALLE







DR. COLLEEN M. HANYCZ President BILL BRADSHAW DR. ELIZABETH PAULIN Faculty Athletics Representative MARY ELLEN WYDAN Senior Woman Administrator







VCU

DR. MICHAEL RAO President ED McI ALIGHLIN Athletics Director DR. D'ARCY MAYS Faculty Athletics Representative DR. SOFIA HIORT-WRIGHT Senior Woman Administrator



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