

Athletics Update to Faculty Senate

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Overview

- Council on Athletics – Pawlak
 - The Changing Landscape of College Athletics
- Academics Update – Graham
- Athletics Update - Corrigan

Council on Athletics

Purpose and Responsibility

- Advise the Chancellor in exercising institutional control.
- Membership (26) composed of Faculty, Alumni Association, Wolfpack Club, Coaching Staff, Students, Athletics Department Staff (ex officio).



Council Theme

The Changing Landscape of College Athletics

- **Goal:** To examine and discuss the changes related to rules in college athletics.
- Meeting Agenda Items:
 - Name, Image and Likeness (NIL)
 - Charlie Baker's letter to the NCAA
 - Legal Landscape



Legal Challenges Facing College Athletics

- NIL Related Case – “House Case”
 - Seeking to void old NIL legislation and damages, broadcast NIL, including 10 % of television revenue for football and basketball.
- Academic Awards – “Hubbard Case”
 - Seeking damages for those who would have qualified for the academic incentive money now being awarded (up to \$5980 per year).
- Labor and Employment Status – “Johnson Case,” NLRB, Dartmouth Basketball
 - Seeking payment for practice and competition, status as employees, and the ability to unionize.
 - Dartmouth Men’s Basketball Team succeeded in their case and have since voted to unionize.
- Preliminary Injunctions allow:
 - Unlimited transfers with immediate eligibility.
 - Student-athletes to negotiate NIL deals before signing with a school.
- Others.

Potential Damages could be more than \$5 billion.

Areas of Discussed on an Annual Basis

- Academic performance and graduation rates
- Budget
- Title IX
- Changes in NCAA rules
- Meetings with head coaches
- Facilities upgrades and improvements

FAR Summary

- Council is active and engaged throughout the academic year with the oversight of Athletics.
- The Athletics Department continues the tradition of open and transparent communication with the Council.
- The college athletics landscape continues to evolve.
 - Name, image, and likeness
 - Increased rates of transfers
 - Pending legal cases at the national and conference level

Report to Faculty Senate

Spring 2024

Katie Graham

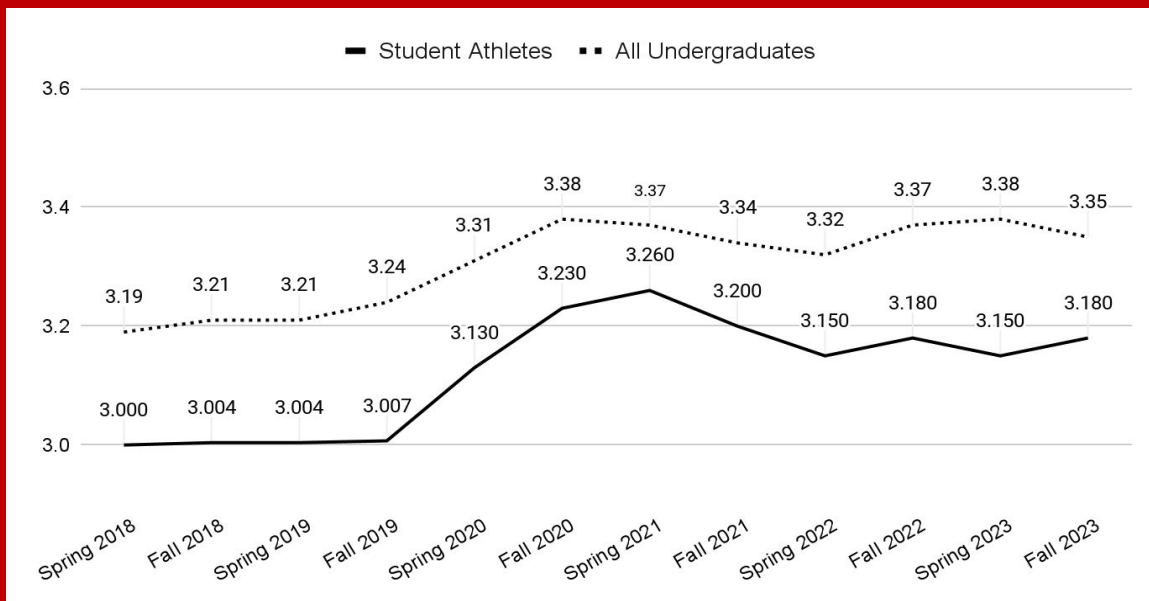
Assistant Vice Chancellor and Sr. Associate Athletics Director
Academic Support Program for Student-Athletes

Student-Athlete Overview

- **550 Student-Athletes**
- **22 Varsity Teams**
- **Cumulative GPA 3.18**
- **Representing 35 States and 21 Countries**



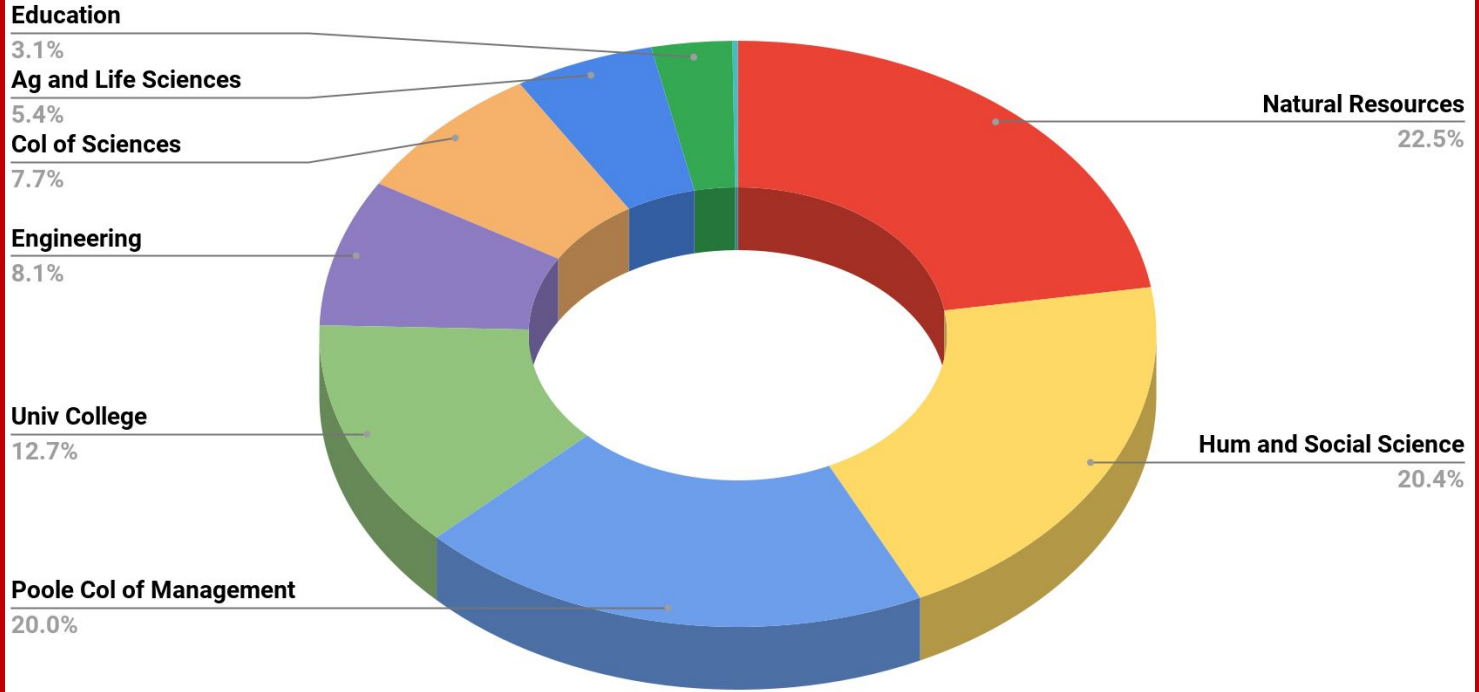
Average Cumulative GPA



Additional GPA Info

- 46 4.0 term GPAs
- 372 3.0+ GPAs
- 173 earned Dean's List
- 20 of 22 Teams have cumulative 3.0+ GPA

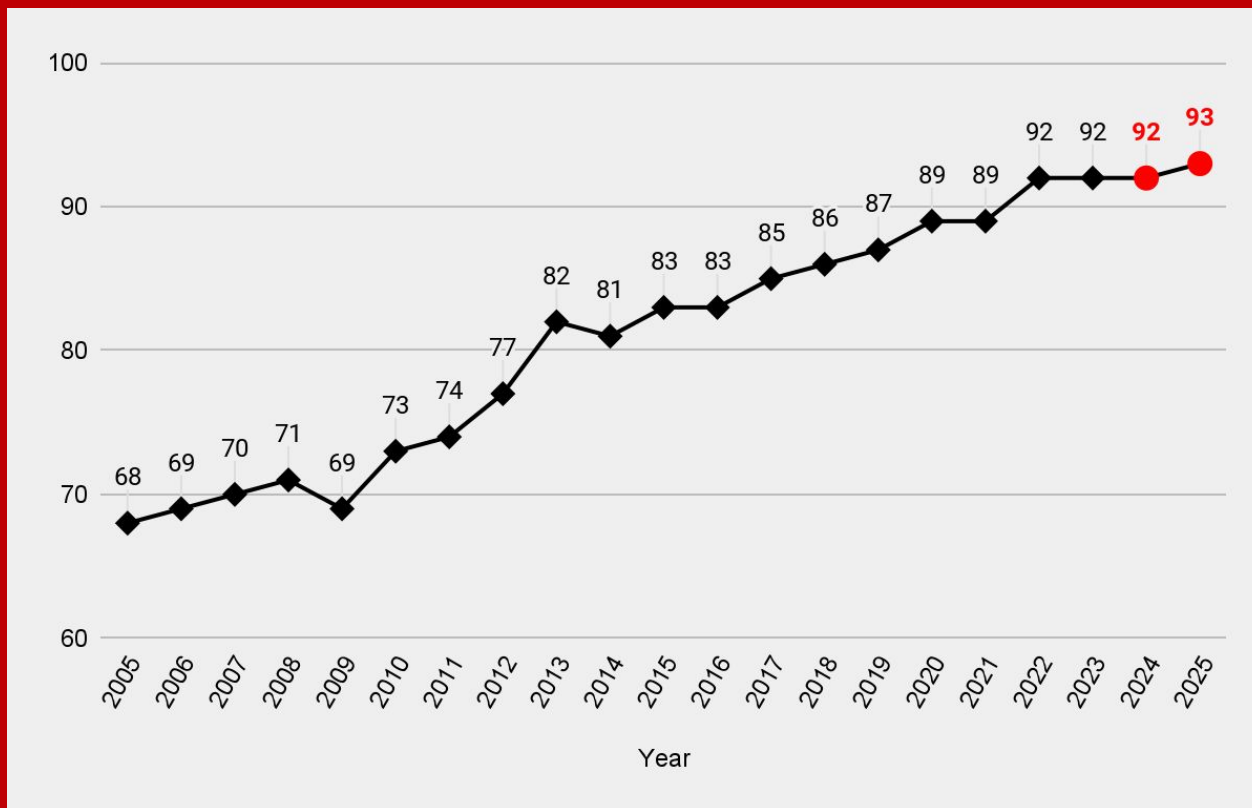
Student-Athlete Enrollment by College



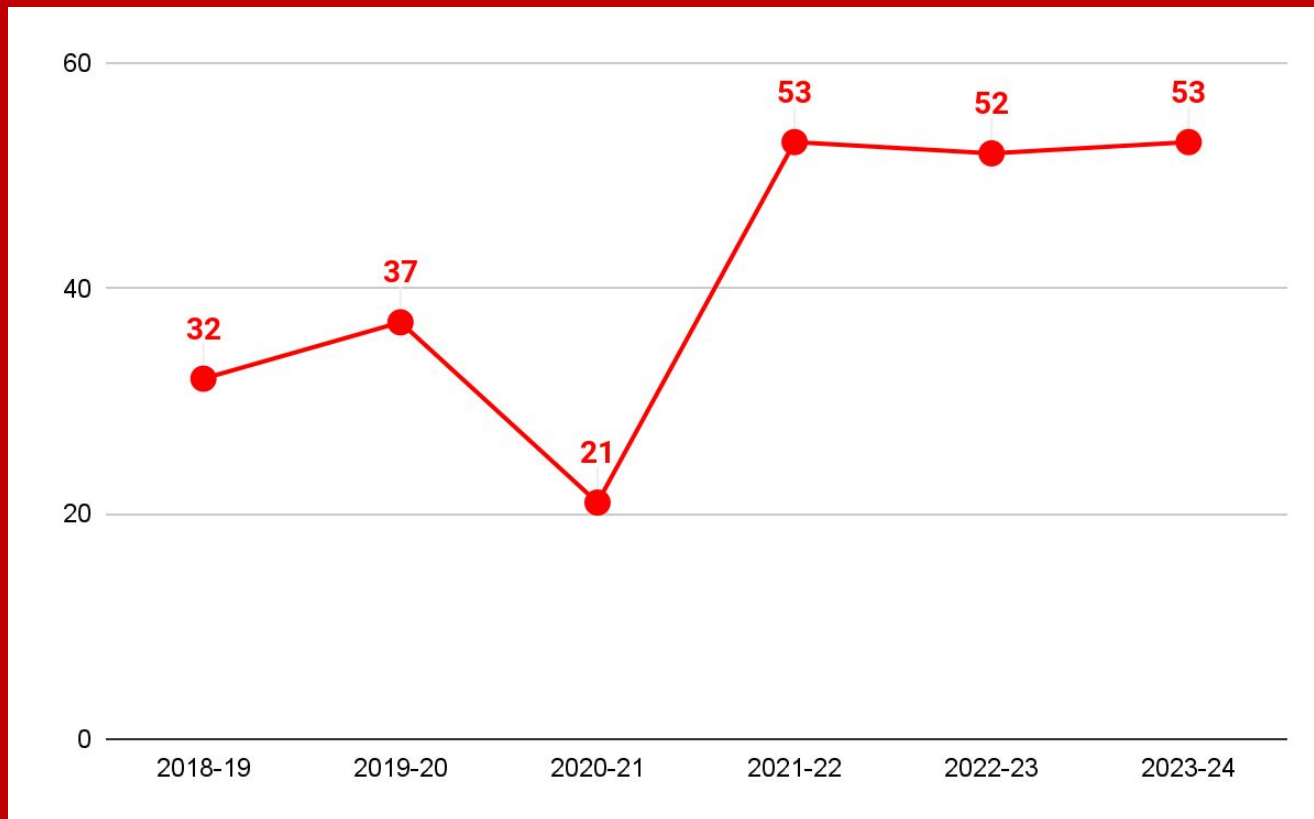
Top Student-Athlete Majors	Top Majors of All Undergrads
1. Business Administration	1. Business Administration
2. Sport Management	2. Computer Science
3. Communication	3. Mechanical Engineering
4. Biological Sciences (BS)	4. Biological Sciences (BS)
5. Psychology	5. Psychology
6. Applied Education Studies	6. Animal Science
7. Agricultural Business Man.	7. Electrical Engineering
7. Political Science	8. Communication
9. Civil Engineering	9. Computer Engineering
10. Criminology	10. Chemical Engineering
10. Sociology	
10. Economics	

As compared to all undergraduate students, student-athletes share 4 of the 10 highest enrolled majors

NCAA Graduation Success Rate

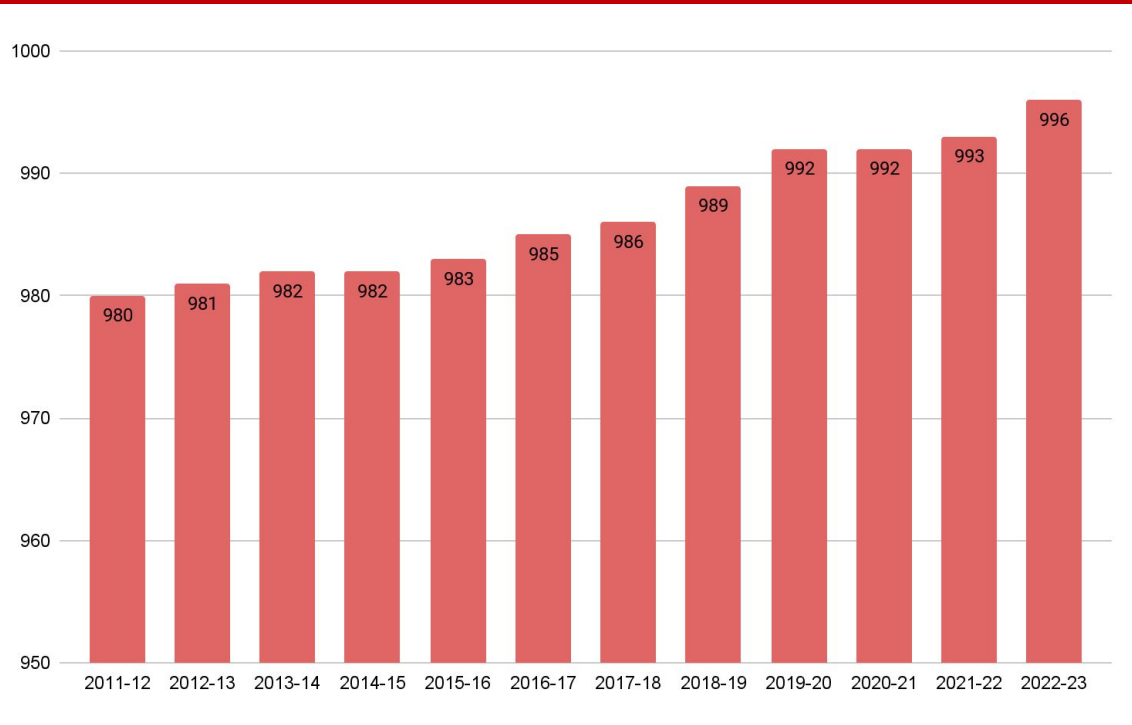


Incoming Transfers



Questions?

NCAA Academic Progress Rate (APR)



- **Highest APR score in NCSU history**
- **10 teams had a perfect 1000 APR and received national recognition**

Post Graduation Success

- **Since Fall of 2020 (4 Total Semesters)**
 - **204 student-athletes have graduated from NC State**
 - **99% of those students are employed or continuing their education**

