

[3.] Athletic Committee

Membership: 6 Faculty, 3 Administrative/Professional staff outside athletics, 2 ex officio (director of athletics and senior woman administrator in athletics), Director of Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action, 4 students recommended by the Director of Athletic Academic Services, Faculty Athletics Representative.

Description: The committee will regularly review issues associated with the welfare of student athletes participating in intercollegiate athletics in OVC and NCAA sports to ensure that the University and the Athletics Department maintain the proper balance between participation in athletics and academic achievement. The committee will prepare an annual report and other reports as needed, advising the president and the faculty senate of the athletic department's performance with respect to its academic and athletic goals and with respect to the welfare of the student-athletes participating in OVC and NCAA sports. The committee will communicate the concerns of student-athletes participating in intercollegiate athletics to the faculty senate and the university community, including the athletics department, the university administration, academic departments, the faculty as a whole, and other groups as warranted.

***NCAA Division I Manual 6.1.2.1 Composition.** Administration and/or faculty staff members shall constitute at least a majority of the board in control of athletics or an athletics advisory board, irrespective of the president or chancellor's responsibility and authority or whether the athletics department is financed in whole or in part by student fees. If the board has a parliamentary requirement necessitating more than a simple majority in order to transact some or all of its business, then the administrative and faculty members shall be of sufficient number to constitute at least that majority. (Revised: 3/8/06)...*

(Approver: Athletics Director)

2021-2022 Membership:

Name	Area	Department	Service Term
Cindy Taylor, Chair	Faculty, Athletics Representative	Biology	Defined by Position
Don Dailey	Faculty, CoSTEM	Biology	2021-2024
Sarai Ward	Faculty, CoBHS	HHP	2021-2024
Charles Wallace Cross	Faculty, CoAL	History and Philosophy	2021-2024
Christopher Wright	Faculty, CoBHS	Criminal Justice	2019-2022
Thomas J. Buttery	Faculty, CoED	Education Specialties	2019-2022
John Schnettler	Faculty, at Large	Music - Marching Band Director	<i>ex officio</i>
Kassie Stanfill	Women's Softball	Athletics	2021-2022
Lynn Fisher	Staff, Finance and Administration	Emergency Management	2021-2022
Zack Inman	Staff, Student Affairs	Housing	2021-2022
Sara Newton	Staff, Finance and Administration	Public Safety	2019-2022
Gerald Harrison	Staff, Athletic Director	Athletics	<i>ex officio</i>
Lisa Varytimidis	Senior Woman Administrator	Athletics	<i>ex officio</i>
Sheila Bryant	Staff, Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action	Director, EOAA	2019-2022
Mikaela Smith	Student by Dir of AAS	msmith259@my.apsu.edu	2021-2022
Anton Damberg	Student by Dir of AAS	adamberg@my.apsu.edu	2021-2022
Alexis Osowski	Student by Dir of AAS	aosowski@my.apsu.edu	2021-2022
Jacob Caughell	Student by Dir AAS	jcaughell@my.apsu.edu	2021-2022