

Faculty Athletics Representative Report
Provost's Executive Advisory Committee
February 4, 2010

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Athletic Admiss
Fall 2009
185(163Fr/22Tr)

Fall 2008
207(181Fr/26Tr)

Fall 2007
212(188Fr/24Tr)

Fall 2006
170(149Fr/21Tr)

	Fall 2009	Fall 2008	Fall 2007	Fall 2006
Deposits				
Total Fr.	119 (88.2/1066)	128 (86.5/1064)	144 (88.6/1062)	95 (88.2/1031)
Total Tr.	21 (3.02)	26 (2.82)	22 (2.83)	20 (2.99)
Overall Total	140	154	166	115

Out-of-State Deposits

Freshmen	33 (89.2/1069)	39 (90.0/1088)	44 (91.4/1043)	39 (90.8/1020)
Transfers	2	2	9	5

Deposited Scholars

Presidential	10 (95.2/1311)	8 (94.6/1283)	4 (93.3/1290)	6 (94.6/1308)
Out-of-State Merit	11 (93.0/1152)	17 (93.4/1152)	14 (95.0/1154)	
NYAA/College		2 (93.1/12220)	5 (94.0/1222)	
Frederick Douglass College		1 (96.9/1250)		2 (98.9/1120)
AACV				5 (96.5/1120)

Percentages of Student-Athletes in Each School – Fall 2009

<u>School</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
School of Business	97	21%
CAS	285	61%
Criminal Justice	19	4%
College of Computing And Information	9	2%
College of Public Affairs And Policy	19	4%
School of Social Welfare	1	<1%
Open/Undecided	30	6%
Graduate Students	8	2%
<u>Visiting Student – Non-Matriculated</u>	<u>1</u>	<u><1%</u>
Total	469	100%

Three Most Popular Majors

Business Admin.	75	16%
Communications	49	10%
Psychology	40	9%

All UAlbany Student-Athletes – Fall 2009

<u>School</u>	<u>Total in School</u>	<u>Majors and Totals</u>	
School of Business	97	Accounting	22
		Bus. Admin.	75
Arts and Sciences	285	Actuarial & Math Sciences	4
		Africana Studies	3
		Anthropology	4
		Art	2
		Art History	1
		Atmospheric Sciences	2
		Bio/Human Biology	21/36
		Chemistry	3
		Classic literature & Cultures	1
		Communications	49
		Documentary Studies	3
		Economics	10
		English	10
		Environmental Sciences	3
		French	1
		History	24
		Journalism	12
		Latin America Studies	1
		Mathematics	4
		Physics	4
		Psychology	40
		Sociology	38
		Spanish	5
		Theatre	2
		Urban Studies	2
Criminal Justice	19	Criminal Justice	19
College of Computing and Information	9	Computer Science	5
		Financial Market Regulations	1
		Information Sciences	3
College of Public Affairs and Policy	19	Political Science	16
		Public Policy	3
School of Social Welfare	1	Social Welfare	1
Open/Undecided	30		
Graduate Students	8		
Visiting Student – Non. Matriculated	1		
Total Student-Athletes	- 469		

Fall 2009 Majors**MBB(17)**

Africana Studies	3
Biology	2
Business	4
Communications	2
Info. Sciences	1
Open/Undecided	3
Physics/Math	1
Political Science	1

WBB(14)

Biology	1
Business	2
Communications	1
Criminal Justice	1
Math	1
Political Science	2
Psychology	1
Public Health	1
Social Welfare	1
Sociology	3

FB(105)

Accounting	3
Actuarial & Math Sci.	3
Art	1
Biology	4
Business	21
Chemistry	1
Communications	20
Computer Science	2
Criminal Justice	8
Economics	4
History	8
Human Biology	7
Journalism	2
Physics - BSE	1
Political Science	2
Psychology	2
Sociology	6
Open/Undecided	8
Graduate School	2

UALBANY Spring 2009 GPA's

	Cur.		Cum.
Men's Cross Country	3.069		2.909
Women's Cross Country	3.226		3.262
Field Hockey	3.000		2.898
Football	2.884		2.794
Golf	3.240		3.282
Men's Soccer	3.257		3.264
Women's Soccer	3.352		3.062
Tennis	3.416		3.299
Volleyball	3.090		3.070
Men's Basketball	2.870		2.940
Women's Basketball	2.941		2.836
Men's Track	2.853		2.924
Women's Track	3.026		3.018
Baseball	2.706		2.764
Men's Lacrosse	2.810		2.744
Women's Lacrosse	3.298		3.350
Softball	3.005		3.033
AVERAGE	2.979		2.861

50% of the student-athletes have a semester gpa of 3.0 or higher

45% of the student-athletes have a cum. gpa of 3.0 or higher

Male Teams

Men's Cross Country	3.069		2.909
Football	2.884		2.794
Men's Soccer	3.257		3.264
Men's Basketball	2.859		2.937
Men's Track	2.853		2.924
Baseball	2.706		2.764
Men's Lacrosse	2.810		2.744
Average	2.889		2.796

Female Teams

Women's Cross Country	3.226		3.262
Field Hockey	3.000		2.898
Golf	3.240		3.282
Women's Soccer	3.352		3.062
Tennis	3.416		3.299
Volleyball	3.090		3.070
Women's Basketball	2.941		2.836
Women's Track	3.026		3.018
Women's Lacrosse	3.298		3.350
Women's Softball	3.005		3.033
AVERAGE	3.111		2.963

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	Cur.		Cum.
Men's Cross Country	3.200		3.120
Women's Cross Country	3.310		3.300
Field Hockey	3.290		3.040
Football	2.760		2.750
Golf	3.290		3.290
Men's Soccer	3.040		3.180
Women's Soccer	3.060		3.070
Tennis	3.160		3.360
Volleyball	2.970		3.220
Men's Basketball	2.880		3.010
Women's Basketball	3.020		2.980
Men's Indoor Track	2.980		2.980
Men's Outdoor Track	2.950		2.940
Women's Indoor Track	3.034		2.990
Women's Outdoor Track	3.020		3.030
Baseball	2.800		2.730
Men's Lacrosse	2.670		2.780
Women's Lacrosse	3.230		3.300
Softball	3.130		3.040
AVERAGE	2.940		2.950

47% of the student-athletes have a semester gpa of 3.0 or higher

43% of the student-athletes have a cum. gpa of 3.0 or higher

Male Teams

Men's Cross Country	3.200		3.120
Football	2.760		2.750
Men's Soccer	3.040		3.180
Men's Basketball	2.880		3.010
Men's Indoor Track	2.980		2.980
Men's Outdoor Track	2.950		2.940
Baseball	2.800		2.730
Men's Lacrosse	2.670		2.780
Average	2.820		2.850

Female Teams

Women's Cross Country	3.310		3.300
Field Hockey	3.290		3.040
Golf	3.290		3.290
Women's Soccer	3.060		3.070
Tennis	3.160		3.360
Volleyball	2.970		3.220
Women's Basketball	3.020		2.980
Women's Indoor Track	3.034		2.990
Women's Outdoor Track	3.020		3.030
Women's Lacrosse	3.230		3.300
Women's Softball	3.130		3.040
AVERAGE	3.120		3.100

Graduation Success Rate Report

1999-2002 Cohorts: University at Albany

Men's Sports			Women's Sports		
Sport	GSR	Fed Rate	Sport	GSR	Fed Rate
Baseball	38	31	Basketball	100	89
Basketball	50	44	Bowling	-	-
CC/Track	58	52	CC/Track	59	52
Fencing	-	-	Crew/Rowing	-	-
Football	80	62	Fencing	-	-
Golf	-	-	Field Hockey	89	73
Gymnastics	-	-	Golf	100	100
Ice Hockey	-	-	Gymnastics	-	-
Lacrosse	87	83	W. Ice Hockey	-	-
Rifle	-	-	Lacrosse	91	90
Skiing	-	-	Rifle	-	-
Soccer	80	57	Skiing	-	-
Swimming	-	-	Soccer	86	50
Tennis	-	-	Softball	71	67
Volleyball	-	-	Swimming	-	-
Water Polo	-	-	Tennis	100	100
Wrestling	-	-	Volleyball	100	89
Men's Non-NCAA Sponsor. Sports	-	-	Water Polo	-	-
			Women's Non-NCAA Sponsor. Sports	-	-
			Women's Equestrian	-	-

University at Albany

FRESHMAN-COHORT GRADUATION RATES

2002-03 Graduation Rate

All Students

64%

Student-Athletes #

55%

Four-Class Average

63%

65%

Student-Athlete Graduation Success Rate

76%

NCAA Division I 2007 - 2008 Academic Progress Rate

Public Report

Institution: University at Albany

Date of Report: 05/01/2009

This report is based on NCAA Division I Academic Progress Rate (APR) data submitted by the institution for the 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07, and 2007-08 academic years.

*[Note: All information contained in this report is for four academic years. Some squads may still have small sample sizes within certain sport groups. In accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act's (FERPA's) interpretation of federal privacy regulations, data cells containing three or fewer student-athletes have been suppressed and are indicated by an * symbol.]*

The following chart represents by-sport APR averages for noted subgroups.

Sport (N)	Multiyear APR	Percentile Rank within Sport	Percentile Rank within All Sports	All Division I	By Sport - Men's					Division I
					Public Institutions	Private Institutions	Football Subdivision	Bowl	Football Subdivision	
Baseball (296)	948	50th-60th	20th-30th	946	937	965	952		944	939
Basketball (341)	937	50th-60th	10th-20th	933	924	951	934		934	934
Cross Country (307)	957	30th-40th	30th-40th	964	959	976	969		964	964
Football (241)	937	40th-50th	10th-20th	939	931	961	941		935	NA
Fencing (19)	NA	NA	NA	974	963	981	975		981	956
Golf (293)	NA	NA	NA	963	956	976	968		958	967
Gymnastics (16)	NA	NA	NA	978	978	983	978		1000	957
Ice Hockey (58)	NA	NA	NA	973	964	981	976		984	980

* Denotes data representing three or fewer student-athletes. In accordance with FERPA's interpretation of federal privacy regulations, institutions should not disclose statistical data contained in this report in cells made up of three or fewer students without student consent.

N/A = No APR or not applicable.
N = Number of teams represented.

¹ Denotes APR that does not subject the team to a contemporaneous penalty because the team is performing better than the institution's general student body, or based on institutional, athletics and student resources.

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Sport (N)	Multiyear APR	Percentile Rank within Sport	Percentile Rank within All Sports	All Division I	Public Institutions	Private Institutions	Football Subdivision	Bowl	Football Subdivision	Championship	Division I
Lacrosse (57)	956	20th-30th	30th-40th	972	969	973	982		975		963
Skiing (13)	NA	NA	NA	969	960	990	956		986		964
Soccer (200)	972	60th-70th	50th-60th	958	949	966	956		966		956
Swimming (137)	NA	NA	NA	967	959	979	966		969		968
Tennis (260)	NA	NA	NA	964	957	975	966		966		962
Track, Indoor (251)	972	70th-80th	50th-60th	953	946	970	954		954		955
Track, Outdoor (275)	967	60th-70th	40th-50th	954	946	972	954		955		956
Volleyball (23)	NA	NA	NA	971	966	976	969		981		974
Water Polo (21)	NA	NA	NA	971	966	974	972		978		964
Wrestling (84)	NA	NA	NA	948	942	961	952		947		937
By Sport - Women's											
Basketball (339)	968	50th-60th	40th-50th	962	956	976	963		961		966
Bowling (30)	NA	NA	NA	945	940	958	961		936		962
Cross Country (335)	982	50th-60th	60th-70th	971	967	980	974		975		969
Fencing (23)	NA	NA	NA	979	971	983	977		994		967
Field Hockey (77)	978	20th-30th	60th-70th	985	982	988	984		987		984

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Golf (244)	956	10th-20th	30th-40th	976	973	984	982		982	972	975
Gymnastics (63)	NA	NA	NA	983	982	990	984		984	991	977
Ice Hockey (34)	NA	NA	NA	980	972	984	985		985	989	975
Lacrosse (85)	994	60th-70th	80th-90th	985	985	985	992		992	986	979
Rowing (84)	NA	NA	NA	984	977	990	980		980	990	984
Skiing (14)	NA	NA	NA	975	965	992	967		967	991	955
Soccer (314)	962	20th-30th	40th-50th	973	967	985	974		974	973	975
Softball (282)	955	20th-30th	30th-40th	968	962	981	971		971	966	968
Swimming (195)	NA	NA	NA	979	975	986	980		980	980	979
Tennis (317)	991	70th-80th	80th-90th	974	970	982	976		976	972	977
Track, Indoor (301)	980	70th-80th	60th-70th	965	959	979	965		965	969	962
Track, Outdoor (313)	984	70th-80th	70th-80th	966	960	980	966		966	969	964
Volleyball (325)	981	60th-70th	60th-70th	972	968	981	975		975	971	973
Water Polo (33)	NA	NA	NA	970	959	980	974		974	988	965
By Sport - Co-Ed											
Rifle (23)	NA	NA	NA	967	966	978	967		967	966	981

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Fall 2009, Spring 2009 ALL-ACADEMIC TEAMS & Academic Honor Roll

America East Conference All Academic Teams (3.30 + competition standards)

Cate Crenson	Women's Soccer
Valerie Sourbeer	Volleyball
Laura Livergood	Volleyball
Jess Lindsey	Field Hockey
Sarah Deane	Field Hockey
Chris Manico	Men's Cross Country

U.S. Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association Division 1 All-Academic Team (GPA of 3.25 + athletic accomplishment)

Laura Cummings
Fey Adaramola
Valete Graham
Peter Rowell
Andrew Overbaugh

Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Coaches Association Academic Squad (3.5 GPA or in top 10% of their squad + junior standing)

Julie Bush
Renee Levitin
Katie Neer
Tricia Primomo
Rory Redmond
Ashley Ross

Northeast Conference Scholar-Athlete of the Year in Football

Chris Simpson (BS in Physics for UA in 2010, BS in mechanical engineering from RPI in 2011)

North East Conference Academic Honor Roll (Football) (requires 3.20 or higher GPA)

Justin Anderson (business administration), Chris Blais (human biology), Frank Blasinsky (business administration), Justin Brancaccio (communication), Ben Carl (business administration), Dan Di Lella (criminal justice), Vince Gonzales (history), Matt Goss (criminal justice), Dan Halperin (undeclared), Jordan Migliore (criminal justice), Wil Moushey (business administration), Keith Peifer (business administration), Chris Simpson (physics), Tony Sparano (history), Andrew Stevens (business administration), Eddie Tretina (undeclared), Rhakeem Wiggins (undeclared) and Bobby Woods (accounting)

America East Conference Fall Academic Honor Roll (requires 3.0 or above for fall)

--71 UAlbany Student Athletes

Carl Anderson and Jen Svatik
Senior Staff Mid-Year Retreat, January 12, 2010

CHAMPS/Life Skills Events for the Fall 2009 Semester

1. Career Development Workshops
2. Gambling Presentation – Albany FBI
3. Senior Student-Athlete Etiquette Dinner - Barbara Thomas
4. Alcohol Awareness Week
5. East Coast Walkers – Men Speaking Out about Sexual Assault
6. Winning Steps – Freshmen - Dr. Joe Monserrat, Counseling Center
7. Breakfast of Champions
8. The Salvation Army After School Program – 4:00 to 6:00 pm every Wed.

Student Athlete Advisory Committee – Fall 2009

1. Salvation Army Bell Ringing
2. Albany County Adopt-A-Family Holiday program
3. The Miracle League

CHAMPS/Life Skills Events for the Spring 2010 Semester

1. Continue Career Development Workshops
2. UAlbany Career Panel (02/11/2010)
3. Senior Student-Athlete Resume Book
5. Winning Steps – Freshmen - Dr. Joe Monserrat, Counseling Center
6. Breakfast of Champions
7. The Salvation Army After School Program – 4:00 to 6:00 pm every Wed.

Progress Reports – 90% response rate for fall 2009

196 out of 481 student-athletes were required to be in Study Hall for the Fall Semester

During the Fall 2009 semester the Student-Athlete Enrichment staff met with 50 student-athletes on a weekly basis.

**Intercollegiate Athletics Advisory Board
2009-10**

Faculty (Three-Year Terms)

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- Lee McElroy, *VP for Athletic Administration & Director of Intercollegiate Athletics*
- Jan Brown, *Associate AD/SWA*
- Katie Bishop, *Dir. Compliance Services*
- Cathy Probst, *Secretary IAAB, Asst. to VP Athletics*

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NEWS RELEASE

THE STATE UNIVERSITY *of* NEW YORK

Statement of SUNY Board Chairman Carl T. Hayden and Chancellor Nancy Zimpher

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For Immediate Release: Wednesday Oct. 7, 2009

Albany - The State University of New York is committed to a comprehensive review and investigation of all aspects of the Binghamton University Athletic Program.

This review and investigation, which will be conducted under the auspices of the Executive Committee of the SUNY Board of Trustees, must be led by an individual of unquestioned experience, skill and integrity.

We are pleased that the Honorable Judith Kaye, Retired Chief Judge of the New York Court of Appeals, our State's highest court, has agreed to lead the review and investigation. Judge Kaye, who retired from the bench at the end of 2008, is now of counsel at Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom in New York City.

We anticipate Judge Kaye will provide the Board of Trustees with a report and recommendations that will enable us to address all issues related to the Binghamton athletic program and restore full public confidence in the University.

"I am pleased to be assisting the State University of New York in this important matter," Judge Kaye stated. "I look forward to working with the SUNY Board of Trustees and Chancellor Nancy Zimpher to conduct a thorough and comprehensive review and investigation and to report my findings and recommendations as expeditiously as possible."