

Committee on Athletics Meeting Minutes
Wednesday May 19, 2021 Meeting #6 - Zoom

Present: Joseph Aubele, Sandra Shirley, Melanie Batiste, Brenda Vogel, Portia Resnick, Lu Zhu, Tracey Richardson, Kimberly Farrell, Michael Solt, Chris Karadjov, Ulices Pina, John Hamilton.

- I. **Call to Order 3:06**
- II. **Approval of the Agenda**
- III. **Approval of Minutes from 4/21/2021**
- IV. **Reports - Ashlie Kite, Senior Associate Athletics Director and SWA**
 - **Athletic Department Update** - Spring sports continued with outstanding performances in: Men's Golf finishing tied for 11th, titles of Coach of the Year, Freshman of the Year and Golfer of the Year; Women's Softball won Big West conference title and is headed to the NCAA tournament; Women's Track competed in the Big West championship with individuals qualifying for NCAA nationals; Baseball has nearly completed the season with two series remaining. Staff is preparing for a full fall sport schedule with ongoing covid 19 testing and safety protocols. Requirements for the vaccine are uncertain. Kimberly Farrell voiced concerns about whether student athletes should be required to take the vaccine.
 - **Title IX** – June 22, 2022 marks the 50th anniversary of Title IX. The law requires that schools treat the sexes equitably with regard to participation opportunities, athletic scholarships, and the benefits and services

Ashlie reported CSULB's scores as exceeding the NCAA base requirements as it relates to academic progress and graduation rates per the attached presentation.

V. For the Good of the Cause:

Next meeting will be September 15th (3rd Wends). The Academic Senate Office should distribute the committee roster prior to the next meeting.

VI. Meeting adjourned at 4:10

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