

**REPORT OF THE STUDENT AFFAIRS AND ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEES
COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
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Thomas Segar, vice president for Student Affairs, gave opening remarks about the Student Affairs Division.

Adam Jones, dean of Students, and Donovan Daniel, director of Student Leadership, gave a presentation on student leadership development at IUP. They discussed how IUP student leaders are involved throughout the university and are advancing IUP. They also provided a brief history about student leadership development and how the Multi-Institutional Study of Leadership and other research studies have informed student leadership initiatives. IUP received a scholarship to participate in the 2026 Multi-Institutional Study of Leadership, with the findings coming in July 2026. Dr. Jones and Mr. Daniel also provided information about the LeaderShape Institute, a national leadership development program for college students. This month, IUP students Liliana Myers and Rashaun Price will attend the LeaderShape Institute. They discussed their leadership involvement and what they hope to learn at the institute. Dr. Jones, Mr. Daniel, and the students shared their excitement about the future of student leadership at IUP. They will provide an update on the study and the institute during the fall semester.

Dr. Segar reported that five athletic resolutions of commendation will be presented at the public meeting.

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR GEM CRITTENDEN

WHEREAS, IUP women's swimming student-athlete Gem Crittenden earned All-America status for her performance at the 2026 NCAA Division II Swimming and Diving Championships, March 10-14 in Evansville, Indiana;

WHEREAS, Gem Crittenden earned national recognition with a 15th-place finish in the 400-yard individual medley with a time of 4:25.37 and competed in the 200-yard butterfly and 200-yard individual medley;

WHEREAS, Gem Crittenden won individual titles in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference Championships in the 200 butterfly, 100 butterfly, and 400 individual medley earlier in the 2025-26 season and was named the women's Outstanding Swimmer of the Meet;

WHEREAS, this is Gem Crittenden's first All-America honor since starting her IUP career in the 2024-25 season;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the IUP Council of Trustees commends Gem Crittenden for her accomplishments.

The Student Affairs Committee recommends that the resolution of commendation for Gem Crittenden be approved, and I so move.



RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR KASHA STOKES

WHEREAS, IUP women's swimming student-athlete Kasha Stokes earned All-America status for her performance at the 2026 NCAA Division II Swimming and Diving Championships, March 10-14 in Evansville, Indiana;

WHEREAS, Kasha Stokes earned national recognition with a sixth-place finish in the 100-yard backstroke with a time of 54.94 and an eighth-place finish in the 200-yard backstroke with a time of 2:02.04;

WHEREAS, Kasha Stokes won individual titles in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference Championships in both the 100 backstroke and 200 backstroke earlier in the 2025-26 season;

WHEREAS, Kasha Stokes has become a three-time All-America honoree since starting her IUP career in the 2023-24 season;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the IUP Council of Trustees commends Kasha Stokes for her accomplishments.

The Student Affairs Committee recommends that the resolution of commendation for Kasha Stokes be approved, and I so move.

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR DALLIS DILLARD

WHEREAS, IUP men's basketball student-athlete Dallis Dillard earned All-America status for his performance during the 2025-26 season;

WHEREAS, Dallis Dillard earned national recognition by being the only player in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference to average at least 20 points per game, and he finished in the top 10 in the country in steals;

WHEREAS, Dallis Dillard was named PSAC and Division 2 Conference Commissioners Association Atlantic Region Player of the Year—the top player in the conference and the region for the 2025-26 season;

WHEREAS, this is Dallis Dillard's first All-America honor since starting his IUP career in the 2021-22 season;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the IUP Council of Trustees commends Dallis Dillard for his accomplishments.

The Student Affairs Committee recommends that the resolution of commendation for Dallis Dillard be approved, and I so move.

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR NYSHAE' WEAVER

WHEREAS, IUP women's basketball student-athlete Nyshae' Weaver earned All-America status for her performance during the 2025-26 season;

WHEREAS, Nyshae' Weaver earned national recognition for making the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference top 10 in scoring, rebounding, and field goal percentage;



WHEREAS, Nyshae' Weaver was named PSAC West Player of the Year and a Division 2 Conference Commissioners Association All-Atlantic Region First Team selection—one of the top players in the conference and the region;

WHEREAS, Nyshae' Weaver became a two-time All-America honoree since starting her IUP career in the 2023-24 season;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the IUP Council of Trustees commends Nyshae' Weaver for her accomplishments.

The Student Affairs Committee recommends that the resolution of commendation for Nyshae' Weaver be approved, and I so move.

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR IUP WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

WHEREAS, the IUP women's basketball team won the 2026 Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference Championship on March 8;

WHEREAS, IUP defeated Gannon, 61-57, in Erie and secured the program's first conference title since 2019;

WHEREAS, junior Teresa Maggio was named Most Outstanding Player of the PSAC women's basketball tournament;

WHEREAS, IUP secured its spot in the NCAA Division II Round of 8 with a 65-64 win over Winston-Salem State in the NCAA Atlantic Regional on March 16 in Indiana;

WHEREAS, the team advanced to the NCAA Division II championship game for the first time in program history;

WHEREAS, head coach Craig Carey earned PSAC West Coach of the Year honors, and Nyshae' Weaver, Teresa Maggio, and Ellie Wilkerson earned All-PSAC honors;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of Trustees of Indiana University of Pennsylvania commends the IUP women's basketball team for its accomplishments during the 2025-26 season.

The Student Affairs Committee recommends that the resolution of commendation for IUP women's basketball be approved, and I so move.

This concludes my report.

Jackson White, Chair

Student Affairs Committee

Joyce Fairman, Chair

Enrollment Management Committee

