

## **OREGON INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

### Intercollegiate Athletics

#### Code of Ethics

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Each institution offering a program of intercollegiate athletics shall comply with the following code of ethics. Violation of the code of ethics shall be considered an adequate basis for sanctions for cause.

#### (1) Purpose

The purpose of this code of ethics is to prescribe standards of conduct for student athletes participating in the intercollegiate athletic programs of the institution, coaches, intercollegiate athletic administrators, and other personnel associated with intercollegiate athletics. It is also the purpose of this code of ethics to identify the responsibilities of coaches, intercollegiate athletic administrators, and other personnel in the institution's department of intercollegiate athletics.

#### (2) Designation of Institution Officers

The institution president shall assign in writing to the director of athletics the responsibility for implementing the provisions of this policy, except that the Faculty Athletic Representative shall retain the sole prerogative for determining the athletic eligibility of student athletes participating in the intercollegiate athletic program of the institution.

#### (3) Directives

(a) The intercollegiate athletic program of the institution shall reflect high standards of scholarship, sportsmanship, fair play, integrity, and concern for the individual.

(b) The intercollegiate athletic program of the institution shall be conducted in accordance with the constitution and bylaws of the alliances and/or conferences of which the institution is a member, and the rules, policies, and directives of the Oregon Institute of Technology Board of Trustees and institution.

(c) Student athletes participating in the intercollegiate athletic program of the institution shall be required to:

- (i.) Maintain such academic standards as established by the institution for all students;
- (ii.) Comply with the eligibility requirements of the institution as a prerequisite for participation in its intercollegiate athletic programs;
- (iii.) Demonstrate high standards of sportsmanship and fair play, while participating in an intercollegiate athletic program of the institution;
- (iv.) Refrain from participation in an intercollegiate athletic program of the institution when existing injuries and/or physical impairments would jeopardize the student athlete's health and welfare; and
- (v.) Deport themselves in a manner which brings credit to themselves, their teammates, and the institution.



financial aid for student athletes, eligibility of student athletes, and extra benefits for student athletes;