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From: Bob Eno [eno@indiana.edu]
Sent: Monday, September 01, 2003 4:56 PM
To: Anthony Brennan
Cc: jwearl@oregon.uoregon.edu
Subject: RE: Athletics Coalition / Sponsorship for Attending AAUP
Conference
Hi Tony,
I didn't get your first message, but this one made it. I've had one worm or
another on three machines over the past few weeks, so I know very well how
infuriating it is.
I'm delighted to hear from you and to learn you find what we're doing of
interest. I'm copying my coalition co-chair Jim Earl on this, because I'll be
leaving for time overseas soon, and Jim will be managing most of our
communications this term. We'll look forward to learning how colleagues at
Florida see these issues.
Best,
Bob
On Mon, 1 Sep 2003, Anthony Brennan wrote:
> Hello Bob,
> We have had a ton of problems with our email due to the worm. Did you
> get my response earlier? I have sent your message to the Faculty
> Senate Steering Committee and at this point have a personal interest
> in this group. I will advise shortly. Best regards,
> Tony B
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> ----Original Message----
> From: Bob Eno [mailto:eno@indiana.edu]
> Sent: Thursday, August 28, 2003 6:31 PM
> To: Tony Brennan (Florida)
> Cc: Jean Larson (Florida)
> Subject: Athletics Coalition / Sponsorship for Attending AAUP Conference
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> Dear Professor Brennan,
> I have learned from the Florida website that you are faculty senate
> leader at Florida this year. I'm forwarding below a message that was
> sent out today to faculty senate presidents of SEC schools from the
> Coalition on Intercollegiate Athletics. Last year, Jean Larson
> preferred that Florida not be included on our SEC email list, but I
> did forward some messages in this way to keep Florida informed. We
> will be happy follow whatever method you prefer. A second message
> will be sent out tomorrow, and if I don't hear from you before, I hope
> you won't mind my forwarding it in this way.
> Best,
> Bob Eno
> Indiana University
> ----- Forwarded message -----
> Date: Thu, 28 Aug 2003 12:32:37 -0500 (EST)
> From: Bob Eno <eno@indiana.edu>
> To: "SEC -- Curt Rom (Arkansas)" <crom@uark.edu>,
      "David Rock (Mississippi)" <rockd@olemiss.edu>,
      "Jeffrey Dembo (Kentucky)" <senate@uky.edu>,
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      "John Mason (Alabama)" <jomason@cba.ua.edu>,
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      "Laurie Anderson (LSU)" <glande@lsu.edu>,
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      "Matthew Ramsey (Vanderbilt) " <matthew.ramsey@vanderbilt.edu>,
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      "Virginia Shepherd (Vanderbilt)" <shephev@aol.com>,
      "Walter Diehl (Mississippi State)" <wjdiehl@ra.msstate.edu>
> Cc: "Jim Earl (Oregon)" <jwearl@oregon.uoregon.edu>
> Subject: Athletics Coalition / Sponsorship for Attending AAUP
> Conference
> Dear SEC Colleagues,
> In a message we sent in July, we noted that the Coalition on
> Intercollegiate Athletics would have a major opportunity to make
> progress on athletics reform at the annual AAUP Governance Conference,
> scheduled for October 9-11 in Indianapolis. This year's conference
> will focus on college sports, and has been planned in cooperation with
> our Coalition and with the NCAA, which will host the opening day.
> Among the opening day speakers will be NCAA President Myles Brand,
> John Walda, Board Chairman of the Association of Governing Boards of
> Universities and Colleges (the AGB), and Jim Earl, co-chair of our
> Coalition. Working sessions on the remaining days will offer our
> Coalition the chance to gather and make real progress on specific
> reform goals - more details appear below.
> The NCAA and AGB agree with us that this conference is a unique
> opportunity to capture the momentum that has grown for athletics
> reform and create a new context that can overcome the obstacles that
> have undermined past reform efforts. The key change is the engagement
> of faculty on a national level. In order to make full faculty
> participation in the conference possible, a letter from Myles Brand,
> John Walda, and Jim Earl, has been sent to all Division I-A
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> presidents, explaining the importance of the conference, and
> requesting that they sponsor the participation of their school's
> faculty senate leader or designated senate representative.
> We hope very much that this initiative will make it possible for
> Coalition liaisons from all schools to attend the conference, and we
> encourage you to contact your president to explore this possibility.
> The conference will be a working one for our group. The AAUP will
> provide the Coalition with space for a caucus session on the initial
> evening, at which we will be able to discuss our priorities and
> strategies for athletics reform. Over the two subsequent days, three
> workshop sessions will be scheduled on specific issues requested by
> Coalition: a) developing standards for the appointment and function of
> Faculty Athletics Representatives; b) developing standards for the
> appointment and function of campus athletics committees; c) developing a
> strategy for how faculty can fulfill their oversight responsibilities to
> ensure the integrity of the academic experiences of athletes. All three
> issues are items in the proposed COIA Framework for Comprehensive
> Athletics Reform. Because good groundwork has been laid on the first
> two of these issues, our goal for these sessions is work products that
> can become formal proposals by the end of the Fall term.
> More information on the conference can be found at:
  http://www.aaup.org/events/03gov.htm .
> We hope that you or a designated Coalition liaison will be able to
> participate in the AAUP conference. Jim Earl will be chairing a
> subcommittee planning Coalition activities at the conference, and it
> would be very helpful if you could let Jim know before September 20
> whether your campus will be represented (at jwearl@oregon.uoregon.edu
> ).
> A second message concerning the Coalition's revised "Framework for
> Comprehensive Athletics Reform" will follow very soon. In that
> message we will focus on our goal to build interest in and support for
> reform in faculty senates this coming year.
> Bob Eno
                              Jim Earl
> Indiana University
                             University of Oregon
> Co-Chairs, Coalition on Intercollegiate Athletics
> Website: http://www.indiana.edu/~bfc/COIA/COIA.html
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