

## **ICA'S 14 POINTS OF GUIDANCE**

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1. To operate in full compliance with University, Southern Conference and NCAA Division I rules and regulations.
2. To strive for regional and national prominence, with all teams finishing in the top half of the Southern Conference standings, while scheduling Division I member institutions.
3. To extend opportunities for interaction in intercollegiate athletics for the student community at UNCG.
4. To provide experiences for all student-athletes and staff that foster and promote healthy minds, bodies and the development of leadership skills.
5. To be a viable resource for the University and beyond.
6. To emphasize that the athlete is a student first and foremost graduating at a rate equal to or greater than the overall undergraduate student population.
7. To promote and abide by the fundamental values of sportsmanship that are defined by NCAA and Southern Conference rules to include respect, fairness, civility, honesty and responsibility.
8. To enhance a diverse, gender and minority presence in the athletics community.
9. To develop and execute an integrated public affairs plan dedicated to educating the Triad community and enhancing the athletics program.
10. To create opportunities to improve the quality and spirit of life for our student body and the University community.
11. To achieve an increasingly higher level of external financial support.
12. To provide access to quality practice facilities and competitive venues.
13. To administer departmental finances with prudent management and fiscal practices that are within University, State and NCAA guidelines.
14. To initiate and engage in open dialogue and informational exchange with the Faculty Athletics Representative and the faculty governance structures of the University.