

University of Louisiana at Lafayette

Faculty Athletics Representative

Job Description

The Faculty Athletics Representative (FAR) at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette champions academic integrity, promotes the welfare of the student-athletes and helps ensure institutional control of intercollegiate athletics.

The role of the FAR includes:

1. Providing advice on university and conference matters that impact the academic and personal well-being of student-athletes;
2. Being involved in the investigation and reporting of violations;
3. Being involved in inquiries on rules violations;
4. Administering coaches' certification exams;
5. Serving on search committees for new coaches;
6. Signing requests for waivers of eligibility requirements;
7. Serving as conference liaison for dissemination of information on legislation;
8. Serving as graduation rates delegate to the NCAA convention;
9. Monitoring academic performance of student-athletes including attendance, semester GPAs, academic progress and graduation rates;
10. Meeting regularly with the President to advise him on matters pertaining to student-athletes academic progress, eligibility, and compliance; and
12. Serving as chair of the University Athletics Committee