

MCAA Newsletter



2016 MCAA 591 - The Athletic Director Institute, San Diego, CA

MCAA Program

Preparing Coaches and Athletics Administrators for service in the 21st Century

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A Special Note from the Director

To my friends and colleagues,

I want to take this opportunity to thank all MCAA alumni and current students for the incredible experience that I have enjoyed while leading the MCAA program at Concordia University Irvine. I will be forever grateful to each of you for your confidence, support of our vision and leadership during my tenure.

It has been a very rewarding experience, promoting and growing this very special program, while working with the best coaches and athletic administrators throughout the nation. The MCAA program has been truly blessed and will continue to flourish in the years to come. This has been a remarkable decade of growth and service!

As coaches and athletic leaders, we have the great opportunity to live our passion. We have worked together to make the athletic experience an integral and purposeful tool for learning. I treasure the awesome privilege of developing and expanding the MCAA vision and experience. I am indebted to each of you for this wonderful challenge.

Thanks again for a GREAT 10 year run! It's time to pass the baton to Tony Diaz and the next generation of MCAA leaders. I am confident that the best is yet to come.

I will continue my association with the MCAA program working with over 2350 valued alumni/ambassadors and sharing information on this unique educational opportunity to prospective students around the nation.

I feel truly blessed and thank God for this incredible opportunity to serve. God continues to bless me with a great family, friends and a good life. I want to continue to stay connected with you. Let's continue to try to make our world a better place.






Live each day as a Blessing,

Tom White



Summer Newsletter Highlights

In this newsletter:

-  Our Summer term began on Monday, May 23rd; 73 classes are being offered. The summer schedule is found on page 5 for on-going summer opportunities.
-  Our Academic Advisors, Chelsea Mailhiot and Sheila Hannah, give great professional academic guidance and are available to answer all of your questions. Please see their reminders on page 7.
-  Below (pg. 2), you will find a brief note from Blake and Erika, our Admissions Team.
-  Please check out this term's devotion, "*Live Your Passion*", written by our own Rev. Dr. Dean Vieselmeyer (page 10).
-  Don't forget to check out our Fall Schedule of MCAA classes, found on page 6. We are looking forward to another great fall. Register early!

May you live out your passion in your career and your life's work in the world of athletics.

The MCAA Team

A Note from Admissions

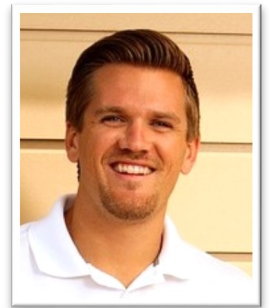
Greetings from the MCAA Admissions Team,

The Summer Term is in full swing. In addition to the online 11-week courses and 1-week intensive courses, the MCAA program is hosting its California Coaches Conference. Conference highlights include course credit, networking opportunities, prayer breakfast, athletic director's round-table, MCAA awards and the "The Eagle Mingle" social event. So why not plan a fun family vacation around this rich opportunity? The MCAA program has partnered with the Wyndham Hotel to offer students a discounted rate. Students and their family also have the option of lodging in a dorm on campus. This is a great way to complete an entire class in just one week. Contact Blake Hyepock if you are interested in taking a summer intensive class.

Please tell your friends and colleagues about the MCAA program. Have them contact Blake if they are interested in taking a summer intensive class or starting in the fall term on August 15th. As always, we are here to help you in any way that we can, so please don't hesitate to reach out to us.

Enjoy a bright and sunny summer!

Erika and Blake





CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Registration Opens 7AM @ Grimm Hall	Prayer Breakfast 6:30AM-7:30AM	Class 8-10:15AM	Class 8-10:15AM	Class 8-10:15AM
Class 8-10:15AM	Vendors Open 7:30AM	Sherri Coale 10:30-12	Tom House 10:30-12	John Savage/ Chris Ault 10:30-12
Tubby Smith 10:30-12	Class 8-10:15AM	Lunch 12-1	Lunch 12-1	Lunch 12-1
Lunch 12-1	Jake Olson 10:30-11:30AM	Class 1-5PM	AD's roundtable 12-1:30PM	Class 1-5PM
Class 1-5PM	Lunch with Vendors 11:30-1PM		Class 1-5PM	
	Class 1-4PM			
	Social Event "Eagle Mingle" 4-7PM			

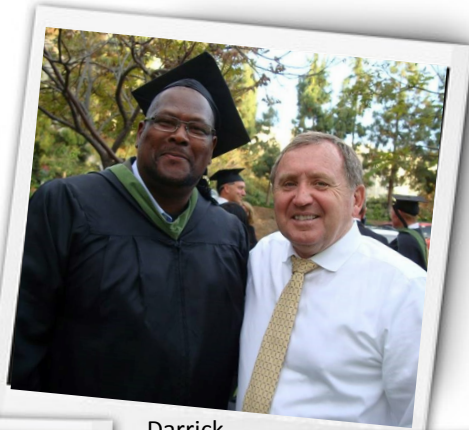
REGISTER @ WWW.CUI.EDU/CCC
ENTIRE ATHLETIC STAFF FOR \$149!

MCAA Live Your Passion ⁴

2016 Spring Commencement



Arturo Caballero '16



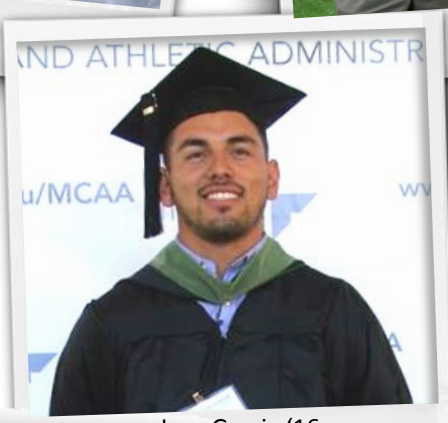
Darrick Mullins '16



Lorrie Marlett '16



Brett Swain '16



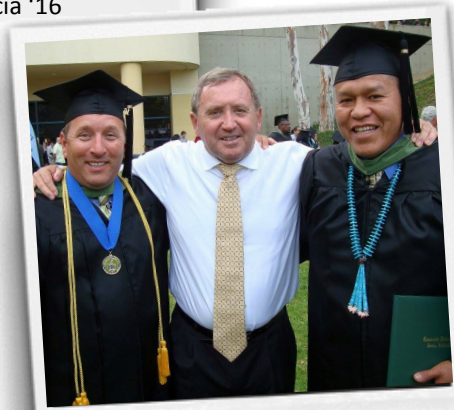
Jose Garcia '16



Pat Pohlen '16



Amber Ridens '16



Richard Parris & Shaun Haven '16



Julia Havaili '16



David Lee '16

discover SUMMER 2016 at CUI

ON-LINE
ON-CAMPUS
HYBRID
COURSES

Four 1-week intensive summer sessions offered

On-site Summer Session 1: June 27 - July 1

COURSE-SECTION	TITLE
MCAA 565-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH TENNIS
MCAA 567-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH TRACK & FIELD
MCAA 568-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH SOCCER
MCAA 572-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH CROSS COUNTRY
MCAA 573-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH BASKETBALL
MCAA 574-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH FOOTBALL
MCAA 575-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH SOFTBALL
MCAA 576-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH VOLLEYBA
MCAA 577-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH BASEBALL
MCAA 578-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH H20
MCAA 585-IR	STRENGTH, SPEED & CONDITIONING

On-site Summer Session 2 : July 11 - 15

COURSE-SECTION	TITLE
MCAA 510-IR	PRINC IPLES COACH & LEADERSHIP
MCAA 550-IR	RESEARCH METHODS & ANALYSIS
MCAA 571-IR	ADV THEOR/STRAT COACH GOLF

On-site Summer Session 3 : July 18 - 22

COURSE-SECTION	TITLE
MCAA 541-IR	ADV SPORT TECHNOLOGIES
MCAA 590-IR	COACHING ACADEMY

On-site Summer Session 4 : July 25 - 29

COURSE-SECTION	TITLE
MCAA 520-IR	PSYCHOLOGY OF COACHING
MCAA 580-IR	LEGAL ASPECTS OF SPORT
MCAA 591-LB	AD INSTITUTE (CIF SS OFFICE)

Fall 2016 Course Offerings

Courses subject to change, based on sufficient enrollment.

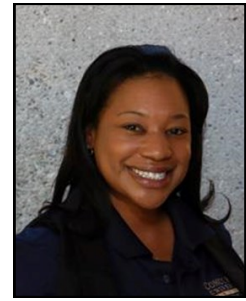
** Summer registration opened June 6th*

Class	Title
MCAA 510	Principles in Coaching and Leadership
MCAA 520	Psychology of Coaching
MCAA 530	Ethics and Sport
MCAA 540	Sport Technologies
MCAA 550	Research Methods and Analysis
MCAA 560	Leadership and Administration
MCAA 561	Athletic Finance
MCAA 562	Facility Planning/Event Management
MCAA 563	Intercollegiate Athletics in America
MCAA 567	Advanced Theories/Strategies in Coaching Track
MCAA 568	Advanced Theories/Strategies for Coaching Basketball
MCAA 570	Sport Medicine and Performance
MCAA 572	Advanced Theories/Strategies Coaching Cross Country
MCAA 573	Advanced Theories/Strategies Coaching Basketball
MCAA 574	Advanced Theories/Strategies Coaching Football
MCAA 577	Advanced Theories/Strategies Coaching Baseball
MCAA 580	Legal Aspect of Sport
MCAA 582	Women in Sport
MCAA 585	Strength, Speed, and Conditioning
MCAA 586	Advanced Speed, Strength and Conditioning
MCAA 592	MCAA Internship
MCAA 595	Culminating Project
MCAA 595E	Culminating Project: Extension





Chelsea's and Sheila's Corner



Summer Graduation Application

All students must apply even if they are not attending the ceremony. Payments are made online www.cui.edu/onlinepayments. **Applications without payment won't be processed.**

The fee covers administrative time needed to process the application, run a degree audit, track the student's progress and post the degree to the student's transcript. It also covers the cost to mail and order the diploma.

Link to summer application:

<http://goo.gl/forms/afqUR5zxTFqt3Co82>

Summer 2016 Graduation Fees

\$184 - until July 8th

\$339 - after July 8th

FREE Student Resource

Check out grammarly.com, a comprehensive writing enhancement tool.

Summer Dates to Remember

On-Site Courses:

- 6/27 - Summer Session 1, Last Day to ADD/DROP
- 7/11 - Summer Session 2, Last Day to ADD/DROP
- 7/18 - Summer Session 3, Last Day to ADD/DROP
- 7/25 - Summer Session 4, Last Day to ADD/DROP

On-line Courses:

- 7/29 - Last Day to WITHDRAW with a "W"

Summer On-Site Intensive Classes

The format for these classes is one week, M-F, approximately 8 a.m.-5 p.m. For our out of town students interested in staying on campus, please contact Davis Garton at davis.garton@cui.edu or call 949-214-3143, or call the Residential Education and Services Office at 949-214-3052. Students can also apply by logging onto: housing.cui.edu. Dorm reservations are limited and need to be made as soon as possible.

Financial Aid Reminder

To receive financial aid you must complete the 2016-2017 FAFSA and the 2016-2017 MCAA Financial Aid application. The 2016-2017 FAFSA and the 2016-2017 MCAA Financial Aid application are available online now at cui.edu/financialaid. Any questions in regards to financial aid can be directed to your financial aid counselor, Chris Preszler at chris.preszler@cui.edu or [949-214-3077](tel:949-214-3077).

Bible Verse: Ecclesiastes 3:1

"To everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven."

We encourage those of you working in your final class to make it YOUR time to graduate and move forward into the coaching and athletic field with a purpose to serve and lead others with integrity and honor.

Blessings,
Chelsea and Sheila



MCAA Alumni Spotlight:

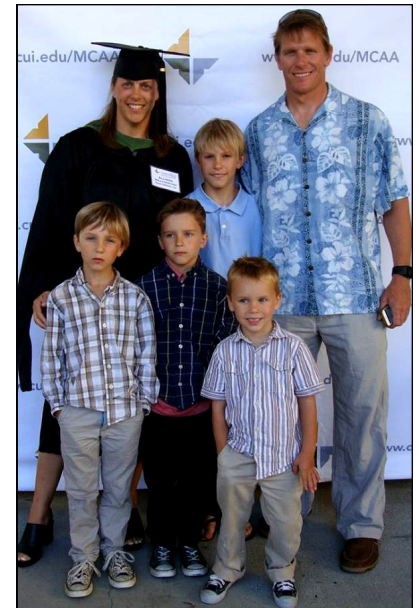
Meet Allison Weatherford

Recent MCAA graduate Allison Weatherford currently serves as the Assistant Athletic Director and Athletic Trainer at Academy of Our Lady of Peace (OLP) in San Diego. She is one of the latest Alumni/Ambassadors to graduate from the MCAA program which now numbers over 2350.

Allison feels being enrolled in the MCAA program gave her an edge in the interview process and led to her being hired and given the opportunity to work for OLP. Now that she has finished she plans to continue to build stronger relationships with her coaches and student-athletes. She feels the positive leadership principles she brought with her into the program have been strengthened and she already plans to build off of the foundation she developed in the program and will continue to learn, adapt, improve and progress on those principles.

Allison describes her MCAA experience in three words: “Enlightening. Motivational. Supportive.” The program was challenging at first, but she came to enjoy the learning experience and all of the knowledge and insight she gained throughout. Her lasting impression of the program and the professors is described as “Very encouraging, helpful, educational, forward thinking and positive.” She further states, “I have enjoyed starting friendships with MCAA colleagues as well as meeting others through these connections. I look forward to continuing this interaction and communication and meeting other MCAA colleagues through the Coaches Conference this summer. It’s really great to connect with others who have a similar passion and outlook on athletics.”

The most memorable moment has been having her husband Zach and her four sons, Harken, Kaison, Vanden and Tayton watch her graduate “I would highly recommend this program for anyone in athletics at all levels in all settings.”



Alumni CUI-MCAA Discounts and Benefits

- ◆ Free admission to MCAA classes and California Coaches Conference.
- ◆ Car rental and hotel discounts. Car rental discounts range from 10-25% at chains including Avis, Budget, Alamo, Hertz, National. Simply visit www.alumnibenefits.org/concordia for more information.
- ◆ Working Advantage Discount Program for a variety of events and products. Benefits and discounts listed at www.workingadvantage.com

Email alumni@cui.edu to request an e-coupon for 50% off whale watching at Davey's Locker in Newport Beach!

MCAA in Pictures



MCAA Graduation Dinner 2016



CSASA, San Diego



Basketball Coaches Clinic
San Antonio, TX



Dean's Devotion - Live Your Passion

Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord.

-Romans 12:11

According to a Gallup Poll only 13 percent of employees are "engaged" in their jobs, or emotionally invested in their work and focused on helping their organizations improve. The data seems to imply that very few are passionate about their profession.

For many years I served as an administrator at Concordia University Irvine at the undergraduate level. I would ask students what they were studying to become. They might respond with a specific profession but it was obvious they were not particularly excited about their choice because their parents had influenced them to enter a certain profession so that they would be financially secure.

It occurred to me that these young people would enter a career in which half of their waking hours would be spent on tasks they are not passionate about. Work would become what they must do, not what they love to do. People doing work they love are doing more than work. It is their calling; their purpose. If you are passionate about your work your coworkers and colleagues will be able to tell.

St. Paul told Timothy "Do not neglect your gift, which was given you." 1 Timothy 4:14

God must be included in discovering a person's passions. David said, "Delight yourself in the Lord and He will give you the desires of your heart." Psalms 37:4 When we give our delight (our passion) to the Lord, He gives it back by allowing us to be successful and joyful – as we pursue work we love to do.

Passion is "want power" which means people want something so badly they find the will power to achieve it. In our culture, we traditionally admire people who rise to the top of their profession. However, perhaps the Greeks understood it best when they focused on respecting the cultivation of personal passion. Columnist Whit Hobbs said, "Success is waking up in the morning and bounding out of bed because there's something out there that you love to do,

that you believe in, that you're good at - something that's bigger than you are, and you can hardly wait to get at it again."

Real fulfillment occurs only where there is passionate commitment to something personally meaningful. St. Paul told Timothy, "I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you." 2 Timothy 1:16. Passion is enthusiasm. Enthusiasm brings on excitement, excitement then produces energy, energy generates extra effort and extra effort develops excellence.

"You cannot kindle a fire in any other heart until it is burning within your own."

*"I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you."
2 Timothy 1:16.*

According to a Gallup Poll the passion of the leader is the number one factor in the credibility of the organization. Ten years ago, Tom White had a vision to create a master's program that would make the world of athletics a better place by developing coaches and athletic directors

who stood for character and integrity. Tom became the founder and director of the MCAA program. He was very passionate about the MCAA program. At its inception very few believed this program had any value for Concordia University Irvine but Tom's passion for the MCAA program and God's blessing allowed the program to hurdle every challenge. Today it is recognized as an exemplary program throughout the country with over 2000 graduates.

Tom's advice: "Do what you love and you will never work a day in your life!" That is Tom!

Thank you for your passion and commitment!

Prayer: "Give me the Love that leads the way, the faith that nothing can dismay, the hope no disappointments tire, the passion that'll burn like fire, let me not sink to be a clod, make me your fuel, flame of God."

-Amy Carmichael

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Warm and Sunny Wishes from MCAA

