“STRIVE FOR CLARITY, BUT ACCEPT AND UNDERSTAND AMBIGUITY.”

That phrase captures one way in which an educated person approaches the world and its challenges. Students who graduate from the University of Maryland have been exposed to the tools that allow them to put that perspective to work. Imparting such a perspective may be an ambitious project for undergraduate education, but to aim for anything less would be unworthy of a great university’s goals for its students. Thirteen years ago, Promises to Keep, a plan for undergraduate education at Maryland, articulated those goals so eloquently we repeat them here.

Undergraduate education at Maryland “aims to provide students with a sense of identity and purpose, a concern for others, a sense of responsibility for the quality of life around them, a continuing eagerness for knowledge and understanding, and a foundation for a lifetime of personal enrichment.”

As we learn with and from one another, we try to “develop human values,” “celebrate tolerance and fairness,” “contribute to the social conscience,” “monitor and assess private and collective assumptions,” and “recognize the glory, tragedy and humor of the human condition.”

Your years at the University of Maryland can provide you with all the tools you need to accomplish these goals. Students here are “educated to be able to read with perception and pleasure, write and speak with clarity and verve, handle numbers and computation proficiently, reason mathematically, generate clear questions and find probable arguments, reach substantiated conclusions and accept ambiguity.”

AND WE ALSO HOPE YOU ENJOY THE JOURNEY.
The Campus

By virtually every measure of quality, the University of Maryland has gained national recognition as one of the fastest-rising comprehensive research institutions in the country. The momentum of recent years has poised the university to move it into the top ranks of higher education and take leadership in shaping the research university of the 21st century.

The university has enjoyed a decade of momentum in all of the areas that affect quality. The average high school GPA of entering students has zoomed from 3.01 to nearly 3.90, and the average SATs are now more than 1270. The student body is a model of diversity, with minorities making up more than 33 percent of all students, and at least one graduate and undergraduate student from every state in the nation.

The university has 79 graduate and undergraduate programs ranked in the Top 25 by U.S. News and World Report, up from just one program in 1991.

Sponsored research and outreach has nearly tripled in the same 10-year period, exceeding $350 million last year. Private giving also has increased, and the university last year concluded its first campaign by topping its $350 million goal by more than $100 million. Alumni Association membership has been growing at an average rate of 10 percent a year since 1992.

One of the largest research universities in the United States, Fall 2005 enrollment was 25,442 undergraduate and 9,927 graduate students. There are 94 undergraduate programs, 89 master’s programs, 70 doctoral programs and one first professional degree program. More than 100 centers and institutes are engaged in research and outreach.

Faculty at the University of Maryland, in all fields of knowledge, are engaged at the highest levels of national and international concern. The university’s location near the center of federal policy-making and international political and economic activity enables it to play an active role in research and analysis of public policy.

Maryland is one of 30 public universities in the prestigious 63-member Association of American Universities and the only public institution in the Maryland-D.C. area with membership in the nation’s most distinguished honor society, Phi Beta Kappa.

Libraries

Seven libraries make up the University of Maryland library system: McKeldin (main) Library, Architecture Library, Art Library, Engineering and Physical Sciences Library, Hornbake Library, Performing Arts Library and White Memorial (Chemistry) Library.

These libraries constitute the largest university research library institution in the Washington metropolitan area, providing vital resources to researchers, visiting scholars, and businesses throughout the region. The libraries’ holdings include more than 2.5 million volumes, 24,000 subscriptions to periodicals and nearly 5 million items available in microfilm format.

Research

Opportunities for conducting research abound at the University of Maryland, College Park, and in the surrounding area, both for faculty to advance their own expertise and bring their insights into the classroom, and for students to begin their exploration of their unique interests with practical experience. On campus, special facilities and a number of organized research centers, bureaus and institutes promote the acquisition and analysis of new knowledge in the arts, sciences and applied fields.

The university’s enviable location — just nine miles from downtown Washington, D.C., and approximately 30 miles from both Baltimore and Annapolis — enhances the research of its faculty and students by providing access to some of the finest libraries and research centers in the country.

Service

Programs of public service are central to the overall mission of the university. The philosophy is reflected in the wide array of programs and initiatives that benefit the state’s business, agriculture and education communities.

With more than 90 high-technology firms in the three-county area of Montgomery, Prince George’s and Frederick counties, the university has found abundant opportunity to extend its business and technology outreach programs to the region. Many of these programs are part of the Engineering Research Center, which operates the Technology Advancement Program and the Maryland Industrial Partnerships, programs designed to provide Maryland entrepreneurs and small businesses with research facilities, technical assistance, administrative support and access to technology that will advance their economic base.

The Institute for Systems Research has formed partnerships with major corporations, including Lockheed Martin, Westinghouse, BF Goodrich, Hughes Aircraft and Dupont to apply advanced systems research to solving industry problems in the fields of communications, manufacturing, controls and robotics.

The university opened the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center in 2001, with its six state-of-the art performance halls, which has quickly become a center of cultural programming in the Washington metropolitan area. The university also boasts four art galleries and a broad range of public art throughout the beautiful campus. Additionally, intercollegiate, club and intramural sports provide students of all levels an opportunity to participate as spectators or athletes.

Did You Know?

In 1991, Maryland had one program listed among Top 25 entrants in the U.S. News & World Report Rankings. Maryland now has 79 programs ranked among the nation’s elite, and the university is ranked 18th nationally among public universities.

A report card published in Technology Review rated the top U.S. universities in their quest for intellectual property, commercial partners and profits. Johns Hopkins University and the University of Maryland (28th) were the Mid-Atlantic (Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, District of Columbia) schools to make the “campus patenting” top 50 list.

Black Issues In Higher Education ranked the university fourth nationally in bachelor’s degrees earned by African-American students at traditionally white schools. Maryland ranks first in African-American undergraduate degrees in social sciences and history.

The Wall Street Journal ranked the Robert H. Smith School of Business No. 15 among the world’s business schools. Maryland is the top-ranked school in the Mid-Atlantic region (Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia). The Financial Times of London ranked the Robert H. Smith School of Business No. 3 in value for money, No. 6 overall among U.S. public business schools and No. 12 in placement rate.

In the undergraduate program rankings released by U.S. News & World Report both the A. James Clark School of Engineering (No. 22) and the Robert H. Smith School of Business (No. 22) were ranked among the top 25.
William Apollony, ’69, Sociology
Senior Vice President, M&T Bank
Sade Baderinwa, ’93, Agriculture
Co Anchor, ABC 7 New York
Zvi Barzilay, ’73, Architecture
President, Toll Brothers Builders
Co-founder, Outback Steakhouse
Gail Berman, ’78, Theatre
President, Fox Entertainment
Bonnie Bernstein, ’92, Journalism
President, Velvet Hammer Media
Carl Bernstein, ’65, Arts & Sciences
Author, Watergate reporter
Eric Billings, ’77, Finance & Economics
CEO, Friedman, Billings, Ramsey Group
Tim Brant, ’73, Journalism
Sportscaster, ABC and Jefferson-Pilot
Hal Brierley, ’65, Chemical Engineering
Developer of frequent flyer programs
Sergey Brin, ’93, Mathematics
Co-founder, Google, Inc. search engine
Kenneth Broyd, ’64, Electrical Eng.
Former chairman, U.S. Export-Import Bank
John Brophy, ’71, History
Exec. Vice President, ACS Solutions
Vicky Bullet, ’90, General Studies
WNBA & U.S. Olympian
Dennis Cardozo, ’82, Gov./Politics
Congressman, California 18th District
Al Carey, ’78, Government
President, PepsiCo Sales
Connie Chung, ’69, Journalism
Emmy-winning Correspondent
Mark Cardi, ’83, Marketing
Producer, “The Rookie” & “Miracle”
A. James Clark ’50, Civil Eng.
President, Clark Enterprises
John Corliss, ’76, Gov./Politics
CEO, Homeland Security Corp.
Len Elmore, ’78, Speech
U.S. Olympian
Len Eimore, ’78, English
Senior Counsel, LeBoeuf, Lamb, Greene & McRae, LLP; ESPN Commentator
Gordon England, ’61, Electrical Engineering
Deputy Defense Secretary
Boomer Esiason, ’84, Undergraduate Studies
Sportscaster, former NFL player
Raul Fernandez, ’90, Economics
Chairman, ObjectVideo
Carl Fiorna, ’80, M.B.A.
Pioneering Woman CEO
Robert Fischell, ’53, M.S. Physics
Chairman, Fischell Biomedical, LLC
Jon Franklin, ’70, Journalism
Two-time Pulitzer Prize winner
Ralph Friedgen, ’70, P.E.
Head coach, University of Maryland football
Fred Funk, ’90, Criminology
Pro golfer
Tom Gallagher, ’70, Marketing
Chairman, President & CEO, Genuine Parts Co.
Joseph Gildenhem, ’51, Bus. Administration
Partner, The JBG Companies; retired US Ambassador
Dave Goldfarb, ’79, Accounting
CAO, Lehman Brothers
Michael Griffin, ’77, Ph.D.
Aerospace Engineering
Chief Administrator, NASA
Roger Hale, ’65, History
Board of Directors, H&R Block and Ashland Oil
Herbert Hauptmann, ’55, Math
Nobel Prize winner, physics
Jane Hanson, ’55, Art Education
Creator, The Muppets
Jim Henson, ’60, Home Economics
Creator, The Muppets
Donald Himefarb, ’87, History
CAO, Thrifty & Dollar Rental Cars
Steny Hoyer, ’63, Political Science
Congressman, Maryland 5th district
Harry Hughes, ’49, Bus. Admin.
Former governor of Maryland
Stan Jones, ’56, Education
NFL Hall of Fame inductee, ’91
Jeong Kim, ’91, Ph.D. Engineering
President, All labs
Jeffrey Kluger, ’78, Gov./Politics
Author, Apollo 13
Chris Kubasik, ’83, Accounting
E-VP & CFO, Lockheed Martin
Tim Kurkjian, ’78, Journalism
Reporter, ESPN & ESPN Magazine
John Lauer, ’63, Chemical Eng.
Non-Executive Chairman, Diebold, Inc.
George Laufer, ’51, Electrical Eng.
Inventor, Universal Price Code
Chairman, The LeFrak Organization
Liz Lerman, ’70, Dance
MacArthur Award Winner; Dance Co. Owner
Barbara Lucas, ’67, Gov./Politics
Senior Vice President, Black & Decker
Marvin Mandel, ’59, Arts & Law
Former governor of Maryland
Chair, Exec, Comm., Park Ave.
Equity Partners
Mark McEwen, ’78, Radio/TV/Film
Anchor, WMMG News 6 Orlando
Tom McMillen, ’74, Chemistry
CEO, Homeland Security Corp.
Mike Miller, ’64, Economics
President, Maryland Senate
Paul Mullan, ’68, Marketing; ’70, MBA
Strategic Partner, Charterhouse Group International
Renaldo Nehemiah, ’81, Radio/TV/Film
U.S. Track & Field Hall of Fame inductee, 1997
Paul Norris, ’71, M.B.A.
Non-Executive Chairman, W. R. Grace
Tom Norris, ’67, Sociology
Congressional Medal of Honor Winner
Jay Nussbaum, ’69, Journalism
Head of Sales, Citigroup
Preston Padden, ’70, Economics
Executive Vice President, Disney
George Pelecanos, ’88, Radio, TV, Film
Novelist
Chairman, Milestone Advisors
Kevin Plank, ’97, Business Admin.
Founder & CEO, Under Armour
Jesus Rangel, ’78, Journalism
Vice President, sales department, Anheuser-Busch
Robert Ratliff, ’58, Industrial Education
Chairman, Massey-Ferguson tractors
Judith Resnick, ’77, Electrical Engineering
Second woman in space; died in 86 Challenger explosion
Paul Richards, ’91, M.S. Electrical Eng.
NASA Astronaut
Jimmy Roberts, ’79, Radio/TV/Film
Reporter, NBC
Mark Rosenker, ’89, Radio/TV
Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board
Harvey Sanders, ’72, Journalism
Founder, Nautica Enterprises
Ben Scotti, ’59, Arts & Sciences
Original syndicator, Baywatch series
Tony Scotti, ’61, Arts & Sciences
Original syndicator, Baywatch series
David Simon, ’83, Undergraduate Studies
Creator TV series Homocide
Harry Smith, ’49, Electrical Eng.
Inventor, pulse doppler radar
Robert H. Smith, ’50, Accounting
Developer of Crystal City complex
Ed Snider, ’55, Accounting
Chairman, Philadelphia Flyers
Michele Snyder, ’86, Architecture
Minority Owner, Washington Redskins
Deborah Spero, ’70, English
Commissioner, U.S. Customs & Border Protection
Boxing Historian
Mark Turner, ’78, Urban Studies
President, Steak Escape restaurant chain
Joe Tydings, ’51, Arts-Law Attorney
Headed one of America’s top import companies
Scott Van Pelt, ’88, Radio, TV, Film
ESPN Anchor
Jim Walton, ’81, Radio/TV/Film
President, News Group, CNN
Michael Ward, ’72, Marketing
Chairman & CEO, CSX
Pam Ward, ’84, Radio/TV/Film
Co-anchor of ESPN and ESPNU
Randy White, ’74, P.E.
NFL Hall of Fame inductee, ’94
Dianne Wiest, ’69, Arts & Sciences
Two-time Academy Award winner
Gary Williams, ’68, Marketing
Head coach, University of Maryland men’s basketball
Morgan Woolen, ’56, Phys Ed.
U.S. Basketball Hall of Fame
Dennis Wrase, ’66, Accounting
Chairman, President & CEO, PEPCO Holdings
In September 1998, C. D. (Dan) Mote, Jr. began his tenure as President of the University of Maryland and Glenn L. Martin Institute Professor of Engineering. He was recruited to lead the University of Maryland to national eminence under a mandate by the state. Since assuming the presidency, he has encouraged an environment of excellence across the University and given new impetus to the momentum generated by a talented faculty and student body. Under his leadership, academic programs have flourished. In 2005, the University was ranked 18th among public research universities, up from 30th in 1998. President Mote has emphasized broad access to the university’s model, enriched undergraduate curriculum programs and launched the Baltimore Incentive Awards Program to recruit and provide full support to high school students of outstanding potential who have overcome extraordinary adversity during their lives.

He has spurred the university to lead the state in the development of its high-tech economy, especially in the information and communication, bioscience and biotechnology, and nano-technology sectors. President Mote has greatly expanded the university’s partnerships with corporate and federal laboratories and successfully negotiated to bring to the College Park area the first Science and research Park, The University of Maryland Enterprise Park, the Acoustical Society of America and the American Association for the Advancement of Science. In Spring 2005, he was named recipient of the 2005 J. P. Den Hartog award by the ASME International Technical Committee on Vibration and Sound to honor his lifelong contribution to the teaching and/or practice of vibration engineering. In Fall 2005, he received the 2005 Founders Award from the National Academy of Engineering in recognition of his comprehensive body of work on the dynamics of moving flexible structures and for leadership in academia.

He and his wife of over 40 years, Patricia Mote, have two married children, Melissa and Adam, and four grandchildren. Patsy Mote has continued her strong support of the arts and is spokesperson for the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center and a member of Prince George’s County Arts Commission.

Dr. Mote is a leader in the national dialogue on higher education and his analyses of shifting funding models have been featured in local and national media. He has testified on major educational issues before Congress, representing the University and higher education associations on the problem of visa barriers for international students and scholars and on deemed export control issues. He has been asked to serve on a high level National Academies Committee appointed at the request of the Senate Energy Subcommittee of the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee to identify challenges to United States leadership in key areas of science and technology and to be a member of the Leadership Council of the National Innovation Initiative, an activity of the Council on Competitiveness. He has served as vice chair of the Department of Defense Basic Research Committee, and is a member of the Council of the National Academy of Engineering. In 2004-2005, he served as President of the Atlantic Coast Conference. In its last ranking in 2002, “Washington Business Forward” magazine counted him among the top 20 most influential leaders in the region.

Prior to assuming the Presidency at Maryland, Dr. Mote served on the University of California, Berkeley faculty for 31 years. From 1991 to 1998, he was Vice Chancellor at Berkeley, held an endowed chair in Mechanical Systems, and was President of the UC Berkeley Foundation. He led a comprehensive capital campaign for Berkeley that raised $1.4 B. He earlier served as chair of Berkeley’s Department of Mechanical Engineering and led the department to its number one ranking in the National Research Council review of graduate program effectiveness.

Dr. Mote’s research lies in dynamic systems and biomechanics. Internationally recognized for his research on the dynamics of gyroscopic systems and the biomechanics of snow skiing, he has produced more than 300 publications, holds patents in the U.S., Norway, Finland and Sweden, and has mentored 56 Ph.D. students. He received the B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. in mechanical engineering from the University of California, Berkeley. President Mote has received numerous awards and honors, including the Humboldt Prize awarded by the Federal Republic of Germany. He is a recipient of the Berkeley Citation, an award from the University of California-Berkeley similar to the honorary doctorate, and was named Distinguished Engineering Alumnus. He has received two honorary doctorates. He is a member of the U.S. National Academy of Engineering and serves on its Council, and is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. He was elected to Honorary Membership in the ASME International, its most distinguished recognition, and is a Fellow of the International Academy of Wood Science, the Acoustical Society of America, and the American Association for the
Deborah A. Yow is in the 13th year of her outstanding tenure as director of athletics at the University of Maryland, a tenure that has seen unprecedented success and achievement in Maryland athletics. Each year has brought steady and continued improvement and accomplishment in Terrapin athletics. In Yow's 12 years at Maryland, the Terrapins have won a remarkable 13 national championships and graduated student-athletes at an enviable rate as Maryland athletics has soared to sustained new heights among the nation's elite intercollegiate athletic programs.

The comprehensive success of Terrapin athletics under Debbie Yow's leadership is a clear and compelling testimony of her values of excellence, teamwork and accountability.

Likewise, her prior election to the presidency of the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics is an indication of the wide respect with which she is regarded among its 6,100 members representing 1,600 colleges and universities in the U.S. and Canada.

She was honored recently by Street and Smith's Sports Business Journal as one of the 20 most influential people in intercollegiate athletics and she has received the Carl Maddox Sport Management Award presented by the United States Sports Academy for excellence in athletics administration.

Dr. Yow was selected to serve on the U.S. Department of Education's Commission on Opportunities in Athletics to review the status of Federal Title IX regulations. She recently served as the chair of the Atlantic Coast Conference Committee on Television. The committee is charged with overseeing the league's TV contracts and dealing with issues related to television. Yow led the committee during the successful renegotiation of comprehensive, multi-year ACC football and basketball contracts with ABC, ESPN, ESPN2 and syndication entities.

Additionally, she has represented intercollegiate athletics with presentations in a number of prominent settings such as the Harvard University School of Law conference on "Shaping the Future of Collegiate Athletics" and the Street and Smith's Sports Business Journal "National Forum on the Direction of Intercollegiate Athletics" in New York. She was also recently inducted into the State of Maryland Women's Hall of Fame and the North Carolina Sports Hall of Fame, joining fellow Terp Buck Williams as honorees.

Yow, who has served on the NCAA Management Council and the NCAA Division I Budget Committee, is a strong and steady voice on behalf of intercollegiate athletics in America.

Since taking over as AD at Maryland in 1994, she and her staff have:

• Transformed Terrapin athletics into a responsive, goal-oriented organization with 27 sports and more than 700 student-athletes.
• Balanced all 12 of the department's annual budgets (none of the budgets were balanced in the 10 years prior to her arrival). The budget has now reached $52 million annually and the multi-million dollar accumulated operating debt which her administration inherited has been eradicated.
• Greatly enhanced the academic support services provided for student-athletes, with an enviable exhausted eligibility graduation rate of approximately 85 percent for student athletes at Maryland.
• Led the Terrapins to a national all-sports ranking in the upper 7 percent of all NCAA Division I institutions.
• Significantly expanded marketing and fund-raising efforts on behalf of Terrapin athletics. As a result, private gifts to athletics have increased over 350 percent and corporate sponsorship revenues have increased by over 300 percent during her tenure at Maryland.
• Continued to dramatically improve venues and facilities for the department's 27 teams. The Comcast Center for men's and women's basketball and other sports that use the facility is a prime example of the dramatic upgrade of athletic facilities.
• Implemented a strategic management model.
• Developed a comprehensive Internet strategy with management, marketing and fund-raising applications.

In December of 2004, Deborah A. Yow was named one of the most influential people in college athletics by Street & Smith's Sports Business Journal.

Yow congratulates one of the members of the Maryland Competitive Cheer team that won the 2006 NCA Division I National Championship.
The most recent achievements of Maryland athletics are exceptional:

• Maryland captured a remarkable four national championships during the 2005-06 academic season.
• In 2005-06, the Terrapins achieved the highest student-athlete graduation rate in the history of Maryland athletics.
• Maryland was selected by U.S. News & World Report as one of the Top 20 athletic programs in the nation (for overall quality and competitive excellence).
• In 2005-06, Maryland Athletics won the inaugural PRISM Award as the most well-managed Division I collegiate athletics program in the nation.
• In men's basketball, the Terps won the Atlantic Coast Conference title over Duke in the championship game in 2004 and won the NCAA National Championship in 2002. Under Coach Gary Williams, the men's basketball team appeared in 11 consecutive NCAA Tournaments.
• Maryland was ranked as the sixth-finest athletic program in the nation by the Laboratory for the Study of Intercollegiate Athletics, based on comprehensive criteria such as graduation rates, financial efficiency, equity effectiveness and competitive excellence.
• Women's basketball won the 2006 NCAA National Championship under head coach Brenda Frese, completing an amazing turnaround that saw the program go from a 10-18 record to a National Championship in four seasons.
• In football, the Terps won the 2001 Atlantic Coast Conference championship and played in the 2002 Orange Bowl, followed that with an 11-win season and a 30-3 victory over the University of Tennessee in the Peach Bowl, again followed by a 10-win season and a 41-7 win over West Virginia in the Gator Bowl on New Year's Day 2004. Graduation rates in football are near 80 percent and the program was recently recognized by the American Football Coaches Association for its academic excellence under Coach Ralph Friedgen.
• Additionally, Maryland is one of only two universities in the nation to win National Championships in men's basketball, women's basketball and football. Stanford is the only other NCAA Division I institution to achieve that mark.
• Set an ACC single-game record for women's basketball attendance by drawing 17,243 to a regular-season game at Comcast Center.
• Hired Dave Cottle, the third-winningest active men's lacrosse coach in the U.S., who guided his team to the NCAA Final Four three times in the past four seasons.
• Field Hockey earned a National Championship in 2005-06 and has become a perennial participant in the Final Four in that sport.
• Women's Lacrosse has continued its winning ways with seven national championships from 1995-2001, with additional Final Four appearances.
• Men's Soccer has appeared in four consecutive Final Fours and won the NCAA National Championship in the 2005-06 season.

As a manager and a leader, she clearly models these principles. She is the only known current AD in NCAA Division I who has hired both the National Coach of the Year in football (while at Maryland) and the National Coach of the Year in men's basketball (while at Saint Louis University). In 2002, she brought to the University of Maryland Brenda Frese, who at that time was the National Coach of the Year in women's basketball. Four years later, Frese led the Terrapins to the NCAA National Championship at the Women's Final Four in Boston.

Dr. Yow is known as "a coach's AD," while also being highly organized and a strategic and proactive leader and administrator. Quite simply, Debbie Yow personifies the relational and management dynamics that are necessary to be an excellent administrator.

A successful former basketball coach at the University of Kentucky and University of Florida, she moved into athletics administration at the University of Florida and the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, followed by a successful tenure as AD at Saint Louis University from 1990 through 1994.

She has authored numerous articles and books on athletics management and human behavior, and is a respected leader in intercollegiate athletics in the United States.

Summing up the entire Maryland athletics program, our athletics director recently stated, "We have the finest student-athletes, coaches, support staff and administrative team in America. It is because of their courage, hard work and cooperative spirit that we now have a strong, viable athletic program. I am immensely proud of each of them. I am equally proud of our Terrapin fans who buy tickets, our Terrapin Club members who faithfully support the Maryland athletic program with their donations for scholarships, and the M Club members who serve and give liberally. We are blessed with a terrific President, Dr. Dan Mote, who has fostered a mindset of excellence across our institution. He is a strong and balanced advocate for what he calls 'the three A's of the University -- Academics, the Arts and Athletics.' We have a great Terrapin family. That's the foundation for all of our success... and the basis for our bright future. It's a great time to be a Terp."
ACADEMIC SUPPORT & CAREER DEVELOPMENT

The University of Maryland is committed to providing the highest quality education to all of its students. The Department of Intercollegiate Athletics strives to provide student-athletes excellent opportunities to participate in an intercollegiate athletics program of the highest quality, with the result that their athletics participation becomes an integral and valued component of their total educational experience at the university.

Terrapin student-athletes will find that the same hard work and discipline that has earned them success in athletics competition is also required in the classroom. Balancing the significant time demands and responsibilities required to be a successful student-athlete at the highest collegiate level is no small task. Therefore, as a result of their commitment to representing the university through athletics, Terrapin student-athletes are able to utilize support programs designed to meet their specific needs.

Led by associate athletics director Anton Goff, the mission of the Academic Support and Career Development Unit (ASCDU) is to provide quality developmental programs and need-based services that will enhance academic progress, facilitate career development, and encourage the psychosocial growth of all UM student-athletes.

The Gossett Academic Support and Career Development Center for Terrapin student-athletes, named for long-time Terp supporters Barry and Mary Gossett, is located in the Comcast Center. It features a study center that includes 25 desktop computers, a tutoring center, a classroom, a CHAMPS/Life Skills resource room and individual offices for six professional academic counselors, a director of enrichment programs, an assistant program coordinator and two graduate assistants. In addition, a new academic wing was added to the Gossett football team house last Fall. It features offices for two counselors, a program assistant and the learning specialist; as well as a quiet study area, 29-desk computer lab, classroom, tutor rooms and classroom/lab for the individualized learning program.

Academic courses, programs and services offered by ASCDU include the following:

- Student-athlete orientation
- Academic counseling
- NCAA academic eligibility monitoring
- Academic enrichment and career development presentations and workshops
- Accredited tutorial support
- Individualized learning program
- EDCP 108-K (College learning strategies and skills)
- EDCP 108-M (Math learning strategies and skills)
- UNIV 100 (First-year transitions to the university)

MARYLAND GAMEPLAN

The Maryland Gameplan is intended to assist graduating Terrapin student-athletes as they begin the job search process. It is distributed to more than 500 corporations and businesses across the country, in addition to being featured on the M Club website. Prospective employers are introduced to our graduating student-athletes with resume information relative to academic, career and personal achievements. The Maryland Gameplan directory is produced annually in collaboration with the M Club.

CAREER NETWORKING NIGHT

Because career development is an ongoing process, ASCDU provides a variety of programs for student-athletes throughout the year. Professional assistance with resume-writing, interviewing skills, graduate school search and job search is readily available to all student-athletes. During the spring semester ASCDU hosts the Career Networking Night, where student-athletes can learn about career interests and career planning. Unlike typical “job fairs,” the purpose of this program is to allow student-athletes to explore multiple career opportunities by speaking directly to individuals in their chosen areas of interest. Employers at the Career Networking Night recognize the marketable qualities student-athletes have gained through athletic participation. Student-athletes learn about opportunities for internships and full-time jobs.

STUDENT-ATHLETE ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Student-Athlete Advisory Council (S.A.A.C.) plays an important role in the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics. It consists of two representatives from each varsity sport and meets on a regular basis with representatives from the athletic administration. The S.A.A.C. mission is to enhance the total student-athlete experience by developing leadership skills, promoting student-athlete welfare and fostering a positive student-athlete image on the Maryland campus, local area and nationally.

CHAMPS/LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMS

ASCU houses the NCAA's (National Collegiate Athletic Association) Challenging Athletes’ Minds for Personal Success (C.H.A.M.P.S.) Life Skills Program. The ASCDU staff, in collaboration with various other Department of Intercollegiate Athletics’ units and campus resources, strives to provide a systematic personal development program designed to reach each student-athlete based on his or her individual needs. The focus of the program is on the individual academically, athletically and emotionally, and on the changing needs and skills of that individual in the years during college and after graduation. The menu of presentations, workshops and seminars is a comprehensive and balanced system of “life learning” programs promoted for use by each varsity sport team.
Highlights of the CHAMPS/Life Skills Programs:
- Support efforts of every student-athlete toward intellectual development and graduation
- Use athletics as preparation for success in life
- Meet the changing needs of student-athletes
- Promote respect for diversity among student-athletes
- Enhance interpersonal relationships in the lives of student-athletes
- Assist student-athletes in building positive self-esteem
- Enable student-athletes to make meaningful contributions to their communities
- Promote ownership by the student-athletes of their academic, athletic, personal and social responsibilities
- Enhance partnerships between the NCAA, member institutions and their communities for the purpose of education
- Encourage the development of leadership skills

CHAMPS/LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMS COMMITMENT STATEMENTS
Commitment to Academic Excellence
To support the academic progress of the student-athlete toward intellectual development and graduation.

Commitment to Athletic Excellence
To build philosophical foundations for the development of athletic programs that are broad-based, equitable and dedicated to the well-being of the student-athlete.

Commitment to Personal Development
To support the development of a well-balanced lifestyle for student-athletes, encouraging emotional well-being, personal growth and decision-making skills.

Commitment to Career Development
To encourage the student-athlete to develop and pursue career and life goals.

Commitment to Service
To engage student-athletes in service to his/her campus and surrounding communities.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT FOR RETURNING ATHLETES PROGRAM
The Academic Support for Returning Athletes Program was created in 1986 to support the academic efforts of former varsity student-athletes at the University of Maryland, College Park. In 1989, ASRAP was assigned by the President’s Office to the Academic Achievements Program and enrolled 40 students that year. As a member of the National Consortium for Academics and Sports (NCAS), the University of Maryland is committed to assisting its former athletes with degree completion. A key component of the program is community outreach. Each returning student completes a “workship” that allows the cost of tuition and fees to be exchanged for community services with youth. In 2002, ASRAP moved into the ASCDU.

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS OF STUDY

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES (ARHU)
American Studies
Studio Art
Art History and Archaeology
Asian and East European Languages and Cultures
Central European, Russian, and Eurasian Studies
Classics
Communication
Comparative Literature
Dance
English Language and Literature
French and Italian Languages and Literatures
Germanic Studies
History
Jewish Studies
Linguistics
Music/Music Performance
Music Education
Philosophy
Romance Languages
Spanish and Portuguese Languages and Literatures
Theatre
Women’s Studies

COLLEGE OF BEHAVIORAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (BSOS)
African American Studies
Anthropology
Criminology and Criminal Justice
Economics
Environmental Science and Policy
Geography
Government and Politics
Hearing and Speech Sciences
Psychology
Sociology

COLLEGE OF NATURAL RESOURCES (AGNR)
Agricultural and Resource Economics
Agricultural Sciences, General
Animal and Avian Sciences
Biological Resources Engineering
Environmental Science and Policy
Landscape Architecture
Natural Resources Management
Natural Resource Sciences
Nutrition and Food Sciences

ROBERT H. SMITH SCHOOL OF BUSINESS (BMGT)
Accounting
Decision and Information Technologies
Finance
General Business and Management
Logistics, Transportation, and Supply Chain Management
Marketing
Operations and Quality Management

COLLEGE OF COMPUTER, MATHEMATICAL, AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES (CMPS)
Astronomy
Computer Engineering
Computer Science
Environmental Science and Policy
Geology
Mathematics
Physical Sciences
Physics

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION (EDUC)
Early Childhood Education
Elementary Education
Secondary Education
Special Education
Art
English
Foreign Language
Mathematics
Science
Social Studies
Speech and English
Theatre and English

A. JAMES CLARK SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING (ENGR)
Aerospace Engineering
Biological Resources Engineering
Chemical Engineering
Civil and Environmental Engineering
Computer Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Engineering (B.S. in)
Fire Protection Engineering
Materials Science and Engineering
Mechanical Engineering

COMBINED PROGRAMS
Arts - Dentistry
Arts - Law
Biochemistry/Pharmacy
Animal Science/Veterinary Medicine

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND PERFORMANCE (HLP)
Family Studies
Public and Community Health
Kinesiology
Physical Education

PHILIP MERRILL COLLEGE OF JOURNALISM (JOUR)
Journalism

COLLEGE OF LIFE SCIENCES (LFSC)
Biochemistry
Biological Sciences
Chemistry
Environmental Science and Policy
Microbiology

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES (UGST)
Civics
College Park Scholars
Division of Letters and Sciences
Gemstone
Individual Studies Program
Law and Health Professions
Pre-Dental Hygiene
Pre-Dentistry
Pre-Law
Pre-Biomedical Science Research and Medical Technology
Pre-Medicine
Pre-Nursing
Pre-Occupational Therapy
Pre-Optometry
Pre-Osteopathic Medicine
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Physical Therapy
Pre-Physician Assistant
Pre-Podiatric Medicine
Pre-Veterinary Medicine
University Honors Program

CAMPUS-WIDE CERTIFICATES
Air Force Aerospace Studies
Army ROTC
African American Studies
Asian-American Studies
East Asian Studies
International Agriculture and Natural Resources
Latin-American Studies
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Studies
Science, Technology, and Society
Women’s Studies

MULTI-COLLEGE PROGRAMS
Computer Engineering (CMPS, ENGR)
Environmental Science and Policy (AGNR, BSOS, CMPS, LFSC)
In today’s highly competitive world of collegiate football, the off-field preparation of the student-athlete is a critical component to the on-field success of any Division I program. Dwight Galt, Maryland’s director of strength and conditioning, believes strongly that a solid off-field training program can dramatically improve levels of performance, as well as significantly reduce the chance of injury. The benefit of performing structured strength and power training throughout the entire year has allowed the Terps to reach new levels in physical development.

At the University of Maryland, the maximal development of athleticism is the primary goal of the strength and conditioning program. To accomplish this requires more than just strength and power training in the weight room. Speed improvement, agility, flexibility, conditioning, plyometrics and nutrition also play critical roles. The Terps’ strength staff places substantial emphasis on all these areas, with special attention to the improvement of speed potential. Galt and his staff employ a wide range of state-of-the-art training methods to assist in enhancing all aspects of speed development.

The Terrapins are fortunate to train in one of the premier weight training facilities in the country. Conveniently located in the Gossett Football Team House, this facility has excellent aesthetic appeal, with two magnificent skylights and large windows overlooking the playing field at Byrd Stadium. The Terps’ spacious weight room includes 7,200 square feet of functional floor space, with two elevated offices that are easily accessible to the training floor.

Maryland football players train with some of the best equipment available, including 20,000 pounds of customized York free weights, seven pieces of Keiser progressive air resistance machines, and a full line of Hammer strength equipment. The weight complex also features immense, self-contained power rack stations, Olympic lifting platforms with Eleiko bumper plates and 10 upper body pressing stations.

A meaningful goal of every Terrapin football player is achievement of the prestigious “Iron Terp” award, which is recognized twice a year to those team members who achieve extremely challenging strength goals, based on body weight. It is a great honor and matter of pride to earn an “Iron Terp” award, and the Terps must “pay the toll” to accomplish this.
The University of Maryland Department of Intercollegiate Athletics and the University of Maryland Medical Center’s Sports Medicine program have joined forces to provide the best possible medical attention and care to all Terrapin student-athletes.

Says Deborah A. Yow, Maryland’s director of athletics: “When we recruit student-athletes to play for Maryland, we owe them the best education, the best coaching and the best comprehensive health care. It is especially gratifying for us to partner with our medical center in the same fashion as other ACC institutions do with their medical schools.”

**DARRYL CONWAY**

Assistant AD/Sports Medicine
Delaware ‘93
Third Year at Maryland

Darryl Conway was hired in June 2004 as Maryland’s assistant athletics director for sports medicine after spending three years as the head athletic trainer at the University of Central Florida. Conway will oversee all medical and athletic training operations for the Terrapins’ 27 varsity athletic programs.

Conway, who has been an athletic trainer at both the collegiate and professional levels, comes to the Terrapins after serving as head athletic trainer at the University of Central Florida for three years. There he was the head trainer for the Golden Knight football squad while supervising the assistant trainers, graduate assistants and student assistants who provide training coverage of Central Florida’s 17 varsity sports. At UCF, Conway was responsible for overseeing the compilation and input of daily medical records, the computerized injury surveillance program and the NCAA injury surveillance system. He served as a clinical instructor/field experience supervisor for athletic training students, assisted in the development of marketing and fundraising projects for the sports medicine department and served as the site coordinator for the NCAA drug testing program at UCF.

Prior to his position at Central Florida, Conway served as the Director of Sports Medicine at the University of Northern Iowa, working as the head trainer for the Panthers’ football and men’s basketball teams from 1999 to 2001. He was the head athletic trainer at Morgan State University in Baltimore for one season and was an assistant trainer and professor at Delaware, his alma mater, for two years. From 1993 to 1996, Conway was an assistant trainer with the NFL’s New York Jets.

Conway earned a bachelor’s degree in physical education studies, magna cum laude, from the University of Delaware in 1993, before receiving a master’s degree in physical education and a certificate in sports management from Adelphi University two years later.

Conway has taught numerous collegiate courses related to athletic training, has made numerous presentations and has co-authored several scholarly publications and book chapters. He has been a member of the National Athletic Trainers’ Association (NATA) since 1989, and is also a member of the United States Weightlifting Federation.

Conway and his wife, Tracy, have a son, Michael.

**CRAIG BENNETT, M.D.**

Head Team Physician/Orthopaedic Surgeon Third Year

Craig H. Bennett, M.D., is in his third season as the head team physician and orthopaedic surgeon for Maryland. Dr. Bennett is the Chief of Orthopaedic Sports Medicine at the University of Maryland School of Medicine and has also served as the head orthopaedic surgeon for the NFL’s Baltimore Ravens. Prior to his arrival at Maryland, Dr. Bennett was at the University of Pittsburgh where he served as an assistant professor of orthopaedics, as a team physician for Pittsburgh’s athletic department and as the associate team physician for the Pittsburgh Steelers.

A native of Buffalo, N.Y., Dr. Bennett graduated with honors from Brown University in 1985. He earned his medical degree from the University of California at San Francisco and completed his residency in orthopaedic surgery at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. He then completed a sports medicine-knee and shoulder fellowship at the University of Pittsburgh and subsequently stayed on staff at Pittsburgh for five years. While at Pittsburgh, he also served as the team physician for the men’s basketball team.

Dr. Bennett was selected to the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Leadership Fellows Program in 2003-04 and Towson University honored him as their African-American Scholar of the Year in 2004. He is a board certified member of the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery and a member of the NFL Team Physicians Association.

**YVETTE ROOKS, M.D.**

Primary Care Physician
Ninth Year

Dr. Yvette Rooks is in her ninth year as a primary care physician for Maryland’s athletics programs. Dr. Rooks graduated from Update Medical School/Health Science Center in Syracuse, N.Y., in 1993. She completed her residency in family medicine and a sports medicine fellowship at the University of Maryland, Baltimore, and is currently an assistant professor in the Department of Family Medicine at the University of Maryland School of Medicine.

In addition, Rooks the Residency Program Director in the Department of Family Medicine at University of Maryland Medical School. She also serves as the Director of the Primary Care Sports Medicine Fellowship.

Rooks graduated with honors from the State University of New York at Albany where she was a four-year starter on the volleyball team. She currently lives in Ellicot City, Md., and has an eight-year old daughter, Madison.

**BRIAN CORWELL, M.D.**

Primary Care Physician
First Year

Dr. Brian Corwell is in his first year as a primary care team physician at the University of Maryland. He graduated from Tufts University in 1996 with a degree in biology and psychology. He then completed a pre-doctoral clinical fellowship at the National Institute of Health.

Dr. Corwell earned his medical degree from the University of Maryland in 2002, where he was a frequent volunteer in the College Park athletic clinic. Dr. Corwell completed his residency in Emergency Medicine at the Harvard Affiliated Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center. He then returned to the University of Maryland to complete a fellowship in Sports Medicine. He has lectured and authored numerous publications on the subjects of Emergency and Sports Medicine.

Dr. Corwell lives in Baltimore with his wife, Viveka and newborn son, Gabriel.
ATHLETIC DEVELOPMENT

TERRAPIN CLUB

Athletic excellence is a tradition at the University of Maryland—a tradition alumni and friends alike want to see continue and flourish. That’s why we are inviting you to be a member of the Maryland Athletics Family by joining the Terrapin Club. Whether you are an alumnus of the University of Maryland or a friend interested in supporting the state’s flagship campus, belonging to the Terrapin Club enables you to:

• Provide annual scholarship support for our student-athletes who will contribute to the community
• Share our vision to fully scholarship all sports to best represent the University
• Take pride in the achievement of athletic excellence
• Participate in the camaraderie and fellowship unique to Terrapin Club members
• Receive a tax deduction for your financial contribution for scholarships
• Enjoy access to great benefits including priority seating in Byrd Stadium for football and Comcast Center for basketball, priority parking and tickets to other events

At Maryland, the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics operates without significant University funding and receives no state appropriations or tax dollars for operational expenses. Sanctioned by the University of Maryland College Park Foundation, 100% of the funds raised through the Terrapin Club are managed by the Foundation for the exclusive use of Maryland Athletics. Your contribution directly supports an annual student-athlete scholarship cost of over $8 million and Terrapin Club and Athletics. Your contribution directly supports an annual student-athlete scholarship cost of over $8 million and Terrapin Club and department expenses. The Terrapin Club provides scholarship support to many of the 700 student-athletes who compete on 27 varsity teams representing the University of Maryland.

Getting Involved

Direct Gifts are the most common way of contributing. They are made in the form of cash, stock, checks or credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express or Discover). For your convenience, a personal checking account can be debited a set amount every month.

In many cases, corporate matching gifts may be used to make your Terrapin Club contribution. Please contact your employer to see if you are eligible for a matching gift program.

| Contribution Levels | Current Graduate | Recent Graduate | $25 (year 1 after graduation) | Recent Graduate | $75 (year 2 after graduation) | Bronze | $50 | Silver | $125-$249 | Silver 250 | $250-$599 | Gold | $600-$1,199 | Diamondback | $1,200-$1,999 | Super Terrapin | $2,000-$4,999 | Coaches Club | $5,000-$9,999 | Top Tier | $10,000 and More |
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THE M CLUB
An 83-Year Tradition of “Athletes Helping Athletes”

The M Club was founded in 1923 by a group of former University of Maryland athletes led by Dr. H.C. “Curley” Byrd to encourage excellence in athletics. It is one of the oldest and most respected letterwinner clubs in the country with an organization of more than 4,500 former Maryland varsity athletes and a leader in the National Letter Winners Association.

The M Club goals are to help achieve the very best overall academic and athletic program for all the varsity teams, to aid the athletes in making positive contributions to the community, to obtain and maintain funds for awards and scholarships and to cultivate networking, social contact and good sportsmanship among the wearers of the “M.”

Membership participation, through the payment of annual dues, helps build the scholarship endowment fund, support student-athletes’ awards and recognition efforts and provide for career development initiatives. Members receive information about the current teams and news about former teammates through a monthly electronic newsletter and a quarterly printed newsletter.

In addition, active members receive information about, and discounts for, various M Club activities. Many benefits are intangible, though, including the satisfaction of having lettered at a great university and being a part of a unique and exclusive organization that is nationally recognized.

University of Maryland letterwinners interested in the M Club should call David Diehl at (301) 314-5372 or Dotti Warren at (301) 314-7020, or visit our website at www.themclub.org.

Remember the M Club, “Athletes Helping Athletes.”

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BYRD STADIUM EXPANSION APPROVED

A proposal to borrow funds to expand Byrd Stadium was approved by the University System of Maryland Board of Regents at its June meeting. The initial phase of Byrd Stadium expansion will add approximately 50 suites, mezzanine seats, a large area to host guests of the University President, work areas for media, work areas for coaches and game day staff, and enhanced seating for disabled customers. Other planned improvements including field level enhancements, which would also dramatically improve seating views in the first ten rows, adding chairbacks to select areas, and additional grandstand capacity.

The next steps in the process are to hire an architect and locate a sponsor to name the field. Work on both items is progressing.

MAJOR GIFTS FUNDRAISING

The University of Maryland is about to launch its largest fund-raising campaign ever in our quest to be one of the top public research universities in the nation. The Department of Intercollegiate Athletics will have a challenging, major goal for private donations to the campaign. We are seeking gifts to improve our athletic facilities and endow scholarships for student-athletes to a level that matches the university’s great expectations for the future.

During this new campaign, the Athletics Major Gifts staff will raise money for capital improvements to our football facilities, Varsity Team House, Ludwig Field, Shipley Field and others that will benefit our entire athletics program. Major gifts for facility renovation and scholarship endowment are an opportunity to have your name permanently and prominently linked with the tradition of Maryland Athletics. Many exciting naming opportunities for athletic facilities (such as Field Hockey/Women’s Lacrosse Stadium and the Softball Stadium) are available in recognition of major gifts.

To obtain information on facility naming opportunities or endowments for student-athlete scholarships, please contact the Athletics Major Gifts Office at (301) 314-7020, or toll-free at 800-653-7667, or by e-mail at terrapinclub@umd.edu.
TERPS ON THE RADIO

All of Maryland’s games will be broadcast live on the Terrapin Sports Radio Network, which boasts one of the strongest coverage areas in college sports. Terrapin Sports Marketing, a division of Viacom Sports, manages the Terrapin Sports Radio Network. In its fourth year as the multi-media marketing rights partner for University of Maryland Athletics, Terrapin Sports Marketing has built a stronger network that provides coverage in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, and Washington DC.

Live 105.7 FM (WHFS) and ESPN Radio 1300 AM (WJFK-AM) in Baltimore serve as network’s flagship stations, with many more affiliates across the state picking up the games.

Maryland’s broadcasts will be accessible on the Internet via the Terps official athletics website, www.umterps.com.

JOHNNY HOLLIDAY

Play-by-Play Announcer 28th Year

Johnny Holliday, now in his 28th year as “Voice of the Terps,” is considered one of the finest play-by-play announcers in the country. In addition to calling the action for the Maryland football and basketball teams, Holliday hosts the Ralph Friedgen and Gary Williams television shows. As the Terps’ director of broadcasting, he also handles a myriad of speaking duties within the athletics department, ranging from banquets to golf outings.

Holliday has broadcast more than 1,000 Maryland football and basketball games in his 27 years with the Terps, including nine football bowl games, 10 Sweet 16 basketball contests, two Final Fours and the 2002 Men’s Basketball National Championship triumph over Indiana.

In addition to his work with Maryland, Holliday is also in his 25th year with ABC Sports, where he can be heard calling games of the SEC, the ACC, the Pac-12 and the Mountain West. Holliday is also presented the Chris Schenkel Award from the National Football Foundation.

In addition to his broadcasting accomplishments, Holliday is just as proud of the charitable work he has done in the community.

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Holliday is the proud father of three: Dr. Kellie Smaldore, an internal medicine physician in Bel Air, Md.; Tracie Rolle, a NICU nurse at Shady Grove Hospital in Rockville, Md.; and Moira McCarthy, a stay-at-home mother in Jacksonville, Fla.

In addition to his broadcasting career, Holliday also claims Washington’s most versatile broadcaster, and among the best nationally. Whether it be in radio, where he was named America’s No. 1 disc jockey during his rock ‘n roll deejay days, to his public address duties with the Cleveland Browns, Oakland Raiders, and Golden State Warriors, to his work in Washington television for the Senators and Bullets, Holliday makes a complicated business look easy.

He brings that ease to the Maryland coaches’ television shows on Comcast SportsNet. Holliday is among the pioneer broadcasters for the sport of women’s basketball, earning a Distinguished Service Award from ACC women’s basketball officials for his work on that league’s women’s basketball telecasts. Additionally, Holliday was named one of the nation’s top 15 radio announcers for college basketball by ESPN’s Dick Vitale and earned the 2005 Lindsey Nelson Outstanding Sportscaster Award from the American Football Foundation. In 2006, he was also presented the Chris Schenkel Award from the National Football Foundation.

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TIM STRACHAN

Sideline Reporter 11th Year

Former DeMatha standout Tim Strachan is in his 11th season as the sideline reporter on Maryland’s football broadcasts. Strachan, a 1999 graduate of the University of Maryland with a degree in communication, was a student assistant coach with the Terps from 1996-99. He graduated from Georgetown University Law Center in the spring of 2004.

Strachan, who was paralyzed in a swimming accident before his senior year of high school, launched T13 Charities — A Foundation for Spinal Cord Injuries as a way to benefit others with spinal cord injuries. He is a professional motivational speaker and also is a freelance reporter for the Ralph Friedgen and Gary Williams coaches’ television shows. He was named the 1999 Washingtonian of the Year by Washingtonian magazine.
CREDENTIALS
Credentials and working space for media members are issued at the sole and exclusive discretion of the University of Maryland Athletics Media Relations Office. Issuance of credentials may be based on the following priorities and guidelines:

2. Daily newspapers regularly covering the University of Maryland, the current-game opponent or another Atlantic Coast Conference school. Wire services, regional and national publications are also afforded this priority.
3. Non-originating radio and television personnel producing reports on the game. Only local radio stations with a full-time sports director conducting a regular sports show receive consideration for credentials.
4. Officially recognized University of Maryland daily student publications or student electronic media outlets with daily sports reports.
5. Non-daily newspapers or publications reporting on the game.

OTHER GUIDELINES

• Season media credentials are issued to those outlets which cover Maryland Athletics on a regular basis. They do not guarantee working space in media work areas.
• With the exception of Terrapin beat reporters covering the team on a daily basis and producing daily reports, all passes are approved and issued on a game-by-game basis.
• Passes are non-transferable and are subject to immediate revocation if transferred to non-working members of a media outlet.
• Due to limited space and to ensure compliance with NCAA guidelines, no credentials will be issued to “free-lance” writers or photographers without a specific assignment received in writing by the assigning organization.
• The University of Maryland and the NCAA prohibit the issuance of credentials to representatives of an organization that regularly publishes gambling information, such as “tout sheets” or “tip sheets.”
• Credentials are issued to web sites that are affiliated with national or regional media organizations, e.g. USA Today.com, ESPN.com, CBS SportsLine, etc., for web sites of Atlantic Coast Conference schools or non-conference opponents, or for the Atlantic Coast Conference office.

• Web sites that sponsor “message boards” or “chat rooms” where people are allowed to post anonymous information or rumors are ineligible for credentials or access to media functions. If a news-gathering medium has an online site that sponsors these anonymous forums, they may continue to request credentials under their traditional medium (newspaper, magazine, radio or television), but will not be granted additional passes or access for online staff.
• All persons picking up credentials will be required to furnish positive identification. All credentials are non-transferable, and no credentials will be issued to those under the age of 18.

CREDENTIAL REQUESTS
Credential requests must be made by sports editors or sports directors on official letterhead no later than five days prior to an event. They should be sent to the attention of Ann Cabañas, Athletic Media Relations Office, University of Maryland, 2725 Comcast Center, College Park, MD 20741-0295. They may also be faxed to 301-314-9094. No credential requests will be accepted via e-mail or by phone.

Admission to media facilities are for working media only.

E-MAIL SERVICE
Football releases can be obtained electronically by contacting Greg Creese at gcreese@umd.edu. List TERP NEWS in the subject heading, and include the name of your media outlet and phone number in your message. (This is a media service only).

INTERNET GUIDELINES
The acceptance of media credentials is an acknowledgement of the University of Maryland’s rights to the game and play-by-play coverage and an outlet’s agreement to abide by any restrictions the University of Maryland may place on real-time play-by-play coverage and use of comprehensive game statistics. Failure to abide by these restrictions implemented by the University of Maryland may result in revocation of press credentials. Maryland reserves the right to grant approval for distribution of real-time play-by-play, game-related statistics and information through the Internet (“real time” is defined as any online media providing live continual play-by-play coverage, in-game statistics, digital photographs, or audio or video of an event).

PARKING
Game-day press parking is located in the Union Lane Garage which is adjacent to Cole Field House and along Field House Drive. The parking garage is best accessed from the Stadium Drive entrance to campus. Access is via pass only and is available on a limited basis.

PHOTOGRAPHY REGULATIONS
Photo passes will be issued only to accredited photographers on assignment. Photographers should obtain an armband from the media-relations assistant on the field below Section 28 to gain admittance to the field. Under NCAA and ACC rules, photographers are not allowed between the 25-yard lines and must remain outside of the restraining lines surrounding the playing field. Photographers are expected to comply with all University regulations and policies. Any photographer or any media member not complying with instructions of University staff may be required to surrender their credentials.

PLAYER INTERVIEWS
All player interviews must be arranged through Greg Creese or the Terps’ assistant football contact. Players and coaches have been instructed not to participate in interviews unless they have been arranged through the Media Relations Office. Interviews will be conducted Tuesday through the start of practice on Thursday. No interviews will be allowed on Sunday or Friday. Player phone numbers will not be released, and members of the media are asked not to attempt to contact student-athletes or relatives on the telephone or via e-mail. Players are not available for live call-in radio shows.

POSTGAME INTERVIEWS
Head coach Ralph Friedgen and selected players will be brought to the Gossett Team House Dining Facility on the main floor of the Gossett Football Team House for postgame interviews following home games. The team room is accessed through the front door of the complex, located one level above the playing field. Interviews with the visiting team coach and players will be coordinated by the opponent SID staff and specifics announced in the press box on game day. The interview area for the opposing coach is in the weight room of the Varsity Team House, located outside the stadium on the opposite side of the field from the Tsyer Tower Press Box (unless otherwise stated). The Terps follow similar guidelines for coach and player interviews for road games.

Maryland’s locker room is closed following games.

PRACTICE COVERAGE
Only the first five periods (approx. 30 minutes) of practice are open. Media wishing to attend practice should contact the Media Relations Office in advance. All members of the media are asked to view practice from the sloped portion of the field (along Stadium Drive). Once the team goes into pads in the fall, TV-b roll and still photographers will be allowed to shoot warm-ups, stretching drills and the first four periods of practice. Team meetings before, during and after practice are private. Practices generally begin at 3:45 p.m. and conclude at 6 p.m. The team does not practice on Sunday during the season with the exception of the weeks on Thursday night games.

RALPH FRIEDGEN INTERVIEWS
Coach Friedgen will be available to the media at his weekly Tuesday media luncheons, which begin at 1 p.m. in the Gossett Team House Dining Facility. Friedgen will also be available on the weekly ACC Teleconference held each Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. ET.

STAYING IN COLLEGE PARK
Hotels
UMUC Inn & Conference Center: 301-985-7310
Greenbriar Marriott: 301-441-3760
Best Western Maryland Inn: 301-474-2800
Greenbelt Holiday Inn: 301-982-7000
College Park Holiday Inn: 301-345-6700
College Park Comfort Suites: 301-441-8110
Courtyard by Marriott: 301-441-3311
Quality Inn: 301-345-8520
Days Inn: 301-345-5000

Restaurants
R.J. Bentley’s: 301-277-8989
9th Aero Squadron: 301-699-9400
Applebees: 301-864-6118
Benjamin’s: 301-982-9780
Chef’s Secret: 301-345-6101
Chipotle: 240-582-0015
Cornerstone: 301-779-7044
Ledo’s: 301-422-8622
New York Deli: 301-345-0386
Santa Fe Cafe: 301-775-1345
Sir Walter Raleigh Inn: 301-474-6500
TGI Friday’s: 301-345-2503
Local Taxi Cabs
Bonnette Sedan Taxi Service: 301-422-2687
Capital Cab Company: 301-322-8877
Greenbriar Cab Company: 301-577-2000

TOP 10 BLOGS
- Terrapin Weekly
- True Fans of the Terps
- Spread Eagle
- Maryland FanZone
- Maryland Football Daily
- Terrapin Network
- The Daily Terp
- Game Time Maryland
- The Midfielder
- Tidewater Sports
GAME WEEK MEDIA SCHEDULE

Sunday
• Updated offensive statistics posted on www.umterps.com by 1:00 p.m.

Monday
• Weekly release posted on www.umterps.com by 2 p.m.
• Weekly release e-mailed by 5 p.m.
• ACC players of the week announced

Tuesday
• Coach Friedgen media luncheon, 1 p.m. (Gossett Team House Dining Facility) (One-on-ones with Coach Friedgen are NOT available)
• Selected player interviews following media luncheon (Gossett Team House Dining Facility)
• Coach Friedgen press conference quotes posted on www.umterps.com by 3 p.m.
• Press conference can be heard live on www.wmucsports.com
• Players available by appointment for electronic interviews following practice
• Players may return phone calls to out-of-town media following practice (after 6:30 p.m.)
• Friedgen and players attending luncheon not available after practice.

Wednesday
• Coach Friedgen on ACC teleconference (11:30 a.m.)
• ACC weekly satellite feed during the afternoon
• Players available following practice
• Players may return phone calls to out-of-town media following practice (after 6:30 p.m.)
• Coach Friedgen available for brief post-practice interview

Thursday
• No player availability after practice
• Coach Friedgen available for brief post-practice interview

PRESS BOX
The press box is located on the south side of Byrd Stadium in Tyler Tower. Access to Level 3 (print) and Level 4 (radio, television booths) is via elevators.

STATISTICAL SERVICES
Complete team and individual statistics by quarter, play-by-play, and postgame notes and quotes will be provided to the working media. Scores of other college games are provided before, during and after the game. In-game stat monitors are stationed throughout the press box. An internal PA system will provide updated statistics and notes throughout the game.

TELECONFERENCE
The 12 ACC football coaches will be featured on a weekly teleconference each Wednesday from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., beginning August 30, and concluding Tuesday, November 21. Each coach will have 10 minutes to make an opening statement and answer questions. There will be an instant replay of each teleconference on the Conference’s website TheACC.com each Wednesday afternoon.

Jim Grobe, Wake Forest 10:30
Frank Beamer, Virginia Tech 10:40
Chuck Amato, NC State 11:00
Larry Coker, Miami 11:20
Ralph Friedgen, Maryland 11:30
Ted Roof, Duke 11:40
Tommy Bowden, Clemson 12:10
Tom O’Brien, Boston College 12:20

TELEPHONES
A limited number of telephones are available in the Tyler Tower Press Box (calling card required). Any additional telephone requests should be directed to Tom Divan, Asst. Director of Operations and Facilities, at 301-314-7027. List Doug Dull or Greg Creese as the contact person for all installations.

VIDEO SERVICES
Highlights of Maryland home games not televised will be distributed via satellite. In addition, the Atlantic Coast Conference uplinks game highlights and selected interviews from each ACC school on Wednesday afternoons during the season.

WEB SITE
All of Maryland’s news releases and statistics, as well as quotes from head coach Ralph Friedgen’s weekly press conference, can be accessed via the World Wide Web at umterps.com.

Directions to Byrd Stadium
From Baltimore and Points North
Take I-95 South to Washington, D.C.’s Capital Beltway (I-495 East). Take Exit 27 and then follow signs to Exit 25 (U.S. 1 South toward College Park). Proceed approximately one mile south on U.S. Route 1 and take the exit for 193 West. At the second traffic light, turn left onto Stadium Drive. Follow signs for parking.

From Virginia and Points South
Take I-95 North to Washington, D.C.’s Capital Beltway (I-495). Continue North on I-95/I-495 toward Baltimore. Take Exit 25 (U.S. 1 South toward College Park). Proceed approximately one mile south on U.S. Route 1 and take the exit for 193 West. At the second traffic light, follow signs for parking.

From Virginia and Points West
Take I-66 East or I-270 South to Washington, D.C.’s Capital Beltway (I-495). Go East on I-495 toward Baltimore/Silver Spring. Take Exit 25 (U.S. 1 South toward College Park). Proceed approximately one mile south on U.S. Route 1 and take the exit for 193 West. At the second traffic light, turn left onto Stadium Drive. Follow signs for parking.

From Annapolis and Points East
Take U.S. 50 to Washington, D.C.’s Capital Beltway (I-495 West). Go North on I-95/I-495 toward Baltimore. Take Exit 25 (U.S. 1 South toward College Park). Proceed approximately one mile south on U.S. Route 1 and take the exit for 193 West. At the second traffic light, turn left onto Stadium Drive. Follow signs for parking.

From Washington, D.C. (Northwest/Southwest)
Take 16th St. North, which becomes Georgia Ave. North at Maryland/D.C. line. Go East on I-495 toward Baltimore. Take Exit 25 (U.S. 1 South toward College Park). Proceed approximately one mile south on U.S. Route 1 and take the exit for 193 West. At the second traffic light, follow signs for parking.

From Washington, D.C. (Northeast/Southeast)
Take Rhode Island Ave. (U.S. 1 North) which becomes Baltimore Ave. North at Maryland/D.C. line. Proceed through the city of College Park. Turn left at main entrance. At the traffic circle with an "M" in it, take second right. Go straight on Campus Drive. Follow signs for parking.

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