



NAIA

DECLARATION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE INTER-TERM

Institutions having an inter-term that occurs between two regular terms, or at the close of the regular term immediately prior to a summer term, may use the inter-term in one of three different ways in determining eligibility for student-athletes. The institution must notify the Eligibility Chair, in writing, as to which option they choose. This notification is to be signed by the Athletics Director, Faculty Athletics Representative and Registrar. The written notification **must be received by the Eligibility Chair PRIOR to September 1** of the academic year in which the application is to be effective and cannot be changed during that academic year.

- A. The inter-term shall stand separate. Eligibility shall be determined at the end of the first term, again at the end of the inter-term (if the inter-term falls between two terms), and again at the end of the spring term.
- B. The inter-term (if it falls between the two regular terms) is attached to the first term for eligibility purposes. This would, in effect, make the 4-1-4 calendar into a 5-4 calendar in determining eligibility.
- C. The inter-term (if it falls between or at the end of two regular terms) is attached to the spring term for eligibility purposes. This would, in effect, make the 4-1-4 or the 4-4-1 calendar into a 4-5 calendar in determining eligibility.

If your institutional calendar DOES NOT have an inter-term check here, sign the form and return to your Eligibility Chair.

OUR INSTITUTIONAL CALENDAR HAS AN INTER-TERM (Please list type - Example: 4-1-4; 4-4-1; 13-7-13, etc.) _____. Our institution selects the following option in applying the inter-term for purposes of determining athletic eligibility for the _____ academic year:

OPTION A		OPTION B		OPTION C
-----------------	--	-----------------	--	-----------------

Athletics Director

Faculty Athletics Representative

Registrar

Institution

City/State

Date

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO YOUR ELIGIBILITY CHAIR PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 1.