

Athlete Report 2026

Athletes Executive Council Report:

Submitted by the AEC President on 9/4/26

This year has been remarkable for our athlete representatives, and we are genuinely appreciative of their impactful contributions. The engagement and depth we've witnessed across all levels, from club representatives to those on the national team, is something we take great pride in and aim to sustain moving forward.

I would like to thank Trinity Noriega (AEC VP DEI), Elle Santana (AEC VP OI), and Mari Flores (AEC Secretary) for their contributions to the AEC and the broader USAAS community. It has been a pleasure to work with them! Next, I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to Andrea (Knott) Miles and Jaime Czarkowski for their outstanding contributions over the past two years as our General Board of Directors Athlete Representatives. Your insights and dedication have been invaluable, and you have represented the athlete community with exceptional integrity and commitment. I am thrilled to announce that Olympian Jaime Czarkowski has been re-elected to take on this important role for the next two years and joining her will be past national team member and Stanford's student athlete, Elisa Brunel. I can't wait for the fresh ideas and unique perspectives they will bring to our organization. Their energy and enthusiasm are bound to make an impact! In regards to the AEC President Election, I had the pleasure of being re-elected for the next term.

I can't express enough how proud I am of the AEC and the commitment everyone has shown. It's been wonderful to see everyone share their thoughts and opinions so passionately. We have such a fantastic group, each bringing different perspectives to the table, and that diversity is truly our strength. It has been a pleasure working with all of you this year, and I can't wait to see how the AEC moves forward in future years.

2025-2026 AEC

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Vice President, DEI: Trinity Noriega

Collegiate Representative: Elisa Brunel

Secretary: Mari Flores

Respectfully submitted,
Natalia Vega