

USA Gymnastics Athletes' Council (AC) and Executive Leadership Team (ELT) Meeting
January 27, 2025 – Start 3:00 pm ET via Zoom

Roll Call

AC Attendees:

Alex Renkert	Chair, T&T Athlete Representative
Evita Griskenas	Vice Chair, Rhythmic Athlete Representative
Braiden McDougall	Acro Athlete Representative
Kiley Boynton	Acro Athlete Representative
Drew Collins	T&T Athlete Representative
Akash Modi	Men's Athlete Representative
Logan Dooley	Team USA AC Rep
Margzetta Frazier	Team USA AC Alternate Rep
Lily Avila	Rhythmic Athlete Representative

Guests:

Li Li Leung	President and CEO
Stefanie Korepin	Chief Programs Officer
Kim Kranz	Chief of Athlete Wellness
Lauryn Turner	Chief Operating Officer
Caryn Szyper	Chief Legal Officer
LaKoya Gardner	IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy Representative

Absent:

Cameron Bock	Men's Athlete Representative
Emily Schild	Women's Athlete Representative
Jessie DeZiel	Women's Athlete Representative

I. Athlete to Advocate

- LaKoya Gardner gave an overview of the Athlete to Advocate program associated with Indiana University Lilly Family School of Philanthropy. Athlete to Advocate Program equips athletes with the tools and resources they need to create real-world change in the communities they serve.
- Q&A with LaKoya

Lily joined the meeting at 3:21 pm ET

LaKoya left the meeting at 3:24 pm ET

Li Li joined the meeting at 3:27 pm ET

II. Introduction of new AC members to ELT

- Kiley Boynton – Acro Rep
- Margzetta Frazier – Team USA AC Alternate Rep

III. Organizational Updates from ELT

- Lauryn will be leaving USAG at the end of the week. She thanked the AC for all their contributions and highlighted of much she enjoyed working with them.
- Li Li gave an update and preview of the 2025-28 USA Gymnastics Strategic Plan.
- Training and Wellness Center update.
- Li Li discussed changes in the NCAA landscape.

IV. PAGU

- Alex was elected to serve as T&T Athlete Rep on the Pan American Gymnastics Union

Li Li, Caryn, Lauryn, and Kim left the meeting at 3:52 pm ET

V. Commitment of Service and Athletes' Council Charter

- Alex sending edits around to the AC.

VI. T&T State Committee Athlete Rep Appointments

- Motion to appoint the list of athlete reps on the T&T State Committees (see Attachment A) – Drew
 - Second – Logan
 - PASSED

VII. Acro Regional Committee Athlete Reps

- Reviewed Acro Regional Committee athlete elections

Kiley and Braiden recused themselves and left the meeting at 3:49 pm ET

- Discussed Region 1 candidates
- Vote tabled until next meeting

Meeting adjourned at 4:10 pm EST

Attachment A
T&T State Committee Athlete Rep Appointments

State	Athlete Rep 1	Athlete Rep 2 (if applicable)
Maryland	Jessica Stevens	Kaleb Cave
Illinois	Finley Merker	Zach Ramacci
Louisiana	Aliaksei Shostak	Sarah Webster
Pennsylvania	Shaun Brumm	Olivia Oswald
NC T&T	Gracie Harder	Aaron Remole
So Cal	Maya Yasherim	Kenny Vogan
Minnesota	Nick George	
Colorado	Davie Ford	
Oklahoma	Caidyn Garrett	Emma Cox
Virginia	Benjamin Glass	Ryan Ponmakha
Arizona	Alyssa Nall	Kable Moore
Florida	Anastasia Katchalova	Wes Fowler
WTX	Olivia Simpson	Mikaela Snider
Alabama	Maia Amano	Trinity Van Natta
IN	Zachary Ramacci	
Michigan	Caleb Cypher	
Kansas	Olivia Carlson	
NJ/NY	Matthew Tocci	
North Texas	Dylan McGuire	Susan Gill
IA	Anton Yakunin	
South Texas	Brendon Newton	Roman Alvarez