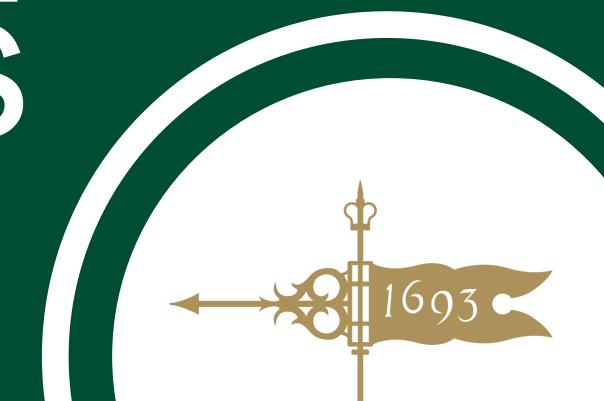
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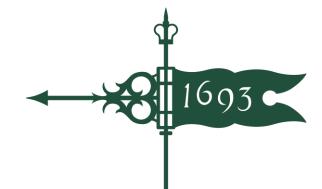
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# **AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order and Introductory Remarks Ms. Gerdleman
- II. Approval of Minutes February 8, 2018
- III. Director of Athletics Report Samantha K Huge
- IV. Closed Session (if necessary)
- V. Other Business
- VI. Adjourn





# One Year In...

- Student-Athletes
- Coaches
- Staff
- Development/Fundraising





### **ACADEMIC SUCCESS HIGHLIGHTS**

**161** Most-ever Provost Awards (3.5 GPA or higher)

Men's Basketball's **Paul Rowley**, first year Law Student, named CAA Men's Basketball Scholar-Athlete of the Year and the league's overall **Male Scholar-Athlete of the Year**.

17 W&M programs garnered **academic team awards** from their respective coaches associations.

The Tribe led the CAA with **332 CAA Commissioner's Academic Award**, which recognized student-athletes who have distinguished themselves both in the classroom and in the athletic arena. (at least 3.2 GPA)



### ATHLETIC SUCCESS HIGHLIGHTS

Men's Basketball: #1 Nationally in 3 PT Shooting and Free Throws.

**50/40/80** Men's Basketball was **FIRST TEAM** in **NCAA HISTORY** with shooting percentages of 50 % from the field, 40 % from 3-point range and 80 % at the free throw line.

**Men's and Women's Tennis** are the top seeds in the CAA Championships this weekend, April 19 22, at Elon.

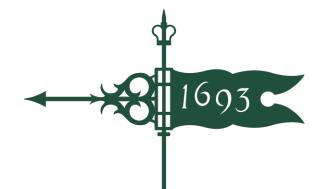
Connor Burchfield – 3 pt. National Champion. First Ever W&M





# COMPETITIVENESS

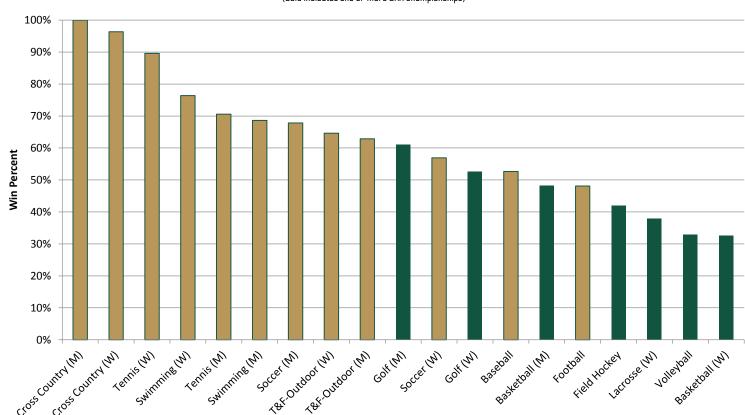
- In general, certain W&M Athletics teams have been highly successful in the last 10 years. 17 of 23 sports won a conference championship or made a postseason appearance during that span.
- W&M Athletics' competitive success has been uneven across programs:
  - Seven sports account for 84% of W&M's total CAA championships won all-time.
  - Five sports account for 65% of W&M's total NACDA Cup points earned in the last decade.



# W&M Athletics has led the Colonial Athletic Association in many sports

10-Year CAA Winning Percent by Sport, 2008-09 to 2017-18

(Gold indicates one or more CAA championships)

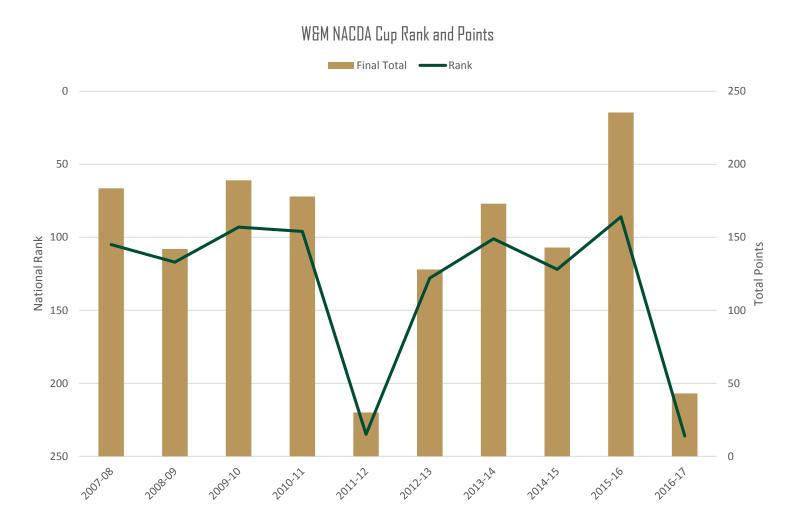


- 13 Tribe sports held winning CAA records over the last 10 years.
   Seven won at least 65% of their conference games during that span.
- 12 Tribe sports won a conference championship in the last 10 years.

  (Note: The CAA does not hold championships for gymnastics or indoor track & field.)



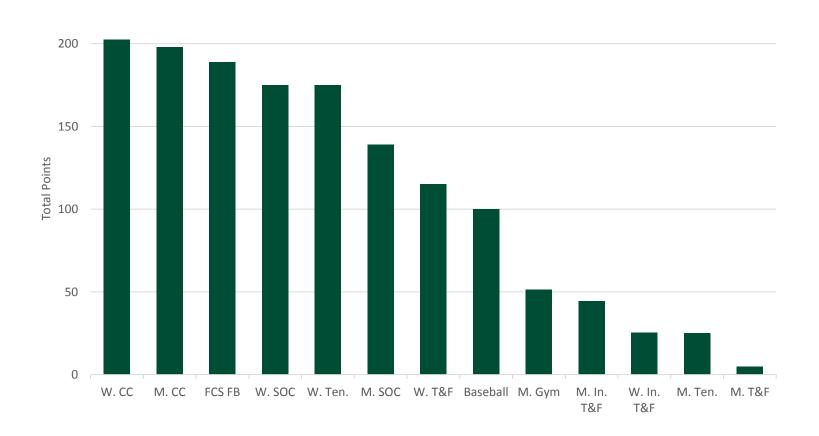
# In the NACDA Directors Cup, W&M Athletics has consistently finished in the top third of Division I



- For nearly 3D years, the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA) has measured competitive strength across all sports via its Directors Cup. Points are awarded in each sport based on national finish.
- W&M has finished between 86<sup>th</sup> and 236<sup>th</sup> in the last 10 years.

# W&M Athletics' success has also been uneven in the NACDA Directors Cup

NACDA Cup Points Earned, 2007-08 to 2016-17 (10-yrs.)

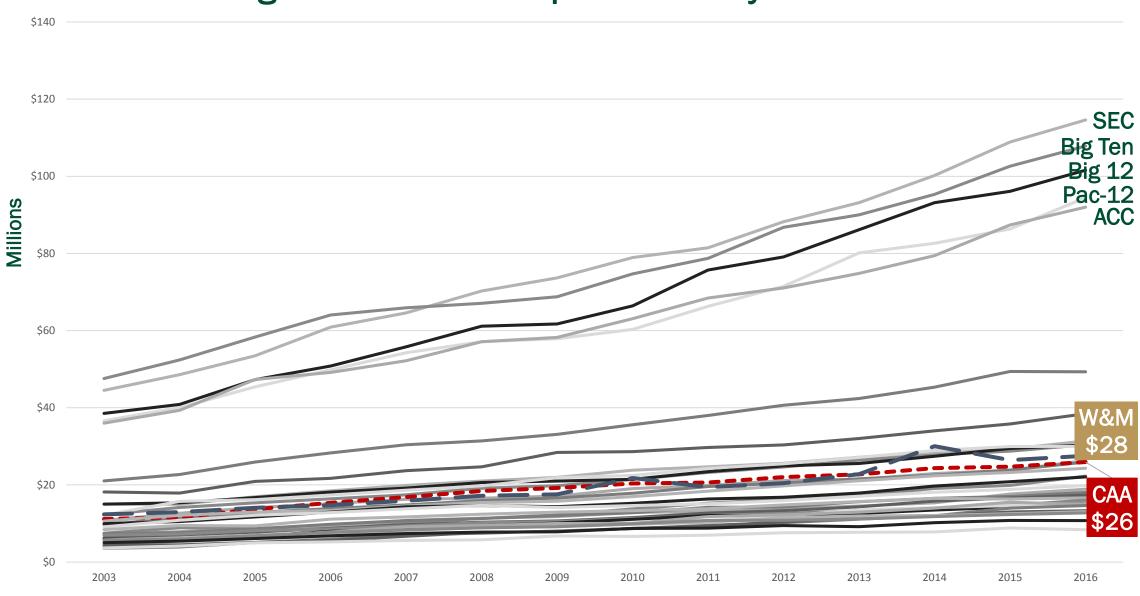


- Only 13 of 23 W&M Athletics sports have earned a NACDA Cup point in the last decade.
- Five sports (men's and women's cross country, football, women's soccer, and women's tennis) account for 65% of W&M's total NACDA Cup points earned in the last decade.

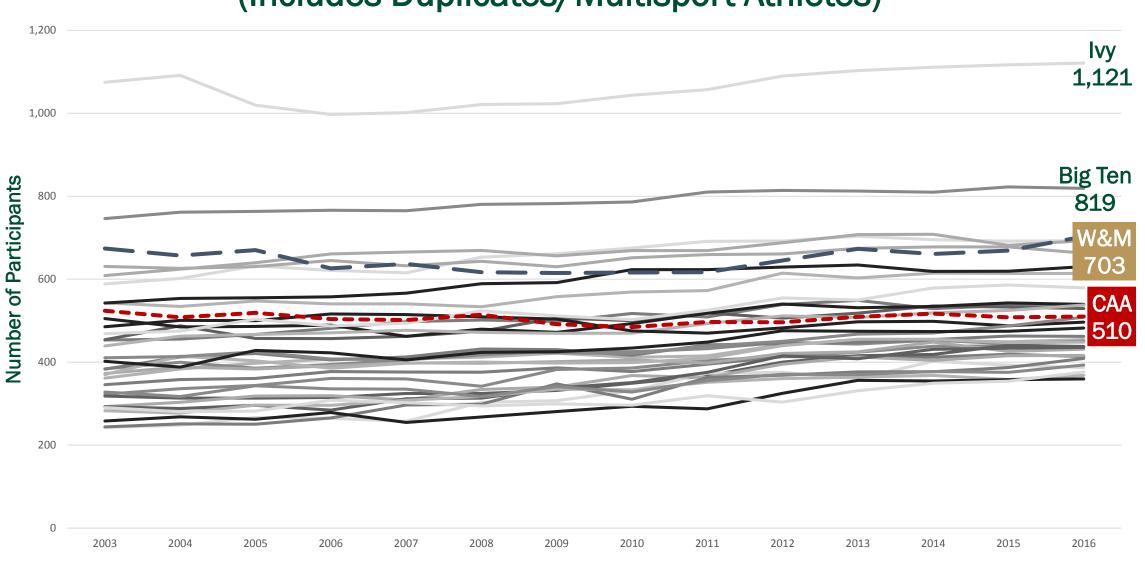


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## Average Total Athletic Expenditures by Conference

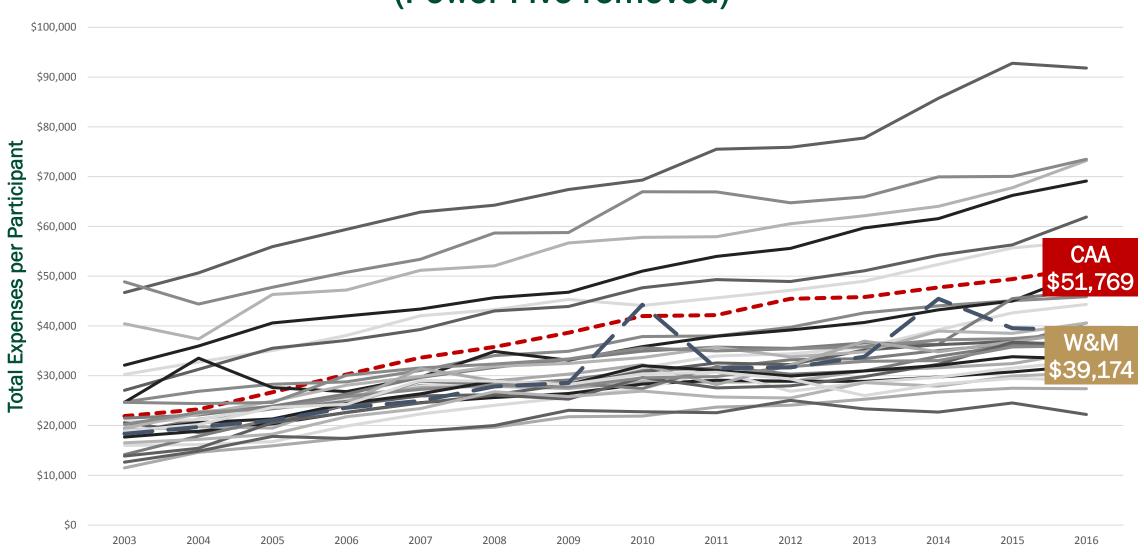


# Average Total Participants (Includes Duplicates/Multisport Athletes)



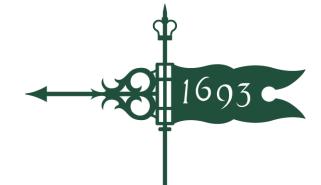
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# Average Total Expenses per Participant (Power Five removed)



## Financial Resources

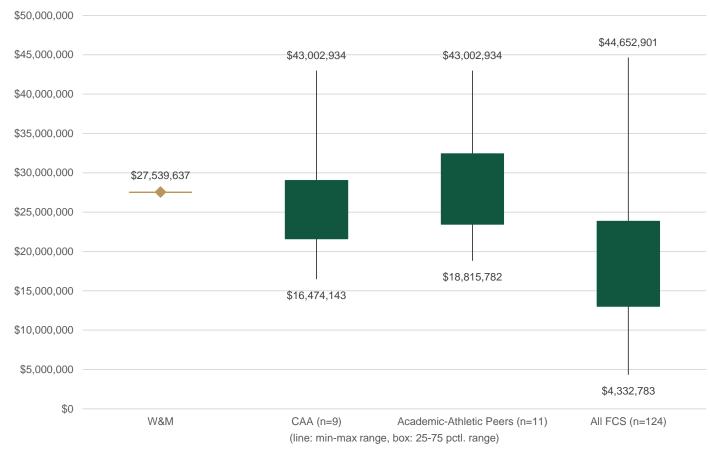
- W&M Athletics spends more than the average total amount than its CAA peers (3<sup>rd</sup> highest total among full members), <u>but</u> also sponsors more sports.
- Most sports spend far less than the CAA average, though some do spend more.
- The competitive landscape is more intense for some teams than for others, and more resources are likely required for success in the most competitive sports.



## **Total Spending on Athletics**

- W&M Athletics (\$27.5M) spent:
  - Above the median for CAA peers (\$22.3M, 3<sup>rd</sup> highest)
  - Slightly below the median for the academic-athletic peers (\$26.7M), and
  - Well above the median for all FCS institutions (\$16.2M)





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## **Spending Differs by Sport**

- Some teams spend well above the average for CAA peers, whereas others spend far less.
- Those teams with greater relative resources generally align with the sports that have enjoyed greater competitive success.

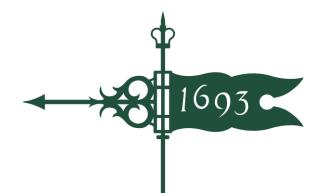
(Notes: (1) track-all compares total combined spending, so the average is skewed by schools sponsoring only cross country; (2) only one other CAA school – Towson – sponsors women's gymnastics, which skews the average.)

	CAA Teams	W&M Expenses as
	(n)	% Of CAA Avg.
Men's Track-All	5	185%
Women's Tennis	8	178%
Men's Tennis	7	168%
Women's Track-All	8	119%
Women's Gymnastics	1	113%
Football	11	111%
Baseball	8	101%
Field Hockey	6	100%
Men's Swimming	4	96%
Volleyball	8	95%
Women's Lacrosse	6	92%
Men's Basketball	9	82%
Women's Basketball	9	81%
Women's Soccer	9	80%
Men's Soccer	8	78%
Women's Golf	7	52%
Men's Golf	8	52%
Women's Swimming	6	46%
Men's Gymnastics	0	

# Methodology: Peers

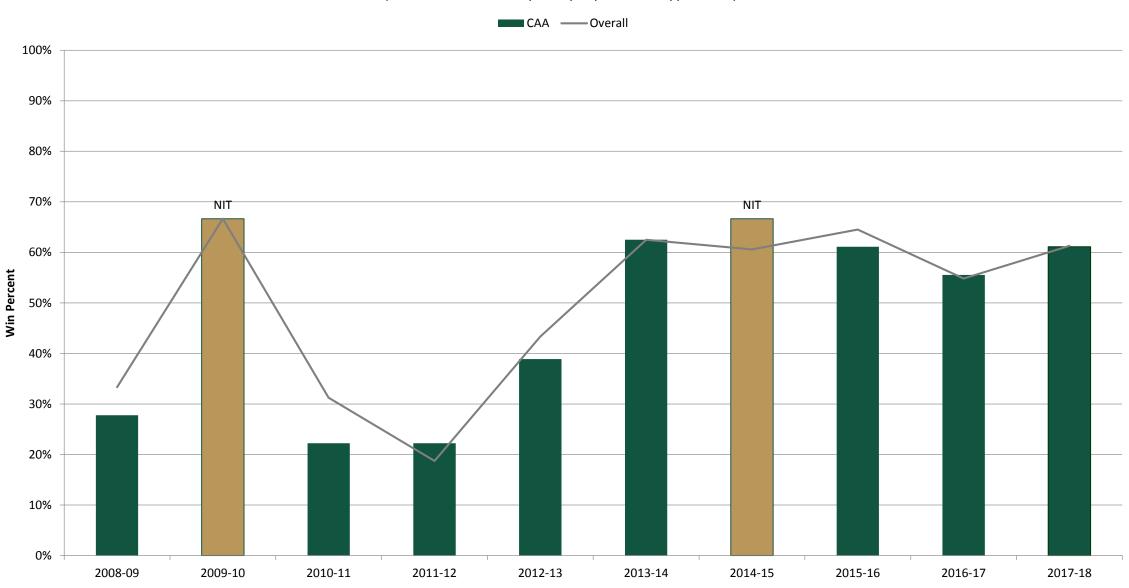
- Search criteria:
  - NCAA Division I FCS institutions
  - Top 100 university/top 50 liberal arts college according to U.S. News & World Report.
- Results: 24 institutions, 11 of which were eliminated for non-scholarship football programs (Ivy League-8, Davidson, Georgetown, and San Diego)
- Identified academic-athletic peers (13):
  - Bucknell (Patriot)
  - Colgate (Patriot)
  - Delaware (CAA)
  - Fordham (Patriot)
  - Furman (Southern)
  - Holy Cross (Patriot)
  - Lafayette (Patriot)

- Lehigh (Patriot)
- New Hampshire (CAA)
- Richmond (CAA)
- Stony Brook (CAA)
- UC-Davis (Big Sky)
- Villanova (CAA)

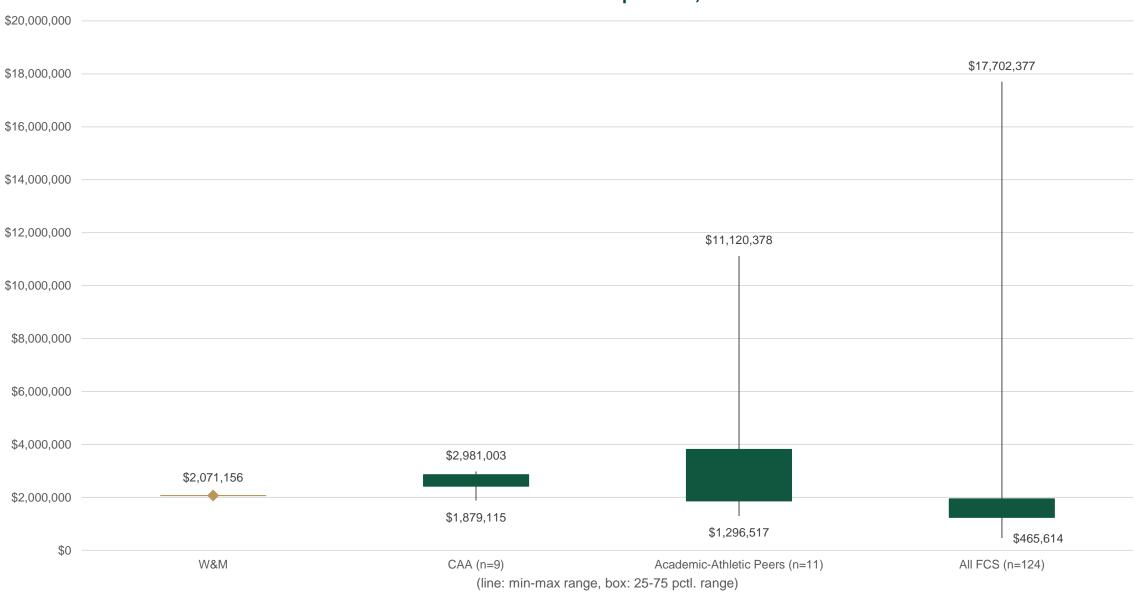




## Men's Basketball Winning Percent, 2008-09 to 2017-18 (Gold indicates CAA championship or postseason appearance.)



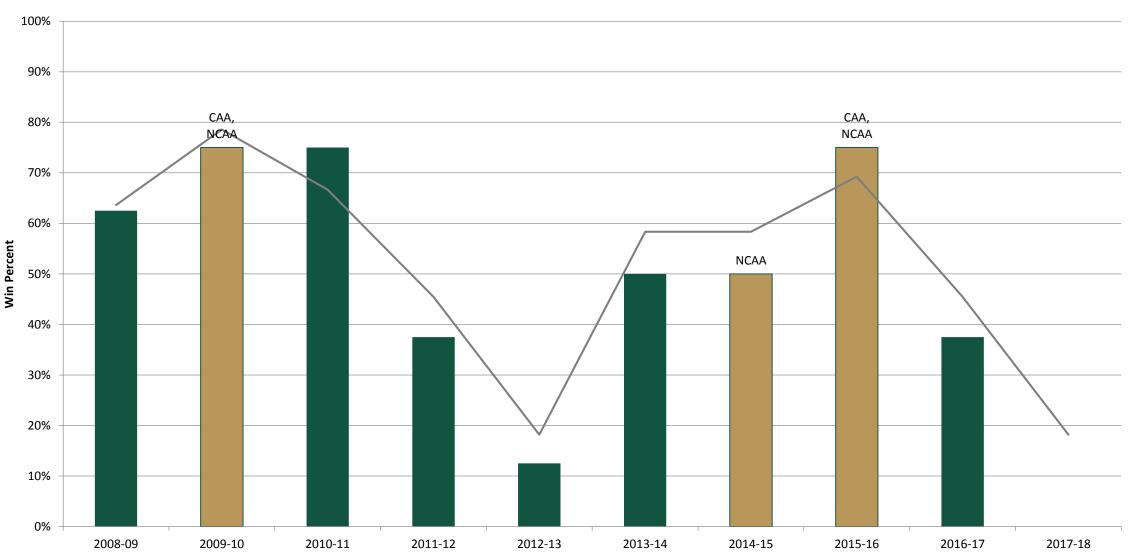
#### Men's Basketball Team Expenses, FY2017



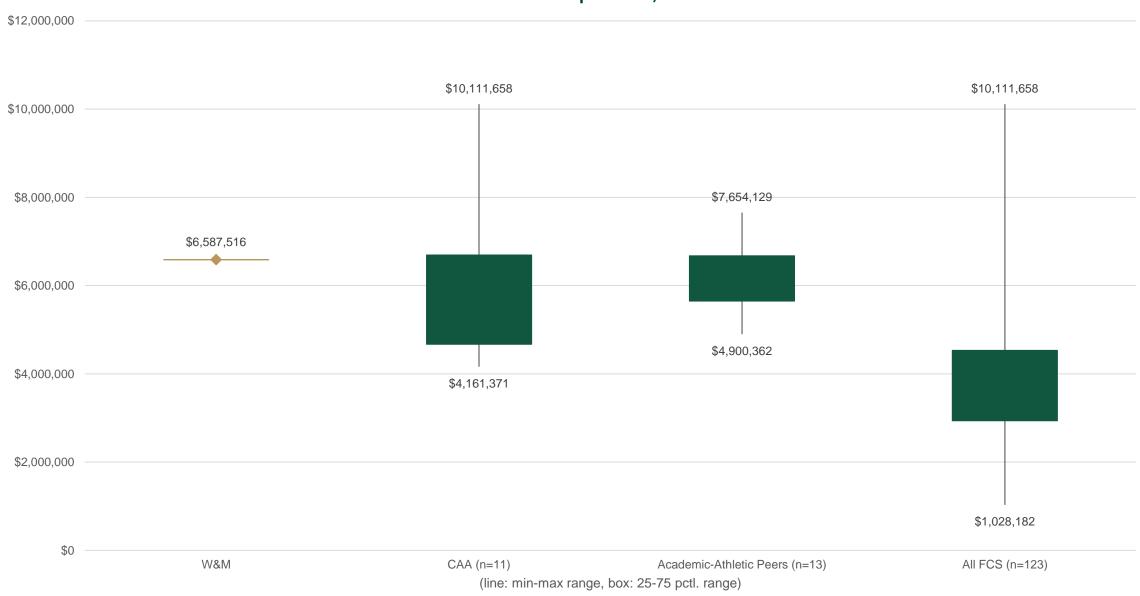
#### Football Winning Percent, 2008-09 to 2017-18

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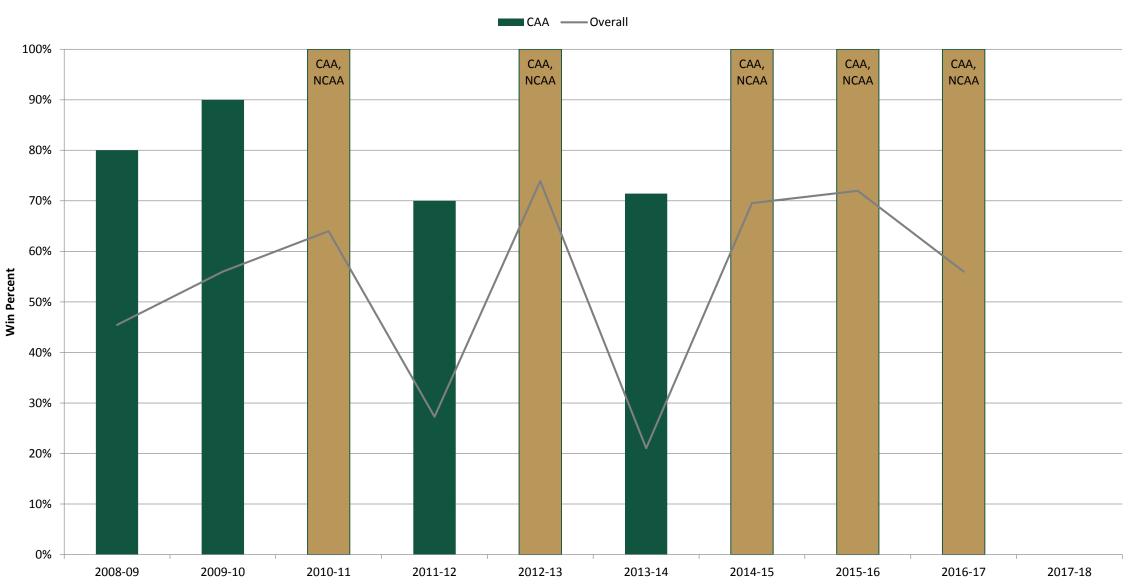


#### Football Team Expenses, FY2017



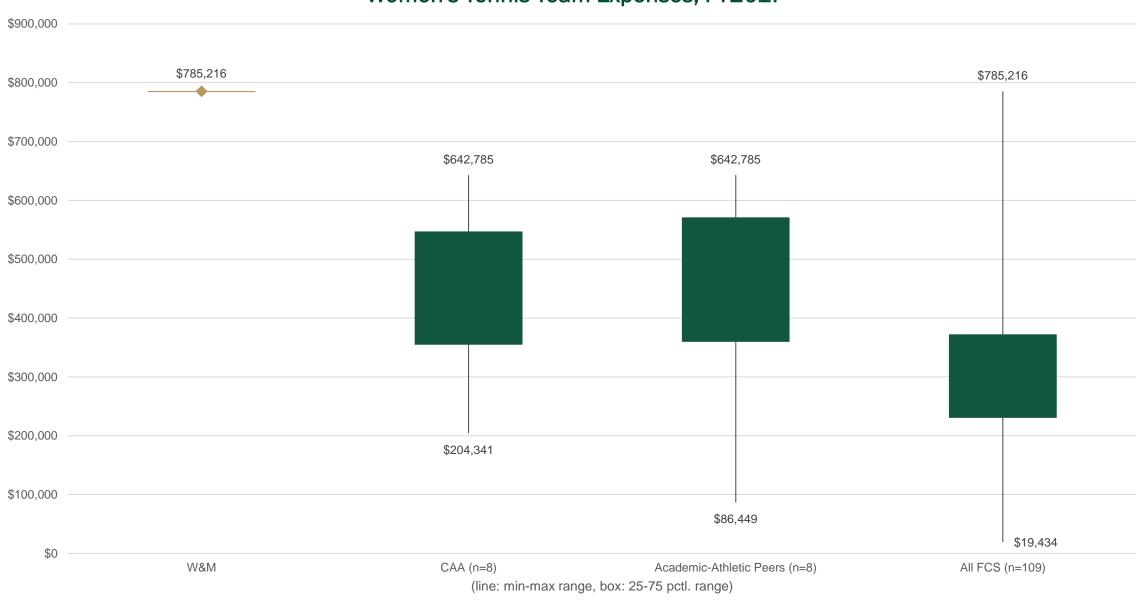
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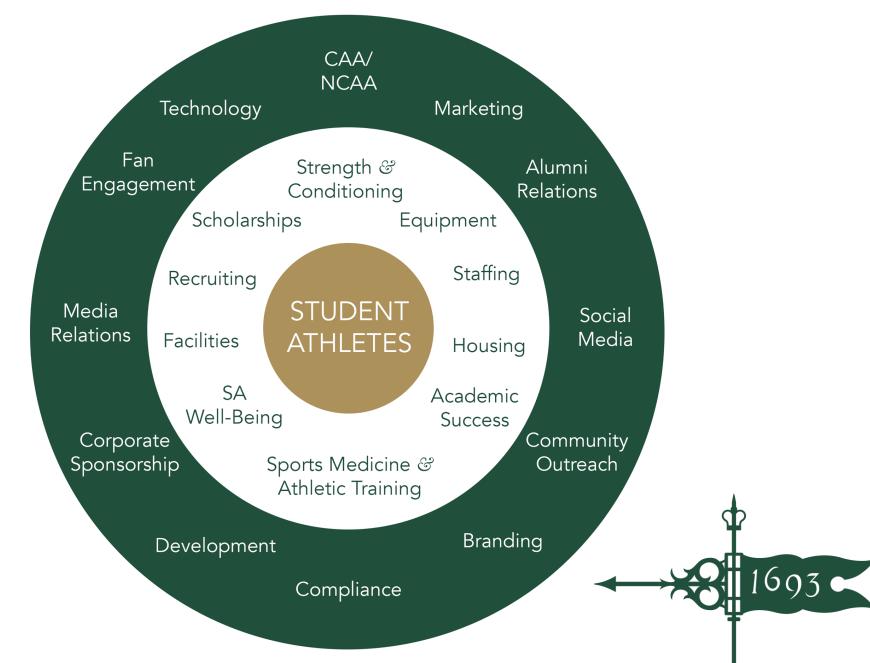


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#### Women's Tennis Team Expenses, FY2017

















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"Don't settle for mediocrity when you were created for greatness.

Know who you are."

-Anonymous

