



ATHLETES' ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Position Description

The responsibilities of the AAC include:

- Ensuring communication between the Federation and current USEF 10-Year Athletes
- Serving as a source of athlete opinion and advice to the Federation Board of Directors with regard to both current and contemplated policies of the Federation that affect USEF 10-Year Athletes
- Helping ensure a strong and effective athlete voice in Federation governance; and
- Discussing matters of interest to equestrian athletes and to make recommendations to the Board of Directors for improvements in any phase of equestrian sport.

Requirements:

The AAC meets as needed to perform its duties and responsibilities.

Term

2 years

Eligibility

Athlete Representatives must qualify as a USEF 10-Year Athlete Representative: An athlete who has represented the United States in one of the following within the 10 years preceding election or appointment:

- a. Delegation Event (the Olympic Games, the Paralympic Games, the Pan American Games, and the Parapan Am Games);
- b. An Elite Protected Competition as defined by the Federation AAC, and approved by the USOPC NGB Athlete Representation Review Working Group, which includes:
 - a. FEI World Equestrian Games;
 - b. FEI World Championships;
 - c. FEI World Cup Finals;
 - d. FEI Nations Cup (Jumping 4* or 5*);
 - e. FEI CPEDI (3* and higher); or
 - f. FEI Pan American Championships - Endurance