## TIGER TRAIL OF AUBURN CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

The purpose of the Tiger Trail of Auburn is to honor student athletes and coaches who have brought national positive exposure to Auburn and Auburn University through performance.

## Category I: Athletes

Former athletes may be considered for selection no earlier than during the sixth year after completion of participation and must have competed in at least one recognized intercollegiate varsity sport at Auburn University.

To be eligible, a <u>football player</u> must have been selected to an all-American (first), or All-SEC (first) Team of a recognized national or regional organization or publication; be named SEC Most Valuable Player, SEC Player of the Year; be an NCAA or SEC Statistical Leader; be a starter on an SEC or National Championship Team; be a Bowl MVP; be a School Statistical Record Holder or be an Inductee into a State or National Hall of Fame

Athletes from sports other than football must have achieved one of the following to be eligible: selected to an all-American first team by a national recognized organization or publication or earn all-American, all-Region, or all-SEC Honors on teams selected by the Coaches Association or by Automatic selection based on their placement in the respective sport championship event; set an individual World, NCAA, Regional, American, SEC or Auburn Record; be a member of an Olympic team; a Southern Conference champion (through 1932); an SEC or NCAA Finals Regional or NCAA Finals Champion; holder of a major all-time Auburn record; be a member of an NCAA Regional or NCAA Finals or SEC Championship Team; be an Inductee into a State or National Hall of Fame.

## Category II: Coaches

To be eligible, an individual must have served as Auburn's head coach of a team participating in a recognized intercollegiate varsity sport. The individual must have served in that capacity for at least 20 years, or teams coached by the individual must have won at least 70 percent of their games, team matches or dual meets during his/her Auburn coaching career, which must have been for a period of a least five years. An individual failing to meet either the longevity or winning percentage requirement shall be eligible if named National or SEC Coach of the Year by peers or a publication recognized as an authority in that sport.

Auburn members of the National Football Foundation (Hall of Fame) and those selected as the football Coach-of-the-Year by a national or regional organization or publication are eligible.

## Category III: Administrators, Staff

To be eligible, an administrator or staff member must have completed 20 years of service with the AU Athletic Department. The committee is authorized to select for the Trail no more than one person from this category every three years.