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PROVOST INSTRUCTION 1531.66C

From: Provost, U.S. Naval Academy

Subj: PROVOST AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE BY VARSITY ATHLETIC
TEAMS

1. Purpose. To announce an annual award to be given by the Provost in recognition of academic excellence by a Naval Academy varsity athletic team and to establish criteria for that award.

2. Cancellation. ACDEANINST 1531.66B

3. Discussion. Varsity athletics makes special demands on the Midshipmen who compete in their sports for the Naval Academy. In recognition of this and the primary importance of academic performance in the lives of all Midshipmen, the Provost will present, annually, the Provost's Academic Excellence Award, to that varsity athletic team with the highest average quality point rating (QPR) over both regular semesters of the academic year. A permanent plaque to be displayed in the Office of the Provost will be inscribed with the winning team name and appropriate academic year.

4. Records Management

a. Records created as a result of this instruction, regardless of format or media, must be maintained and dispositioned per the records disposition schedules located on the Department of the Navy/Assistant for Administration (DON/AA), Directives and Records Management Division (DRMD) portal page at <https://portal.secnav.navy.mil/orgs/DUSNM/DONAA/DRM/Records-and-Information-Management/Approved%20Record%20Schedules/Forms/AllItems.aspx>.

b. For questions concerning the management of records related to this instruction or the records disposition schedules, please contact your local records custodian or the USNA Records Manager.

5. Review and Effective Date. Per OPNAVINST 5215.71A, the Associate Provost for Academic Affairs will review this instruction annually on the anniversary of the effective date to ensure applicability, currency, and consistency with Federal, DoD, SECNAV, and Navy policy and statutory authority using OPNAV 5215/40 Review of Instruction.



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