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A Resolution to congratulate members of the CU Ski Team on their participation in the World University Games in Trentino, Italy in December 2013.

Resolution History

The World University Games are held every two years in different locations across the globe, similar to the Olympic Games. University athletes are chosen based on their results throughout the previous year and qualifying is very difficult as each country is able to send a very limited number of athletes to compete. The sports included in the games parallel with the Olympic Games from speed skating to snowboarding, ski racing to ice hockey. For the 2013 games, twenty-four University of Colorado student-athletes were selected to represent our university and their country in the sports of Alpine Ski Racing, Nordic Skiing, and Freestyle Skiing. Additionally, the head coach of the University of Colorado Varsity Ski Team, Richard Rokos, was chosen to be the head coach for the Team USA Alpine Ski Racing Team at the games.

Summary News Article: "Colorado Skiing Sends Strong Contingent to World University Games"

Resolution Summary

The University of Colorado Student Government is expressing recognition and support to the following student-athletes for the accomplishment of qualifying for the games and representing our university and their country:

Shane McLean, Alpine Skiing, USA Brooke Wales, Alpine Skiing, USA Fletcher McDonald, Alpine Skiing, USA Cameron Smith, Alpine Skiing, USA Roger Carry, Alpine Skiing, Canada Thea Grosvold, Alpine Skiing, Norway Henrik Gunnarsson, Alpine Skiing, Sweden Kasper Hietanen, Alpine Skiing, Finland Jessica Honkonen, Alpine Skiing, Finland Adam Zika, Alpine Skiing, Czech Republic Arnaud Du Pasquier, Nordic Skiing, Switzerland Rune Oedegaard, Nordic Skiing, Norway Eliska Hajkova, Nordic Skiing, Czech Republic (graduated December 2013) Gustav Nordstroem, Nordic Skiing, Sweden (left CU after spring 2013 semester) Alexis Keeney, Freestyle Skiing, USA Katie Hitchcock, Freestyle Skiing, USA Jessica Webb, Freestyle Skiing, USA Kelia Zigich, Freestyle Skiing, USA

Jeremy Brown, Freestyle Skiing, USA
Ben Hitchcock, Freestyle Skiing, USA
Andre Landau, Freestyle Skiing, USA
Connor O'Brien, Freestyle Skiing, USA
lan Simpson, Freestyle Skiing, USA
Grayson Tamberi, Freestyle Skiing, USA
Richard Rokos, Alpine Skiing Head Coach for Team USA

Notable Results by the Buffs:

Alexis Keeney, Women's Slopestyle: GOLD medal

Rune Oedegaard: 5th, 30K classic; 7th, 4x10 relay; 7th, mixed relay; 8th, 10K freestyle

Eliska Hajkova: 4th, 3x5 relay, 8th, 15K classic

All results by the Buffs: CLICK HERE

Whereas, A priority of this Legislative Council and the Executives is to increase the recognition by CUSG to our university's varsity and club sports teams.

Whereas, Passage of this resolution will serve as a way to promote these student-athletes accomplishments as well as educate the student body as to the accomplishments of their peers and the representation they provided for the University of Colorado in Italy.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the University of Colorado Student Government that:

Section 1: CU Boulder students and the CU Student Government congratulate all of the **24** CU student-athletes for qualifying for and competing in the World University Games in Trentino, Italy in December 2013

Section 2: CU Boulder students and the CU Student Government congratulate CU Alpine Ski Team Head Coach Richard Rokos for being chosen as the head alpine coach for Team USA in the World University Games in Trentino, Italy in December 2013.

Section 3: CUSG supports our university's athletic teams and their success in competing and representing the University of Colorado.

Section 5: Upon passage, this resolution will be distributed to the student body, Inter-Campus Student Forum, Board of Regents, CU Boulder administration, and media.

Section 6: This resolution shall take effect upon passage by the legislative council and upon either obtaining the signature of two Tri-Executives or the lapse of six days without action by the Tri-Executives.

Vote Count

01/23/2014 01/30/2014 Passed on 1st reading Passed on 2nd reading

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