



UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO

ATHLETICS COMPLIANCE OFFICE  
**OUTSIDE COMPETITION  
APPROVAL FORM**



Completion of this Form grants the named student-athlete permission to participate on the/in the below-listed outside event, team, or league. This permission is granted with the understanding that all NCAA Bylaws governing outside competition in his/her respective sport will be adhered to as set forth in the Outside Competition Rules document found at [utepathletics.com](http://utepathletics.com) under Inside Athletics/ Compliance/Forms.

Student-Athlete: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Event/Team/League: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this a national or international team (i.e. National, Junior National, Olympic, etc.)? Yes:  No:

Location (City, State, Country): \_\_\_\_\_

Team/League Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of First Contest: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Last Contest: \_\_\_\_\_

Website (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Who will be paying expenses incurred while participating on this team? Me (or my family):  Other:

If other, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please attach any additional information pertaining to the event named above.**

**I have read the NCAA Bylaws governing outside competition in my sport and understand that failure to comply with them can negatively affect my future eligibility for intercollegiate athletics participation.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student-Athlete Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**I am aware of and approve this UTEP student-athlete's intention to participate on the/in the above-named outside team/ league.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Head Coach Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**I approve this UTEP student-athlete's participation on the/in the above-named outside team/league.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Compliance Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**17.31.1 - Outside Competition – Sports Other Than Basketball.**

A student-athlete in any sport other than basketball who participates during the academic year as a member of any outside team in any noncollegiate, amateur competition becomes ineligible for intercollegiate competition unless eligibility is restored by the Committee on Student-Athlete Reinstatement. A student-athlete is permitted to practice on such a team.

**17.31.1.1 - Exception.**

A student-athlete may compete outside of the institution's declared playing and practice season as a member of an outside team in any noncollegiate, amateur competition during any official vacation period published in the institution's catalog. The number of student-athletes from any one institution shall not exceed the applicable limits set forth in Bylaw 17.29.2.

**17.31.1.3 - Exception – Soccer, Women's Volleyball, Field Hockey and Men's Water Polo.**

In soccer, women's volleyball, field hockey and men's water polo, a student-athlete may compete outside of the institution's declared playing and practice season as a member of an outside team in any noncollegiate, amateur competition, provided:

- (a) Such participation occurs not earlier than May 1;
- (b) In soccer, women's volleyball and field hockey, the number of student-athletes from any one institution does not exceed the applicable limits set forth in Bylaw 17.29.2;
- (c) The competition is approved by the institution's director of athletics;
- (d) No class time is missed for practice activities or for competition; and
- (e) In women's volleyball, all practice and competition is confined to doubles tournaments in outdoor volleyball, either on sand or grass.

**17.29.2- Outside Team Tours**

An outside team that includes student-athletes from more than one member institution may participate in international competition in any sport on a foreign tour. However, any such outside team that includes more than the following number of student-athletes from the same member institution must be certified by the institution in accordance with procedures set forth in Bylaw 17.29.1.

Basketball	2	Soccer	5
Cross Country	2	Softball	4
Football	5	Tennis	2
Golf	2	Track and Field	7
Rifle	2	Volleyball	2