2021-2022 Connecticut Swimming Scholar-Athlete Guidelines and Application

A. Eligibility Criteria and Selection Method

- 1. Applicant must have completed 10th, 11th, or 12th grade.
- 2. Applicant must be 2022 CT member of USA Swimming. Flex members are not eligible.
- 3. Applicant must have participated in an individual event in the summer 2022 Long Course Connecticut Senior Championship meet or the February 2022 Connecticut Senior Championship. Applicants also may qualify if they participated in two (2) regularly scheduled CSI sanctioned meets during the 2022 long course season **and** three (3) regularly scheduled CSI sanctioned meets during the 2021-2022 short course season.
- 4. For the entire 2021-2022 academic year, applicant must have achieved a minimum GPA of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale [A (90-100%) = 4.0; B (80-89%) = 3.0; C (70-79%) = 2.0; D (65-69%) = 1.0].
- 5. Only solid academic subjects (i.e., English, math, science, foreign language, social studies, performing and visual arts, home economics, industrial arts, *etc.*) shall be used to calculate the GPA. Subjects which would not normally be considered solid academic will not be considered in computing the GPA (including, but not limited to, physical education, religion, health, etc).
- 6. Letter grades will be truncated to exclude "plus" and "minus" marks.
- 7. Courses clearly designated as "honors" or "AP" will receive additional weighting of 0.5 point in the GPA computation. If your school uses non-standard designations for these types of courses, please provide a copy of the School Profile. All schools maintain such a profile for submission with college applications.
- 8. In the case of Pass/Fail for solid academic subjects (See No. 5.) if the first semester grade computation reaches the 3.5 GPA threshold and the student passes the second semester, then the scholar athlete designation will be awarded.
- 9. Applicant must submit a transcript or report card for the entire 2021-2022 academic year.
- 10. The completed *Connecticut Swimming Scholar Athlete Application* must be received no later than Wednesday, August 1, 2022.

B. Recognition

- 1. Certificate of recognition will be awarded to each individual achieving CSI Scholar-Athlete status.
- 2. Scholar-Athletes attending the Annual CSI Awards Banquet will receive special recognition.
- 3. A special award of recognition will be conferred on all swimmers who achieve CSI Scholar-Athlete status in all three (3) years.

C. Application Procedures and Deadline

Interested athletes must submit an application, together with a transcript or report card, by August 1, 2022. The CSI Scholar-Athlete Committee will reject all applications not meeting the deadline. Applications may be submitted electronically (preferred) or by mail. Electronic submission is done by creating a "My Account" page in Connecticut FAST and will be given priority processing. For paper applications, no confirmations will be sent and notification of acceptance/rejection will be early September.

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Application Deadline: Monday August 1, 2022. Do not submit this application if you are using electronic submission.

*Name:		* Name as you want it to appear on the Scholar-Athlete certificate.	
Address:		Home Phone:	
City, State and Zip:		Email:	
High School Grade C	Completed by end of academic year 2021-2022:	_	
USA Swimming Clu	b:	_	
I participated in the f	ollowing meets:		
□ 2022 SC CT S	enior Championships in February, or		
□ 2022 CT LC S	enior Championship, or		
	I am listing below the two (2) 2022 regularly scheduled CSI long course meets <u>and</u> the three (3) 2021-2022 regularly scheduled CSI short course meets in which I participated.		
School:			
Address:			
City:			
Name of Principal or	Counselor (please print):		
Principal's or Counse	elor's Email:		
A transcript or re	eport card for the entire 2021-2022 academic y	year is required.	
I, the undersigned authenticity of the		ng, Inc. to contact my school to confirm the veracity and	
Athlete:		Date:	
Parent or Guardian:		Date:	
Mail to: Must be postmarked on or before	Henk Jansen 68 Nichols Ave Shelton CT, 06484		

August 1, 2022. Waive any signature requirements. Applications will not be picked up from the post office.