



GLOBAL SPORTS ACADEMY

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GLOBAL SPORTS ACADEMY ANNOUNCES 2019 SELECT TEAM

West Chester, PA - Roy Blumenthal, Founder and President of Global Sports Academy (GSA), would like to congratulate the following student athletes for being selected to participate in the GSA Summer 2019 Select Team Tour to Croatia.

The following players will be coached by **Joseph Meehan of Bucknell University**:

- **Fairmont State University:** Cole Von Handorf, Kenzie Melko
- **Williams College:** Matt Karpowickz
- **Hendrix College:** Jacob Link
- **Lebanon Valley College:** Trevor Convey, Justin Baker
- **Concord University:** Brandon Kennedy
- **University of Kentucky:** Brad Calipari
- **Bucknell University:** Walter Ellis, Alexander Rice

Coach Meehan, leading his fifth tour as a GSA Coach, and his players will not only engage in strong athletic competition, but also experience the culture and sights of Europe. During this nine-day tour, the team will travel to the cities of Split, Trogir, Dubrovnik, and Zadar in Croatia and stop in Sarajevo, the capital and largest city of Bosnia and Herzegovina, along the way. In addition, the team will work with underprivileged children through GSA's Pay It Forward community service program.

Many of our coaches and players advance to achieve great success on and off the court, such as **Shaka Smart, Head Coach at the University of Texas**, and **Randy Foye, who played over a decade in the NBA**. Coaches and players who participate in the GSA program do so to expand and enhance their experience and skill set, professional network, and opportunities to elevate their careers at their institutions and beyond. Contact us to learn further about our tour options to join us in August 2020 and/or team programming for 2020-2021. Remember that GSA coaches travel for **FREE**.

ABOUT GLOBALS SPORTS ACADEMY

Since 1991, GSA has arranged tours for college and youth teams from the United States and countries around the world to promote international competition and goodwill. Not only do athletes learn valuable lessons through participating in their respective sports in other countries, but they also enjoy the experiences of a lifetime by being exposed to different cultures, languages, and environments and performing community service while abroad. Coaches who travel with GSA equally benefit from participating in such international competition, honing their coaching skills and learning about international play as well as having an opportunity to work with new talent or share valuable additional playing time to learn the assets and challenges of their teams. For athletes and coaches alike, the opportunity to engage in dynamic, international competition is professionally and personally enriching.

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