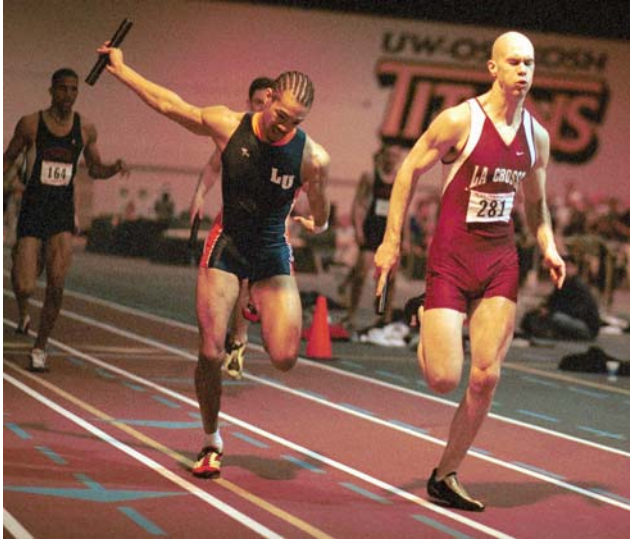


# MEN'S/WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD (INDOOR)



*Hosting the 2003 NCAA III Indoor Track and Field Championships provided DePauw with a tremendous opportunity to not only showcase our athletic facilities, but also our entire campus.*

*- Page Cotton  
Athletic Director  
DePauw University*

*Hosting the national championships was a great experience for the DePauw track and field programs. I have never seen our team more excited about track and field.*

*-Kori Stoffregen  
Head Track Coach  
DePauw University*



*Hosting a national championship requires commitment and cooperation from the entire campus community. We would not have been able to stage a successful championship without the help and support of students, faculty, and staff.*

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# HOST REQUIREMENTS



## HOSTS

2003 - DePauw University  
2002 - Ohio Northern University  
2001 - University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh  
2000 - Illinois Wesleyan University  
1999 - Ohio Northern University

- **DATES:**
  - Second Friday-Saturday in March.
- **FACILITY REQUIREMENTS:**
  - 200-meter flat track.
- **2003 HOST SITE:**
  - Greencastle, Indiana, DePauw University.
- **AVAILABILITY FOR NEXT HOST SITE:**
  - March 9-10, 2007
- **NCAA CONTACT:**
  - Keanah Smith (Staff Liaison)



## **DIVISION III MEN'S/WOMEN'S INDOOR TRACK FACILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- **THE AREA.**

- Tracks, runways or take-off areas should be covered with synthetic material or have a wooden surface. These surfaces should be able to accept 6 mm (1/4") spikes for synthetic surfaces and 3 mm (1/8") for wood.
- Where technically possible, each runway shall have a uniform resilience.

- **THE STRAIGHT-AWAYS.**

- Maximum lateral inclination in the running direction shall not exceed 1:250 at any point and 1:100 over-all.
- Lanes shall all have the same width with a recommended minimum of 1.07 meters (42") and a maximum of 1.25 meters (48") including the white line to the right. Lanes shall be marked on both sides by a 50 mm (2") wide line. The lanes shall be numbered with lane one on the left when facing the finish line.
- There should be a minimum of three meters (9'10") behind the start line and ten meters (32'9 3/4") beyond the finish line free of any obstruction. It is recommended that clearance beyond the finish line should be at least 15 meters (49' 2 1/2").

- **OVAL TRACK LANES.**

- Indoor tracks may vary in size with 200 meters as the preferable distance. It shall consist of two horizontal straights and two curves with consistent radii, which may be banked. The curves shall be bordered with a curb of suitable material approximately 50 mm (2") in height and width.
- The track should have a minimum of six lanes. Lanes should have a recommended minimum of 36" including the line to the right. Lanes shall be marked by lines 50 mm (2") wide.
- It is recommended that a maximum angle of banking should not be more than 18 degrees for a 200-meter track. This angle may vary based upon the size of a track. The angle of banking in all lanes should be the same at any cross section.

- It is recommended that the inside radius of the curves on a 200-meter track should not be less than 18 meters (59' 3/4") and not more than 21 meters (68' 10 3/4").
- **FIELD EVENTS.**
  - The pole vault, long jump and triple jump facilities must have at least 140 foot runways.
  - The shot put and high jump areas should be able to handle competitions at the same time with competitor and spectator safety.
  - The weight throw facility must have an acceptable cage and landing area that will allow maximum safety and also provide safe and adequate spectator space.
- **ADDITIONAL SPACE REQUIREMENTS.**
  - The facility should have space available for the management of the event including a clerking area large enough to house 50 student-athletes, a warm-up area for athletes prior to reporting to the clerk, a student-athlete interview area and an area convenient for conducting a drug-testing program.
  - The facility should have space for the track and field committee to meet that is private and without outside interference.
  - The facility should have an awards area and awards stand to accommodate eight people that is easily seen by the spectators.
  - The press box must be large enough to accommodate the actual management of the event and house a minimum of ten to 20 media.
- **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.** The host institution/sponsoring agency agrees that no alcoholic beverages shall be sold or dispensed for public or private consumption anywhere in the stadium prior to or during the conduct of the championship and that no advertisements denoting, publicizing or promoting the sale of alcoholic beverages shall be hung, installed or dispersed anywhere within the stadium during the term of the lease period.
- **MERCHANDISING.**
  - The NCAA shall have the exclusive right to sell products licensed by the NCAA for marketing. Only NCAA-licensed merchandise may be sold at the stadium (inside and outside).

- The host institution/sponsoring agency shall make every effort to restrict the retail sale of souvenir merchandise that has not been authorized by the NCAA and will confiscate any “pirated” merchandise that may become available for sale in its market.
- **INSURANCE.** The host institution/sponsoring agency shall maintain throughout the term of the lease, comprehensive general public liability insurance covering personal injury and property damage. The host institution/sponsoring agency further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the NCAA and its employees from and against all claims of liability to third parties for injury to or death of persons or loss of damage to property arising out of or in connection with the performance of the contract between the two parties.
- **COPY MACHINES.** The host institution/sponsoring agency shall provide at the stadium two photocopy machines with capabilities for reproducing statistics and other material on bond paper with a minimum per-copy speed of 60 per minute. These copy machines shall be located in an area convenient to the media.
- **COMPUTERS.** Computer terminals or personal computers to operate software package for lane assignments, scoring, etc.
- **SIGNAGE.** The stadium shall not permit any banners, signs, displays or advertising to be posted, hung or displayed in the stadium during any session of the meet.
- **ADDITIONAL PREFERENCES.**
  - Ability to contest all throws inside the facility within view of spectator seating.
  - Two long jump, triple jump and pole vault runways.
  - High jump situated so that it does not interfere with running events.
  - On-site meeting rooms.
  - On-site training rooms.
  - Seating capacity of at least 1,000.
  - Sufficient parking for team and spectators.

*Additional facility information can be found in the 2002 NCAA Track and Field Rules Book under Rule 10/Indoor Track: Facilities and Conduct.*