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**GREENSBORO**

Board of Trustees

**Athletics Committee**

**September 27, 2022**

**3:30 pm**

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### **Discussion Item**

ATH-1          Student Athlete Guest Speaker – Baseball player Zack Budzik

### **Background Information**

As a four-year starter, Zack Budzik has accumulated numerous SoCon Player of the Week, All Conference, and Honor roll awards throughout his tenure at UNCG. Appearing in over 150 games as a Spartan and with a penchant for base stealing (5<sup>th</sup> in UNCG record books), the shortstop grad student from Stallings, NC was a major contributor to the come from behind Cinderella story last Spring when the Spartans won the SoCon Conference championship and moved on to the NCAA tournament.

A graduate student currently working on a Master's degree in International Business, Zack is a natural leader and a four year member and current officer of the SAAC (Student Athlete Advisory Committee). He has also organized and taken part in many community service initiatives over the last several years. His younger brother, Jacob, is a freshman on the team this year.

Zack will share with the Board of Trustees some highlights of his athletic and academic journey at UNCG.