



# Scholarship Program

**Former World-Class Athlete, Hall of Fame Inductee, National Champion, & Division I Coach**



**Mike Gilliam**, a recruiting process and life skills expert, will speak at our upcoming *Showcase Tournament on March 28th, 2009 in Decatur, Alabama.*

For over twenty years, Mike's expertise has assisted high school student-athletes find colleges that are the right fit for their needs while securing **millions of dollars** through his program called ***Opportunities Through Athletics, inc. (Oi)***

Mike educates, motivates and offers a proactive program to families of student-athletes to facilitate the challenging waters of the recruiting process and to offset the cost of a college education!

Here is what other soccer players and their families have had to say about Oi:

**" I am SO glad you are here at my signing today because you have been such a huge part, if not the entire reason for why I have a future and am using sports to pay for it!"**

**Ashley Creavalle - Furman University**

**"I feel so blessed that both Ashley and Warren were able to obtain full scholarships! We will always be grateful for all the help and advice you gave us during the process – we could not have done it without you! I pinch myself all the time just to convince myself it's real. We will never be able to thank you enough for all the help you gave us! Thank you Mike!!**

**Yvette Creavalle (Parent) - Both at Furman University**

**"I would like to take this opportunity to share my gratitude for you attending my signing party and all that you have done for me. Without you and Opportunities Through Athletics, I would not be in the position that I am today. Not only did you teach me the skills that I needed to excel in the recruiting process but you taught me how to be a more well-rounded individual in everything that I do."**

**Ben Ascari - Mercer University**

**"I have heard from over 110 schools since signing with your company."**

**Byron Scheuneman - Berry College**

**"Opportunities Through Athletics, inc. (Oi) was most helpful in opening the door to college opportunities. I received over 500 letters from colleges and universities around the country."**

**Devon Prescod - University of Notre Dame**

**"After hearing you speak about your job, with passion, excitement, and the pursuit of helping yet another child become a man/woman, I was sold. Not only were my wife and I sold, but when our 15 year old son heard you speak he was very impressed, which is not an easy task. Kim and I thank you for all you have done and continue to do. And here is the ultimate compliment; Mike, I will see you next year with my 14 year old son, and again in another 6 years with my 9 year old daughter. So don't go anywhere and please don't ever change."**

**Jerry Barbero (Parent) - Missouri State University**

Opportunities Through Athletics, inc. (Oi) has helped secure over \$40 MILLION in scholarships and financial aid for the student-athletes and families with whom they work.

**You don't want to miss him!**

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