Event you are bidding for	2017-2018 Spring Nationals
Host School	Old Dominion University
Host Conference	MAISA
Name Submitting Bid	Charles Higgins
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ICSA MEETING	
Date of ICSA Meeting	May 21, 2018

Describe Meeting Venue

Old Dominion Sailing Center. Classroom meeting area that can accommodate several dozen guests with wifi and AV ability.

Venue Photo Upload



### aerial shot.jpg

Google Map Link to Venue

https://www.google.com/maps/place/ODU+Sailing/@36.8853112,-76.3154672,362m/data=!3m1!1e3!4m12!1m6!3m5!1s0x89ba99ad24ba3945:0xcd2bdc432d 76.3067676!3m4!1s0x0:0x509304b96b6190e8!8m2!3d36.8856117!4d-76.3167362

## NATIONALS SCHEDULING & VENUE

We prefer Team Racing happen on a weekend, the dates for the Singlehaned and Match Race Nationals are set by ICSA. Contact Danielle Richards, intersectionals@collegesailing.org for those dates.

Women's Nationals Dates	May 22-25, 2018
Team Racing Nationals Dates	May 26-28, 2018
Coed Nationals Dates	May 29-June 1, 2018

# Racing Venue Location & Description

Racing venue will be the Elizabeth and Lafayette Rivers adjacent to the Old Dominion University Sailing Center.

Google Map Link to Venue

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	76.3167362
Will there be a designated Spectator Area?	Yes
Will there be VIP Boats for School AD and Sponsor VIPs?	No

#### Rotation Area Description

The rotation area will be the Sailing Center pier and ramp.

#### Sailing Area Conditions

The conditions vary in that we can anywhere from 3-25 knots with flat to very rough water. This variety makes our venue a great fit for hosting a championship.

### **COACHING PLAN**

Will coaches be on the water or on land? Will this change depending on race course or championship?

The plan is for all coaching to be done from shore/pier.

#### PRACTICE EXCLUSION AREA

Please describe the area in which teams are prohibited from practicing between their Conference Championship and the conclusion of the nationals.

Practice area, if provided, will be the same as the racing area.

#### TRAVEL INFO

Please include Airports and time to venue, Hotels and potential hotel deals, areas of restaurants and any other helpful information.

Two airports are convenient to the venue. One is Norfolk international airport (20 minutes), and the other is the Newport News/Williamsburg regional airport (40 minutes).

Several hotels are within 5 miles of the venue, and the host will attempt to secure blocks of rooms for the event. Many restaurants are also within those 5 miles as well.

BOATS	
Fleet 1 Type/Manufacturer	Laser Performance FJs
Fleet 1 Year	2013
Fleet 1 Owner	ODU
Will Fleet 1 be replaced before Nationals?	No
Fleet 2 Type/Manufacturer	Laser Performance z420s
Fleet 2 Year	2015
Fleet 2 Owner	12 from ODU with the support of 6 from St. Mary's College
Will Fleet 2 be replaced before Nationals?	No

#### **BUDGET**

ICSA Requires the host to provide housing for ICSA Reps, Judges/Umpires, Photographer and Media Team (5 people, Spring Championships only).

Do you accept Housing Requirement?	Yes		

#### **PRO & CHIEF JUDGE**

Please note that all PRO's and Judges need to be approved by ICSA.

### Names of Proposed PRO & Chief Judge/Umpire

PRO will be either Gary Bodie or Charles Higgins or another appropriate and qualified PRO. The Chief Judge/Umpire is TBD.

### MEDIA LIAISON

Host will need to provide a media liaison that can work with sponsor and ICSA media and social media outlets, can you as the host provide this?

Provide Media Liaison

# ADDITIONAL DETAILS

Anything else we should now about your venue or bid that might help the board choose your venue?

Yes

Old Dominion University has a long history of hosting high quality events, including the 2007 Women's Nationals, the 2013 Coed Semifinals, and the 2015 Singlehanded National Championships.