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With this brochure, we hope to give you as much information as possible about what the 2ND USA COLLEGE PROSPECTS SOCCER CAMP is and what it stands for. We want to describe to you how the camp is built and what you can expect you can expect from the 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camp week. We want to do it informatively as possible. Because going to the USA College Prospects Soccer Camp is a major decision to make. For many youth and parents, it might be one the greatest youth development in life and therefore it is important to be prepared.

On our website: www.changethegameprojects.com, you can find further information about the 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camp and the routines on application. There you find the latest news about the camp.

The 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camp will be arranged for the second time and it will be the better, but most certainly also the best youth development program in Nigeria. Naturally, we are proud but at the same time we know that it makes heavy demands on us to make an even better camp.



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# **MESSAGE FROM THE** PRESIDENT

### Dear Partner,

The purpose of this note is to inform you about the wonderful opportunity we have to network together for an outstanding cause, help student-athletes find their life paths whichever that will mean for them in the educational and sports arena. Change The Game Projects offers first class state of the art educational and sports programs for a notorious and growing group of youngsters that we strongly believe have been forgotten. Every day more, we find an increasing number of educational providers and institutions who offer a wide array of educational only programs, activity programs, work and travel opportunities abroad, organized tours for people from all walks of life and hundreds of programs that do not contemplate the needs of student-athletes.

What about those sports enthusiasts who have both, sports and academic goals alike and would like to excel in both endeavors? For the most part, this particular group is extremely demanding when it comes to their needs, due to the fact, that the majority of them have more time constraints than their only student counterparts. Student-athletes are usually more rigorous with time management matters and as a result develop among others skills like concentration, determination, reliability, assertiveness in decision making scenarios, and discipline while developing competitive skills through sports which will then be applicable and transferable to other life disciplines. The instilling of these values in an individual will automatically increase their chances of being exposed and recruited by any organization at anytime.

We strongly believe that student-athletes participating in one of our programs will not only enhance their ability to lead and to cope with long hours of sports training and academic pursuits but in addition become a role model of possibility for many others. Student-athletes in search of high quality sports and educational programs do not want to settle for less by enrolling in a "MICK-EY MOUSE "program. This analogy clearly reflects what the market outlook for those student-athletes looks like, for the most part, hopeless. They often wonder, what about us? What can we do to find an educational and sports program that simultaneously combines both of our passions?

We are here ready to help fulfill their needs. We are looking forward to welcoming your child in the near future.

With warm greetings,

**ROBINSON ADAKOSA** President, Garden City Academy of Sports

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# WHY THE 2ND USA **COLLEGE PROSPECTS** SOCCER CAMP IN NIGERIA?

## Soccer is a tool for youth development.

their self-esteem and sense of belonging.





Millions of children and youth live in poverty in Nigeria. Many are victims of violence and social exclusion, and many lack opportunities for quality education and jobs. For these youth, participation in soccer and sports-related activities can mean access to a safe and healthy environment.

Soccer provides an alternative to help young people stay away from drug usage & trafficking, terrorism, and all sorts of crime and vices, by improving

Soccer really saves their lives. It gives them the opportunity to stay away from gangs, make new friends and more importantly to have a dream.

Our activities and commitments are some of the many reasons the 2ND USA COLLEGE PROSPECTS SOCCER CAMP has been marked as one of the most popular and fastest growing youth development program in the nation.





## **CAMP INFORMATION**

## Who may participate?

All persons (Boys & Girls) and between the ages of 15–19 years are welcome to participate in the 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camp.

The Camp is played under all applicable FIFA or NFF rules. All participants must be both academically and athletically eligible to participate in this camp. Must have taken or willing to take the WAEC/NECO with a minimum of five credit passes which must include English language and Mathematics.



### NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS:

All persons who are successful in the pre-clinic screening are eligible to participate in the camp and must show proof of age and academic eligibility.





CAMP IDENTITY CARD INCLUDES: ACCESS TO THE CAMP ACCESS TO THE CAMP VENUE FOR SOCCER AND CLASSROOM SESSIONS ACCESS TO OPENING AND CLOSING CEREMONY

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ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST REGISTER FOR THE CAMP PARTICIPATION IN THE 2ND USA COLLEGE PROSPECTS SOCCER CAMP IS OPEN TO ALL NIGERIANS

**OPEN TO BOYS AND GIRLS** 

MUST BE ATHLETICALLY ELIGIBLE (Must be a very talented footballer)

MUST BE ACADEMICALLY ELIGIBLE (Must have minimum of 5 O'level credits to include: Mathematics & English language. Applicants that have not written the O'level exam, must register for WAEC or NECO examination.)

ELIGIBLE AGE IS 15-19 YEARS OLD

APPLICANT IN HIGHER INSTITUTION IS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE (this option available to year 1–2 students only)

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE INSURED FOR ALL OUR CAMP ACTIVITIES AND PROVIDE THEIR PERSONAL INSURANCE



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# Port Harcourt, Nigeria Let us help you... GET TO COLLEGE IN USA FREE U15 – U19 BOYS & GIRLS

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### SPONSORS







- **Full-Scholarship** Opportunity available-Study in USA Colleges & Universities Free.
  - Best 15 participants travel for a week training tour to Europe

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- GET EDUCATED: **Recruitment Strategies** Seminar on the process, tips & tricks
- GET EVALUATED: By our college coaching staff and editorial team.

BATES

### UNIVERSITY PATNERS

SOCCER GENIUS

## **OPENING CEREMONY**

- - Introduction of Organizers
  - Introduction of Coaches
  - Introduction of Soccer players
    - Speech by the Chairman
    - **Speech by Coaches**
  - Speech by Sponsor/Partner
  - **Group Photograph section** 
    - Refreshment
- Allocation of welcome bag to all soccer players (Bags containing customized jerseys)

## **CLOSING CEREMONY**

- Award to partners and sponsors
- Selection of outstanding 15 players (these players will participate in tournament/trial in Europe)
  - Most promising player award (a Boy and a Girl)
    - Certificate of participation
    - **Group Photograph section**

Meet the change party consists of good food and entertainment. It is a good atmosphere for guests, participants, sponsors, partners and organizers. The entertainment consists of DJ services and comedians.



More information: www.changethegameprojects.com

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# **PROGRAM ITEMS**

Introduction of Sponsors/Partners

## PARTY AND REFRESHMENT









## CLASSROOM SESSIONS

1. Explanation of: NCAA Division 1, NCAA Division 2, NCAA Division 3, NAIA and Junior Colleges. What is required to gain acceptance unto respective colleges and scholarship parameters, part 1. Using the internet effectively to acquire information. Providing pertinent websites.

2. The application process. The SAT, ACT, the TOEFL, the application process, health regualtions, financial support and acquiring a Visa. The athletic scholarship, part 2.

3. Responsibilities of a student athlete: going to class, GPA, expected behavior, school expectations, athletic department expectations and team rules. A scholarship is for one year! Keeping your scholarship and your student athlete rights.

4. A year in the life of a student athlete: arrival, preseason, season, holidays, spring season and summer the professional development league.

5. Question and Answer with the coaches.

## **COACHING SESSIONS**

## **Based on 4 rotations and a goalkeeping** session per day

Day 1 Possession 1 first defender finishing from wing play (GK) Possession 2 Goalkeeping 1

Day 2 Possession 3 first attacker Possession 4 6 v 4 + 1 to goal (GK) Goalkeeping 2

Day 3

Day 4 Goalkeeping 4

Day 5 Possession 9 defending with 4 defenders, three midfielders and a goalkeeper (GK) first, second and third defenders first, second and third attackers Goalkeeping 5



Possession 5 first and second defender attacking centrally (GK) Possession 6 Goalkeeping 3

Possession 7 first and second defender first and second attacker Possession 8 – small-sided games (GK)



# SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS IN THE USA

## How we work

The American University sports scholarship program has been especially designed for those sports enthusiasts who have both sports and academic goals alike and would like to excel in both endeavors. Those who would like to complete their university studies while playing soccer on an athletics scholarship in our USA college network.

We have over 2000 colleges on our data page that we can place our eligible student-athletes. This scholarship program is a very appealing option for players who wish to continue their studies at an American university, while maintaining a high level of competitive play.

With over five years experience in the United States education system, and placement of eligible student-athletes into various American colleges.



# UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC ADVISING

### CHOOSING THE BEST OFFER

In the United States, universities are classified by different academic levels. We determine the highest level that the student athlete could succeed at. We will select the best offer available for the candidate based on their academic file and sports curriculum offered. If there are more offers or options available, the parent and the athlete will be consulted together in order to make a suitable decision.

### **TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE OR REQUIREMENTS**

American Universities have different requirements that vary from state to state. We are familiar with the indepth, inner working of these rules and use them to benefit the student athletes and their families. Please find below some related information.

- Different requirement for validation of foreign University Studies
- Different application deadlines (This can take up to 10 months in the more prestigious Universities.)
- (NCAA DI, DII, DIII, NAIA, NJCAA)

### ENTRANCE EXAM GUIDANCE

- and previous classes
- Contact with the responsible organizations to manage test registration
- to take their university entrance exams

### **ASSISTANCE WITH THE ADMISSIONS PROCESS**

We help in advising students and parents in the admission process of selected universities through assistance in completing specific documents demanded by the university international admission department.

- Letter of recommendation of all types
- Direct contact with the admissions department
- Medical Form Advising
- Financial Affidavits Assistance

### SPORT ADVISING

Direct communication with the Athletic Director. We maintain a direct line of communication with the director of athletics to make sure our student athletes comply with the NCAA, NAIA and NJCAA rules needed to compete at the collegiate level.

• Different minimum scores for entrance depending on what division the student athlete participates in

We guide our students in diverse aspects, emphasizing among other aspects in:

• The most appropriate entrance exam for each student, considering time for preparation

• Assistance with mandatory and diverse demand for official documentation for entrance exams

• Advising on dates and location to take the exams, making sure student athletes have enough time



## The 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camp shall be a meeting place for the Nigerian youth. It promotes National unity!



Only satisfied and happy sponsors, partners, and participants will enable us to keep our position as Nigeria's leading sports and youth development program. The 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camp is meant to be a meeting place for Nigerian youth and a platform that champions sustainable development.

The love for football is a common denomination and the language that everybody understands, regardless if you speak Yoruba, Hausa, Igbo, or Ijaw, you are welcome to participate. It is the mixture of participants from different religion, culture and language that makes the 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camp an absolutely unique camp.



# TOGETHER, WE HELP EACH OTHER MORE.

### Change The Game Projects is proud to partner with the following;



You wouldn't be involved with 2nd USA COLLEGE PROSPECTS SOCCER CAMP IN NIGERIA if you weren't passionate about youth development through sports, but that's not the only reason you're proud of being a partner. Change The Game Projects also believes in the importance of philanthropy and in playing active role in our community. You shares these values, too, that's why our partnerships work.



To learn more about our partnership, call: 09099529290, 08088830667, 08120833224, 08036372297 Or info@changethegameprojects.com or visit www.changethegameprojects.com



## Garden City Academy of Sports

Dear Parents,

As the Founder of the Garden City Academy of Sports, I am delighted to welcome you and provide a brief introduction to the school: a private, coeducational institution for secondary school students and secondary school leavers. It is located in Port Harcourt.

The history of Garden City Academy of Sports is rich in scholarship, leadership, and the support of elite athleticism. We are a school specifically designed to meet the needs of young people who have a passion for both sports & academics, and who want to receive individualized, academic preparation for university.

Our curriculum is university preparatory. Its delivery is varied to keep students engaged and to help ensure higher academic and sports performance. This is accomplished by dedicated, highly qualified teachers teaching traditional course offerings, including Honors and Advanced Placement courses, within a program specifically designed to cater to the needs of a variety of learners with diverse learning styles. Additional programs such as our English Language Learners program, our Learning Resource Center program, our SAT Prep class program, which is required programming for SSII and SSIII, and our teacher-led Evening Directed Learning program are designed to serve the learning needs and achievement goals of all of our students.

Further support for our students is provided through our faculty-student advising program, with small groups of students assigned to individual teachers and meeting during regularly scheduled periods several times each week. Our College Planning and Placement Center is hugely successful and works closely with our student athletes' coaches to ensure that each student athlete receives comprehensive guidance in identifying, communicating with, and applying to the colleges and universities where they will continue their academic and athletic pursuits.

We shall network with our partner colleges & universities in United States to find a placement where every student that would graduates from our academy will obtain athletics scholarship. 100 percent of our graduates will benefit U.S college scholarship offer or have signed a professional contract.

Applying to Garden City Academy of Sports can have a profound impact on your future as a student-athlete..

While we welcome applicants of all backgrounds, attending the Garden City Academy of Sports requires some common characteristics. Commitment, Self-Discipline. Passion. Dedication.

If you find the time to contact us, you will discover that pursuing an athletic passion does not preclude high academic achievement and personal growth

Sincerely, Robinson Adakosa Founder - President 08063141958, 08056541123









As a Parent, Teacher, Coach, you change lives every day. Remind your Children, Students, and Players that all young men and women must register for the 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camps in Nigeria if they turn 15 - 18 or risk missing out on free American university education, good job prospects or play professional soccer upon university graduation.

Info on registration contact: 09099529290, 08088830667, 08120833224, 08036372297 Learn more at: www.changethegameprojects.com

...Athletic Passion & Academic Excellency

## Remind him or her "Register for the 2nd USA College Prospects Soccer Camp in Nigeria "

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## **COACH PROFILES**



### Stewart Flaherty **HEAD COACH**



Stewart Flaherty became head coach of the Bates College men's soccer team after the 2011 season, promoted into the head spot after assisting former head coach (and now Senior Coach of Soccer Programs) George Purgavie during the Development Program. 2010 and 2011 seasons.

A 2004 graduate of Loughborough University in England with a master's degree in sport psychology, Flaherty has accumulated extensive experience with player development and recruitment in

the US. In addition to his coaching at Bates, for the past three years he has served as assistant coach with the Portland Phoenix senior team in the PDL, the third level of soccer in the US under MLS and the USL

Players Flaherty has coached at the PDL level include MLS

draft picks Charlie Rugg (Los Angeles Galaxy 2013), Aaron Schoenfeld (Columbus Crew 2013) and Pierre Omanga (New England Revolution 2014). Additionally, Michael Donald (Ayr United) and Clement Bopart (Marseille) have continued onto professional careers in Europe.

Flaherty also serves as a coach for the SoccerMaine Olympic

Flaherty spent over a year working as a youth development coach for MLS Camps and the MLS franchise Real Salt Lake.

At the end of 2006, Flaherty moved east and spent time coaching with TSF Academy and the MPS Cape Cod Crusaders. He led the TSF U23 Women to a USSF Region I Championship, as the team went the entire season undefeated and had players from Seton Hall, Penn State and Rutgers on the roster.

Flaherty has overseen an improvement in the program in his first two years, with highlights including a 2-0 win at 2007 national champion Middlebury and a 5-1 conference win at rival Colby. Out of conference, the Bobcats have beaten GNAC champion St. Joseph's (3-1) and NAC champion Thomas (1-0 in 2012 and 2013).

## **Roy Patton** HEAD COACH AT UNIVERSITY OF MOBILE



Roy Patton will begin his third season at the University of Mobile after posting a 17-5-2 record and leading his team to a runner-up finish at the 2012 NAIA Men's Soccer National Championship. Patton returns to the city that honored him in 1996 by naming May 30th "Roy Patton Day" in recognition of his contributions to area youth soccer.

Patton is a former professional soccer player in both Ireland and the U.S. (Glentoran FC and Bangor FC, both Irish Professional Teams, and in

### **Paul Leese** HEAD COACH



UTPA Athletics hired Paul Leese, who had been the head coach at Coker College for the previous five seasons, as the Broncs men's soccer head coach on Feb. 19. 2014.

tained success at Coker, leading the Cobras to the Conference Carolinas Tournament Championships in his first season before going on to win back-to-back conference championships in 2011 and 2012.

The Cobras were ranked as Year honors in 1997 while at Charleston Southern University. high as No. 5 in the nation and Leese earned his undergraduate degree in Business Adminis-No. 1 in the Southeast Region that season. Five student-athletes tration from Furman in 2001, and earned a Masters in Business earned First Team All-Conference honors, including Conference Administration from Elon in 2003. Leese, and his wife, Janeane, Carolinas Player of the Year Carlos Recinos, with an additionhave two sons. Aiden and Keiran.

### **Glad Bugariu** HEAD COACH



Hired on April 26, 2013 as the first women's soccer head coach in program history, Glad Bugariu immediately made history with the Broncs, as they went 8-9-4, tying for the ninth most wins by a first year NCAA Division I program in the state of Texas.

Before coming to UTPA, Bugariu spent five seasons as the head coach at South Carolina State University, where he is the winningest coach in the program history.

The 2010 season was the most successful in program history. Six Bulldogs earned All-Conference honors, former Mexican National Team player Briana Lopez was named Freshman of the Year, and Bugariu was named Coach of the Year.

Bugariu also has extensive international recruiting experience, landing two Under 20 Mexican National Team players, as well as senior national team players from Guatemala, Trinidad and Tobathe USISL with the Mobile Revelers and Vermont Wanderers.) He was head men's soccer coach at the University of South Alabama from 1980-1996, earning honors as Sun Belt Conference Coach of the Year 12 times.

He is a U.S. Soccer Federation "A" licensed coach and holds certifications with the National Soccer Coaches Association of America. advanced national diploma, and Irish Football Association Grade 1.

Patton holds a bachelor of education in biology and physical education from Queens University in Belfast, Northern Ireland; a master of education in exercise technology from University of South Alabama; and a Doctor of Education in sports management from the United States Sports Academy.

He is married to Dr. Katherine Habeeb, M.D. of Mobile and they have two children.

Leese had immediate and sus-

al Cobra selected to the Second Team. Five student-athletes earned NSCAA First Team All-Southeast Region honors with freshman defender Fernando Bedoya also getting recognized as an NSCAA All-American. For his efforts, Leese earned his first Conference Carolinas Coach of the Year award.

The 2012 team finished 12-4-1, including 8-1-1 in conference play as Leese earned his second-straight Conference Carolinas Coach of the Year honors.

One of his forwards, Daniel Jackson, was selected by Real Salt Lake in the fourth round (70th overall) of the Major League Soccer SuperDraft, making him the first Coker player to ever get drafted. During his playing career, Leese earned Big South Rookie of the

go, the Bahamas, Antigua and Guam during his time at SC State.

In 2004, he was named the assistant national team coach of Grenada, engaging in qualifying for the 2006 World Cup.

In 2000, at only 25 years of age, he was named Technical Director of the U.S. With the senior women's national team reaching the second round of World Cup qualifying in the CONCACAF region.

Bugariu also holds foreign and domestic coaching licenses, including the USSF "A" license, UEFA "B" license, NSCAA "Premier" Diploma, USSF "Youth" License, and the FIFA "Sports Medicine" Certificate. In the summer of 2011 Bugariu worked with Carolina Cobras of the W-League.

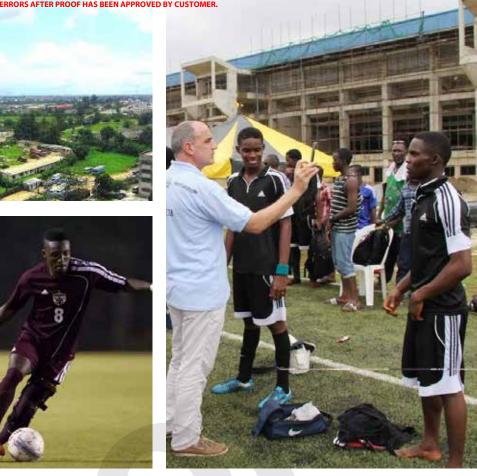
Bugariu has established an outstanding legacy in club and the Olympic Development Program (ODP).

Bugariu holds a degree in Recreation and Leisure Administration from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He earned his master's in sports science from the United States Sports Academy. He was an All-Region goalkeeper at Brevard College in N.C. and had a stint with the Romanian fourth division club, Soimii Sibiu, before playing for the C.D. Chapel Hill Dragons.













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