

Coach Barry Cunningham resigns from basketball varsity position

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Barry Cunningham, varsity basketball coach at the University of California, San Diego for the past three seasons, resigned today (Wednesday, April 5) to assume full time teaching responsibilities in the Department of Physical Education.

The reason for the decision, according to Cunningham, was a "difference in philosophy relating to the goals and conduct of the athletic program at UCSD."

Under Cunningham's direction the UCSD Tritons has a 13 win-13 loss record during the past season. The three-year record under Cunningham was 40 wins and 39 losses.

Intercollegiate competition at UCSD is strictly on a "desire to play" basis as the San Diego campus offers no athletic scholarships of any type and no academic credit is given for physical education courses.

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