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Bob Boswell inducted into California Community College Athletic Trainers Association Hall of Fame

(Modesto, CA) –Modesto Junior College athletic trainer and professor Bob Boswell has been selected as one of two 2016 inductees into the California Community College Athletic Trainers Association Hall of Fame. He will be recognized, along with Laurie Black, San Diego Mesa College, with this honor the Far West Athletic Trainers Association Convention on July 13 in Keauhou, Hawaii.

Boswell has worked as a certified athletic trainer at Modesto Jr. College for the past 38 years. In addition to taking care of student athletes competing in 21 sports, he has developed a successful Associates Degree in Athletic Training/Sports Medicine Degree program, producing 70 students who went on to become certified athletic trainers, as well as countless others in related sports medicine fields. Graduates of the program can be found in professional, NCAA, high school and in the California Community College System, all of whom Boswell continues to mentor today.

Boswell served as an athletic trainer at the 1984 Summer Olympic Games with Greco Roman and Freestyle Wrestling. He has worked at seven Olympic and World team trials and traveled throughout the world working in 39 countries at World and International Championships. He has served as athletic trainer for 30 National Championships in Wrestling, track and Field and Gymnastics.

Boswell has also worked with the Oakland Athletics baseball organization for the past 15 seasons during spring training. He served as head athletic trainer for the Modesto Relays for 32 years, and as the head athletic trainer and sports medicine director at the USAG 2013 Acrobatic Gymnastics National Championships. In 2013 he was selected by the National Athletic Trainers Association as the 2013 Head Athletic Trainer of the Year.

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Note: A photo of Bob Boswell is attached for media use.

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