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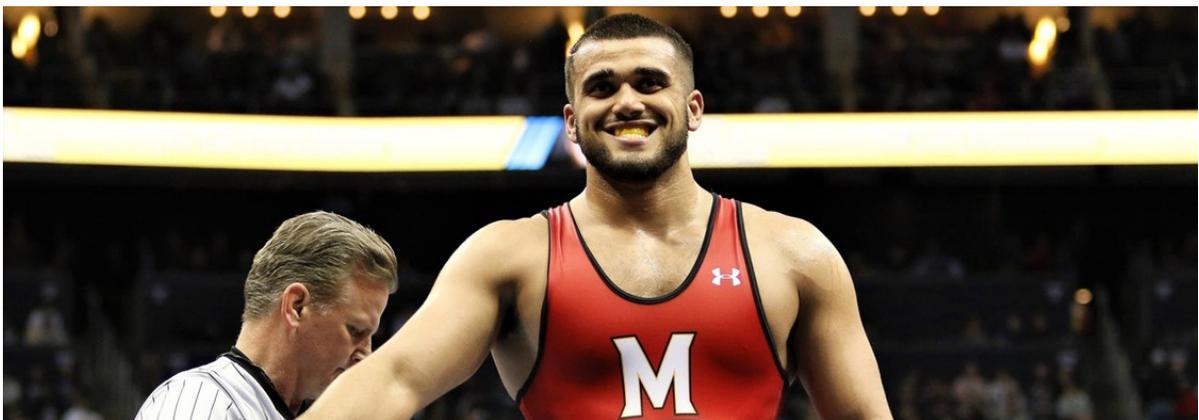
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Future contact about the program

As you know, this was my final weekend as Head Coach. Jimmy Sheptock will take over as the interim Head Coach until a new coach is officially named. Please direct any communications regarding the program to Jimmy (jsheptoc@umd.edu) moving forward. My cell phone will remain the same, I will have access to this email address and I can also be reached at kerrymccoy@gmail.com.

NCAA Recap





NCAA recap

Senior heavyweight Youssif Hemida closed out a prestigious Maryland wrestling career on Saturday, taking home a sixth-place finish and All-American status at the 2019 NCAA Championships in Pittsburgh.

The two-time NCAA All-American picked up five victories, including two by fall and a pair over ranked opponents. He also earned a victory over Iowa's Sam Stoll in the round to become an All-American.

Hemida became just the eighth wrestler in Maryland history to earn All-American honors twice in his career. Maryland's last two-time NCAA All-American was current associate head coach Jimmy Sheptock in 2014. It was also the 29th time in program history that a Maryland wrestler was an NCAA All-American.

A 2018 U23 World silver medalist, Hemida ends his career as a three-time Big Ten placer and NCAA qualifier. His highest Big Ten placing came this season, where he won five consecutive bouts to finish third in the event. That was the highest Maryland placing at the Big Ten Championships in program history and made Hemida the highest-placing Maryland wrestler at the conference tournament since the Terrapins joined the Big Ten. It was also Maryland's highest placing in a conference tournament since Sheptock placed first at the 2014 ACC Championships.

Hemida's 2019 season comes to a close with an overall record of 21-9, making it the third consecutive season he won at least 20 matches. He ends his collegiate career with 86 victories between open and dual competition.

Hemida was also a three-time team captain and Academic All-Big Ten. He was also a 2018 NWCA Academic All-American.

[Click here for final brackets](#)

Spring Awards Banquet

MARYLAND WRESTLING

The University of Maryland Wrestlers and Staff
cordially invite you to celebrate their accomplishments at the

2019 Spring Wrestling Awards Banquet

Please join us for a celebration honoring the 2018-19 season.

When: Sunday April 7, 2019

2pm Social, 2.30pm Dinner

\$30 per person - Meal provided

Where: Heritage Hall

Xfinity Center (second floor)

College Park, MD 20742

RSVP: Please reply by March 29, 2019

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Friends of Maryland Wrestling

This is our fundraising group that supports specific initiatives to benefit Maryland Wrestling.

The goals of Friends of Maryland Wrestling are to:

- (1) Raise money for special projects and services not covered in the annual athletic department budget.
- (2) Sponsor activities which foster a positive family atmosphere and spirit.
- (3) Ensure good communication and exchange of information between the coaching staff and supporters.

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Take care, thanks for your support and do not hesitate to reach out if you ever need anything,

Kerry



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