



Dr. Tracey Covassin, Ph.D., AT, ATC – MATS Hall of Fame Inductee Class of 2024

Place of employment when selected into the Hall of Fame: Michigan State University

Education:

- **Temple University (Ph.D., 2003)**
- **University of Nevada, Las Vegas (M.S., 1999)**
- **McMaster University (BA, 1995)**

Dr. Tracey Covassin has served the Athletic Training profession through her teaching, concussion research, and volunteering. She has taught, mentored, and facilitated growth for countless Athletic Training students and doctoral students at Michigan State University. Tracey's concussion research has elevated patient care, especially with her research on sex differences, epidemiology and risk factors associated with sports-related concussion. Her considerable volunteer service to the Athletic Training Profession includes MATS Treasurer (2007-2009), NATA Research and Education Foundation committee, Athletic Training Research Agenda Task Force and the NATA Convention Planning Committee. Her cumulative professional scholarly activity and service for the Athletic Training profession earned her the distinction of NATA Fellow in 2016, NATA Sayers "Bud" Miller Distinguished Educator Award and Rachel Oats Leadership award. Colleagues have described Tracey as "considerate, benevolent, humble, informed, leads by example, and dedicated to the Athletic Training profession."