The MIT Athletic Association is one of the largest and most active in the country. The Varsity Teams, the Intercollegiate Programs, and the Athletics Department all contribute to the overall success of MIT Athletics. The Varsity Teams are responsible for representing MIT in over 20 different sports, ranging from traditional winter sports like football and basketball to summer sports such as baseball and track and field.

The Intercollegiate Programs, on the other hand, are designed to provide opportunities for students who wish to compete at a more informal level. These programs include intramural sports, club teams, and special events such as the annual MIT Invitational Track Meet.

The Athletics Department is responsible for overseeing all aspects of MIT Athletics, from budgeting and financial planning to facility management and recruitment. The department also works closely with the Varsity Teams and Intercollegiate Programs to ensure that all athletes have the resources they need to succeed.

The Athletic Association is made up of a large number of volunteers, including coaches, managers, and other staff members. These individuals work hard to ensure that all athletes have the best possible experience at MIT Athletics.