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## Mid-Con announces Fall Academic All-Conference Teams

ELMHURST, ILL. — With the first semester of the 2002-03 academic year complete, the Mid-Continent Conference has announced its Academic All-Conference Teams for the fall. A total of 199 Mid-Con student-athletes from the sports of men's and women's cross country, men's and women's soccer and volleyball were honored for the academic excellence.

Valparaiso paced the conference with a league-best 47 Academic All-Conference honorees, while Oral Roberts had 31 student-athletes cited. Western Illinois and Oakland placed 30 and 29 respectively, on the teams, while IUPUI had 24 citations. UMKC (16), Chicago State (11) and Southern Utah (11) also had student-athletes recognized for their academic achievements.

Of the 199 student-athletes that were honored, four have maintained perfect 4.00 grade point averages in their careers. Included in that list are senior **Deidre Emerson** (cross country), sophomore **Steve McCarthy** (men's soccer) and senior **Anne Schick** (women's soccer) of Oral Roberts, and Southern Utah junior **Natalie Quilter** (cross country).

In order for a student-athlete to be selected to the Academic All-Conference team, he or she must meet the following criteria: carry a 3.00 or better cumulative grade point average; achieve sophomore academic standing at the institution; and compete in the sport in which he or she is nominated, in the season that corresponds with the selection of the award. Transfers, graduate students and junior college graduates must have completed one academic year at the nominating institution. True freshmen, redshirt freshmen and first-year transfers are not eligible for the award.

The complete list of the 2002-03 Mid-Con Fall Academic All-Conference teams follows on the next three pages.



# 2002-03 Mid-Continent Conference Fall Academic All-Conference Teams

## MEN'S SOCCER

Name, School	Yr.	Major	Hometown
Matt Davis, IUPUI	Jr.	Management	Avon, Ind.
Nathan Eames, IUPUI	So.	Fine Arts	Omaha, Neb.
Matt Hodges, IUPUI	So.	Business	Omaha, Neb.
Louis Kistic, IUPUI	So.	Computer Engineering	Fenton, Mich.
Ben Larson, IUPUI	So.	Management	Omaha, Neb.
Ian Mellencamp, IUPUI	So.	Computer Science	Cincinnati, Ohio
Brandon Meyer, IUPUI	Jr.	Mechanical Engineering	Topeka, Kan.
Ian Peers, IUPUI	Jr.	History	Brockport, N.Y.
Mike Sullivan, IUPUI	So.	Business	Granger, Ind.
Dan Hilson, UMKC	Jr.	Communication Studies	St. Louis, Mo.
Mike Reiter, UMKC	Sr.	English Education	St. Louis, Mo.
M.J. Serota, UMKC	So.	Medicine	Rockville Centre, N.Y.
Phillip Braathen, Oakland	So.	Economics	Stavanger, Norway
Matt Connor, Oakland	So.	Finance	East Lansing, Mich.
Marcus Halland, Oakland	So.	Pre-Business Administration	Vikersund, Norway
Shahar Ktovim, Oakland	So.	Undecided	Holon, Israel
Bret McNabb, Oakland	So.	Undecided	Cape Girardeau, Mo.
Doug Rice, Oakland	So.	Electrical Engineering	Brighton, Mich.
Ryan Rzepka, Oakland	So.	Finance	Novi, Mich.
Anders Vollen, Oakland	Jr.	Economics	Oslo, Norway
Noah Braun, Oral Roberts	Jr.	Education	Porterville, Calif.
Ryan Bush, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Business Management	San Springs, Okla.
Luke Collins, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Business Management	Bartlesville, Okla.
Jason Foster, Oral Roberts	Jr.	Computer Science	Tulsa, Okla.
Thomas Jakobsen, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Philosophy/Communications	Naeestved, Denmark
Steve McCarthy, Oral Roberts	So.	Missions	Binghamton, N.Y.
James Flugstad, Valparaiso	So.	International Business/French	San Antonio, Texas
Jon Flugstad, Valparaiso	Sr.	International Business & Cultural Affairs/Spanish	San Antonio, Texas
Brian Hirth, Valparaiso	Sr.	Meteorology	Columbia Station, Ohio
Owen Hoyt, Valparaiso	So.	Electrical Engineering	Spring Grove, Ill.
Mark Korba, Valparaiso	So.	Finance/Economics	Portage, Ind.
Adam Newell, Valparaiso	Jr.	Finance	Greenwood, Ind.
Josh Peacher, Valparaiso	Jr.	Finance	Granite City, Ill.
Oliver Sanders, Valparaiso	Jr.	International Business/German	Cape Girardeau, Mo.
Boris Bacsovics, Western Illinois	Jr.	Art	Malmoe, Sweden
Ty Beckmann, Western Illinois	Jr.	Manufacturing Engineering	Bellevue, Neb.
D.J. Harrington, Western Illinois	Sr.	Elementary Education	Sarasota, Fla.
Jake Horn, Western Illinois	Jr.	Economics	Chesterfield, Mo.
Justin Langan, Western Illinois	Jr.	Biology	Davenport, Iowa
Cam Shepherd, Western Illinois	So.	General Orientation	Birmingham, Ala.
Andy Swentik, Western Illinois	So.	Physics	Marquette, Mich.

## WOMEN'S SOCCER

Name, School	Yr.	Major	Hometown
Lacey Barron, IUPUI	So.	Exploratory	Omaha, Neb.
Erica Hocking, IUPUI	So.	Biology	Traverse City, Mich.
Niki Hornyak, IUPUI	So.	Business	Valparaiso, Ind.
Tara Latella, IUPUI	Jr.	Exercise Science	Grove City, Ohio
Thais Terkhorn, IUPUI	So.	Physical Education/Teacher Education	Columbus, Ind.
Angie Volovich, IUPUI	So.	Management	Council Bluffs, Iowa
Therese Bjorke, Oakland	Jr.	Psychology	Lovenstad, Norway
Laura Cowham, Oakland	So.	Elementary Education	Caledonia, Mich.
Erica Demers, Oakland	Jr.	Health Sciences	Welland, Ontario
Beth Howson, Oakland	Jr.	Health Sciences	Grosse Pointe, Mich.
Kelly Rieck, Oakland	So.	Undecided	Shelby Township, Mich.
Christine Selesky, Oakland	Sr.	Elementary Education	Warren, Mich.
Sarah Voss, Oakland	So.	Undecided	Clinton Township, Mich.
Charissa Adelman, Oral Roberts	So.	Communications	Littleton, Colo.
Kris Bramlett, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Biology/Pre-Medicine	Tulsa, Okla.
Erin Hartog, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Business	Tulsa, Okla.
Jodi Kirkhuff, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Education	Tulsa, Okla.
Tessa Long, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Education	Tulsa, Okla.
Randi Matthews, Oral Roberts	So.	Biology	Pryor, Okla.
Amber Morsey, Oral Roberts	Jr.	Education	Sapulpa, Okla.
Kim Pangburn, Oral Roberts	So.	Biology	Muskogee, Okla.
Heidi Ritze, Oral Roberts	Jr.	Biology/Pre-Medicine	Broken Arrow, Okla.
Anne Schick, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Biology/Pre-Medicine	Tulsa, Okla.
Megan Utz, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Biology/Pre-Medicine	Tulsa, Okla.
Elysia Cannon, Southern Utah	So.	English	Kaysville, Utah
Michelle Davis, Southern Utah	So.	Elementary Education	West Jordan, Utah
Ilene Dixon, Southern Utah	Jr.	Physical Education	Orem, Utah
Meesha Mangus, Southern Utah	So.	Elementary Education	Las Vegas, Nev.
Jessica Miles, Southern Utah	Jr.	Chemistry	Murray, Utah
Courtney Budd, Valparaiso	Jr.	Elementary Education	Cincinnati, Ohio
Kathy Cooksey, Valparaiso	Sr.	Physics	Beavercreek, Ohio
Cathy DeVito, Valparaiso	Sr.	Spanish	Mount Prospect, Ill.
Briana Ehrhardt, Valparaiso	Jr.	Actuarial Science/Math	Addison, Ill.
Kelly Faulkner, Valparaiso	So.	Middle Level Education	Plymouth, Minn.

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Jillian Keating, Valparaiso	Jr.	History	Sioux Falls, S.D.
Becky Maynard, Valparaiso	So.	Elementary Education	Munster, Ind.
Amy Miller, Valparaiso	So.	Elementary Education	Fort Wayne, Ind.
Lori Moore, Valparaiso	Sr.	Physical Education/Exercise Science	Dyer, Ind.
Kristen Templin, Valparaiso	Jr.	Psychology	Madison, Wis.
Sarah Wittrock, Valparaiso	Sr.	English	Livonia, Mich.
Katie Burns, Western Illinois	So.	Elementary Education	Ann Arbor, Mich.
Melanie Casner, Western Illinois	Jr.	Communications	El Paso, Texas
Casey Cox, Western Illinois	Sr.	Communications	Duluth, Minn.
Carrie Czerniak, Western Illinois	So.	Management	Woodbury, Minn.
Caitlin Freeman, Western Illinois	Jr.	Political Science	St. Louis, Mo.
Jennifer Oxler, Western Illinois	Sr.	Physical Education	Overland Park, Kan.
Janelle Sandene, Western Illinois	Sr.	Physical Education	Omaha, Neb.
Cortney Struby, Western Illinois	Sr.	Chemistry	Leawood, Kan.
Tristi Zbynski, Western Illinois	Sr.	Independent Study	Rockford, Ill.

## VOLLEYBALL

Name, School	Yr.	Major	Hometown
Carrie Klimson, Chicago State	Sr.	Physical Education	Channahon, Ill.
Vanessa Nicholson, Chicago State	Jr.	Sociology	Santa Fe, N.M.
Lisa Votteler, Chicago State	Sr.	Individualized Curriculum	Dolton, Ill.
Bri Hewitt, IUPUI	So.	Art Education	Lafayette, Ind.
Michelle Sobocinski, IUPUI	So.	Fine Arts	Milwaukee, Wis.
Angela Vinson, IUPUI	Jr.	Ceramics	Muncie, Ind.
Liz Burton, UMKC	Sr.	Physical Education	O'Fallon, Ill.
Michele Dalzell, UMKC	So.	Communication Studies	San Diego, Calif.
Sara Foster, UMKC	Jr.	Elementary Education	Valencia, Calif.
Katie Keating, UMKC	Sr.	Liberal Arts	Westminster, Calif.
Jana Lacer, UMKC	Sr.	Elementary Education	Newburgh, Ind.
Noe Perreira, UMKC	Sr.	Elementary Education	Kalaheo, Hawaii
Jenni Watts, UMKC	Jr.	Business Administration	Overland Park, Kan.
Charmaine Wong, UMKC	Sr.	Information Technology	Pearl City, Hawaii
Lauren Bramos, Oakland	Jr.	Elementary Education	Grosse Pointe, Mich.
Karen Conger, Oakland	So.	Undecided	Marysville, Mich.
Katie Lozier, Oakland	So.	Psychology	Clinton Township, Mich.
Beth Ann Rourk, Oakland	Jr.	Elementary Education	Woodhaven, Mich.
Becky Brunelle, Oral Roberts	So.	Communications	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
Lindsey Engel, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Computer Engineering	Edwards AFB, Calif.
Celeste Jones, Oral Roberts	So.	Psychology	Oregon City, Ore.
Keri Meyerson, Oral Roberts	Jr.	Communications	Moundsview, Minn.
Ivana Placko, Oral Roberts	Sr.	MBA	Porec, Croatia
April Syko, Oral Roberts	Sr.	Health & Exercise Science	Winnipeg, Manitoba
Marion Hansen, Valparaiso	Jr.	Physical Education	Huntley, Ill.
Kelly Linebrink, Valparaiso	So.	Elementary Education	Taylor, Texas
Elissa Malthaner, Valparaiso	Jr.	History	Brighton, Mich.
Lindsey Moore, Valparaiso	So.	Chemistry/Biology	Wakarusa, Ind.
Cyndi Norman, Valparaiso	Jr.	Biology/Psychology	Minooka, Ill.
Michelle Robinson, Valparaiso	Jr.	Business/Actuarial Science	Bloomington, Ill.
Sarah Schmalz, Valparaiso	Jr.	Individualized Curriculum	Corona, Calif.
Brenna Harper, Western Illinois	Sr.	Marketing	Colchester, Ill.
Christy Ottmers, Western Illinois	So.	Accountancy	Champaign, Ill.
Erin Singleton, Western Illinois	So.	Physical Therapy	Roseville, Ill.