



GOOGLE CLOUD ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA® TEAM SELECTED BY CoSIDA

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JOE SHERBURNE OF UMBC, MIKAYLA FERENZ OF IDAHO LEAD GOOGLE CLOUD ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA® DIVISION I MEN'S & WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TEAMS

AUSTIN, Texas – UMBC graduate student forward Joe Sherburne and University of Idaho senior guard Mikayla Ferenz headline the 2018-19 Google Cloud Academic All-America® Division I Men's and Women's basketball teams selected by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) and announced Monday.

Sherburne has been named the 2018-19 Google Cloud Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year for Division I men's basketball, while Ferenz earned the distinction of 2018-19 Google Cloud Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year for Division I women's basketball.

A native of Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, Sherburne is pursuing a graduate degree in data science after receiving his undergraduate degree in financial economics. He becomes a two-time first team Google Cloud Academic All-America selection after also earning the honor in 2017-18. Sherburne carries a 4.0 in his graduate course work after also earning a 4.0 as an undergrad. Sherburne leads the Retrievers averaging 14.3 points a game, and is second on the team with 5.4 rebounds and 2.9 assists.

Ferenz, a mathematics major from Walla Walla, Washington, earns Google Cloud Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year honors after being named to the Academic All-America® first team in 2017-18. She boasts a perfect 4.0 GPA while being named to the All-Big Sky first team the last two seasons. She leads the Vandals in scoring, 22.5 per game, and assists, 4.0 per game.

Four of the 15 members of the Google Cloud Academic All-America® Division I Men's Basketball teams boast a perfect 4.0 GPA. The five members of the first team have an average GPA of 3.99, with the entire men's team holding a collective average GPA of 3.88

Five others join Sherburne as repeat selections on Google Cloud Academic All-America® Division I Men's Basketball teams from 2017-18 – **Dylan Windler** (Belmont University), **Luke Maye** (University of North Carolina), **Marcus Bartley** (Southern Illinois University), **Skylar Mays** (Louisiana State University), and **Tyler Seibring** (Elon University). Additionally, Seibring was named to the 2016-17 Google Cloud Academic All-America® team.

Eight of the 15 members of the Google Cloud Academic All-America® Division I Women's Basketball teams sport a perfect 4.0 GPA. The five members of the first team have an average GPA of 3.99, with the complete 15-member women's team averaging a 3.93 GPA.

Along with Ferenz, the Google Cloud Academic All-America® Division I Women's Basketball teams have four other repeat performers from last year's teams – **Carmen Grande** (Ohio State University), **Ciara Duffy** (University of South Dakota), **Clara Tapia** (University of Wyoming), and **Sara Rhine** (Drake University).

For more information regarding the Google Cloud Academic All-America® program, visit <https://academicallamerica.com/>.

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2018-19 Academic All-America®

Men's Basketball Team

Division I

FIRST TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Marcus Bartley (3)	Southern Illinois University	Gr.	4.00/4.00	Sport Administration (UG) / MBA (G)
Seth Dugan	Western Michigan University	Sr.	3.97	Finance
Skylar Mays (2)	Louisiana State University	Jr.	4.01	Pre-Med / Kinesiology
Tyler Seibring (1) (%)	Elon University	Sr.	3.95	English / Economics
Joe Sherburne (1)	UMBC	Gr.	4.00/4.00	Financial Economics (UG) / Data Science (G)

SECOND TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
James Foye	Dartmouth College	Jr.	3.96	Economics
Zachary Hunsaker	Brown University	Jr.	4.00	Economics / Portuguese
Michael Jacobson	Iowa State University	Sr.	3.80	Finance
Luke Maye (2)	University of North Carolina	Sr.	3.47	Business Administration
Dylan Windler (2)	Belmont University	Sr.	3.74	Accounting

THIRD TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Amidou Bamba	Coastal Carolina University	Jr.	3.97	Finance
Sam Bittner	Fresno State	Sr.	3.90	Business Administration-Entrepreneurship
Clayton Custer	Loyola University Chicago	Gr.	3.52/3.75	Finance (UG) / MBA (G)
Brooks DeBisschop	Northern Arizona University	Jr.	3.96	Finance
Matt Pile	University of Nebraska Omaha	So.	3.90	Medicinal Chemistry

- (1) CoSIDA Academic All-America® Division I 1st team selection in 2017-18
(2) CoSIDA Academic All-America® Division I 2nd team selection in 2017-18
(3) CoSIDA Academic All-America® Division I 3rd team selection in 2017-18
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Google Cloud Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year: Joe Sherburne, UMBC



2018-19 Academic All-America® Women's Basketball Team Division I

FIRST TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Brittany Brewer	Texas Tech University	Jr.	4.00	Community, Family & Addiction Studies
Ciara Duffy (3)	University of South Dakota	Sr.	4.00	Political Science
Mikayla Ferenz (1)	University of Idaho	Sr.	4.00	Mathematics
Sara Rhine (3)	Drake University	Sr.	4.00	Elementary Education
Amanda Thompson	Mercer University	Sr.	3.98	Electrical Engineering

SECOND TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Amanda Johnson	Houston Baptist University	Sr.	4.00	Biology
Mikayla Pivec	Oregon State University	Jr.	3.93	Bio-Health Sciences
Alanna Smith	Stanford University	Sr.	3.47	Psychology
Clara Tapia (3)	University of Wyoming	Sr.	4.00	Molecular Biology / Chemistry
Mikayla Voigt	Northern Illinois University	Sr.	3.93	Nursing

THIRD TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Mary Dunn	Youngstown State University	Jr.	4.00	Communications / Sociology
Reyna Frost	Central Michigan University	Sr.	3.68	Mathematics
Carmen Grande (1)	Ohio State University	Gr.	3.95/3.92	Mathematical Science (UG) / Ind. & Sys. Engineering (G)
Becca Hittner	Drake University	Jr.	3.96	Marketing
Taylor Stahly	Louisiana Tech University	Sr.	4.00	Exercise & Health Promotions

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Google Cloud Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year: Mikayla Ferenz, University of Idaho