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WAC Announces 2025 Fall Academic All-WAC Recipients

ARLINGTON, Texas – The Western Athletic Conference (WAC) announced on Wednesday the 2025 Academic All-WAC honorees for fall sports, with a total of 317 student-athletes across six sports recognized.

To be eligible for the honor, a student-athlete must have completed at least one academic year, have at least a 3.2 cumulative grade-point average and have participated in at least 50 percent of the team's contests.

Of the six fall sports included, the WAC football playing members who compete in the United Athletic Conference led the way with 89 total honorees. Women's soccer was second with 64 honorees and men's soccer was third with 49 total student-athletes recognized.

Men's Cross Country (39)

Abilene Christian (8)

Mark Barajas, Jr.
Benjamin Castro, So.
Kevin Castruita, Sr.
Carlos Cortez, So.
Matthew Engle, Jr.
Mikhail Fortner, Jr.
Vincent Luffey, Jr.
Austin Roberts, So.

California Baptist (6)

Finn Anspach, Jr.
Roberto Castro Lara, So.
Gabriel Guzman, So.
Manuel Rojas, So.
Victor Roas, Jr.
Ernesto Ruiz, Jr.

Southern Utah (3)

Cory Bunker, Sr.
Ezra Nelson, Jr.
Logan Peel, Sr.

Tarleton State (4)

AJ Alfaro, Sr.
Diego Flores, Jr.
Michael Lopez, So.
Jace Poole, Jr.

UT Arlington (1)

Brian Guevara, Sr.

Utah Tech (7)

Aiden Hardy, Jr.
Ryan Hatch, Sr.
Luke Howell, Sr.
Dawson Leffler, Sr.
Collin Manning, Sr.
Rex Martin, Jr.
Tyler Mullins, Sr.

Utah Valley (10)

Max Burton, So.
Trey Despain, So.
Alex Hartshorn, So.
Cameron Jacobs, Jr.
Wyatt Mortenson, So.
Gilbert Olivas, Sr.
Caleb Ream, Gr.
Cayden Tupper, Sr.
Pierce Vittone, Gr.
Porter Whitworth, Gr.

Women's Cross Country (32)

Abilene Christian (6)

Madison Anderson, Jr.
Kyla Fuller, Sr.
Hannah Kasper, Sr.
Hadley Phillips, Sr.
Alyssa Quinones, Jr.
Kate Williams, Sr.

California Baptist (5)

Karolina Bliujute, So.
Ava Dyck, So.

Ana Mees, So.
Helena Mees, So.
Ceyda Pinar, So.

Southern Utah (4)

Audrey Hales, Sr.
Taylor Jorgensen, Jr.
Nixie Killpack, Jr.
Sammi Stewart, Sr.

UT Arlington (3)

Justina Lusby, So.
Emilia Mandl, So.
Abigail Perez, So.

Utah Tech (7)

Adri Bird, Jr.
Makayla Boulton, Jr.
Erin McKinnon, Sr.
Charly Murie, Sr.
Averie Perriton, Sr.
Savannah Rydalch, Sr.
Kambrie Wilkinson, Sr.

Utah Valley (7)

Isabel Anglero, So.
Jennaveve Bingham, Sr.
Natalia Boltz, So.
Kaitelyn Emmons, So.
Elisabeth Ferrell, Jr.
Morgan Nokes, Gr.
Addison Pettingill, Jr.

***Football (89)**

Abilene Christian (15)

Jed Castles, Gr.
Colt Cooper, Gr.
Justin Duff, Gr.
Stone Earle, Gr.
Carson Finney, Jr.
George French II, Gr.
Grant Jones, Jr.
Trace Low, Jr.
Colter Lynch, Sr.
T.J. Marshall, Gr.
Kyler Meschi, Jr.
Hugo Nash, Sr.
DeAngelo Ponder, Jr.
Kortlin Rausaw, Gr.
Jordan Vaughn, Sr.

Southern Utah (29)

Sebastian Adamski, Sr.
Niko Alailefaleula, Jr.
Parker Andrus, So.
Bronson Barron, Gr.
Cade Bowring, Sr.
Talmage Brown, Sr.
Will Burns, Sr.
Devin Downing, Sr.
Joshua Dunn, Gr.
Joshua Dye, Jr.
Josiah Dye, Jr.
Hayden Erickson, Sr.
Jack Fairchild, Sr.
Hayden George, So.
Shyne Johnson, Jr.

2025 Fall Academic All-WAC Honorees

Danny King, Gr.
Anson Kraut, Sr.
Salofi Leasiolagi, Sr.
Gavin Lipkin, Sr.
Davion Martinez, Jr.
Gabe Nunez, Sr.
Jeremy Perkins, Sr.
Ricky Rich, Gr.
Edward Riley, Sr.
Jayden Rogers, Jr.
Krush Sowers, So.
Mason Stromstad, Jr.
Baron Taylor, Jr.
Alyas Vigil, Sr.

Tarleton State (26)

Alec Ambrosia, Gr.
Angelo Anderson, Gr.
Jadan Aubert, Jr.
Matt Bosset, Gr.
Klein Essler, So.
Victor Gabalis, Gr.
Jack Gallagher, Gr.
Daniel Greek, Gr.
Artis Hall, Gr.
Kurt Hatch, Gr.
Dawson Hearne, Sr.
Cody Jackson, Gr.
Danny Joiner, Sr.
Peyton Kramer, Gr.
Caleb Lewis, Gr.
Ja'Voni Melidor, Gr.
Aidan Moe, Sr.
Les Odimara, Gr.
Ty Rawls, Gr.
Charlie Robinson, Gr.
Courtland Stephens, Gr.
Hagan Stephenson, Gr.
Devin Sterling, Gr.
Brodrick Stewart, Jr.
Branson Tita-Nwa, Sr.
Stephen Woods Jr., Gr.

Utah Tech (19)

Bronson Barben, Jr.
Justin Buhler, Sr.
Cody Carlson, Sr.
Bryce Crowley, Sr.
Chernet Estes, Sr.
Reggie Graff, Sr.
Jeremiah Jimoh, So.
Brody Monson, Jr.
River Moore, So.
Peter Oney, Sr.
Benjamin Pupplo, Sr.
Nolan Reynolds, Sr.
Josh Rillos, Sr.
Cade Smith, Sr.
Jace Sweeten, So.
Daniel Thomason, Sr.
Ilya Uvaydov, Sr.
Micah Vuki, Sr.
Noa Yamauchi, So.

Men's Soccer (49)

Air Force (1)

Andrei Bulankou, So.

California Baptist (5)

Stavros Charalampous, Jr.
Hugo Do Rego, Jr.
Drew Hardin, Jr.
Andrew Lovell, So.
Tizian Marth, So.

Grand Canyon (5)

Ben Assane, Gr.
Alan Hermitte, Jr.
Max Kiefer, Fr. (early enrollee)
Jack Kiefer, Fr. (early enrollee)
Xande Santos, So.

UNLV (6)

Thomas Lebeuf, So.
Hugo Lemos, Jr.
Mikah Madrid, Jr.
Kai Merrill, Jr.
Manolo Vazquez, Jr.
Tyler Ware, Jr.

San Diego State (8)

Lucas Caffo, R-Fr.
Rommee Jaridly, Sr.
Josh Lucas, Sr.
Cianole Nguepissi, So.
Terence Okoeguale, Sr.
Dylan Presto, Jr.
Whit Schatz, So.
Eddy Vargas, Sr.

San Jose State (6)

Cameron Cook, So.
Niklas Dossmann, Sr.
Eamon Fakhri, Sr.
Edgar Guerra, Gr.
Tiko Moodie, So.
Neo Ruiz, So.

Utah Tech (10)

Jerod Allen, Sr.
Elijah Dinkel, Jr.
Tanner Dutra, Jr.
Anthony Godinez, Sr.
Tyson Nguyen, Sr.
Dunes Nielsen, Jr.
Miguel Regino, Jr.
Taylor Rogers, So.
Andre Saucedo, Sr.
Oliver Stone, Sr.

Utah Valley (8)

Take Amtrup, Jr.
Gilles Aurelien, Sr.
Jose Luis Martin Montealegre, Jr.
Keegan Oyler, Jr.
Noah Pogue, Jr.
Kolby Sessions, Jr.

Trevor Walk, Jr.
Keith Willey, Sr.

Women's Soccer (64)

Abilene Christian (13)

Aliyah Anderson, Sr.
Katy Gregson, Jr.
Peyton Hill, Sr.
Raegan Hollis, So.
McCarly Holloman, Sr.
Gracie Kelly, Jr.
Amelia Leggett, Sr.
Nia Leslie, Jr.
Raelin Miller, Sr.
Emma Nylund, Sr.
Baylie Simon, Sr.
Abby Smith, Gr.
Hannah Vetromile, Sr.

California Baptist (5)

Summer Allen, Gr.
Rainie Clark, Sr.
Kaylee Hauck, Gr.
Mikayla O'Brien, Sr.
Ava Westlund, Sr.

Southern Utah (5)

Sarah Assumma, Sr.
Whitney Gardner, Gr.
Addison Larsen, Gr.
Aubrey Murray, Sr.
Rylan Tebbs, Jr.

Tarleton State (13)

Zoe Ballard, So.
Jaycie Bass, Sr.
Isa Bergeron-Prejean, Jr.
Teeghan Dodd, Sr.
Kaitlyn Flanagan, Sr.
Kyra Goudzwaard, Sr.
Avery Harr, Sr.
Macy Hellwig, Sr.
Mikayla Kendall, Gr.
Sam Liaty, So.
Stevie Reynolds, Sr.
Sammy Schulze, So.
Reegan Wagg, So.

Utah Tech (13)

Lataya Brost, Jr.
Nicole Choren, Jr.
Ella Cotter, So.
Lacy Fox, Sr.
Brianna Frey, Sr.
Breanna Koscielski, So.
Kyah Le, Sr.
Lexi Nelson, So.
Lox Neves, Sr.
Michelle Rodriguez, Jr.
Ella Rusick, Sr.
Tessa Thornton, Sr.
Indie Winterton, Sr.

Utah Valley (15)

Sadie Beardall, Jr.
Greta Davis, Jr.
Ruby Hladek, Sr.
Nixan Jackson, Jr.
Jasmin Lim, So.
Lulie MacFarlane, Jr.
Taylor Nelson, Sr.
Mia Owens, Jr.
Bailey Peterson, So.
Marie Quentel, Sr.
Josie Shepherd, So.
Isabella Stewart, Jr.
Faith Webber, Gr.
Leah Wolf, Sr.
Elle Young, So.

Volleyball (44)

Abilene Christian (10)

Aubrey Beaver, Jr.
Abby Christian, Sr.
Courtney Church, Jr.
Ashli Edmiston, Sr.
Hannah Gonzalez, Sr.
Rachel Koss, Sr.
Izabelle Larson, Jr.
Annaleise Sevier, Jr.
Alexis Strong, Sr.
Avery Thaler, Jr.

California Baptist (5)

Avery Barber, So.
Maddie Brown, R-So.
Emery Dejong, So.
Gianna Perez, So.
Reese Reed, Sr.

Southern Utah (1)

Victoria Zibecchi, Sr.

Tarleton State (6)

Taylynn Biggs, So.
Emma Burke, Sr.
Alyssa Dinh, So.
Madison Frank, Jr.
Megan Hodges, Sr.
LaNeah Lara, Jr.

UT Arlington (3)

Isabella Camacho, So.
Eryn Snook, Jr.
Jalie Tritt, Sr.

Utah Tech (10)

Nana Asiata, Jr.
Kaycee Bugas, Sr.
Casidy Fried, Sr.
Emery Harrison, Jr.
Kennedi Knudsen, Sr.
Mya Laufiso, Jr.
Sydney Reese, Sr.

2025 Fall Academic All-WAC Honorees

Marley Roe, Jr.
Taylor Snow, Sr.
Kaleinani Watson, So.

Utah Valley (9)

Sami Blackett, So.
Evalyn Chism, Jr.
Alyssa Erickson, Sr.
Olivia Gloeckner, So.
Alyvia Jaffa, So.
Lani Matavao, Jr.
Avery Page, Sr.
Natalie Riggs, Sr.
Bella Wooden, Sr.

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football compete in the United
Athletic Conference**