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## 2009-10 Winter/Spring Academic All-Conference Announced

NAPERVILLE, Ill. -- The Great West Conference has announced its 2009-10 Winter/Spring Academic All-Conference honors for the sports of baseball, men's and women's basketball, men's and women's indoor and outdoor track & field, women's golf, women's tennis and softball.

Leading the honorees are 13 athletes who have achieved 4.0 grade point averages. Those individuals are Houston Baptist women's track athletes Erica Clark and Raquel Tidwell, NJIT baseball player Kyle McCarthy, North Dakota track athletes Sara Carpenter and Kristi Dahlheimer, women's basketball players Alys Seay and Mallory Youngblut and tennis player Emma Larson, South Dakota track & field athletes Nick Beare, Chad Pinkelman, Alexa Duling and Crystal Schiernbeck and Texas-Pan American tennis player Andrea Salvetova.

In all, 240 Great West Conference athletes were named to the team based on a minimum cumulative 3.2 grade point average. The athletes also must have participated in at least 50 percent of their respective team's contests. Using the institutions' most recent GPA, the student-athletes are selected by each member institution's sports information director, with approval from the faculty athletic representative and the head coach. First-year students and JC transfers in their first year of residence are not eligible for the award.

The 240 winter and spring athletes join 171 fall-sport athletes who were named to the Great West Conference Academic All-Conference Team for the 2009-10 academic year, bringing the total number to 411 Great West student-athletes who excelled in the classroom and were honored for their efforts.

"There is no question that we have quality student-athletes in the Great West," said GWC Commissioner Ed Grom. "I am amazed that there are more than 400 individuals who combine competing at the highest level of NCAA competition with succeeding in the classroom, which is the cornerstone of the NCAA. The drive and determination of our Great West student-athletes today, with so many distractions and other options at their fingertips, is very inspiring. I am proud of our academic all-conference honorees who are all winners in sport and life."

# Great West Conference Academic All-Conference

Winter/Spring 2009-10

<b>Sport</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>Year</b>
Baseball	Chicago State	Albert Carpen	Mgmt. Info Systems	Sophomore
Baseball	Chicago State	Kellon McFarlin	Communications	Sr./Grad.
Baseball	Chicago State	James Tucker	Engl.-Secondary Taching	Sophomore
Baseball	Houston Baptist	Robbie Buller	Accounting	Sophomore
Baseball	Houston Baptist	Derek Smith	Marketing	Senior
Baseball	Houston Baptist	Beau Warren	Accounting/Business	Junior
Baseball	NJIT	Steve Ace	Industrial Engineering	Junior
Baseball	NJIT	James D'Aloia	Mechanical Engineering	Junior
Baseball	NJIT	Kyle McCarthy	Mathematical Science	Senior
Baseball	NJIT	Jeff Pizzi	Business	Sophomore
Baseball	NJIT	Matt Tomczyk	Mechanical Engineering	Junior
Baseball	North Dakota	Josh Lagein	Mechanical Engineering	Junior
Baseball	North Dakota	Josh Nelson	Marketing	Senior
Baseball	North Dakota	Andy Sadler	P.E., Ex. Sci. & Wellness	Junior
Baseball	North Dakota	Aaron Cook	Investments	Senior
Baseball	Northern Colorado	Jarod Berggren	Biomedical Sciences	Sophomore
Baseball	Northern Colorado	Casey Coy	Earth Sciences	Sophomore
Baseball	Northern Colorado	Mike Raudenbush	Finance	Senior
Baseball	Northern Colorado	Eric Skufca	Accounting	Senior
Baseball	NYIT	Matt Carr	Business Administration	Sophomore
Baseball	NYIT	Sebastian Grazziani	Criminal Justice	Sophomore
Baseball	NYIT	Brian Smith	Hospitality Management	Senior
Baseball	NYIT	Preston Wasmund	Accounting	Junior
Baseball	Texas-Pan American	Abraham Garcia	Kinesiology	Senior
Baseball	Texas-Pan American	Iradier Hernandez	International Business	Sophomore
Baseball	Utah Valley	Craig Brimhall	Biology	Sophomore
Baseball	Utah Valley	Jace Brinkerhoff	Exercise Science	Senior
Baseball	Utah Valley	Billy Burgess	Accounting	Sophomore
Baseball	Utah Valley	Cole McWhorter	Bus. Mgmt./General Bus.	Freshman
Men's Basketball	Houston Baptist	Fred Hinnenkamp	Bus. Admin./Intl. Bus.	Junior
Men's Basketball	NJIT	Sammy Schickel	Business	Sophomore
Men's Basketball	NJIT	Teddy Schickel	Business	Sophomore
Men's Basketball	NJIT	Dan Stonkus	Mechanical Engineering	Sr./Grad.
Men's Basketball	North Dakota	Derek Benter	Criminal Justice	Junior
Men's Basketball	South Dakota	Tyler Cain	Recreation	Senior
Men's Basketball	South Dakota	Louie Krogman	Undecided	Sophomore
Men's Basketball	Texas-Pan American	Nathan Hawkins	Business Administration	Sr./Grad
Men's Basketball	Texas-Pan American	Jared Maree	Computer Info Systems	Sophomore
Women's Basketball	Chicago State	Natalie Marlowe	Undecided	Sophomore
Women's Basketball	Chicago State	Courtney Waldon	Communications	Junior
Women's Basketball	NJIT	Jessica Gerald	Business	Junior
Women's Basketball	NJIT	Katie Piekielski	Biology	Senior
Women's Basketball	NJIT	Ivana Seric	Mathematical Science	Junior
Women's Basketball	North Dakota	Kayla Bagaason	Management	Senior
Women's Basketball	North Dakota	Corey Lof	P.E., Ex. Sci. & Wellness	Junior
Women's Basketball	North Dakota	Alys Seay	Spanish/Biology/Health	Senior
Women's Basketball	North Dakota	Mallory Youngblut	Kinesiology	Sr./Grad.

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Women's Basketball	South Dakota	Amber Hegge	Math Education	Sophomore
Women's Basketball	South Dakota	Jackie Hiebert	Accounting	Sophomore
Women's Basketball	South Dakota	Kara Iverson	Pre-Occupational Therapy	Senior
Women's Basketball	South Dakota	Annie Roche	Biology	Sophomore
Women's Basketball	Texas-Pan American	Maria Ben Erlingsdottir	Finance	Junior
Women's Basketball	Texas-Pan American	Marah Guzman	Dietetics	Senior
Women's Basketball	Utah Valley	Kayla Burningham	Psychology	Senior
Women's Basketball	Utah Valley	Erika Newbold	Psychology	Sophomore
Women's Basketball	Utah Valley	Blake Reynolds	Exercise Science	Senior
Women's Golf	Chicago State	Tessa Harp	Communications	Senior
Women's Golf	Chicago State	Brittany Johnson	Biochemistry	Sophomore
Women's Golf	Houston Baptist	Brianna Maynard	Accounting	Senior
Women's Golf	North Dakota	Lauryn Job	Biology	Junior
Women's Golf	North Dakota	Kristi Lucken	Elementary Education	Senior
Women's Golf	South Dakota	Katie Benedict	Business	Sophomore
Women's Golf	South Dakota	Abby Doorn	Accounting	Junior
Women's Golf	South Dakota	Stephanie Zavilla	Psychology	Junior
Women's Golf	Texas-Pan American	Maria Jose Camey	Marketing	Sophomore
Women's Golf	Texas-Pan American	Rebecca de Leon	Public Administration	Senior
Women's Golf	Texas-Pan American	Haley Hocott	Criminal Justice	Junior
Women's Golf	Utah Valley	Abbie Archibald	Elementary Education	Junior
Women's Golf	Utah Valley	Erika Baldwin	Commun./Pub. Rel.	Senior
Women's Golf	Utah Valley	Monica Fox	Business Mgmt. Education	Sophomore
Women's Golf	Utah Valley	Stephanie Fox	Business Mgmt. Education	Sophomore
Women's Tennis	Chicago State	Dian Mayasari	Recreation	Junior
Women's Tennis	Chicago State	Peggy Moore	Management	Junior
Women's Tennis	Chicago State	Golda Rubina	Art Design	Senior
Women's Tennis	Chicago State	Juan Rosalia Tejoprayitno	Accounting	Sophomore
Women's Tennis	Chicago State	Juan Rosalina Tejoprayitno	Accounting	Sophomore
Women's Tennis	NJIT	Fanny Aizier	Computer Science	Senior
Women's Tennis	NJIT	Ana Lidon	Business	Junior
Women's Tennis	NJIT	Anine Lovdal	Interior Design	Sophomore
Women's Tennis	NJIT	Dasa Stanimirovic	Business	Senior
Women's Tennis	NJIT	Isha Toor	Business	Senior
Women's Tennis	North Dakota	Katie Callison	Communication	Senior
Women's Tennis	North Dakota	Emma Larson	Kinesology	Sr./Grad.
Women's Tennis	South Dakota	Melanie Rockne	Business Finance	Senior
Women's Tennis	South Dakota	Rijalda Zejnic	Criminal Justice	Senior
Women's Tennis	Texas-Pan American	Megan Bedeau	General Studies	Senior
Women's Tennis	Texas-Pan American	Sarah Burton	Journalism	Senior
Women's Tennis	Texas-Pan American	Luisa Cantu	Finance	Senior
Women's Tennis	Texas-Pan American	Reetta Raty	English	Sophomore
Women's Tennis	Texas-Pan American	Andrea Salvetova	International Business	Sophomore

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Men's Indoor Track	Chicago State	Anthony Davis	Communications	Senior
Men's Indoor Track	North Dakota	Josh LeBlanc	Electrical Engineering	Senior
Men's Indoor Track	Seattle	Alec Adams	Electrical Engineering	Senior
Men's Indoor Track	Seattle	Ty Jaros	Biology	Sophomore
Men's Indoor Track	South Dakota	Nick Beare	Chemistry	Sophomore
Men's Indoor Track	South Dakota	Tane Owens	Psychology	Junior
Men's Indoor Track	South Dakota	Jeff Sebern	Biology	Junior
Men's Indoor Track	Utah Valley	Andrew Graham	Exercise Science	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Chicago State	Joseph Hill, Jr.	Marketing	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Chicago State	Xavier Williams	Accounting	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Johnathan LeJeune	History	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Maximo Mendoza	Kinesiology	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Aamir Ahmed	Biomedical Engineering	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Josh-Erik Dolisca	Electrical Engineering	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Michael Gurlacz	Information Technology	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Joseph Ju	Biomedical Engineering	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Jonathan Nunez	Computer Science	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Ruben Santos	Const. Eng. Technology	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Cory Absey	Psychology	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Mark Barclay	Social Studies Education	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Matt Elbert	History	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Jeremy Jones	Psychology	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Eric Nelson	Chemistry	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Tyler Rose	Biology/Pre-Health	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Kyle Rosseau	General Studies	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Daniol Sjarpe	Biology	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Chris Stoks	Investments	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Nicholas Alvarado	Psychology	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Erik Barkhaus	International Business	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Christopher Fussell	Finance	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Hans Heitzinger	Finance	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Tom Mezzera	Pre-Major	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Jabari Smith Fraser	Pre-Major	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Michael Van Nuland	Biology	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Bryan Aberle	Elementary Education	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Rob Gregoire	Business Management	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Corey Gross	Business Management	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Chad Pinkelman	Business Management	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Tanner Willard	Pre-Medicine	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Texas-Pan American	Omar Doria	Biology	Sr./Grad.
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Texas-Pan American	Andrew Lopez	Criminal Justice	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Jacob Buhler	Biology	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Chris Burr	Social Work	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Drew Clarke	Bus. Mgmt./Int'l Bus.	RS Freshman
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Spence Foster	Poli. Sci./Int'l Relations	Sophomore
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Akwasi Frimpong	Bus. Mgmt./Marketing	RS Freshman
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Jared Keller	Biology	Junior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Jorden Pope	Exercise Science	Senior
Men's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Jared Ray	Bus. Mgmt./Marketing	Senior
Men's Outdoor Track	Seattle	Matthew McClement	Biochemistry	Sophomore
Men's Outdoor Track	South Dakota	Andrew Duba	Marketing	Junior
Men's Outdoor Track	Utah Valley	Cody Olsen	University Studies	Sophomore
Men's Outdoor Track	Utah Valley	Tim Rowberry	Poli. Sci./Int'l Relations	Sophomore

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Women's Indoor Track	Chicago State	Peggy Moore	Management	Junior
Women's Indoor Track	North Dakota	Aryn Bell	History	Senior
Women's Indoor Track	North Dakota	Sara Carpenter	Nursing	Senior
Women's Indoor Track	North Dakota	Angela Kumm	Interdisciplinary Studies	Sophomore
Women's Indoor Track	South Dakota	Kelsey Maloney	Psychology/Pre-Phy. Ther.	Senior
Women's Indoor Track	Utah Valley	Stephanie Christensen	Exercise Science	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Zelda Abadom	Nursing	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Kenda Carroll	Math/Education	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Erica Clark	Math	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Disa Foster	Marketing	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Emily Shulik	Nursing	RS-Freshman
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Raquel Tidwell	Spec. Ed./Early Childhood	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Houston Baptist	Zakia Tillis	Athletic Training	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Cara Constantino	Architecture	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Iulia Doci	Management	Sr./Grad.
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Lauren Dupuis	Biomedical Engineering	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Daisy Gallegos	Information Technology	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Megan Higgins	Biomedical Engineering	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Katrina Hornstein	Mechanical Engineering	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	NJIT	Zoey Tham	Civil Engineering	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Lori Benke	Comm. Sci. & Disorders	Seniors
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Brooke Biederstedt	Pre-Social Work	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Cheri Boyer	Psychology	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Brittany Brenny	Physical Therapy	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Jessica Butler	Communications	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Kristi Dahlheimer	Physical Therapy	Sr./Grad.
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Emily Emerson	Psychology	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Mikaela Hirst	Dietetics	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Kate LaRoche	Dietics	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	North Dakota	Kayla Pfau	Nursing	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Mara Becker	Sport & Exercise Science	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Sarah Bolce	Nursing	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Elena Collins	Nursing	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Lindsay Currier	Nursing	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Ashley Dalton	Sport & Exercise Science	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Clare Obradovich	Social Work	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Allison Prather	Psychology	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Greta Stickney	English/Creative Writing	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Rebecca Urbany	English	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Elizabeth Wolf	Nursing	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Seattle	Rachel Yorkston	Nursing	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Danielle Dornbusch	Crim. Justice/Psychology	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Alexa Duling	Economics	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Emma Erickson	Psychology	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Tia Haines	Psychology	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Ashlea Johnson	Recreation	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Erica Krull	Sociology	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Natalie Newman	Criminal Justice	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Haley Peterson	Business Management	Junior

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Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Christina Roberts	Biology	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	South Dakota	Crystal Schiernbeck	Psychology	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Texas-Pan American	Sara Hernandez	Journalism	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Texas-Pan American	Cecilia Lott	Biology	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Texas-Pan American	Melinda Sarmiento	Criminal Justice	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Whitney Aste	Biology	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Chelsea Baker	School Health Education	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Kamee Bentley-Dunn	Graphic Design	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Melissa Broadbent	Pre-Professional	RS Freshman
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Jami Daniels	School Health Education	Senior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Shantay Dodge	Elementary Education	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Zandrea Nelson	Commun.-Public Relations	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Talyn Patterson	School Health Education	RS Freshman
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Maryn Pincock	Community Health Educ.	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Nancy Romer	Elementary Education	Sophomore
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Shelise Walker	Pschology	RS Freshman
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Jazmine Wittman	Anthropology	Junior
Women's Indoor/Outdoor	Utah Valley	Kalina Zufelt	Exercise Science	Sophomore
Women's Outdoor Track	Seattle	Celeste Cassidy	Nursing	Sophomore
Women's Outdoor Track	Seattle	Erin Moon	Nursing	Junior
Women's Outdoor Track	South Dakota	Jenessa Filler	Biology	Senior
Women's Outdoor Track	South Dakota	Amber Hegge	Math Education	Sophomore
Women's Outdoor Track	South Dakota	Haley Juhnke	Pre-Dental Hygiene	Junior
Women's Outdoor Track	Texas-Pan American	Wendy Wells	Kinesiology	Senior
Women's Outdoor Track	Utah Valley	Karinne Bentley	Exercise Science	Senior
Women's Outdoor Track	Utah Valley	Stephanie Talbot	Community Health Educ.	Sophomore
Softball	Houston Baptist	Beth Evans	Chemistry	Sophomore
Softball	Houston Baptist	Jaymie Heibel	Education/Social Studies	Junior
Softball	Houston Baptist	Kaitlin Southerland	Accounting	Junior
Softball	Houston Baptist	Jammie Weidert	Accounting	Junior
Softball	North Dakota	Kristi Alcorn	General Studies	Senior
Softball	North Dakota	Casie Hanson	P.E., Ex. Sci & Wellness	Senior
Softball	North Dakota	Amber Roth	Criminal Justice	Senior
Softball	North Dakota	Erica Younan	Pre-Nursing	Sophomore
Softball	South Dakota	Rachel Fricke	Recreation	Senior
Softball	South Dakota	Jasey Goedeken	Elementary Education	Senior
Softball	South Dakota	Mel Johnson	Psychology	Junior
Softball	South Dakota	Michelle Jones	Alcohol-Drug Stds./Psych.	Senior
Softball	South Dakota	Jessica Lussman	Psychology	Junior
Softball	South Dakota	Callie Roan	Psychology	Senior
Softball	South Dakota	Alexa Rudeen	Mathematics	Sophomore
Softball	Utah Valley	Maggie Christianson	Exercise Science	Sophomore
Softball	Utah Valley	Megan Kisner	Exercise Science	Senior
Softball	Utah Valley	Jessica Martin	Elementary Education	Sophomore
Softball	Utah Valley	Cherylyn McGraw	Paralegal Studies	Senior
Softball	Utah Valley	Amber Sackett	Exercise Science	Senior
Softball	Utah Valley	Samantha Telarroja	Biology	Junior
Softball	Utah Valley	Meghan Woodworth	Psychology	Junior