

# ILLINOIS IN THE OLYMPICS

*All-time list of individuals from the University of Illinois who participated as athletes and coaches  
(through 2012 Summer Olympics)*

## ATHLETES

<b>Name (Country)</b>	<b>Years at Institution</b>	<b>Olympic Sport</b>	<b>Years in Olympics (medals won)</b>
Wilbur G. Burroughs (USA)	1905-0907	Men's Track and Field	1908
William W. May (USA)	1907-1909	Men's Track and Field	1908
Avery Brundage (USA)	1908-1909	Men's Track and Field	1912
John R. Case (USA)	1912-1913	Men's Track and Field	1912
Edward F. Lindberg (USA)	1906-1909	Men's Track and Field	1912 (gold, bronze)
Frank D. Murphy (USA)	1910-1912	Men's Track and Field	1912 (bronze)
Milton S. Angier (USA)	1922-1924	Men's Track and Field	1920
Basil Bennet (USA)		Men's Track and Field	1920 (bronze)
Bob Emery (USA)		Men's Track and Field	1920
Kenneth L. "Tug" Wilson (USA)	1918-1920	Men's Track and Field	1920
Horatio M. Fitch (USA)	1922-1923	Men's Track and Field	1924 (silver)
Franklin P. Johnson (USA)	1922-1924	Men's Track and Field	1924
Daniel C. Kinsey (USA)	1924-1925	Men's Track and Field	1924 (gold)
Harold M. Osborn (USA)	1920-1922	Men's Track and Field	1924 (gold-2)-28
David Abbot (USA)	1928-1929	Men's Track and Field	1928
Jane Fauntz (USA)		Women's Swimming & Diving	1928 (swim)-32 (diving; bronze)
Allie Roy Morrison (USA)	1928-1930	Wrestling	1928 (gold)
Thomas D. Eddleman (USA)	1946-1949	Men's Track and Field	1948 (silver)
Herb McKenley (Jamaica)	1946-1947	Men's Track and Field	1948-52 (silver-3, gold)
Robert E. Richards (USA)	1946-1947	Men's Track and Field	1948 (bronze)-52 (gold)-56 (gold)
William A. Conterio (USA)		Men's Soccer	1952-56
Don Laz (USA)	1949-1951	Men's Track and Field	1952 (silver)
Harlan Johnson (USA)	1946-1947	Modern Pentathlon (swimmer at UI)	1952
Abraham Grossfeld (USA)	1958-1960	Men's Gymnastics	1956-60
Muriel Grossfeld (USA)		Women's Gymnastics	1956-60-64
Paul Foreman	1959-1961	Men's Track and Field	1960
George Kerr (Jamaica)	1958-1960	Men's Track and Field	1960 (bronze)
Don Tonry (USA)	1956-1959	Men's Gymnastics	1960
Trenton Jackson (USA)	1963-1965	Men's Track and Field	1964
Linda Metheny (USA)		Women's Gymnastics	1964-68-72
Diane Bolin-Kelly (USA)		Gymnastics	1968
Joaquim Feneberg (Brazil)		Sailing	1968 (bronze)
Werner Holzer (USA)	1957-1959	Wrestling	1968
Colleen Mulvihill (USA)		Gymnastics	1968
Nancy Thies (USA)	1975-1977	Women's Gymnastics	1972
Mike Durkin (USA)	1972-1975	Men's Track and Field	1976
Bob Espeseth (USA)*		Rowing	1976-80-84 (bronze)-88
Jim Millns (USA)		Ice Dancing	1976 (bronze)
Craig Virgin (USA)	1974-1976	Men's Track and Field	1976
Charles Lakes (USA)	1982-1985	Men's Gymnastics	1988
Dominick Minicucci (USA)	1987-1989	Men's Gymnastics	1988-92
Tonja Buford-Bailey (USA)	1989-93	Women's Track and Field	1992-96 (bronze)-2000
Kirsten Gleis (Holland)	1992-93	Women's Volleyball	1992
Marko Koers (Netherlands)	1992-96	Men's Track and Field	1992-96-2000
Jens Kujawa (Germany)	1986-88	Men's Basketball	1992
Ilkay Dikman (Turkey)	2001-04	Women's Swimming	2000-04
Perdita Felicien (Canada)	2000-03	Women's Track and Field	2000-04
Karen Brems Kurreck (USA)	1981-84	Cycling (gymnast at UI)	2000
Bobby True (Liberia)	1996-99	Men's Track and Field	2000
Jenny Kallur (Sweden)	2001-02	Women's Track and Field	2004
Susanna Kallur (Sweden)	2001-02	Women's Track and Field	2004-08
Kevin Anderson (South Africa)	2005-07	Men's Tennis	2008
Chris Robinson (Canada)	2003-05	Baseball	2008
Gakologelwang Masheto (Botswana)	2007-09	Men's Track & Field	2008

Justin Spring (USA)	2003-06	Men's Gymnastics	2008 (bronze)
Deron Williams (USA)	2003-05	Men's Basketball	2008 (gold)-12
Emily Zurrer (Canada)	2005-08	Women's Soccer	2008-12
Jonathan Kuck (USA)	2009-12	Men's Speed Skating	2010 (silver)
Robert Archibald (Great Britain)	1999-2002	Men's Basketball	2012
Nikkita Holder (Canada)	2006-09	Women's Track & Field	2012
Gia Lewis-Smallwood (USA)	1998-2001	Women's Track & Field	2012
Andrew Riley (Jamaica)	2009-12	Men's Track & Field	2012

### **COACHES**

<b>Name (Olympic position)</b>	<b>Years at Institution</b>	<b>Olympic Sport</b>	<b>Years in Olympics (medals won)</b>
Nell Jackson (head coach)		USA Women's Track & Field	1956-72
Maxwell Garret (asst. coach)		USA Fencing	1960
Gary Wieneke (middle distance chair)		USA Men's Track and Field	1980
Kevin Hambly (asst. coach)		USA Women's Volleyball	2004
Butch Zunich (head judge)		Men's Gymnastics	2004-08
Randy Ballard (asst. athletics trainer)		USA Track & Field	2008
Jerry Colangelo (managing director)		USA Men's Basketball	2008 (gold)
Tonja Buford-Bailey (sprint coach)		USA Women's Track and Field	2012
Gary Winkler (assistant coach)		Canada Women's Track and Field	2012