



# MICHIGAN STATE

## 2006-07 SPARTAN WRESTLING

### THIS WEEK IN SPARTAN WRESTLING

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## No. 24 MICHIGAN STATE

at

## NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

*State*

Thursday-Saturday • March 15-17 • Auburn Hills, Mich. • The Palace of Auburn Hills

#### Session One

Thursday, March 15 - 11 a.m. - Eight Mats  
• Preliminaries and first round

#### Session Two

Thursday, March 15 - 6:30 p.m. - Eight Mats  
• Wrestle-back preliminaries and first round  
• Second round

#### Session Three

Friday, March 16 - 11 a.m. - Eight Mats - TV: ESPN  
• Quarterfinals on middle four mats; wrestle-back second and third rounds on outside mats

#### Session Four

Friday, March 16 - 7 p.m. - Six Mats - TV: ESPN  
• Semifinals on inside two mats (one weight at a time) and wrestle-back fourth round on outside four mats; wrestle-back fifth-round on all six mats.

#### Session Five

Saturday, March 17 - 10 a.m. - Six Mats  
• Wrestle-back semifinals (two weights at a time) on all six mats; followed by third, fifth and seventh place medal round matches

#### Session Six

Saturday, March 17 - 8 p.m. - One Mat - TV: ESPN

### NICK AND ANDY SIMMONS LOOKING FOR NATIONAL TITLES IN FINAL APPEARANCE AT NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Simmons brothers, Nick and Andy, close out their historic wrestling careers this week at the NCAA Wrestling Championships, held March 15-17 at The Palace of Auburn Hills. This will be the fourth and final appearance for the Simmons brothers at the NCAA Championships. Both wrestlers have a legitimate shot at winning national titles this weekend - Nick enters the tournament ranked No. 2 in the nation at 133 pounds, while Andy is ranked seventh at 141.

Nick, a three-time Big Ten Champion, is looking to become MSU's first national champion since Kelvin Jackson in 1995 and first four-time All-American since Pat Milkovich in 1976. Andy is a two-time All-American and ranks ninth all-time at MSU with 114 career victories. The duo is looking to become only the second set of brothers in school history to win a national title in the same year, as Pat and Tom Milkovich accomplished the feat in 1972.

### A PERFECT SCRIPT

Natives of Williamston, the Simmons brothers will be looking for a storybook ending to their collegiate careers this weekend in their home state of Michigan. In fact, Andy closed out his high school career by winning the state title at The Palace in 2002. Andy finished his high school career 219-0 with four state titles, while Nick went 211-0 with four state championships. His senior year, Nick won his fourth state title at Joe Louis Arena in Detroit. Only four high school wrestlers in the state of Michigan have gone undefeated, and just 11 wrestlers have won four state titles.

Most of Nick's senior season has gone right to script. On Senior Night at Jenison Field House, wrestling in the final match of the dual, Nick pinned Oklahoma's Henry Roman in 58 seconds to set MSU's all-time pins record with 46. In his final career matches in East Lansing, Nick won his third straight Big Ten title at the Big Ten Championships March 3-4 in the Breslin Center.

### REMEMBER THE LAST TIME?

With the NCAA Wrestling Championships being held at The Palace this year, it marks the first time since 1942 that the championships are in the state of Michigan. The last time they were in the Great Lakes State, Michigan State hosted the event in 1942. MSU placed runner-up at the 1942 championships, coming up just short to Oklahoma State.

The only other time the NCAA Wrestling Championships have been in Michigan was in 1934, when University of Michigan was the host.

### 2006-07 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

OVERALL: 3-11

BIG TEN: 2-6

#### NOVEMBER

Sat., 4 at Eastern Michigan Open\* NTS  
Sun., 12 MICHIGAN STATE OPEN\* NTS  
Thur., 16 at No. 2 Oklahoma State L, 22-8

#### DECEMBER

Fri., 1 at No. 14 Edinboro ^ L, 26-13  
Sun., 3 Penn State Open NTS  
Sun., 10 No. 2 MISSOURI L, 29-14  
Fri.-Sat., 29-30 Midlands Championships 7th/77.5 pts.  
at *Evanston, Ill.*

#### JANUARY

Fri., 5 No. 9 CENTRAL MICHIGAN L, 21-14  
Sun., 14 PITTSBURGH W, 23-13  
Fri., 26 No. 11 ILLINOIS L, 22-13  
Sun., 28 No. 17 MICHIGAN W, 21-17

#### FEBRUARY

Fri., 2 at Ohio State L, 19-14  
Sun., 4 at Purdue W, 21-14  
Fri., 9 at No. 1 Minnesota L, 35-4  
Sun., 11 at No. 10 Iowa L, 33-9  
Fri., 16 No. 18 INDIANA L, 23-15  
Sun., 18 No. 11 PENN STATE L, 27-12  
Fri., 23 No. 14 OKLAHOMA L, 24-15

#### MARCH

Sat.-Sun., 3-4 Big Ten Championships  
at *East Lansing, Mich.* 11th/30.5 pts.  
Thur.-Sat., 15-17 NCAA Championships  
at *Auburn Hills, Mich.* All Day

*Home meets in BOLD CAPS. All home meets held in Jenison Field House. Times listed are Eastern unless noted and are subject to change.*

\* - Indicates MSU wrestlers competed unattached

^ - dual in Erie, Pa.

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## SPARTAN WRESTLING QUICK FACTS

### Michigan State University

Location: East Lansing, Mich.

Founded: 1855

Enrollment: 45,166

Nickname: Spartans

Colors: Green and White

President: Dr. Lou Anna K. Simon

Athletics Director: Ron Mason

Conference: Big Ten

Home Facility: Jenison Field House (5,017)

### Coaching/Administrative Information

Head Coach: Tom Minkel, 16th year

Alma Mater: Central Michigan (1971)

Office Phone: (517) 355-5270

E-Mail Address: minkel@ath.msu.edu

Record at School: 124-139-3 (16th year)

Career Record: 139-157-3 (18th year)

Assistant Coach: Roger Chandler

Year (Alma Mater): Ninth year (Indiana)

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Year (Alma Mater): Second year (Michigan State)

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### Team Information

2005-06 Overall Record: 4-10

2005-06 Big Ten Record/Finish: 2-6/8th

NCAA Tournament Finish: T-18th/35 points

NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 2/2

All-Americans Returning/Lost: 2/0

Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 17/6

## THE BASICS



### Nick Simmons - 133 pounds (36-1 record, 34-1 NCAA record, 13-1 duals)

- Three-time Big Ten Champion...won 125-pound title in 2005 and 2006...claimed the 133-pound title this season by defeating Indiana's Andrae Hernandez.
- One of only six Spartans to win three Big Ten titles.
- First season wrestling at 133 pounds after three years at 125 pounds.
- Has tied his career high with 36 wins this season, which is 13th in MSU single-season history.
- Three-time All-American...looking to become MSU's first four-time All-American since 1976.
- Owns a 13-6 career record at the NCAA Championships...his 13 wins rank tied for fifth most in MSU history at the NCAA Championships.
- Has advanced to the NCAA semifinals the past two seasons...has placed fourth the past two years.
- Entered the NCAA Championships last season undefeated and ranked No. 1 in the nation.
- Took seventh at the NCAA Championships as a freshman in 2003.
- Beat defending NCAA champion Matt Valenti in the finals of the MSU Open, 2-0, earlier this season.
- MSU's all-time falls leader with 46 and ranks second all-time in school history with 133 career wins.
- Has defeated nine ranked wrestlers.
- Led MSU with 11 falls and earned 63 dual-meet points for the Spartans this season.
- Boasts a 133-19 career record.
- Won two matches at 141 pounds (Feb. 16 and 18) this season, including one by fall.
- Was ranked No. 1 in the nation from Nov. 15 to Jan. 30; enters NCAA Championships ranked second.
- His only loss came Feb. 2 to Ohio State's T.J. Enright, who Simmons beat in the semifinals of the MSU Open. Simmons also beat Enright in the Big Ten quarterfinals.
- Named MSU Open Most Outstanding Wrestler.
- In his first career dual at 133 pounds, he defeated No. 3 Coleman Scott of Oklahoma State, 4-0.
- Went 4-0 to win the Eastern Michigan Open.
- Named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week five times in his career (latest Feb. 27, 2007).
- Went 6-0 to claim first place at the Penn State Open, beating No. 7 Jake Strayer of PSU for the title.
- Became just the 26th wrestler in Midlands history to win three straight individual titles.
- Also became just the 19th wrestler to win at least 20 matches in four years of competition at the Midlands (21-1 overall Midlands record).
- Named 2004-05 MSU Male Athlete of the Year.
- 2003 Big Ten Freshman of the Year.



### Andy Simmons - 141 pounds (13-5 record, 12-5 NCAA record, 6-3 duals)

- Two-time All-American at 141 pounds.
- Placed fifth at the 2006 NCAA Championships and sixth at the 2005 NCAA Championships.
- Has battled injuries all season...missed five duals and the Midlands Championships.
- Has advanced to the semifinals the past two years, falling both times to Iowa State's Nate Gallick.
- Won Big Ten title at 141 in 2006...placed fourth this season.
- In the consolation semifinals at the Big Ten Championships, beat top-seeded Manuel Rivera of Minnesota, 8-2.
- Three-time NCAA qualifier.
- Owns a 10-6 career record at the NCAA Championships.
- Boasts a 114-28 career record.
- Tied for ninth in MSU history in wins.
- Enters the NCAA Championships ranked seventh.
- Has defeated two ranked wrestlers this season (No. 13 Andy Kruger - Central Michigan; No. 12 Cassio Pero - Illinois).
- Selected to wrestle in the NWCA All-Star Classic for the second time in his career, but could not compete at the event due to injury.
- Compiled a 20-2 record in his career at home dual meets.
- Won the 2005 Eastern Michigan and Nittany Lion Opens.
- Took second at 2005 Big Ten Championships.
- Two-time Midlands runner-up.
- Won three open tournament titles his sophomore season.
- Named MSU's Most Outstanding Wrestler in 2003-04 after winning 33 matches as a freshman.

**MICHIGAN STATE: NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS HISTORY**

- Michigan State was the first Big Ten team to win a national title in wrestling (1967).
- Coach Minkel's best showing at the NCAA Championships came in 1995, when the Spartans took third.
- Nick Simmons is looking to become MSU's first four-time All-American since Pat Milkovich (1972-76).
- Spartan wrestlers have won 24 individual NCAA titles.
- Greg Johnson is MSU's only three-time NCAA champion (1970-72).

**MICHIGAN STATE WRESTLING - DID YOU KNOW?***Michigan State...*

- Was the first Big Ten wrestling team to win an NCAA Championship (1967).
- Has won eight Big Ten team championships and 63 Big Ten individual championships.
- Was the first Big Ten school to win seven consecutive conference titles (1966-72).
- Was the first Big Ten representative to have a four-time NCAA finalist (Pat Milkovich).
- Has finished in the top five of the NCAA Championships on 13 occasions.
- Had the first Big Ten wrestler to win three NCAA titles (Greg Johnson, 1970-72).

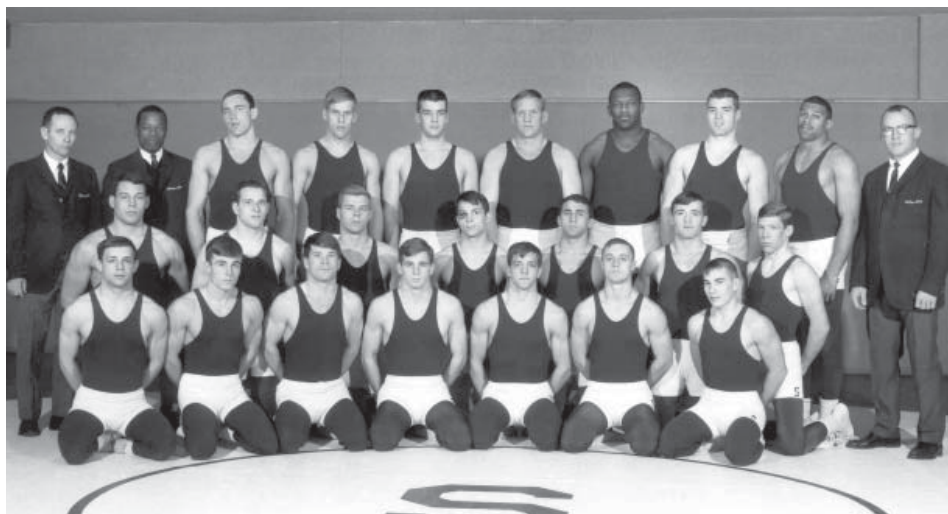
**NICK SIMMONS WINS THIRD STRAIGHT BIG TEN TITLE**

Nick Simmons became just the sixth Spartan in school history to win three Big Ten titles as he defeated sixth-seeded Andrae Hernandez of Indiana, 6-4, in the championship match at 133 pounds at the Big Ten Championships. Simmons, a Williamston native, won his third straight title - his first at 133 pounds after claiming the 125-pound title the past two years - in front of his hometown crowd at the Breslin Center. Simmons became the first Spartan to win three straight titles since David Morgan (1996-98).

Simmons got off to a quick start, recording a takedown 14 seconds into the match, and rode out Hernandez the remainder of the first period. Simmons extended his lead to 4-0 with a reversal at the 1:30 mark in the second, and once again held Hernandez down the rest of the way. After a stalling warning assessed to Simmons 30 seconds into the third, Hernandez got on the board with a reversal, but Simmons escaped to make it 5-2. Although Hernandez cut the lead to 5-4 with a late reversal, it wasn't enough to overcome the top seed, as Simmons notched a riding-time point (3:21) for the 6-4 victory. With the win, Simmons improved his career record to 14-1 at the Big Ten Championships.

**MSU CELEBRATES 1967 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM**

The MSU wrestling program celebrated the 40-year anniversary of the 1967 NCAA Championship team with a reunion at the Kellogg Center the weekend of the Big Ten Championships in East Lansing. The team, along with former coach Grady Peninger, was also honored before the final session of the Big Ten Championships at the Breslin Center. The 1967 Spartans were the first Big Ten wrestling team to win a national championship and featured two national champions and seven All-Americans.

**40-YEAR ANNIVERSARY****1967 MICHIGAN STATE SPARTANS - NATIONAL CHAMPIONS - BIG TEN CHAMPIONS**

*Front Row:* Don Behm, Gary Bissell, Dale Anderson, Keith Anderson,  
Keith Lowrence, Dave Campbell, Fran Larsen, George Hoddy.

*Middle Row:* Jack Zindel, Rod Ott, Mike Gudiness, Dale Carr, George Sinadinos, Mike Alsup, Mike McGilliard.

*Back Row:* Head Coach Grady Peninger, Charles Beaty (manager), George Radman, Don Cox, Mike Johnson,  
Neal Patterson, Jeff Richardson, John Schneider, Mike Bradley, Assistant Coach Doug Blubaugh.

**MSU RECORDS****CAREER RECORDS**

Wins	No.	Years
1....Erich Harvey	147	1992-97
2.... <b>Nick Simmons</b>	133	2002-SA
3....David Morgan	129	1995-98
4....Dan Wirnsberger	120	1990-95
....Mike Potts	120	1981-84
6....Don Whipp	119	1990-93
7....Emilio Collins	115	1990-95
....Pat McNamara	115	1998-01
9.... <b>Andy Simmons</b>	114	2003-SA
10....Nick Muzashvili	110	1996-99

Falls	No.	Years
1. ... <b>Nick Simmons</b>	46	2002-SA
2....Jim Mason	45	1980-84
3....Greg Sargis	42	1979, 81-84
4....Mike Potts	41	1980-84
5....Eli Blazeff	40	1982-84

**SPARTAN HONOR ROLL - 2006-07****NICK SIMMONS • 133**

Eastern Michigan Open - First Place

Michigan State Open - First Place

MSU Open Most Outstanding Wrestler

Big Ten Wrestler of the Week - Nov. 15

Penn State Open - First Place

Midlands Championships - First Place

Big Ten Wrestler of the Week - Feb. 27

Big Ten Champion

All-Time MSU Falls Leader (46)

Ranked 2nd - NWCA/InterMat

**ANDY SIMMONS • 141**

Michigan State Open - Second Place

NWCA All-Star Meet Original Selection

Big Ten - Fourth Place

Ranked 7th - NWCA/InterMat

**TEAM LEADERS**

<b>Wins</b> .....	<b>Wt.</b> .....	<b>No.</b>
1.....Nick Simmons.....	133.....	36
2.....Franklin Gomez.....	125.....	31
3.....Joe Williams.....	184.....	25
4.....Jeff Wimberley.....	133/141.....	19
5.....Tim Hammer.....	149.....	18

<b>Falls</b> .....	<b>Wt.</b> .....	<b>No.</b>
1.....Nick Simmons.....	133.....	11
2.....John Fulger.....	149/157.....	7
3.....Alex Strachan.....	285.....	4
.....Greg Goidosik.....	174.....	4
.....Blake Mesyn.....	174.....	4
6.....Joe Williams.....	184.....	3
.....Nick Fallico.....	149.....	3

<b>Win Pct.</b> .....	<b>Rec.</b> .....	<b>Pct.</b>
1.....Nick Simmons.....	36-1.....	.973
2.....Franklin Gomez.....	31-8.....	.795
3.....Andy Simmons.....	13-5.....	.722

<b>Fastest Falls</b> .....	<b>Opp.</b> .....	<b>Time</b>
1.....G. Goidosik.....	Goss (Findlay).....	:09
2.....John Fulger.....	Hurley (Clv. St.).....	:53
3.....John Fulger.....	Martinez (Dana).....	:55
4.....N. Simmons.....	Roman (Okla.).....	:58
5.....T. Hammer.....	O'Donnell (Lck. Hvn.).....	1:06

<b>Tech. Falls</b> .....	<b>Wt.</b> .....	<b>No.</b>
1.....Franklin Gomez.....	125.....	7
2.....Nick Simmons.....	133.....	3
3.....Micah Carter.....	133.....	2
.....Joe Williams.....	184.....	2

<b>Major Dec.</b> .....	<b>Wt.</b> .....	<b>No.</b>
1.....Franklin Gomez.....	125.....	8
2.....Nick Simmons.....	133.....	7
3.....Andy Simmons.....	141.....	4
4.....John Murphy.....	174.....	3
.....Tony Greathouse.....	157.....	3

<b>Shutouts</b> .....	<b>Wt.</b> .....	<b>No.</b>
1.....Franklin Gomez.....	125.....	8
.....Nick Simmons.....	133.....	8
3.....Andy Simmons.....	141.....	5
4.....Tony Greathouse.....	157.....	3
.....Joe Williams.....	184.....	3
.....Blake Mesyn.....	174.....	3
7.....Jeff Wimberley.....	133.....	3
.....Alan O'Donnell.....	285.....	2

<b>Dual Meet Pts.</b> .....	<b>Wt.</b> .....	<b>No.</b>
1.....Nick Simmons.....	133.....	63
2.....Franklin Gomez.....	125.....	38
3.....Joe Williams.....	184.....	29
4.....Andy Simmons.....	141.....	23

**NICK SIMMONS SETS MSU'S ALL-TIME PINS RECORD**

The setting couldn't have been more perfect. Wrestling in his final home dual on Senior Night, in the last match of the evening at 133 pounds, senior Nick Simmons became MSU's new all-time falls leader by pinning Oklahoma's Henry Roman in just 58 seconds on Feb. 23 at Jenison Field House. It gave Simmons 46 falls for his illustrious career, passing Jim Mason, who collected 45 from 1980-84. In addition, Simmons moved into second at MSU with 130 career victories. For his efforts, he was named the Big Ten Wrestler of the Week for the fifth time in his career.

Simmons hopped on the wrestling platform at Jenison for the final time in his career to a standing ovation. The patient crowd had waited all evening for Simmons to break the record - and the Williamston native did not disappoint. He recorded a takedown less than 10 seconds into the match, and from there, it was only a matter of time. Simmons recorded near-fall points to go up 5-0 at the 2:19 mark, and with Roman on his back, Simmons positioned himself for the record-setting pin. It came just seconds later, at the 2:02 mark. Simmons then waved to the crowd on his way over to shake hands with Oklahoma Coach Jack Spates.

"With Nick and Andy, I've said this over and over, there's symmetry to their careers," said MSU head coach Tom Minkel after the dual. "And that was the case here, as Nick breaks the all-time pin record in his last dual. We just drew the matches randomly at the beginning, and it worked out that he's the last bout of the night. It's like it was meant to be. At that point, you just knew."

"I'm really, really happy for him. He exemplifies what aggressive wrestling is all about. He's always trying to pin you, no matter what, so he certainly deserves that record."



**QUOTING COACH MINKEL**

*On Andy and Nick Simmons' wrestling careers...*

"There's really so much similarity to their careers here. Williamston is seven or eight miles east of town, and I wrestled for Williamston and for the same high school coach. When I became the coach here at Michigan State, which was 16 years ago, they were just children, but they started wrestling very early and had remarkable careers even as children. Having grown up in this area, they have a lot of fans in Williamston and very strong support in that area. All of us have followed them since they were just little tiny kids through high school wrestling. Both of them were undefeated in high school, I forget Nick's record but he had like 220 wins and 190 falls, just an incredible record. Both went through high school completely undefeated with a remarkable number of falls. Both did well at the junior national level and then to come here to Michigan State and continue their success has meant a lot to the program to have them here.

"Now they're in their final stretch, and it's going to be sad to see them move on, and I know all these things eventually come to a close. They're both ranked, Nick is ranked number two right now with just one loss, and Andy is ranked number seven. Andy has been out with a back injury for quite a bit this season. My hope and the wish for all of us is that they finish strong, and leave the end of an era. Both will continue on at the Olympic level, but this is kind of an important stretch as they close out their Michigan State careers. It's been great having them in our program, and it'll be considerably different without them."

**FURTHER LOOK AT NICK SIMMONS**

Senior **Nick Simmons** had a dominating year in his last season for the Green and White. A three-time All-American at 125 pounds, Simmons moved up to 133 pounds this season, and is the nation's No. 2 wrestler in his new weight class, according to the final coaches' poll. Although he suffered his only loss of the season to T.J. Enright of Ohio State on Feb. 2, he is still ranked No. 1 in the country by *Rev Wrestling* and *The Wrestling Report*.

Entering the NCAA Championships with a 36-1 record, Simmons has won tournament titles at Eastern Michigan, Michigan State, Penn State and the Midlands Championships. He was ranked No. 1

**SPARTAN INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS**

Wt.	Name	NWCA	AWN	WIN	REPORT	REV
133	Nick Simmons	2nd	2nd	2nd	1st	1st
141	Andy Simmons	7th	7th	7th	4th	6th

NWCA - National Wrestling Coaches Association/InterMat (March 7)

AWN - Amateur Wrestling News (March 7)

WIN - Wrestling International Newsmagazine (March 6)

REPORT - The Wrestling Report (Feb. 19)

REV - RevWrestling.com (March 6)

## 2006-07 MICHIGAN STATE ROSTER

Name	Cl./Elg.	Wt.	Hometown/Last School
Eric Anderson	Fr./Fr.	184	St. Charles, Mich./St. Charles
Nick Anurak	Fr./Fr.	285	Brighton, Mich./Hartland
Jeremy Bloom	Jr./So.	174	Williamston, Mich./Williamston
Ben Boudro	Fr./Fr.	157	Richmond, Mich./Anchor Bay
Micah Carter	So./Fr.	133	Cedar Springs, Mich./Eastern Michigan
Rocky Cozart	So./Fr.	165	Brandon, Fla./Brandon
Abe Cross	Jr./So.	174	Perry, Mich./Perry
Freddie DeRamus Jr.	Jr./So.	285	Chicago, Ill./St. Rita
Walker Faison	Fr./Fr.	125	Virginia Beach, Va./Frank W. Cox
Nick Fallico	Jr./So.	149	Park Ridge, Ill./Maine South
Clint Frutiger	Jr./So.	125	Petersburg, Mich./Ida
John Fulger	Fr./Fr.	149	Burt, Mich./Montrose
Greg Goidosik	Sr./Jr.	174	St. Charles, Mich./St. Charles
Franklin Gomez	So./Fr.	125	Brandon, Fla./Brandon
Tony Greathouse	5th/Sr.	157	Mason, Mich./Mason
Tim Hammer	Jr./So.	149	Wayne, Mich./Wayne Memorial
Bryan Harney	Sr./Jr.	165	Chicago, Ill./Mt. Carmel
Rex Kendle	Jr./So.	165	Edwardsburg, Mich./Edwardsburg
Blake Mesyn	Fr./Fr.	165	Clinton Twp., Mich./Fraser
John Murphy	Jr./So.	174	Evergreen Park, Ill./St. Rita
Alan O'Donnell	So./Fr.	285	Clarksville, Mich./Lakewood
Nick Palmieri	So./Fr.	197	Highland Heights, Ohio/Mayfield
Nick Shafer	So./Fr.	157	St. Clair Shores, Mich./SCA Lakeview
Andy Simmons	5th/Sr.	141	Williamston, Mich./Williamston
Nick Simmons	5th/Sr.	133	Williamston, Mich./Williamston
Eddie Skowneski	Jr./So.	149	Clinton Township, Mich./Chippewa Valley
Alex Strachan	Fr./Fr.	285	Milford, Mich./Brighton
Joel Trombly	Fr./Fr.	133	New Baltimore, Mich./Anchor Bay
Tom Wechter	So./Fr.	149	Saginaw, Mich./Nouvel Catholic
Joe Williams	Sr./Jr.	184	Orange, Calif./Calvary Chapel
Jeff Wimberley	Jr./So.	149	Pimbroke Pines, Fla./Ft. Lauderdale

in the NWCA rankings from Nov. 15 to Jan. 30 before falling to Enright. Simmons did beat Enright in the semifinals of the MSU Open, 1-0, and in the quarterfinals of the Big Ten Championships, 2-1.

Simmons has defeated nine wrestlers in the current rankings, including defending NCAA champion and top-ranked Matt Valenti of Penn, who he beat in the 133 finals at the MSU Open, 2-0. He has also defeated No. 4 Coleman Scott (Oklahoma State), No. 6 Tyler McCormick (Missouri), No. 9 Jimmy Kennedy (Illinois), No. 11 Drew Headlee (Pittsburgh), No. 13 Andrae Hernandez (Indiana), No. 14 Jake Strayer (Penn State), No. 16 Mario Galanakis (Iowa) and No. 20 Joe Baker (Navy). In addition, he beat T.J. Enright (Ohio State) in the MSU Open when Enright was ranked 18th.

Simmons is first in the MSU record book in falls (46) and second in victories (133). He set the MSU record for falls with a pin in just 58 seconds against Oklahoma's Henry Roman in the final dual of the season on Senior Night Feb. 23.

Simmons tied the record in unique fashion, wrestling at 141 pounds due to an injury that forced Andy Simmons from the lineup. Wrestling Penn State's Bryan Heller on Sunday, Feb. 18, Nick used his signature move, the spladle, to pin Heller in 2:41.

**LOOKING FOR A REPEAT**

Fifth-year senior and two-time All-American **Andy Simmons**, the 2006 Big Ten Champion at 141 pounds, is ranked seventh in the country with a 13-5 record. He's ninth in MSU history with 114 career victories.

Simmons sat out nearly seven weeks with an injury earlier this season from mid-November to early January. Simmons wrestled in the first dual of the season Nov. 16 at Oklahoma State, but was then out of action until the Central Michigan dual on Jan. 5. He defeated No. 13 Andy Kruger in his first match back, and recorded a major decision in the Pittsburgh dual. He shut out No. 12 Cassio Pero of Illinois, 6-0, in the Big Ten opener. Simmons did not wrestle in three of MSU's last four duals, and fell in his last match of the regular season to Kyle Terry of Oklahoma, 4-2.

Simmons came back to go 3-2 in the Big Ten Championships, qualifying for his fourth consecutive NCAA Championships.

## POLLS

**USA TODAY/INTERMAT/NWCA  
COACHES POLL (FINAL)**

Rk.	School
1.	<b>Minnesota (12)</b>
2.	Iowa State
3.	<b>Missouri</b>
4.	<b>Oklahoma State</b>
5.	Northwestern
6.	<b>Iowa</b>
7.	Cornell
8.	Wisconsin
9.	Hofstra
10.	<b>Central Michigan</b>
11.	<b>Penn State</b>
12.	<b>Edinboro</b>
13.	<b>Oklahoma</b>
14.	UT-Chattanooga
15.	<b>Michigan</b>
16.	<b>Indiana</b>
17.	<b>Illinois</b>
18.	Penn
19.	Oregon State
20.	<b>Ohio State</b>
21.	Navy
22T.	Nebraska
22T.	Lehigh
24.	<b>MICHIGAN STATE</b>
25.	UC Davis

**Bold** indicates MSU opponent

**MSU IN THE POLLS**

Date	NWCA	WIN	REPORT	REV
PRE	17th	18th	14th	-
11/27	19th	16th	14th	10th
12/5	19th	18th	13th	11th
12/12	21st	20th	13th	-
1/2	22nd	21st	13th	9th
1/9	21st	19th	13th	-
1/16	23rd	19th	13th	11th
1/23	23rd	19th	12th	11th
1/30	19th	17th	13th	7th
2/5	20th	19th	13th	7th
2/12	22nd	19th	12th	-
2/19	22nd	19th	12th	-
3/7	24th	21st	-	12th

NWCA - National Wrestling Coaches Association/  
InterMat

WIN - Wrestling International Newsmagazine

REPORT - The Wrestling Report

REV - RevWrestling.com

**AROUND THE BIG TEN****2006-07 BIG TEN STANDINGS (FINAL)**

		<i>Conf. Matches</i>		<i>All Matches</i>	
1.	Minnesota	8-0	1.000	20-1	.952
2.	Illinois	7-1	.875	11-1	.917
3.	Wisconsin	5-3	.625	19-3	.864
	Iowa	5-3	.625	14-5	.737
	Penn State	5-3	.625	14-5	.737
6.	Indiana	4-4	.500	13-5	.722
	Ohio State	4-4	.500	8-6	.571
8.	Northwestern	3-5	.375	13-8	.619
9.	Michigan State	2-6	.250	3-11	.214
10.	Michigan	1-7	.125	2-10-1	.192
11.	Purdue	0-8	.000	10-8	.566

**IF WE MEET AGAIN**

Nick Simmons and Matt Valenti of Penn have been the top two wrestlers at 133 pounds all season. If the two wrestlers should meet again at the NCAA Championships, Simmons would bring a 2-0 record against Valenti into the match up.

In his very first tournament as a Spartan his freshman season, Simmons pinned Valenti in 4:50 at the MSU Open. The two met again in the finals of the 2006 MSU Open earlier this season. In that match, Simmons and Valenti went scoreless after one period. In the second, Valenti could not escape from Simmons, and the match remained scoreless. In the third, Simmons pulled a reversal on Valenti with about 30 seconds remaining, and held him the remainder of the match for the 2-0 victory.

**A SCHEDULE LIKE NO OTHER**

The Spartans, as always, boasted one of the toughest schedules in the nation in 2006-07. Out of MSU's 14 duals, 12 were ranked in the NWCA Top 25, including seven in the top 10. MSU opened its dual-meet season against four-time defending national champion and then-No. 2 Oklahoma State. In addition to the seven ranked Big Ten opponents MSU wrestled, the Spartans also stepped out of conference to take on Missouri, Oklahoma, Central Michigan, Edinboro and Pittsburgh.

**SPARTANS SIGN FOUR TO NATIONAL LETTERS OF INTENT**

Coach **Tom Minkel** delivered another top-notch recruiting class to East Lansing, signing four elite student-athletes to National Letters of Intent in the fall. Minkel inked **Tyler Dickenson** (St. Johns, Mich.), **Collin Dozier** (Virginia Beach, Va.), **Ian Hinton** (Mishawaka, Ind.) and **Anthony Jones** (Highland Park, Mich.).

Dickenson (184/197 pounds) compiled an impressive 49-3 record as a junior and placed third at the Michigan state finals at 171 pounds, earning him a place on the *Lansing State Journal* Dream Team.

Dozier, a three-time Virginia state champion, is ranked the 38th top recruit in the nation according to *InterMat*, and is listed as fourth in his weight class at 130 pounds by *Amateur Wrestling News*. Dozier, who will wrestle at either 133 or 141, was a 2006 Freestyle Junior National All-American at 130 pounds.

Hinton (174/184) is ranked among the top 150 recruits by *InterMat* and is listed ninth at 171 pounds by *Amateur Wrestling News*. He claimed the Indiana state title in 2006 at 160 pounds, and was state runner-up in 2005 at 171 pounds.

Jones, who will likely wrestle at 149 pounds at MSU, placed third in the 2006 MHSAA state finals at 140 pounds. He also finished third at 152 pounds this year at the FILA Cadet National Championships.

"This is a terrific recruiting class for us," said Minkel. "These young men will play a significant role in the success of our wrestling program in the future."

**FOUR SPARTANS PLACE AT MIDLANDS, SIMMONS WINS THIRD STRAIGHT TITLE**

Four Michigan State wrestlers placed at the prestigious Midlands Championships Dec. 29-30 on the campus of Northwestern University, led by senior **Nick Simmons**, who won his third straight Midlands title.

Simmons, who won titles at 125 pounds the past two years, pinned Jimmy Kennedy of Illinois in the championship match at 133 pounds in 1:56. It marked Simmons' 43rd career fall, which, at the time, was second most in MSU history. In winning his finals match, Simmons improved his Midlands record to 21-1, making him the 19th member of the "20 in 4 Club" and only the 26th individual to win three consecutive Midlands titles. In the 44-year history of the event, there have been over 8,400 entries.

## 2006-07 STATISTICS

## STARTERS

Name	Wt.	Overall Record	NCAA Record	Duals	Dual Pts.	Falls	Tech. Falls	Maj. Dec.
Franklin Gomez	125	31-8	31-8	10-4	38-12	2-0	7-0	8-0
Nick Simmons	133	36-1	34-1	13-1	63-3	11-0	3-0	7-0
Andy Simmons	141	13-5	12-5	6-3	23-9	2-0	0-0	5-0
Jeff Wimberley	149	19-14	19-14	3-6	9-27	0-3	1-0	2-6
Tony Greathouse	157	17-20	17-20	2-12	6-42	2-1	0-0	3-3
Rex Kendle	165	13-14	13-13	0-3	0-13	2-2	0-0	1-2
John Murphy	174	16-19	16-19	3-8	9-30	1-1	0-0	3-3
Joe Williams	184	25-11	24-10	8-6	29-19	3-0	2-0	2-1
Nick Palmieri	197	12-22	12-22	2-12	6-46	1-5	0-1	2-2
Alan O'Donnell	285	10-23	8-23	2-12	7-43	1-2	0-0	2-3

## NON-STARTERS

Name	Wt.	Overall Record	NCAA Record	Duals	Dual Pts.	Falls	Tech. Falls	Maj. Dec.
Walker Faison	125	3-2	2-2	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0
Clint Frutiger	125/133	8-11	8-10	0-2	0-9	0-2	1-1	1-1
Micah Carter	133	8-6	5-6	0-0	0-0	0-1	2-0	2-0
Joel Trombly	133	8-8	8-8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-2
Nick Booth	141	1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0
Tom Wechter	141	1-9	1-8	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-1	0-4
Tim Hammer	141/149	18-15	18-15	0-3	0-12	2-1	0-1	1-2
Eddie Skowneski	149	1-4	1-4	0-3	0-11	0-0	0-0	0-2
Nick Fallico	149	6-9	6-9	0-1	0-3	3-0	0-0	0-3
John Fulger	149/157	11-7	11-7	0-0	0-0	7-0	0-0	0-2
Ben Boudro	157	4-6	4-6	0-0	0-0	2-1	0-0	0-1
Nick Shafer	157	4-6	4-6	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-2
Rocky Cozart	165	8-13	8-13	1-10	3-34	0-0	0-0	0-4
Jeff Ponder	165	0-4	0-4	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-2
Jeremy Bloom	174	1-3	1-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Greg Goidosik	174	9-10	9-9	1-2	3-6	4-1	0-0	0-2
Blake Mesyn	174	15-8	15-8	0-0	0-0	4-1	1-0	2-1
Abe Cross	174	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1
Eric Anderson	184	5-8	5-8	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	2-2
Nick Anurak	285	2-5	2-5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Freddie Deramus	285	3-4	3-4	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0
Alex Strachan	285	4-8	4-8	0-0	0-0	4-0	0-0	0-2

## 2006-07 Tournament Placewinners

Name	Wt.	EMU Open	MSU Open	PSU Open	Clev. St. Open	Midlands	Big Ten	NCAA
Clint Frutiger	125	-	-	-	3rd	-	DNW	
Franklin Gomez	125	1st	1st	2nd	DNW	3rd	-	
Micah Carter	133	-	-	-	4th	DNW	DNW	
Nick Simmons	133	1st	1st	1st	DNW	1st	1st	
Jeff Wimberley	141	-	3rd (133)	3rd	DNW	-	-	
Andy Simmons	141	DNW	2nd	DNW	DNW	DNW	4th	
Tim Hammer	149	-	-	-	4th	-	DNW	
Tony Greathouse	157	1st	-	4th	DNW	-	-	
Rex Kendle	157	5th	-	-	DNW	-	-	
Rocky Cozart	165	DNW	4th	DNW	DNW	-	DNW	
Greg Goidosik	174	-	-	-	5th	-	DNW	
Blake Mesyn	174	6th	-	-	-	-	DNW	
John Murphy	174	-	4th	-	3rd	-	-	
Joe Williams	184	3rd	6th	1st	DNW	2nd	-	
Nick Palmieri	197	6th	-	-	2nd	-	-	
Alan O'Donnell	285	-	-	-	-	8th	-	

## 2006-07 DUAL MEET RESULTS

**Thursday, Nov. 16 • Gallagher-Iba Arena • Stillwater, Okla.**

**No. 2 Oklahoma State 22, No. 17 Michigan State 8**

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
125	No. 5 Franklin Gomez (MSU) dec. Tyler Shinn (OSU), 4-1	MSU, 3-0
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) dec. No. 3 Coleman Scott (OSU), 4-0	MSU, 6-0
141	No. 6 Nathan Morgan (OSU) dec. No. 2 Andy Simmons (MSU), 5-1	MSU, 5-3
* MSU deducted one team point		
149	Ryan Freeman (OSU) dec. Eddie Skowneski (MSU), 10-4	OSU, 6-5
157	Newly McSpadden (OSU) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 3-2	OSU, 9-5
165	No. 1 Johnny Hendricks (OSU) maj. dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 16-3	OSU, 13-5
174	No. 5 Brandon Mason (OSU) dec. John Murphy (MSU), 3-1	OSU, 16-5
184	No. 17 Joe Williams (MSU) dec. Jack Jensen (OSU), 10-9	OSU, 16-8
197	Jared Shelton (OSU) dec. Nick Palmieri (MSU), 4-0	OSU, 19-8
285	Jared Rosholt (OSU) dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 4-1	OSU, 22-8

**Friday, Dec. 1 • Erie Civic Center • Erie, Pa.**

**No. 14 Edinboro 26, No. 19 Michigan State 13**

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
125	No. 5 Franklin Gomez (MSU) major dec. Eric Morrill (Edin), 12-2	MSU, 4-0
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) pinned No. 17 Ricky Deubel (Edin), 2:22	MSU, 10-0
141	Jeff Wimberley (MSU) dec. Daryl Cocozzo (Edin), 7-5	MSU, 13-0
149	No. 3 Gregor Gillespie (Edin) major dec. Eddie Skowneski (MSU), 9-0	MSU, 13-4
157	No. 6 Matt Hill (Edin) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 6-2	MSU, 13-7
165	No. 9 Deonte Penn (Edin) major dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 13-3	MSU, 13-11
174	Phil Moricone (Edin) major dec. John Murphy (MSU), 12-3	EDIN, 15-13
184	No. 10 Alex Clemson (Edin) dec. No. 13 Joe Williams (MSU), 3-2	EDIN, 18-13
197	Jim Gibson (Edin) major dec. Nick Palmieri (MSU), 10-2	EDIN, 22-13
285	No. 12 Joe Fendone (Edin) major dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 9-1	EDIN, 26-13

**Sunday, Dec. 10 • Jenison Field House • East Lansing, Mich.**

**No. 2 Missouri 29, No. 19 Michigan State 14**

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
125	No. 5 Franklin Gomez (MSU) tech. fall John Olanowski (Mizzou), 7:00	MSU, 5-0
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) pinned No. 10 Tyler McCormick (Mizzou), 1:23	MSU, 11-0
141	Jeff Wimberley (MSU) dec. Ashtin Primus (Mizzou), 7-2	MSU, 14-0
149	Josh Wagner (Mizzou) major dec. Eddie Skowneski (MSU), 12-0	MSU, 14-4
157	No. 13 Michael Chandler (Mizzou) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 6-2	MSU, 14-8
165	Nick Marable (Mizzou) dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 9-6	MSU, 14-11
174	No. 1 Ben Askren (Mizzou) pinned John Murphy (MSU), 1:18	UM, 17-14
184	No. 10 Raymond Jordan (Mizzou) major dec. No. 12 Joe Williams (MSU), 12-3	UM, 21-14
197	No. 2 Maxwell Askren (Mizzou) tech. fall Nick Palmieri (MSU), 16-0, 4:54	UM, 26-14
285	Mark Ellis (Mizzou) dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 11-4	UM, 29-14

**Friday, Jan. 5 • Jenison Field House • East Lansing, Mich.**

**No. 9 Central Michigan 21, No. 22 Michigan State 14**

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
125	No. 5 Franklin Gomez (MSU) major dec. No. 15 Luke Smith (CMU), 14-2	MSU, 4-0
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) major dec. Conor Beebe (CMU), 14-1	MSU, 8-0
141	No. 4 Andy Simmons (MSU) dec. No. 13 Andy Kruger (CMU), 5-0	MSU, 11-0
149	Brandon Carter (CMU) major dec. Nick Fallico (MSU), 9-1	MSU, 11-4
157	Tony Greathouse (MSU) dec. Andy Keller (CMU), 4-2	MSU, 14-4
165	Mike Miller (CMU) dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 3-1 SV	MSU, 14-7
174	No. 5 Brandon Sinnott (CMU) major dec. John Murphy (MSU), 15-5	MSU, 14-11
184	No. 9 Christian Sinnott (CMU) dec. No. 7 Joe Williams (MSU), 6-3	Tied, 14-14
197	No. 10 Wynn Michalak (CMU) major dec. Nick Palmieri (MSU), 10-1	CMU, 18-14
HWT	No. 5 Bubba Gritter (CMU) dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 10-5	CMU, 21-14

**Sunday, Jan. 14 • Jenison Field House • East Lansing, Mich.**

**No. 21 Michigan State 23, Pittsburgh 13**

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
125	No. 7 Franklin Gomez (MSU) pinned Brad Gentzle (Pitt), 2:44	MSU, 6-0
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) dec. No. 11 Drew Headlee (Pitt), 6-0	MSU, 9-0
141	No. 4 Andy Simmons (MSU) major dec. Jimmy Conroy (Pitt), 15-3	MSU, 13-0
149	Jeff Wimberley (MSU) dec. Joe Ciampoli (Pitt), 7-0	MSU, 16-0
157	No. 7 Matt Kocher (Pitt) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 8-4	MSU, 16-3
165	Rocky Cozart (MSU) dec. Sean Richmond (Pitt), 6-1	MSU, 19-3
174	No. 3 Keith Gavin (Pitt) major dec. John Murphy (MSU), 11-2	MSU, 19-7
184	No. 8 Joe Williams (MSU) major dec. Mike Heist (Pitt), 9-1	MSU, 23-7
197	Eric Cassidy (Pitt) dec. Nick Palmieri (MSU), 5-3 SV OT	MSU, 23-10
HWT	Zach Sheaffer (Pitt) dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 8-4	MSU, 23-13

**Friday, Jan. 26 • Jenison Field House • East Lansing, Mich.**

**No. 11 Illinois 22, No. 23 Michigan State 13**

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
184	No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU) dec. No. 15 John Dergo (ILL), 8-3	MSU, 3-0
197	Patrick Bond (ILL) dec. Nick Palmieri (MSU), 9-5	Tied, 3-3
HWT	John Wise (ILL) dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 10-6	ILL, 6-3
125	No. 6 Franklin Gomez (MSU) dec. No. 8 Gabe Flores (ILL), 5-4	Tied, 6-6
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) major dec. No. 9 Jimmy Kennedy, 10-2	MSU, 10-6
141	No. 5 Andy Simmons (MSU) dec. No. 12 Cassio Pero, 6-0	MSU, 13-6
149	No. 10 Troy Tirapelle (ILL) pinned Jeff Wimberley (MSU), :51	MSU, 13-12
157	No. 1 Matt Poeta (ILL) major dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 12-3	ILL, 16-13
165	No. 13 Roger Smith-Bergsrud (ILL) dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 4-1	ILL, 19-13
174	Matt Winterhalter (ILL) dec. John Murphy (MSU), 6-4	ILL, 22-13

## STARTERS DUAL-BY-DUAL

Dual	125	133	141	149	157	165	174	184	197	285
Oklahoma State	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Skowneski	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Edinboro	Gomez	N. Simmons	Wimberley	Skowneski	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Missouri	Gomez	N. Simmons	Wimberley	Skowneski	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Central Michigan	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Fallico	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Pittsburgh	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Wimberley	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Illinois	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Wimberley	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Michigan	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Wimberley	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Ohio State	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Hammer	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Purdue	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Wimberley	Greathouse	Kendle	Goidosik	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Minnesota	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Hammer	Greathouse	Cozart	Goidosik	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Iowa	Gomez	N. Simmons	Forfeit	Wimberley	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Indiana	Gomez	Frutiger	N. Simmons	Hammer	Greathouse	Cozart	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Penn State	Gomez	Frutiger	N. Simmons	Wimberley	Greathouse	Kendle	Goidosik	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell
Oklahoma	Gomez	N. Simmons	A. Simmons	Wimberley	Greathouse	Kendle	Murphy	Williams	Palmieri	O'Donnell

## 2006-07 DUAL MEET RESULTS

Sunday, Jan. 28 • Jenison Field House • East Lansing, Mich.

No. 23 Michigan State 21, No. 17 Michigan 17

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
125	No. 6 Franklin Gomez (MSU) dec. Michael Watts (UM)	MSU, 3-0
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) pinned Brandon Elliott, 1:34	MSU, 9-0
141	No. 5 Andy Simmons (MSU) pinned Brad Cusumano (UM), 2:13	MSU, 15-0
149	No. 3 Josh Churella (UM) major dec. Jeff Wimberley (MSU), 14-1	MSU, 15-4
157	Jeff Marsh (UM) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 7-5	MSU, 15-7
165	No. 2 Eric Tannebaum (UM) major dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 13-4	MSU, 15-11
174	John Murphy (MSU) dec. Jordan Sherrod (UM), 6-5	MSU, 18-11
184	No. 4 Tyrel Todd (UM) dec. No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU), 9-4	MSU, 18-14
197	Casey White (UM) dec. Nick Palmieri (MSU), 6-0	MSU, 18-17
HWT	Alan O'Donnell (MSU) dec. Omar Maktabi, 2-1 (2OT)	MSU, 21-17

Friday, Feb. 2 • St. John Arena • Columbus, Ohio

Ohio State 19, No. 19 Michigan State 14

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
184	No. 3 Mike Pucillo (OSU) dec. No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU), 2-1	OSU, 3-0
197	No. 7 J.D. Bergman (OSU) dec. Nick Palmieri (MSU), 5-2	OSU, 6-0
HWT	Corey Morrison (OSU) dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 10-7	OSU, 9-0
125	No. 5 Franklin Gomez (MSU) tech. fall Will Livingston (OSU), 16-1	OSU, 9-5
133	T.J. Enright (OSU) dec. No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU), 4-2 (OT)	OSU, 12-5
141	No. 5 Andy Simmons (MSU) dec. J Jagers (OSU), 6-0	OSU, 12-8
149	No. 16 Lance Palmer (OSU) major dec. Tim Hammer (MSU), 9-1	OSU, 16-8
157	Tony Greathouse (MSU) dec. Jason Johnstone (OSU), 2-1	OSU, 16-11
165	No. 16 Chris Vondruska (OSU) dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 2-0	OSU, 19-11
174	John Murphy (MSU) dec. Tommy Priestly (OSU), 8-3	OSU, 19-14

Sunday, Feb. 4 • Intercollegiate Athletic Facility • West Lafayette, Ind.

No. 19 Michigan State 21, Purdue 14

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
157	Jake Murphy (PU) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 8-4	PU, 3-0
165	Justin Fraga (PU) major dec. Rex Kendle (MSU), 10-2	PU, 7-0
174	Greg Goidosik (MSU) dec. Jason Martin (PU), 10-3	PU, 7-3
184	No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU) dec. Nick Skinner (PU), 11-4	PU, 7-6
197	No. 13 Nathan Moore (PU) dec. Nick Palmieri (PU), 5-1	PU, 10-6
HWT	Alan O'Donnell (MSU) major dec. David Pisarcik (PU), 11-3	Tied, 10-10
125	No. 5 Franklin Gomez (MSU) major dec. Brandon Tucker (PU), 13-2	MSU, 14-10
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) dec. Sean Schmaltz (PU), 3-1	MSU, 17-10
141	No. 5 Andy Simmons (MSU) major dec. Nick Bertucci (PU), 10-1	MSU, 21-10
149	No. 12 Jake Patacsil (PU) major dec. Jeff Wimberley (MSU), 14-4	MSU, 21-14

Friday, Feb. 9 • Sports Pavilion • Minneapolis, Minn.

No. 1 Minnesota 35, No. 20 Michigan State 4

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
125	No. 4 Jayson Ness (MINN) dec. No. 5 Franklin Gomez (MSU), 8-5	MINN, 3-0
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) major dec. Mike Thorn (MINN), 13-0	MSU, 4-3
141	No. 2 Manuel Rivera (MINN) dec. No. 4 Andy Simmons (MSU), 7-2	MINN, 6-4
149	No. 2 Dustin Schlatter (MINN) tech. fall Tim Hammer (MSU), 22-7, 7:00	MINN, 11-4
157	No. 3 C.P. Schlatter (MINN) pinned Tony Greathouse (MSU), 2:46	MINN, 17-4
165	Tyler Safratowich (MINN) dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 14-12 (OT SV)	MINN, 20-4
174	No. 13 Gabriel Dretsch (MINN) dec. Greg Goidosik (MSU), 10-5	MINN, 23-4
184	No. 2 Roger Kish (MINN) dec. No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU), 10-4	MINN, 26-4
197	Yura Malamura (MINN) dec. Nick Palmieri (MSU), 7-1	MINN, 29-4
Hwt	No. 1 Cole Konrad (MINN) pinned Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 1:36	MINN, 35-4

Sunday, Feb. 11 • Carver-Hawkeye Arena • Iowa City, Iowa

No. 10 Iowa 33, No. 20 Michigan State 9

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
125	No. 8 Charlie Falck (IOWA) dec. No. 5 Franklin Gomez (MSU), 5-2	IOWA, 3-0
133	No. 1 Nick Simmons (MSU) injury default over Mario Galanakis (IOWA), 2:23	MSU, 6-3
141	No. 6 Alex Tsirtsis (IOWA) won by forfeit	IOWA, 9-6
149	Alex Grunder (IOWA) pinned Jeff Wimberley (MSU), 5:32	IOWA, 15-6
157	No. 16 Ryan Morningstar (IOWA) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 3-2	IOWA, 18-6
165	No. 4 Mark Perry (IOWA) dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 9-7	IOWA, 21-6
174	No. 3 Eric Luedke (IOWA) dec. John Murphy (MSU), 2-1	IOWA, 24-6
184	No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU) dec. Phillip Keddy (IOWA), 6-3	IOWA, 24-9
197	Jordan McLaughlin (IOWA) pinned Nick Palmieri (MSU), 6:33	IOWA, 30-9
Hwt	No. 5 Matt Fields (IOWA) dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 8-4	IOWA, 33-9

Friday, Feb. 16 • Jenison Field House • East Lansing, Mich.

No. 18 Indiana 23, No. 22 Michigan State 15

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
197	Nick Palmieri (MSU) dec. Nate Everhart (IU), 3-2	MSU, 3-0
HWT	Josh Buuck (IU) major dec. Alan O'Donnell (MSU), 13-3	IU, 4-3
125	No. 9 Angel Escobedo (IU) dec. No. 7 Franklin Gomez (MSU), 11-7	IU, 7-3
133	No. 20 Andrae Hernandez (IU) tech. fall Clint Frutiger (MSU), 16-1, 6:15	IU, 12-3
141	Scott Kelly (IU) disqualified in second period to No. 2 Nick Simmons (MSU), MSU awarded six points	IU, 12-9
149	No. 19 Matt Coughlin (IU) dec. Tim Hammer (MSU), 3-1	IU, 15-9
157	No. 7 Brandon Becker (IU) major dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 10-1	IU, 19-9
165	Max Dean (IU) major dec. Rocky Cozart (MSU), 9-1	IU, 23-8
	* MSU deducted one point for unsportsmanlike conduct	IU, 23-8
174	John Murphy (MSU) dec. Trevor Perry (IU), 8-4	IU, 23-11
184	No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU) major dec. Nick Avery (IU), 18-6	IU, 23-15

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No. 11 Penn State 27, No. 22 Michigan State 12

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
174	No. 5 James Yonushonis (PSU) dec. Greg Goidosik (MSU), 3-0	PSU, 3-0
184	No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU) dec. Philip Bomberger (PSU), 10-6	Tied, 3-3
197	No. 1 Phil Davis (PSU) pinned Nick Palmieri (MSU), 4:04	PSU, 9-3
HWT	No. 3 Aaron Anspach (PSU) major dec. Alan O'Donnell, 20-7	PSU, 13-3
125	No. 7 Franklin Gomez (MSU) dec. No. 10 Mark McKnight, 7-1	PSU, 13-6
133	No. 11 Jake Strayer (PSU) major dec. Clint Frutiger (MSU), 11-1	PSU, 17-6
141	No. 2 Nick Simmons (MSU) pinned Bryan Heller (PSU), 2:41	PSU, 17-12
149	Dan Vallmont (PSU) major dec. Jeff Wimberley (MSU), 15-2	PSU, 21-12
157	Bubba Jenkins (PSU) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 13-10	PSU, 24-12
165	Dave Rella (PSU) dec. Rex Kendle (MSU), 10-7	PSU, 27-12

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No. 14 Oklahoma 24, No. 22 Michigan State 15

<i>Wt.</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Team Score</i>
141	Kyle Terry (OU) dec. No. 4 Andy Simmons (MSU), 4-2	OU, 3-0
149	No. 2 Matt Storniolo (OU) dec. Jeff Wimberley (MSU), 3-0	OU, 6-0
157	No. 11 Will Rowe (OU) dec. Tony Greathouse (MSU), 8-3	OU, 9-0
165	No. 18 Shane Seibert (OU) pinned Rex Kendle (MSU), 1:56	OU, 15-0
174	No. 8 Josh Weitzel (OU) dec. John Murphy (MSU), 8-5	OU, 18-0
184	No. 10 Joe Williams (MSU) wins by forfeit	OU, 18-6
197	Nick Palmieri (MSU) dec. Josh Hinton (OU), 10-8	OU, 18-9
Hwt	Brad Farmer (OU) dec. Alan O'Donnell (OU), 6-3	OU, 21-9
125:	No. 1 Sam Hazewinkel (OU) dec. No. 8 Franklin Gomez (MSU), 6-2	OU, 24-9
133:	No. 2 Nick Simmons (MSU) pinned Henry Romas (OU), 0:58	OU, 24-15



**NICK  
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**QUICK HITS:** One of the top wrestlers in Michigan State history...ranked No. 2 by NWCA/InterMat...has defeated nine ranked wrestlers this season...three-time All-American and three-time Big Ten champion (twice at 125, once at 133)...one of only six Spartans in school history to win three Big Ten titles...second in MSU history with 133 wins...all-time leader at MSU with 46 falls...leads team this season with 11 falls...went 7-1 in Big Ten duals...looking to become the first four-time All-American from MSU since Pat Milkovich in 1976...36-1 overall record and 34-1 NCAA record this season...has been named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week five times in his career.

**NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS HISTORY:** Brings a 13-6 career record into his final NCAA Championships, with all of his previous matches being at 125 pounds. *2006* - Entered the tournament undefeated and was the No. 1 seed, but lost in semifinals to Troy Nickerson of Cornell and finished fourth for the second straight year with a 4-2 record. *2005* - Took fourth with a 4-2 record...lost in semifinals to Kyle Ott of Illinois. *2004* - Olympic redshirt. *2003* - Went 5-2 his freshman season to place seventh.

**BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS HISTORY:** Posted a 14-1 record in his career at the Big Ten Championships, including 14 straight victories...his only career loss in the championships came in his first career Big Ten Championships match in the 2003 quarterfinals. *2007* - Claimed his third consecutive Big Ten title and first title at 133 pounds...as the top seed, he defeated Ohio State's T.J. Enright in the quarterfinals, 2-1, in double-overtime...beat fifth-seeded Jake Strayer of Penn State in the semifinals, 4-2...topped sixth-seeded Andrae Hernandez of Indiana in the championship match, 6-4. *2006* - Won second straight Big Ten title last season with a 3-0 record...beat Illinois' Kyle Ott in the finals, 7-0. *2005* - Won first Big Ten title with a 4-0 record...defeated Kyle Ott in title match. *2004* - Olympic redshirt. *2003* - Took third to earn Big Ten Freshman of the Year honors...went 4-1 overall.

**2006-07:** Began the season by going 4-0 to claim the Eastern Michigan Open...went 5-0 to win the Michigan State Open...defeated defending NCAA champion and previously ranked No. 1 Matt Valenti of Penn in the finals of the MSU Open...named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week Nov. 15...in his first collegiate dual wrestling at 133 pounds, he beat No. 3 Coleman Scott of Oklahoma State, 4-0...pinned No. 17 Ricky Deubel of Edinboro in 2:22...went 6-0 to claim first place at the Penn State Open, beating No. 7 Jake Strayer of Penn State in the finals...pinned No. 10 Tyler McCormick of Missouri in just 1:23 in the first home dual of the season...won his third straight Midlands Championships crown by pinning Illinois' Jimmy Kennedy in the finals in 1:56...recorded three falls and a major decision en route to becoming just the 26th individual to win three consecutive Midlands titles...with his five victories at the 2006 Midlands, Simmons improved his career record to 21-1 at the Midlands Championships, making him the 19th member of the "20 in 4 Club" (there have been over 8,400 entries in the history of the Midlands)...recorded a 14-1, major decision win over Central Michigan's Conor Beebe...shut out No. 11 Drew Headlee of Pitt, 6-0, in MSU's dual victory over the Panthers...defeated No. 9 Jimmy Kennedy of Illinois for the second time of the season, this time a 10-2 major decision in the dual on Jan. 26...pinned Brandon Elliott in just 1:34 in the Michigan dual...recorded his eighth shutout of the year with a 13-0 major decision over Minnesota's Mike Thorn...won by injury default over Iowa's Mario Galanakis...wrestling at 141 pounds, won by disqualification over Indiana's Scott Kelly in dual on Feb. 16...in another match at 141, he tied MSU's all-time falls record (45) by pinning Penn State's Bryan Heller in 2:41 with a spladle move...became MSU's all-time falls leader in the last home dual of his career on Senior Night at Jenison Field House by pinning Oklahoma's Henry Roman in 58 seconds...for his efforts in getting the all-time MSU falls record, he was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week.

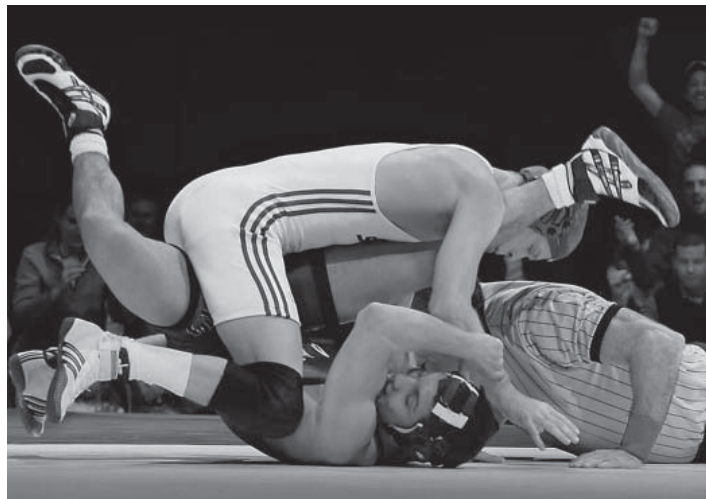
**Coach Minkel On Nick Simmons...**

*"Nick is so unique in that he's always trying to pin you. His whole focus is not takedowns or riding time, it's all about getting the fall. It doesn't matter who he's wrestling or what the score is, he's always trying to pin you, and that approach makes him very dangerous."*

**2006 NCAA Championships:** Took fourth for the second straight season with a 4-2 record...awed the Oklahoma City crowd by pinning his first three opponents of the tournament: Northern Iowa's Seth Wright in 44 seconds, Lock Haven's Obenson Blanc in one minute and All-American Chad Mendes of Cal Poly at the 6:44 mark...fell in the semifinals of Cornell's Troy Nickerson, 2-1, but rebounded against Oklahoma State's Coleman Scott to reach the consolation finals...fell to Oklahoma's Sam Hazewinkel in the third-place match for the second straight year, 6-2.

**2006 Big Ten Championships:** Won his second-consecutive Big Ten championship with a 3-0 record...defeated two-time NCAA finalist Kyle Ott from Illinois, 7-0, in a rematch of the 2005 conference finals...claimed a shutout in his first match as well, dropping Minnesota's Travis Lang, 7-0...won a thrilling 6-3 decision over Northwestern's John Velez in the first set of tiebreakers of their semifinal match when he put the Wildcat wrestler to his back.

**2005-06:** Entered the national tournament as the number-one seed, with a flawless 32-0 record...went a perfect 8-0 in Big Ten dual-meet competition, and was unbeaten in dual meets with a 14-0 record...led the team in falls with 16...tied with his brother Andy for the team lead in wins with 36, and also paced the team in shutouts with 11 and dual-meet points with 61...took home tournament championships at the Eastern Michigan Open and the Michigan State Open...Was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Week twice; once for his performance at the EMU Open and again for defeating Sam Hazewinkel in the final week of the season...Competed in the NWCA All-Star meet for the second-straight season, clashing with Oklahoma's Sam Hazewinkel...claimed his second-straight Midlands Championships title, pinning Northern Illinois' Pat Castillo in the finals...recorded falls in less than 50 seconds in his first two matches of the season...gave up just three points in the first 19 matches of the season...avenged a loss in last year's NCAA semifinals by defeating Illinois' two-time NCAA finalist Kyle Ott in a dual meet on Feb. 12, 14-0...dropped Oklahoma's Sam Hazewinkel for the first time in his career in a dual Feb. 23, 4-2.



**Nick Simmons set the MSU all-time falls record by pinning Oklahoma's Henry Roman in the last match of the dual on Senior Night Feb. 23 at Jenison Field House.**



*Nick Simmons won his third straight Big Ten title, and his first at 133 pounds, March 4 at the Big Ten Championships in East Lansing.*

**2005 NCAA Championships:** Took a career-best fourth, going 4-2...notched an opening-round victory, 3-1, over Buffalo's Mark McKnight...recorded technical falls in the second round, against Dave Tomasette of Hofstra, then in the quarterfinals against No. 7 Andrew Hochstrasser of Boise State...dropped a heartbreaking, sudden-victory decision to Illinois' Kyle Ott in the semifinals, 3-1...rebounded in the consolation semifinals, defeating No. 3 Vic Moreno of Cal Poly by major decision, 8-0...dropped the consolation finals bout to Oklahoma's Sam Hazewinkel, 6-3.

**2005 Big Ten Championships:** 2005 Big Ten Champion...went 4-0 at the 2005 Big Ten Championships, recording a fall against Wisconsin's Collin Cudd in the opening round and a technical fall versus Brandon Tucker of Purdue in the quarterfinals...avenged a regular-season loss to Indiana's Joe Dubuque in the semifinals...defeated All-American Kyle Ott of Illinois in the finals to win his first-career Big Ten title.

**2004-05:** Named Michigan State Male Athlete of the Year...competed in the prestigious NWCA All-Star meet, falling to Oklahoma's Sam Hazewinkel, 2-0...ranked third in the nation for the majority of the season...led the team in dual-meet victories with 10 and was tied for first on the squad in Big Ten victories with six...also paced the team in technical falls with five and tied with his brother, Andy, for the team lead in wins with 32...defeated Iowa State's Grant Nakamura by major decision, 10-0, to win his first-career Midlands Championship...went a perfect 5-0 at the Midlands Championships...did not give up a point in four matches at the 2004 Eastern Michigan Open en route to a first-place finish...went a perfect 5-0 at the 2004 North Carolina Open to win the tournament championship...outscored his Big Ten foes 58-4 and all of his opponents 149-17...recorded a team-high 14 shutout victories and won his first 23 matches of the season...defeated seven wrestlers ranked in the top 20 at 125 pounds...named outstanding wrestler at the 2005 Freestyle University National Championships (4/15-16), pinning four of his five opponents en route to the 55-kg title...took third at the 2005 U.S. Senior Freestyle National Championships (4/30), qualifying for the the U.S. World Team Trials...took first at the University World Team Trials (5/28)...claimed a fifth-place finish at the World University Games (8/13).

**2003-04:** Took an Olympic redshirt...won Pan-American gold, going 4-0 with two pins...took fifth at the Olympic Team trials, falling just short of qualifying for the 2004 Olympic team in Athens.

**2002-03:** Had a final record of 29-12...Captured All-American honors after taking seventh at the NCAA Championships...notched a third--place finish at the Big Ten Tournament...took second at the MSU Open and third at the Midlands...recorded first official collegiate victory with a major decision over Kyle Stoffer of Central Michigan...pinned both opponents in the first period of the National Duals...shut out 2002 NCAA runner-up Luke Eustice of Iowa, 11-0.

**2001-02:** Redshirted...went an impressive 25-3 in open competition...was champion of the Muskegon Open...took second at the MSU Open and fourth at the EMU Open.

**Prep:** Undefeated record of 211-00 with 178 pins, one of the best records in the history of high school wrestling...four-year letterwinner at Williamston High School...served as captain his junior and senior years...four-time All-American selection...led team to state championship his sophomore and junior years...had a state-record 54 consecutive pins during his 57-0 sophomore season...Lansing State Journal Dream Team selection...also lettered in baseball and golf.

**Personal:** Born 10/25/82 in Clear Lake, Texas...son of Scott and Debi Simmons...father wrestled at MSU...lists business management as his career ambition...brother, Andy, is a senior on the MSU wrestling team.

### SIMMONS' CAREER RECORD

Season	Overall	Duals	Pins (NCAA only)
2001-02*	23-3	0-0	13
2002-03	29-12	10-7	11
2003-04*	OLYMPIC	REDSHIRT	
2004-05	32-4	10-1	9
2005-06	36-2	14-0	15
2006-07	36-1	13-1	11
<b>Totals</b>	<b>133-19</b>	<b>47-9</b>	<b>46</b>

\* Redshirted

### NICK SIMMONS IN 2006-07 • 36-1 RECORD

W Eric Metzler (Northwestern)	EMU Open	3-0
W Sean Schmaltz (Purdue)	EMU Open	MD, 8-0
W Cameron Doggett (Purdue)	EMU Open	5-4
W Joe Baker (Navy)	EMU Open	Fall, 3:38
W Mike Kessler (Unattached)	MSU Open	TF, 2:56
W Kyle Fluke (Edinboro)	MSU Open	TF, 5:59
W Andy Uhl (Findlay)	MSU Open	Fall, 3:38
W T.J. Enright (Ohio State)	MSU Open	1-0
W Matt Valenti (Penn)	MSU Open	2-0
W Coleman Scott (Oklahoma State)	Dual, 11/16	4-0
W Ricky Deubel (Edinboro)	Dual, 12/1	Fall, 2:22
W Corey Hamabata (Cornell)	PSU Open	Fall, 1:54
W Paul Hollowell (GHS)	PSU Open	MD, 12-2
W Kareem Naguib (Binghamton)	PSU Open	9-4
W Terreyl Williams (Appalachian State)	PSU Open	TF, 15-0
W Mike Grey (Fergus Falls Community)	PSU Open	MD, 12-0
W Jake Strayer (Penn State)	PSU Open	4-3
W Tyler McCormick (Missouri)	Dual, 12/10	Fall, 1:23
W Matt Mosser (West Liberty State)	Midlands	Fall, 1:20
W James Kohlberg (Northwestern)	Midlands	Fall, 3:36
W Corey Jantzen (Independent)	Midlands	MD, 11-1
W Andrae Hernandez (Indiana)	Midlands	2-0
W Jimmy Kennedy (Illinois)	Midlands	Fall, 1:56
W Conor Beebe (Central Michigan)	Dual, 1/5	MD, 14-1
W Drew Headlee (Pittsburgh)	Dual, 1/14	6-0
W Jimmy Kennedy (Illinois)	Dual, 1/26	MD, 10-2
W Brandon Elliott (Michigan)	Dual, 1/28	Fall, 1:34
L T.J. Enright (Ohio State)	Dual, 2/2	4-2 (OT SV)
W Sean Schmaltz (Purdue)	Dual, 2/4	3-1
W Mike Thorn (Minnesota)	Dual, 2/9	13-0
W Mario Galanakis (Iowa)	Dual, 2/11	INJ DEF
W Scott Kelly (Indiana) - 141	Dual, 2/16	DQ (2nd)
W Bryan Heller (Penn State) - 141	Dual, 2/18	Fall, 2:41
W Henry Roman (Oklahoma)	Dual, 2/23	Fall, 0:58
W T.J. Enright (Ohio State)	Big Ten Champ.	2-1 (2OT)
W Jake Strayer (Penn State)	Big Ten Champ.	4-2
W Andrae Hernandez (Indiana)	Big Ten Champ.	6-4

**NICK SIMMONS IN 2005-06 • 36-2 RECORD**

W	Pat Wayne (Edinboro)	EMU Open	Fall, :47
W	Michael Watts (Michigan)	EMU Open	Fall, :48
W	Josh Williams (Central Mich.)	EMU Open	Fall, 3:14
W	Ricky Deubel (Edinboro)	EMU Open	3-0
W	Franklin Gomez (Mich. State)	EMU Open	3-0
W	Pat McCaffery (Unattached)	MSU Open	Fall, 2:45
W	Michael Watts (Michigan)	MSU Open	TF, 15-0
W	Matt Steintrager (Central Mich.)	MSU Open	MD, 9-0
W	Jim Shutich (Michigan)	MSU Open	MD, 12-2
W	Franklin Gomez (Mich. State)	MSU Open	4-0
W	Coleman Scott (Okla. State)	Dual, 11/27	6-0
W	Matt Steintrager (Central Mich.)	Dual, 12/7	7-1
W	Jayrl Hunt (Cleveland State)	Dual, 12/10	Fall, 3:45
W	Ben Hanisch (Iowa State)	Midlands	Fall, 1:20
W	Matt Steintrager (Central Mich.)	Midlands	MD, 11-0
W	James Thomas (Shipsburg)	Midlands	Fall, 1:42
W	Tanner Gardner (Stanford)	Midlands	6-0
W	Pat Castillo (Northern Illinois)	Midlands	Fall, 5:54
W	Brad Gentzle (Pittsburgh)	Dual, 1/20	Fall, 3:22
W	Ricky Deubel (Edinboro)	Dual, 1/22	11-4
W	Tim Haas (Penn State)	Dual, 1/27	Fall, 4:58
W	Michael Watts (Michigan)	Dual, 1/29	Fall, 1:34
W	Brandon Tucker (Purdue)	Dual, 2/3	8-4
W	Lucas Magnani (Iowa)	Dual, 2/5	Fall, 2:39
W	John Velez (Northwestern)	Dual, 2/10	7-2
W	Kyle Ott (Illinois)	Dual, 2/12	MD, 14-0
W	Collin Cudd (Wisconsin)	Dual, 2/17	Fall, 1:39
W	Travis Lang (Minnesota)	Dual, 2/19	9-2
W	Sam Hazewinkel (Oklahoma)	Dual, 2/23	4-2
W	Travis Lang (Minnesota)	Big Ten Champ.	7-0
W	John Velez (Northwestern)	Big Ten Champ.	TB 1, 6-3
W	Kyle Ott (Illinois)	Big Ten Champ.	7-0
W	Seth Wright (Northern Iowa)	NCAA Champ.	Fall, :44
W	Obenson Blanc (Lock Haven)	NCAA Champ.	Fall, 1:00
W	Chad Mendez (Cal-Poly)	NCAA Champ.	Fall, 6:44
L	Troy Nickerson (Cornell)	NCAA Champ.	2-1
W	Coleman Scott (Okla.State)	NCAA Champ.	7-4
L	Sam Hazewinkel (Oklahoma)	NCAA Champ.	6-2

**NICK SIMMONS IN 2004-05 • 32-4 RECORD**

W	Jeremy Freiwald (Central Michigan)	EMU Open	Fall, 2:34
W	Alexander Usztics (Navy)	EMU Open	MD, 12-0
W	Calib Metcalf (Ohio)	EMU Open	7-0
W	Matt Steintrager (Central Michigan)	EMU Open	MD, 9-0 (1st)
W	Tony LaJoie (Eastern Michigan)	Dual, 11/30	Fall, 5:47
W	Jeff Baker (Va. Commonwealth)	N.C. Open	2-0
W	John Neal (Garner-Webb)	N.C. Open	Fall, 1:15
W	Bobby Shaw (North Carolina)	N.C. Open	TF, 16-1
W	DelRico Choates (Cumberland)	N.C. Open	Fall, 5:16
W	Christian Staylor (Old Dominion)	N.C. Open	3-2 (1st)
W	Luke Smith (Central Michigan)	Dual, 12/8	MD, 11-3
W	Joe Wornoff (Cleveland State)	Dual, 12/11	Fall, 3:36
W	John Rojas (Lassen College)	Midlands	Fall, 1:55
W	Luke Magnani (Iowa)	Midlands	MD, 12-0
W	Christian Staylor (Old Dominion)	Midlands	3-0
W	Andrew Hochstrasser (Boise State)	Midlands	Fall, DO
W	Grant Nakamura (Iowa State)	Midlands	MD, 10-0 (1st)
W	Coleman Scott (Oklahoma State)	Dual, 1/13	6-5
W	Adam Smith (Penn State)	Dual, 1/15	MD, 8-0
W	Nathan Costello (Ohio State)	Dual, 1/23	Fall, 1:43
W	Bobbe Lowe (Minnesota)	Dual, 1/28	MD, 9-0
W	Colin Cudd (Wisconsin)	Dual, 1/30	MD, 12-0
W	Brandon Tucker (Purdue)	Dual, 2/11	MD, 10-0
L	Joe Dubuque (Indiana)	Dual, 2/12	6-4
W	Jim Shutich (Michigan)	Dual, 2/18	TF, 15-0, 4:19
L	Sam Hazewinkel (Oklahoma)	Dual, 2/25	2-0
W	Collin Cudd (Wisconsin)	Big Ten Champ.	Fall, 1:21
W	Brandon Tucker (Purdue)	Big Ten Champ.	TF, 18-1, 3:29
W	Joe Dubuque (Indiana)	Big Ten Champ.	3-2
W	Kyle Ott (Illinois)	Big Ten Champ.	4-2 (1st)
W	Mark McKnight (Buffalo)	NCAA Champ.	3-1
W	Dave Tomasette (Hofstra)	NCAA Champ.	TF, 17-2
W	Andrew Hochstrasser (Boise State)	NCAA Champ.	TF, 15-0, 4:56
L	Kyle Ott (Illinois)	NCAA Champ.	SV, 3-1
W	Vic Moreno (Cal Poly)	NCAA Champ.	MD, 8-0
L	Sam Hazewinkel (Oklahoma)	NCAA Champ.	6-3 (4th)

**NICK SIMMONS IN 2002-03 • 29-12 RECORD**

W	Ray Sabin (Kent State)	MSU Open	5-4
W	Jason Daviaux (Ohio)	MSU Open	Fall, 0:33
W	Mark Moos (Michigan)	MSU Open	8-2
W	Matt Valenti (Penn)	MSU Open	Fall, 4:50
L	A.J. Grant (Michigan)	MSU Open	4-1
L	Pat Flynn Hofstra	Dual, 11/24	6-4
W	Kyle Stoffer (Central Michigan)	Dual, 12/3	MD, 8-0
W	Joseph Betterman (Wildcast Wrestling Club)	Midlands	Fall, 2:54
W	John Velez (Northwestern)	Midlands	3-0
L	A.J. Grant (Michigan)	Midlands	4-2
W	Heath McKim (Air Force)	Midlands	Fall, 0:37
W	Efren Ceballos (Cal-Bakersfield)	Midlands	8-4
W	Kyle Ott (Illinois)	Midlands	7-3
W	A.J. Grant (Michigan)	Midlands	4-3
L	Jared Opher (Kent State)	Dual, 1/4	7-5
L	Travis Lee (Cornell)	Ntl. Duals, 1/18	6-3
W	Jeff Costello (Ohio State)	Ntl. Duals, 1/18	Fall, 2:34
W	Bob Lowe (Minnesota)	Ntl. Duals, 1/18	Fall, 2:02
W	John Velez (Northwestern)	Dual, 1/24	10-4
W	Bob Lowe (Minnesota)	Dual, 1/25	11-4
W	Tony Black (Wisconsin)	Dual, 1/31	7-4
W	Bo Maynes (Oklahoma)	Dual, 2/2	3-0
W	Luke Eustice (Iowa)	Dual, 2/7	MD, 11-0
L	A.J. Grant (Michigan)	Dual, 2/9	4-3
L	Chris Rodrigues North Carolina	Dual, 2/14	Fall, 1:09
W	Adam Smith (Penn State)	Dual, 2/16	Fall, 1:59
L	Chris Fleeger (Purdue)	Dual, 2/21	2-1
L	Twan Pham (Illinois)	Dual, 2/23	8-6
W	Skyler Holman (Oklahoma State)	Dual, 2/28	7-6
L	Tony Black (Wisconsin)	Big Ten Champ.	MD, 8-0
W	John Velez (Northwestern)	Big Ten Champ.	Fall, 2:46
W	Adam Smith (Penn State)	Big Ten Champ.	Fall, 5:26
W	Luke Eustice (Iowa)	Big Ten Champ.	4-2
W	Tony Black (Wisconsin)	Big Ten Champ.	6-2 (3rd)
W	Jacob Gray (Edinboro)	NCAA Champ.	Fall, 4:39
L	Terrance Clendenin (Lehigh)	NCAA Champ.	2-1 (TB)
W	Twan Pham (Illinois)	NCAA Champ.	3-2
W	Heath McKim (Air Force)	NCAA Champ.	6-1
W	Bo Maynes (Oklahoma)	NCAA Champ.	6-4
L	Tony Black (Wisconsin)	NCAA Champ.	5-0
W	Bob Lowe (Minnesota)	NCAA Champ.	Fall, 2:38 (7th)



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**QUICK HITS:** One of the top wrestlers in Michigan State history...ranked No. 7 by NWCA/InterMat...two-time All-American and 2006 Big Ten champion...ninth in MSU history with 114 wins...has battled injuries throughout the season...went 4-1 in Big Ten dual meets (combined score 24-8, including a fall and two shutouts)...did not wrestle in the Edinboro, Missouri, Iowa, Indiana or Penn State duals due to injury...13-5 overall record and 12-5 NCAA record this season.

**NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS HISTORY:** Enters his last NCAA Championships with a 10-6 record in his previous three appearances. *2006* - Took a career-best fifth with a 4-2 record...lost in semifinals for the second straight year to eventual champion Nate Gallick of Iowa State...beat West Virginia's Brandon Rader in the fifth-place match. *2005* - Placed sixth to earn All-America honors...advanced to semifinals, where he lost to Nate Gallick...did not wrestle in fifth-place match (injury default). *2004* - Went 3-2 in his first appearance at the NCAA Championships.

**BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS HISTORY:** Owns an 11-5 record in his career at the Big Ten Championships. *2007* - Placed fourth, advancing to the NCAA Championships for the fourth straight year...seeded third, he lost in quarterfinals to sixth-seeded Alex Tsirtsis, 2-1...came back to beat Indiana's Scott Kelly (8-0) and Ohio State's J Jagers (4-0)...defeated top-seeded Manuel Rivera of Minnesota in the consolation semifinals, 8-2...Rivera entered the Big Ten Championships undefeated and ranked No. 1 in the nation...fell to Tsirtsis in the third-place match, 6-0. *2006* - Won first career Big Ten title with a 4-0 record...beat Northwestern's Ryan Lang in the finals, 8-2. *2005* - Placed second with a 2-1 record...fell to Michigan's Josh Churella in the finals. *2004* - Placed seventh in his first Big Ten Championships with a 2-2 record.

**2006-07:** Went 4-0 at the Michigan State Open before taking an injury default in the championship match to place second...selected to compete at the NWCA All-Star Classic for the second time in his career, but had to withdraw due to injury...in his first action since the Nov. 16 Oklahoma State dual, Simmons defeated No. 13 Andy Kruger of Central Michigan, 5-0...shut out No. 12 Cassio Pero, 6-0, in the Illinois dual on Jan. 26...pinned Brad Cusumano in the Michigan dual in just 2:13...shut out J Jagers in the Ohio State dual, 6-0...recorded major decision over Nick Bertucci in Purdue dual, 10-1.

**2006 NCAA Championships:** Claimed All-America honors for the second straight season with a fifth-place finish, going 4-2 for the tournament...pinned his first opponent, Brad Forbes of Bloomsburg and shut out Northern Iowa's C.J. Ettleson in his second-round bout, 6-0...notched his 100th career win by sudden victory against Michigan's Josh Churella, 4-2, to secure All-American placing and reach the semifinals...it was the first time in his collegiate career he had defeated Churella...fell to eventual national champion Nate Gallick of Iowa State, and then to Northwestern's Ryan Lang, before dropping West Virginia's Brandon Rader by major decision, 11-2, in the fifth-place match.

**2006 Big Ten Championships:** Won his first Big Ten title by claiming an 8-2 decision over Northwestern's Ryan Lang in the finals...defeated Ohio State's T.J. Enright in the first round by major decision, 8-0...dropped Minnesota's Manuel Rivera, 9-4, in the quarterfinals and Iowa's Alex Tsirtsis, 6-2, to move to the finals. Both wrestlers were ranked in the top 15 in the nation.

**2005-06:** Finished the season ranked fifth in the nation with a 36-6 record, setting a career high for wins...finished the dual-meet season and the Big Ten season with the best winning percentages of his career...claimed tournament championships at

both the EMU Open and the Nittany Lion Open...runner-up at the Michigan State Open...dropped Oklahoma State's Daniel Frishkorn in a dual Nov. 27, 7-1, after being forced to injury default against him in the 2005 NCAA consolation semifinals...finished second at the Midlands Championships, falling for the second-consecutive year in the finals to Iowa State's Nate Gallick. Both matches went to the second round of sudden victory...led the team in technical falls with three and major decisions with 11. Also tied with his brother Nick for the team lead in victories, and finished second to him in shutouts with eight...also ranked second only to his brother Nick in dual-meet points, with 40...Went 7-1 in Big Ten duals...avenged an early-season loss to Northwestern's Ryan Lang by pinning him in a dual meet Feb. 10.

**2005 NCAA Championships:** Captured All-American honors for the first time in his career, finishing sixth...defeated his opening round opponent, Myron Drayton of Delaware State, by major decision, 11-2...moved on to the quarterfinals by knocking off Pennsylvania's Doug McGraw, 6-1...recorded a fall over third-place finisher Cory Cooperman of Cornell in the quarterfinals...lost to national runner-up Nate Gallick in the semifinals, 2-0...was forced to injury default his final two matches with a knee injury.

**2005 Big Ten Championships:** Took second place, improving five positions on his 2004 finish...defeated No. 15 DeWitt Driscoll of Penn State in the quarterfinals, 6-1...notched a major-decision victory, 15-6, over No. 13 Ryan Lang in the semifinals...fell to No. 3 Josh Churella, 2-1, in the finals.

**2004-05:** Took the tournament championship at the Muskegon Open, MSU Open and the North Carolina Open...defeated then-No. 7 Ron Tarquinio of Pittsburgh, 6-2, in the finals of the MSU Open...Defeated seven ranked wrestlers...runner-up at the Midlands Championships, losing to No. 1 Nate Gallick of Iowa State by sudden victory, 4-2, in the finals...finished first on the team in falls with 11...second on the team in shutout victories with eight, trailing only his brother Nick...started the season with a 20-match winning streak...tied his brother for the team-lead in victories with 32...a team captain.

**2003-04:** Named the team's most outstanding wrestler with a record of 33-11...took fifth place at the MSU Open, winning by pin twice...won first-ever dual match against Oklahoma State's Ronnie Delk...went a perfect 5-0 at the North Carolina Open taking first place...finished 6-2 at the Midlands taking fourth place...pinned NCAA runner-up Dylan Long of Northern Iowa to move into the consolation finals at the Midlands...only loss in Big Ten Dual competition came to NCAA Champion Cliff Moore from Iowa...competed in the prestigious NWCA All-Star Classic...finished seventh in the Big Ten tournament...had a 3-2 record at the NCAA Championships coming just one match from placing in the top eight.



*Andy Simmons records a takedown against top-seeded Manuel Rivera (above) of Minnesota in the Big Ten Championships. Simmons beat Rivera, 8-2, en route to finishing fourth at the tournament.*



Andy Simmons delivered a pin in the Michigan dual, helping the Spartans beat the Wolverines on Jan. 28 in Jenison Field House.

**2002-03:** Redshirted...went 11-3 at 141 wrestling unattached...finished fourth at the Eastern Michigan Open...took sixth place at Junior World Freestyle Championships competing at 66 kg/145.5 pounds...helped lead the U.S. Junior Freestyle Team to a sixth-place finish...went 3-1 at world championships, defeating Latvia's Salvis Pudovs, 15-5, New Zealand's Scott MacGregor, 10-0 and Macedonia's Goran Atanosa, 10-0...lost 3-8 to Iran's Abbas Rangbar.

**Prep:** Undefeated record of 219-0, one of the best records in the history of high school wrestling...became just the eighth wrestler in Michigan history to win four state championships...national and Michigan record holder for consecutive victories (219)...went 57-0 his senior year and was named Lansing State Journal's Wrestler of the Year...four-time Junior National All-American...four-year letterwinner and three-time captain...led team to a No. 1 state ranking four years in a row.

**Personal:** Born 4/14/84...son of Scott and Debi Simmons...brother, Nick, is also on the wrestling team...lists father as his biggest wrestling influence.

### SIMMONS' CAREER RECORD

Season	Overall	Duals	Pins
2002-03*	11-3	0-0	7
2003-04	33-11	11-3	5
2004-05	32-6	8-2	11
2005-06	36-6	11-2	3
2006-07	13-5	6-3	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>114-28</b>	<b>36-10</b>	<b>21</b>

\* Redshirted

### ANDY SIMMONS IN 2006-07 • 13-5 RECORD

W	Rick Rappo (Penn)	MSU Open	Fall, 5:26
W	Ryan Morgan (Edinboro)	MSU Open	MD, 12-0
W	Zack Kemmerer (Unattached)	MSU Open	MD, 9-0
W	Ryan Williams (Old Dominion)	MSU Open	6-5
L	Nathan Morgan (Oklahoma State)	Dual, 11/16	5-1
W	Andy Kruger (Central Michigan)	Dual, 1/5	5-0
W	Jimmy Conroy (Pittsburgh)	Dual, 1/14	MD, 15-3
W	Cassio Pero (Illinois)	Dual, 1/26	6-0
W	Brad Cusumano (Michigan)	Dual, 1/28	Fall, 2:13
W	J Jagers (Ohio State)	Dual, 2/2	6-0
W	Nick Bertucci (Purdue)	Dual, 2/4	MD, 10-1
L	Manuel Rivera (Minnesota)	Dual, 2/9	7-2
L	Kyle Terry (Oklahoma)	Dual, 2/23	4-2
L	Alex Tsirtsis (Iowa)	Big Ten Champ.	2-1
W	Scott Kelly (Indiana)	Big Ten Champ.	MD, 8-0
W	J Jagers (Ohio State)	Big Ten Champ.	4-0
W	Manuel Rivera (Minnesota)	Big Ten Champ.	8-2
L	Alex Tsirtsis (Iowa)	Big Ten Champ.	6-0 (4th)

### ANDY SIMMONS IN 2005-06 • 36-6 RECORD

W	Jack Abate (Mott)	EMU Open	TF, 18-3
W	Von Graham (Findlay)	EMU Open	MD, 8-0
W	Eric Kruger (Central Michigan)	EMU Open	4-0
W	Jake Patacsil (Purdue)	EMU Open	4-1
W	Dave Tippett (Navy)	EMU Open	TF, 15-0
W	Ahmad Joumaa (Eastern Mich.)	MSU Open	11-4
W	Brad Cusumano (Michigan)	MSU Open	MD, 12-1
W	Eric Kruger (Central Michigan)	MSU Open	7-2
L	Ryan Lang (Northwestern)	MSU Open	6-5 (2nd)
W	Daniel Frishkorn (Okla. State)	Dual, 11/27	7-1
W	Sean Eagan (Sacred Heart)	PSU Open	MD, 13-4
W	Jason Hilliard (Buffalo)	PSU Open	MD, 15-5
W	Carlo Farrandino (Boston)	PSU Open	MD, 9-0
W	Vincent Ramirez (N. Carolina)	PSU Open	7-3
W	Charles Griffin (Hofstra)	PSU Open	MD, 11-1
W	Eric Kruger (Central Michigan)	Dual, 12/7	6-3
W	Mike Hurley (Cleveland State)	Dual, 12/10	MD, 9-1
W	Brian Pitts (Adams State)	Midlands	Fall, 3:11
W	Matt Schumm (Cal-Bakersfield)	Midlands	MD, 12-2
W	C.J. Ettelson (Northern Iowa)	Midlands	6-0
W	Eric Kruger (Central Michigan)	Midlands	4-3
L	Nate Gallick (Iowa State)	Midlands	5-3 (TB2)
W	Ron Tarquinio (Pittsburgh)	Dual, 1/20	2-0
W	Rick McLaughlin (Edinboro)	Dual, 1/22	MD, 14-2
W	DeWitt Driscoll (Penn State)	Dual, 1/27	6-1
L	Josh Churella (Michigan)	Dual, 1/29	4-2
W	Jake Patacsil (Purdue)	Dual, 2/3	4-2
W	Alex Tsirtsis (Iowa)	Dual, 2/5	2-1
W	Ryan Lang (Northwestern)	Dual, 2/10	Fall, 6:14
W	Dan Manzella (Illinois)	Dual, 2/12	TF, 16-0, 5:46
W	Ed Gutnik (Wisconsin)	Dual, 2/17	7-5
L	Teyon Ware (Oklahoma)	Dual, 2/23	10-3
W	T.J. Enright (Ohio State)	Big Ten Champ.	MD, 8-0
W	Manuel Rivera (Minnesota)	Big Ten Champ.	9-4
W	Alex Tsirtsis (Iowa)	Big Ten Champ.	6-2
W	Ryan Lang (Northwestern)	Big Ten Champ.	8-2 (1st)
W	Brad Forbes (Bloomsburg)	NCAA Champ.	Fall, 4:30
W	C.J. Ettelson (Northern Iowa)	NCAA Champ.	6-0
W	Josh Churella (Michigan)	NCAA Champ.	SV, 4-2
L	Nate Gallick (Iowa State)	NCAA Champ.	4-2
L	Ryan Lang (Northwestern)	NCAA Champ.	3-0
W	Brandon Rader (West Virginia)	NCAA Champ.	MD, 11-2 (5th)

**ANDY SIMMONS IN 2004-05 • 32-6 RECORD**

W	Ray Mendes (Millikin)	Muskegon Open	10-6
W	John Gourlay (Eastern Michigan)	Muskegon Open	Fall, 1:43
W	Aaron Buchler (Millikin)	Muskegon Open	Fall, 5:42
W	Derek Kipperburg (N. Idaho)	Muskegon Open	6-0 (1st)
W	Eric Kruger (Central Michigan)	MSU Open	MD, 10-1
W	Dominic Lochotzki (Kent State)	MSU Open	Fall, 1:08
W	Jason McGee (Kent State)	MSU Open	Fall, 3:51
W	Brandon Carter (Central Michigan)	MSU Open	Fall, 2:57
W	Ron Tarquinio (Pittsburgh)	MSU Open	6-2 (1st)
W	Steve Lux (Limestone College)	N.C. Open	Fall, 3:12
W	Paul Bowman (Virginia)	N.C. Open	Fall, 3:30
W	Isaiah Britton (North Carolina)	N.C. Open	7-1
W	Jason Jones (Appalachian State)	N.C. Open	3-0
W	Shannon Slack (Old Dominion)	N.C. Open	Fall, 5:45 (1st)
W	Brandon Carter (Central Michigan)	Dual, 12/8	9-2
W	Mike Hurley (Cleveland State)	Dual, 12/11	6-0
W	Adalberto Villaescusa (Embry-Riddle)	Midlands	MD, 13-0
W	Jason Cook (Purdue)	Midlands	MD, 9-0
W	Michael Simpson (Indiana)	Midlands	4-0
W	Max Meltzer (Unattached)	Midlands	Fall, 2:59
L	Nate Gallick (Iowa State)	Midlands	SV, 4-2 (2nd)
W	Daniel Frishkorn (Oklahoma State)	Dual, 1/13	5-2
W	DeWitt Driscoll (Penn State)	Dual, 1/15	5-0
W	Jason McGee (Kent State)	Dual, 1/21	Fall, 2:48
W	Jason Johnstone (Ohio State)	Dual, 1/23	6-2
W	Quincy Osborn (Minnesota)	Dual, 1/28	4-0
L	Tyler Laudon (Wisconsin)	Dual, 1/30	SV, 5-4
W	Ben Sprunger (Purdue)	Dual, 2/11	6-4
L	Teyon Ware (Oklahoma)	Dual, 2/25	Default
W	DeWitt Driscoll (Penn State)	Big Ten Champ.	6-1
W	Ryan Lang (Northwestern)	Big Ten Champ.	MD, 15-6
L	Josh Churella (Michigan)	Big Ten Champ.	2-1 (2nd)
W	Myron Drayton (Delaware State)	NCAA Champ.	MD, 11-2
W	Doug McGraw (Pennsylvania)	NCAA Champ.	6-1
W	Cory Cooperman (Cornell)	NCAA Champ.	Fall, 6:18
L	Nate Gallick (Iowa State)	NCAA Champ.	2-0
L	Daniel Frishkorn (Oklahoma State)	NCAA Champ.	INJ DEF (6th)

**ANDY SIMMONS IN 2003-04 • 33-11 RECORD**

L	Simcoe (Findlay)	MSU Open	5-3
W	Kinports (CU)	MSU Open	8-2
W	Ryan Froese (Michigan State)	MSU Open	6-0
W	Erny (Grand Valley State)	MSU Open	Fall, 3:45
W	Walters (Eastern Illinois)	MSU Open	Fall, :40
W	Hiatt (Northern Illinois)	MSU Open	MD, 10-0
L	Tarquinio (Pittsburgh)	MSU Open	3-1
W	Grimes (Northern Illinois)	MSU Open	1-0 (5th)
W	Ronnie Delk (Oklahoma State)	Dual, 11/16	11-5
L	Jason Mester (Central Michigan)	Dual, 12/2	3-0
W	Aaron Gornoll (Oklahoma)	N.C. Open	5-2
W	Scott Ervin (Arizona State)	N.C. Open	MD, 11-0
W	David Metzler (VMI)	N.C. Open	5-0
W	Mike Booth (North Carolina)	N.C. Open	4-0 (1st)
L	Roberto Vargas (Cal-Bakersfield)	Midlands	6-2
W	Jon Spires (Ohio)	Midlands	9-4
W	Pacifico Garcia (San Francisco State)	Midlands	Fall, :32
W	Doug McGraw (Penn)	Midlands	MD, 9-1
W	Robert Becker (George Mason)	Midlands	5-0
W	Michael Martin (Illinois)	Midlands	4-2
W	Dylan Long (Northern Iowa)	Midlands	Fall, 5:08
L	Cliff Moore (Iowa)	Midlands	5-2 (4th)
W	Nate Daugherty (Kent State)	Dual, 1/6	Fall, 5:33
W	J.P. Reese (Missouri)	Ntl. Duals, 1/17	7-5
L	Jason Mester (Central Michigan)	Ntl. Duals, 1/17	3-0
W	Danny Williams (Minnesota)	Dual, 1/23	8-1
W	Michael Martin (Illinois)	Dual, 1/25	MD, 12-1
W	Clark Forward (Michigan)	Dual, 1/30	4-2
L	Cliff Moore (Iowa)	Dual, 2/1	3-0
L	Dylan Long (Northern Iowa)	NWCA All-Star Meet	8-2
W	Shane Kidd (Oklahoma)	Dual, 2/6	3-0
W	Doug Withstandley (Purdue)	Dual, 2/8	5-1
W	Marat Tomaev (Penn State)	Dual, 2/13	6-1
W	Theo Dotson (Ohio State)	Dual, 2/15	MD, 8-0
W	Coyte Cooper (Indiana)	Dual, 2/22	6-0
W	Doug Withstandley (Purdue)	Big Ten Champ.	4-3
W	Clark Forward (Michigan)	Big Ten Champ.	3-2
L	Tyler Laudon (Wisconsin)	Big Ten Champ.	Fall, 4:04
W	DeWitt Driscoll (Penn State)	Big Ten Champ.	12-10, SV
W	Alex Hernandez (North Carolina St.)	NCAA Champ.	MD, 17-6
L	Dylan Long (Northern Iowa)	NCAA Champ.	6-2
W	Tommy Owen (Minnesota)	NCAA Champ.	6-0
W	Jesse Brock (Boise State)	NCAA Champ.	4-0
L	Jason Mester (Central Michigan)	NCAA Champ.	MD, 10-1

MICHIGAN STATE WRESTLING: YEAR-BY-YEAR HISTORY



Fendley Collins



Grady Peninger



Tom Minkel

Year	W	L	T	Big Ten	NCAA	Coach
1886	2	0	0			No Coach
1898	1	0	0			No Coach
1902	2	0	0			No Coach
1904	1	1	0			No Coach
1905	2	0	0			No Coach
1922	1	3	0			James Devers
1923	1	3	0			James Devers
1924	0	3	0			Leon Burhans
1925	2	4	0			Leon Burhans
1926	0	5	0			Leon Burhans
1927	4	3	0			Ralph Leonard
1928	4	2	0			Ralph Leonard
1929	1	3	0			Glen Riches
1930	3	3	0		T-14th	Fendley Collins
1931	3	1	0			Fendley Collins
1932	4	1	0		T-13th	Fendley Collins
1933	3	2	0			Fendley Collins
1934	2	4	0			Fendley Collins
1935	4	4	0			Fendley Collins
1936	0	6	0			Fendley Collins
1937	1	6	0			Fendley Collins
1938	5	4	0			Fendley Collins
1939	5	3	0			Fendley Collins
1940	5	2	1		T-15th	Fendley Collins
1941	8	1	0		2nd	Fendley Collins
1942	7	1	0		2nd	Fendley Collins
1943	5	2	1			Fendley Collins
1944	No Schedule--WWII					
1945	5	0	0			Fendley Collins
1946	5	2	1		8th	Fendley Collins
1947	7	3	0		4th	Fendley Collins
1948	9	0	0		2nd	Fendley Collins
1949	6	1	1		4th	Fendley Collins
1950	5	5	0		T-12th	Fendley Collins
1951	6	3	0	3rd	T-6th	Fendley Collins
1952	5	2	2	3rd	T-12th	Fendley Collins
1953	7	2	0	2nd	T-8th	Fendley Collins
1954	6	2	0	3rd	6th	Fendley Collins
1955	2	7	0	6th	15th	Fendley Collins
1956	4	4	1	4th	T-8th	Fendley Collins
1957	7	2	0	T-6th	T-21st	Fendley Collins
1958	3	5	0	3rd	4th	Fendley Collins
1959	5	3	1	3rd	9th	Fendley Collins
1960	7	1	1	3rd	T-18th	Fendley Collins
1961	8	1	0	1st	T-8th	Fendley Collins
1962	6	1	2	5th	T-9th	Fendley Collins
1963	7	3	0	8th	T-21st	Grady Peninger
1964	5	5	1	10th		Grady Peninger
1965	7	3	1	2nd	T-15th	Grady Peninger
1966	10	2	0	1st	6th	Grady Peninger
1967	9	1	1	1st	1st	Grady Peninger
1968	9	4	0	1st	4th	Grady Peninger
1969	9	2	0	1st	4th	Grady Peninger
1970	16	1	0	1st	2nd	Grady Peninger
1971	7	3	2	1st	3rd	Grady Peninger
1972	11	1	0	1st	2nd	Grady Peninger
1973	6	4	1	5th	13th	Grady Peninger
1974	12	3	1	3rd	14th	Grady Peninger
1975	10	6	0	3rd	15th	Grady Peninger

Year	W	L	T	Big Ten	NCAA	Coach
1976	7	7	0	5th	19th	Grady Peninger
1977	9	9	0	7th	17th	Grady Peninger
1978	6	6	1	3rd	T-36th	Grady Peninger
1979	13	7	0	4th	31st	Grady Peninger
1980	11	8	1	4th	25th	Grady Peninger
1981	7	7	0	7th	28th	Grady Peninger
1982	10	4	0	4th	25th	Grady Peninger
1983	10	4	0	2nd	12th	Grady Peninger
1984	10	5	0	2nd	9th	Grady Peninger
1985	8	6	0	5th	30th	Grady Peninger
1986	4	12	1	6th	23rd	Grady Peninger
1987	6	9	0	10th	40th	Phil Parker
1988	1	13	0	10th	DNP	Phil Parker
1989	6	12	0	9th	T-44th	Phil Parker
1990	6	7	2	8th	42nd	Phil Parker
1991	6	8	0	6th	T-47th	Phil Parker
1992	6	12	0	9th	60th	Tom Minkel
1993	5	9	0	9th	12th	Tom Minkel
1994	11	4	0	6th	28th	Tom Minkel
1995	14	4	0	2nd	3rd	Tom Minkel
1996	15	6	0	3rd	7th	Tom Minkel
1997	9	12	0	8th	21st	Tom Minkel
1998	9	10	0	7th	13th	Tom Minkel
1999	6	11	1	8th	22nd	Tom Minkel
2000	10	5	1	4th	14th	Tom Minkel
2001	8	8	0	7th	14th	Tom Minkel
2002	5	12	0	8th	34th	Tom Minkel
2003	10	7	0	T-3rd	18th	Tom Minkel
2004	2	12	0	10th	34th	Tom Minkel
2005	7	6	1	8th	20th	Tom Minkel
2006	4	10	0	8th	18th	Tom Minkel
2007	3	11	0	11th	TBD	Tom Minkel

**Totals 542 409 25 8 titles 1 title 8 coaches**  
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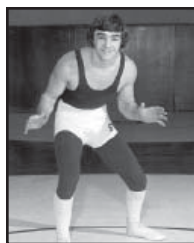
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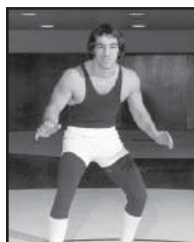
KELVIN  
JACKSON  
1993-1995  
118 POUNDS  
ANDERSON, IND.

- 1995 National Champion
- Set the MSU single-season wins record with 42 victories during the 1994-95 campaign



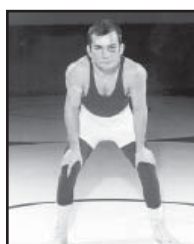
PAT  
MILKOVICH  
1972-1976  
126 AND 134 POUNDS  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

- NCAA Champion in 1972 and 1974
- First Big Ten wrestler ever to be a four-time NCAA finalist
- Three-time Big Ten Champion



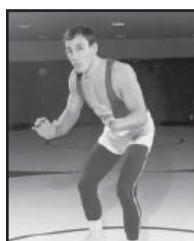
TOM  
MILKOVICH  
1970-1974  
134 AND 142 POUNDS  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

- 1972 National Champion
- Four-time Big Ten Champion
- Two-time Midlands Open Champion



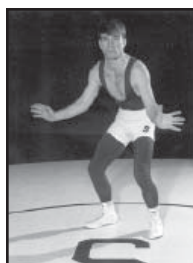
GREG  
JOHNSON  
1969-1972  
118 POUNDS  
LANSING, MICH.

- Three-time National Champion in 1970, 1971, 1972
- First Big Ten wrestler to win three National Titles
- Three-time Big Ten Champion



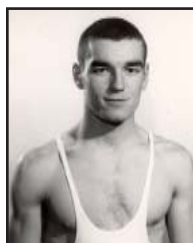
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RADMAN  
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167 POUNDS  
NORFOLK, VA.

- 1967 National Champion



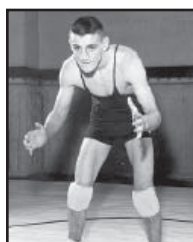
DALE  
ANDERSON  
1964-1968  
130 AND 137 POUNDS  
WATERLOO, IOWA

- National Champion in 1967 and 1968
- Three-time Big Ten Champion
- Went undefeated in 1967, his junior season



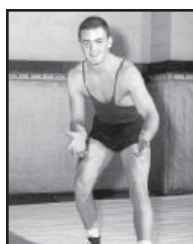
RICHARD  
COOK  
1962-1966  
147 POUNDS  
FARMINGTON, MICH.

- 1966 National Champion



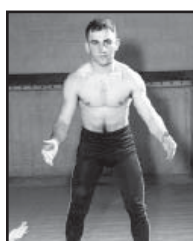
NORMAN  
YOUNG  
1957-1961  
137 POUNDS  
LANSING, MICH.

- 1961 National Champion



KEN  
MAIDLOW  
1954-1958  
191 POUNDS  
LANSING, MICH.

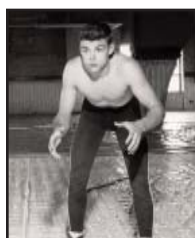
- 1958 NCAA Champion



JIM  
SINADINOS  
1952-1956  
137 POUNDS  
LANSING, MICH.

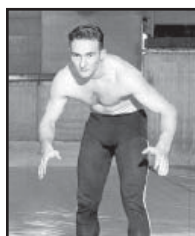
- 1956 National Champion

# MSU NATIONAL CHAMPIONS



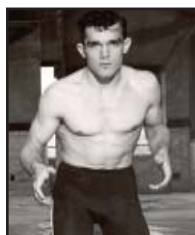
**BOB  
HOKE**  
1950-1954  
157 POUNDS  
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.

- 1954 National Champion



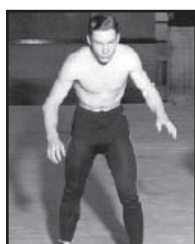
**GENE  
GIBBONS**  
1948-1951  
167 POUNDS  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

- 1951 National Champion



**RICHARD  
DICKENSON**  
1946-1949  
136.5 POUNDS  
TULSA, OKLA.

- 1948 National Champion



**GALE  
MIKLES**  
1946-1947  
155 POUNDS  
SKIATOOK, OKLA.

- 1947 National Champion



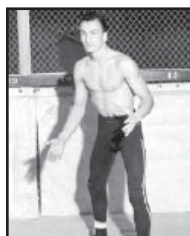
**BURL  
JENNINGS**  
1941-1943  
126 POUNDS  
TULSA, OKLA.

- National Champion in 1941 and 1942



**MERLE  
JENNINGS**  
1941-1943  
121 POUNDS  
TULSA, OKLA.

- National Champion in 1941 and 1942
- AAU National Champion in 1943



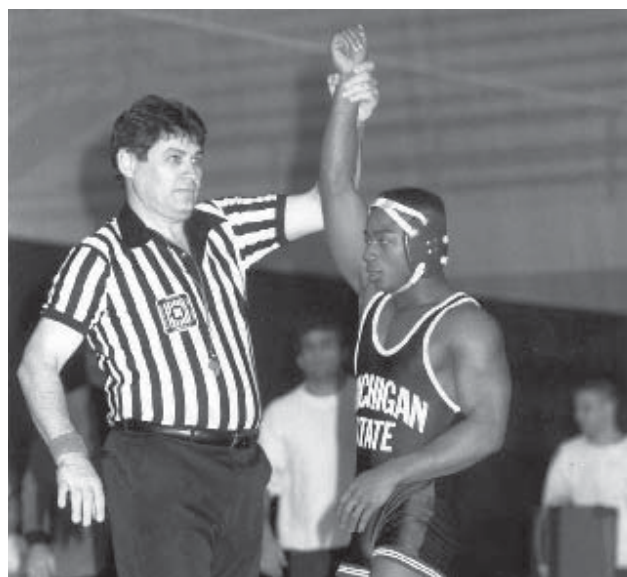
**WILLIAM  
MAXWELL**  
1941-1943  
136 POUNDS  
TULSA, OKLA.

- 1942 NCAA Champion



**WALTER  
JACOBS**  
1935-1937  
160 POUNDS

- 1936 NCAA Champion
- First wrestler in Michigan State history to win a national title
- Three-time AAU National Champion
- Walter Jacobs Award has been given annually since 1940 to the wrestler who notches the most points in a season



**Kelvin Jackson**

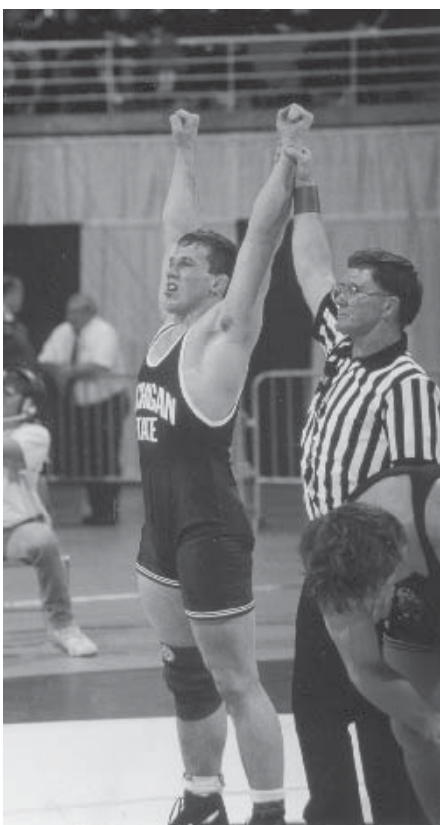
# INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

## CAREER RECORDS

<b>Wins</b> .....	<b>No.</b> .....	<b>Years</b>
1. ...Erich Harvey .....	147	1992-97
<b>2. ...Nick Simmons .....</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>2002-SA</b>
3. ...David Morgan .....	129	1995-98
4. ...Dan Wirnsberger .....	120	1990-95
...Mike Potts .....	120	1981-84
6. ...Don Whipp .....	119	1990-93
7. ...Emilio Collins .....	115	1990-95
...Pat McNamara .....	115	1998-01
<b>9. ...Andy Simmons .....</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>2003-SA</b>
10. ...Nick Muzashvili .....	110	1996-99
11. ...Karl Nadolsky .....	109	1998-03
12. ...Jim Mason .....	107	1981-84
13. ...Gray Maynard .....	106	1998-03
14. ...Dave Mariola .....	105	1984-88
...Joel Morissette .....	105	1991-96
16. ...Chris Williams .....	102	1999-02
17. ...Brian Picklo .....	99	1994-97
18. ...Stacey Richmond .....	95	1986-89
...Ron Cantini .....	95	1980-85
20. ...Tom Milkovich .....	93	1970-73

<b>Falls</b> .....	<b>No.</b> .....	<b>Years</b>
<b>1. ...Nick Simmons .....</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>2002-SA</b>
2. ...Jim Mason .....	45	1980-84
3. ...Greg Sargis .....	42	1979, 81-84
4. ...Mike Potts .....	41	1980-84
5. ...Eli Blazeff .....	40	1982-84
6. ...Erich Harvey .....	35	1992-97
7. ...Don Whipp .....	28	1989-93
8. ...Gray Maynard .....	26	1998-03
9. ...Jeff Smith .....	23	1968-69
10. ...Merle Jennings .....	22	1941-43
...David Morgan .....	22	1995-98



**Brian Picklo**

## SEASON RECORDS

<b>Wins</b> .....	<b>No.</b> .....	<b>Year</b>
1. ...David Morgan .....	44	1995-98
...David Morgan .....	44	1997-98
3. ...Kelvin Jackson .....	42	1994-95
4. ...David Morgan .....	41	1996-97
...Brian Picklo .....	41	1996-97
6. ...Eli Blazeff .....	40	1983-84
...Erich Harvey .....	40	1995-98
8. ...Brian Picklo .....	39	1995-96
9. ...Mike Potts .....	38	1993-94
10. ...Chad Bailey .....	37	1994-95
...Erich Harvey .....	37	1996-97
...Erich Harvey .....	37	1994-95
13. ...Nick Muzashvili .....	36	1998-99
...Dan Wirnsberger .....	36	1992-93
...Eli Blazeff .....	36	1982-83
...Joel Morissette .....	36	1995-96
<b>...Nick Simmons .....</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>2006-07</b>
<b>...Nick Simmons .....</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>2005-06</b>
<b>...Andy Simmons .....</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>2005-06</b>
19. ...Dan Wirnsberger .....	35	1992-93
...Dan Wirnsberger .....	35	1994-95

<b>Falls</b> .....	<b>No.</b> .....	<b>Year</b>
1. ...Eli Blazeff .....	21	1983-84
...Mike Potts .....	21	1983-84
3. ...Eli Blazeff .....	19	1982-83
4. ...Greg Sargis .....	17	1982-83
...Greg Sargis .....	17	1981-82
<b>6. ...Nick Simmons .....</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2005-06</b>
7. ...Jim Mason .....	15	1982-83
8. ...Erich Harvey .....	14	1996-97
9. ...Jeff Smith .....	13	1968-69
10. ...Erich Harvey .....	12	1994-95
...Jim Mason .....	12	1981-82

## TOP WINNING PERCENTAGES

CAREER						
Name	Years	W	L	T	Pct.	Falls
1. Merle Jennings	1941-43	37	1	0	.974	22
2. Jeff Smith	1968-69	50	2	0	.962	23
3. Gale Mikles	1945-48	44	2	0	.957	21
4. Dale Anderson	1966-68	61	4	1	.932	20
5. David Morgan	1995-98	129	10	0	.928	22
6. Tom Milkovich	1970-73	93	7	1	.926	11
7. Don Behm	1965-67	66	6	0	.917	14
Tim Woodin	1958-59	22	2	0	.917	17
9. J. W. Maxwell	1941-43	32	3	0	.914	17
10. Greg Johnson	1970-72	54	5	2	.902	17
Pat Milkovich	1972-76	90	8	4	.902	2

SEASON						
Name	Year	W	L	T	Pct.	Falls
1. Dale Anderson	1967	25	0	0	1.000	8
George Radman	1967	24	0	0	1.000	7
Tom Milkovich	1972	23	0	0	1.000	1
Gene Gibbons	1951	16	0	0	1.000	4
Richard Dickenson	1948	14	0	0	1.000	1
Merle Jennings	1942	14	0	0	1.000	8



**Merle and Burl Jennings**

# NCAA TOURNAMENT RECORDS

## NCAA CHAMPIONS

1995 Kelvin Jackson, 118  
 1974 Pat Milkovich, 126  
 1972 Pat Milkovich, 126  
 1972 Tom Milkovich, 142  
 1972 Greg Johnson, 118  
 1971 Greg Johnson, 118  
 1970 Greg Johnson, 118  
 1968 Dale Anderson, 137  
 1967 Dale Anderson, 137  
 1967 George Radman, 167  
 1966 Dick Cook, 152  
 1961 Norman Young, 137  
 1958 Ken Maidlow, 191  
 1956 Jim Sinadinos, 137  
 1954 Bob Hoke, 157  
 1951 Gene Gibbons, 167  
 1948 Richard Dickenson, 136.5  
 1947 Gale Mikles, 155  
 1942 Merle Jennings, 121  
 1942 Burl Jennings, 128  
 1942 J. William Maxwell, 136  
 1941 Merle Jennings, 121  
 1941 Burl Jennings, 128  
 1936 Walter Jacobs, 158



**David Morgan**

## ALL-AMERICANS

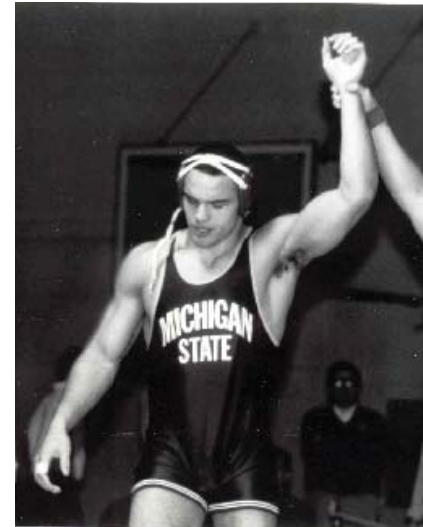
### \* NCAA Champion

### # NCAA Runner-Up

2006 Nick Simmons, 125  
 Andy Simmons, 141  
 2005 Nick Simmons, 125  
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 2003 Nick Simmons, 125  
 Gray Maynard, 157  
 2002 Gray Maynard, 157  
 2001 Chris Williams, 125  
 Pat McNamara, 133  
 Gray Maynard, 157  
 Nik Fekete, 197  
 2000 Pat McNamara, 133  
 Nick Muzashvili, 197  
 1999 Nick Muzashvili, 197  
 1998 David Morgan#, 118  
 Pat McNamara, 126  
 1997 David Morgan, 118  
 Brian Picklo, 190  
 1996 David Morgan, 118  
 Phil Judge, 142  
 Joel Morissette, 167  
 Erich Harvey, 177  
 Brian Picklo, 190  
 1995 Kelvin Jackson\*, 118  
 Brian Bolton, 126  
 Chad Bailey, 150  
 Dan Wrinsberger#, 158  
 Emilio Collins, 190

1994 Dan Wirnsberger, 158  
 Emilio Collins, 190  
 1993 Dan Wirnsberger, 158  
 Don Whipp#, Hwt  
 1986 Dan Matauch, 134  
 Dave Mariola, 177  
 1985 Ernie Blazeff, 158  
 1984 Jim Mason, 134  
 Eli Blazeff, 190  
 Mike Potts, Hwt  
 1983 Eli Blazeff, 177  
 1982 Mike Potts, 190  
 1981 Shawn White, 142  
 1980 Jeff Thomas, 126  
 1979 Shawn Whitcomb, Hwt  
 1977 Dennis Brighton#, 134  
 1976 Pat Milkovich, 134  
 1975 Pat Milkovich#, 126  
 Larry Avery, Hwt  
 1974 Pat Milkovich\*, 126  
 1973 Tom Milkovich, 142  
 1972 Greg Johnson\*, 118  
 Pat Milkovich\*, 126  
 Tom Milkovich\*, 142  
 Richard Radman, 158  
 Gerry Malecek, 167  
 1971 Greg Johnson\*, 118  
 Dave Ciolek, 190  
 Ben Lewis, Hwt  
 1970 Greg Johnson\*, 118  
 Tom Milkovich, 134  
 Keith Lowrance, 142  
 Pat Karlake, 167  
 Gerry Malecek, 177  
 Jack Zindel, 190  
 Vic Mittelberg, Hwt  
 1969 Keith Lowrance, 137  
 Tom Muir, 160  
 Jack Zindel, 177  
 John Schneider, 191  
 Jeff Smith#, Hwt  
 1968 Dale Anderson\*, 137  
 Dale Carr, 145  
 Rodney Ott, 167  
 John Schneider, 191  
 Jeff Smith, Hwt  
 1967 Don Behm#, 130  
 Dale Anderson\*, 137  
 Dale Carr, 145  
 George Radman\*, 167  
 Mike Bradley#, 177  
 Jack Zindel, 191  
 Jeff Richardson, Hwt  
 1966 Dale Anderson, 130  
 Dick Cook\*, 152  
 Jeff Richardson, Hwt  
 1965 Don Behm, 130  
 1963 Okla Johnson, 115  
 1962 Okla Johnson, 115  
 John Baum, Hwt  
 1961 Norman Young\*, 137  
 1959 Tim Woodin#, 191  
 1958 Don Stroud, 130  
 Jim Ferguson, 167  
 Tim Woodin#, 177  
 Ken Maidlow\*, 191  
 1956 Jim Sinadinos\*, 137  
 1955 Jim Sinadinos, 137  
 1954 Jim Sinadinos, 130  
 Bob Hoke\*, 157  
 1953 Eddie Casalicchio, 130  
 Bob Hoke#, 147  
 Vito Perrone, 157  
 1952 George Bender#, 167  
 1951 Gene Gibbons\*, 167  
 1950 Gene Gibbons, 165

1949 Richard Dickenson, 136  
 Don Anderson, 145  
 Bob Maldegan, Hwt  
 1948 Malcolm McDonald, 115  
 Clifford Fletcher, 121  
 Ignatius Konrad, 128  
 Richard Dickenson\*, 136.5  
 Don Anderson, 147  
 Gale Mikles, 160  
 Bob Maldegan, Hwt  
 1947 Donald Johnson, 136  
 Don Anderson, 145  
 Gale Mikles\*, 155  
 1946 Gale Mikles, 145  
 1942 Merle Jennings\*, 121  
 Burl Jennings\*, 128  
 J. William Maxwell\*, 136  
 Leland Merrill, 155  
 1941 Merle Jennings\*, 121  
 Burl Jennings\*, 128  
 J. William Maxwell, 136  
 Charles Hutson, 165  
 Dale Ball, 123  
 1936 Walter Jacobs\*, 158  
 1931 Harry Byam, 135



**Emilio Collins**

## NCAA INDIVIDUAL PLACINGS

Place	No.	Last Occurance
1st	24	1995 (Kelvin Jackson)
2nd	18	1998 (David Morgan)
3rd	22	1999 (Nick Muzashvili)
4th	24	2006 (Nick Simmons)
5th	12	2006 (Andy Simmons)
6th	13	2005 (Andy Simmons)
7th	8	2003 (Nick Simmons)
8th	7	2001 (Gray Maynard)

# NCAA TOURNAMENT RECORDS

## ALL-TIME NCAA TOURNAMENT WINS

Wrestler	App.	Wins
1. ...Pat Milkovich	4	18
2. ...Dale Anderson	3	16
3. ...Greg Johnson	3	15
...David Morgan	3	15
5. ...Pat McNamara	4	13
...Tom Milkovich	4	13
...Nick Muzashvili	3	13
... <b>Nick Simmons</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>
9. ...Erich Harvey	4	12
...Jack Zindel	3	12
...Gale Mikles	3	12
12. ...Brian Picklo	2	11
...Dan Wirmsberger	3	11
...James Sinadinos	3	11
15. ...Emilio Collins	3	10
...Eli Blazeff	2	10
...Mike Potts	3	10
...Donald Anderson	3	10
... <b>Andy Simmons</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>

## TOP TEN POINT TOTALS

Year	Pts.	Finish
1....1970	84	2nd
2....1967	74	1st
3....1972	72.5	2nd
4....1995	69.5	3rd
5....1969	57	4th
6....1968	55	4th
7....1996	53.5	7th
8....1971	44	3rd
9....1998	39	13th
....2001	39	14th

## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS AT NCAA TOURNAMENT (SINCE 1981)

Wrestler	Year	Rec.	Pl.
Nick Simmons (125)	2006	4-2	4th
Andy Simmons (141)	2006	4-2	5th
R.J. Boudro (174)	2006	1-2	
Darren McKnight (149)	2006	1-2	
Nick Simmons (125)	2005	4-2	4th
Andy Simmons (141)	2005	3-2	6th
Darren McKnight (149)	2005	1-2	
R.J. Boudro (174)	2005	1-2	
Andy Simmons (141)	2004	3-2	
Darren McKnight (149)	2004	1-2	
Nate Mesyn (184)	2004	2-2	
Jeff Clemens (197)	2004	0-2	
Nick Simmons (125)	2003	5-2	7th
Ryan L'Amoreaux (141)	2003	1-2	
Karl Nadolsky (149)	2003	2-2	
Gray Maynard (157)	2003	4-2	7th
Rashad Evans (174)	2003	3-2	
Nik Fekete (197)	2003	3-2	
Chris Williams (125)	2002	2-2	
Karl Nadolsky (149)	2002	2-2	
Gray Maynard (157)	2002	3-2	7th
Rashad Evans (174)	2002	0-2	
John Wechter (197)	2002	3-2	
Chris Williams (125)	2001	6-2	7th
Pat McNamara (133)	2001	4-2	6th
Mike Castillo (141)	2001	3-2	
Karl Nadolsky (149)	2001	1-2	
Gray Maynard (157)	2001	3-3	8th
Nik Fekete (197)	2001	4-3	8th
Pat McNamara (133)	2000	3-3	6th
Mike Castillo (141)	2000	4-2	
Karl Nadolsky (149)	2000	3-2	
Gray Maynard (157)	2000	1-2	
Greg DeGrand (165)	2000	1-2	
Will Hill (174)	2000	1-2	
Nick Muzashvili (197)	2000	4-2	4th
Matt Lamb (Hwt.)	2000	2-2	
Pat McNamara (133)	1999	2-2	
Isaac Miller (141)	1999	1-2	
Will Hill (174)	1999	2-2	
Nick Muzashvili (197)	1999	5-1	3rd
Matt Lamb (HWT)	1999	1-1	
David Morgan (118)	1999	4-1	2nd
Pat McNamara (126)	1998	4-2	5th
Issac Miller (134)	1998	1-2	
Greg DeGrand (158)	1998	2-2	
Will Hill (167)	1998	2-2	
Nick Muzashvili (190)	1998	3-2	
David Morgan (118)	1997	5-2	5th
Erich Harvey (177)	1997	4-2	
Brian Picklo (190)	1997	7-1	5th
David Morgan (118)	1996	6-1	3rd
Brian Bolton (126)	1996	2-2	
Jed Kramer (134)	1996	1-2	
Phil Judge (142)	1996	3-3	8th
Joel Morissette (167)	1996	5-3	6th
Erich Harvey (177)	1996	4-1	5th
Brian Picklo (190)	1996	4-2	5th
Kelvin Jackson (118)	1995	5-0	1st
Brian Bolton (126)	1995	4-2	7th
Jed Kramer (134)	1995	0-2	
Phil Judge (142)	1995	0-1	
Chad Bailey (150)	1995	3-2	7th
Dan Wirmsberger (158)	1995	4-1	2nd
Joel Morissette (167)	1995	1-2	
Erich Harvey (177)	1995	3-2	
Emilio Collins (190)	1995	4-1	3rd
Kelvin Jackson (118)	1994	0-1	
Demond Betts (126)	1994	0-2	
Dan Wirmsberger (158)	1994	3-3	7th
Erich Harvey (177)	1994	1-2	
Emilio Collins (190)	1994	4-2	4th
Dan Wirmsberger (158)	1993	4-2	4th
Emilio Collins (190)	1993	2-2	
Don Whipp (HWT)	1993	4-1	2nd
Roy Hall (167)	1992	2-2	
Don Whipp (HWT)	1992	0-1	
Soo Thackthay (118)	1991	0-2	
Roy Hall (158)	1991	1-2	
Brian Woods (167)	1991	1-2	
Jamie Richardson (190)	1991	0-2	
Don Whipp (HWT)	1991	3-2	
Brian Smith (126)	1990	2-2	
Roy Hall (158)	1990	2-2	
Mark Zenas (190)	1990	0-2	
Brian Smith (126)	1989	1-2	
Stacy Richmond (142)	1989	3-1	
Stacy Richmond (142)	1988	0-1	
Dave Mariola (190)	1988	0-1	
Dan Matauch (134)	1987	2-2	
Stacey Richmond (142)	1987	0-2	
Dan Matauch (134)	1986	4-2	7th
Dave Mariola (177)	1986	5-2	5th
John Przybyla (190)	1986	2-2	
Ron Cantini (142)	1985	0-1	
Charles Root (150)	1985	2-2	
Ernie Blazeff (158)	1985	3-3	6th
Tony White (177)	1985	0-1	
Wayne Jackson (119)	1984	2-2	
Jim Mason (134)	1984	4-2	7th
Charles Root (150)	1984	1-2	
Greg Sargis (167)	1984	1-2	
Eli Blazeff (190)	1984	1-2	
Mike Potts (HWT)	1984	3-3	8th
Harrell Milhouse (118)	1983	1-1	
Greg Sargis (150)	1983	2-2	
Fred Worthem (158)	1983	3-2	6th
Eli Blazeff (177)	1983	5-2	5th
Mike Potts (190)	1983	2-2	
Jim Mason (126)	1982	0-1	
Ron Cantini (134)	1982	1-1	
Shawn White (142)	1982	3-2	
Greg Sargis (150)	1982	0-1	
Fred Worthem (158)	1982	0-1	
Keith Fox (177)	1982	1-2	
Mike Potts (190)	1982	5-2	8th
Shawn White (142)	1981	4-2	4th
Steve Foley (142)	1981	4-2	4th



1972 Individual National Champs (L-R) - Front: Greg Johnson (MSU, 118); Pat Milkovich (MSU, 126); Gary Barton (Clarion, 134); Tom Milkovich (MSU, 142); Wad Schalles (Clarion, 150). Back: Chris Taylor (Iowa St., HWT); Ben Peterson (Iowa St., 190); Bill Murdock (Wash., 177); Andy Matter (Penn St., 167); Carl Adams (Iowa St., 158).