

2007 University of New Mexico Skiing



2007 Season Recap

4th in the RMISA • T6th at the NCAAs

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SKI TEAM NEWS

The University of New Mexico ski team concluded the 2007 season with a sixth place finish at the NCAA Championships in Jackson, N.H. The Lobos snapped an eight year streak of finishing in the top-5 at the NCAAs, but still managed a solid showing despite only qualifying nine skiers for the championships.

Freshman Malin Hemmingson highlighted the NCAA meet for New Mexico by capturing the 2007 NCAA Women's Slalom individual title. She became the 10th Lobo in school history to win an individual title and the first Alpine skier since Jennifer Delich won the giant slalom in 2004. She is also the second Lobo to win the women's slalom title, joining Marte Dolva who won the gold at the 2002 NCAA Championships. Hemmingson posted a two-run time of 1:45.77, edging the 2006 NCAA Champion Lucie Zikova of Colorado who finished in 1:46.00.

Senior Lars Loeseth became the schools fourth four-time All-American, posting top-10s in the men's slalom and giant slalom. In his four-year career, Loeseth placed in the top-10 in seven of eight races at the NCAA Championships. A two-sport athlete,

Loeseth also excelled on the soccer field. He was a part of three of the most successful teams in Lobo history as a member of the NCAA champion ski team in 2004, men's soccer runners-up in 2005 and the second place ski team in 2006.

Sophomore Tor Fodnesbergene also repeated as an All-American, placing eighth in the men's giant slalom. Freshman Polina Ermoshina won her first All-American honor, finishing sixth in the women's 15K freestyle.

The end of the 2007 season meant the end of an era for the Lobo ski team. Head coach George Brooks announced his retirement after 37 years guiding the Lobo skiing program. Brooks is the only head coach in the history of Lobo skiing. He coached over 80 All-Americans, numerous academic All-Americans and brought home the only NCAA title in UNM history in 2004. Brooks finished in the top-6 at the NCAA Championships in each of the last nine seasons. He also coached 10 skiers to NCAA individual titles in his time at UNM.

Alpine Notes

TEAM NOTES

• Overall, the Alpine team placed fourth in the RMISA. The Lobos ranked NO. 1 in the conference in the men's slalom and was second in the men's giant slalom. The Lobos finished second in the men's giant slalom and third in the men's slalom at the NCAA Championships. UNM only qualified two women for the NCAA finals.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- **Lars Loeseth (Sr.)** - All-American in the slalom (6th) and giant slalom (5th)...2007 RMISA men's Alpine Skier of the Year...ranked No. 1 in the GS in the RMISA...four-time All-American...Six career Alpine wins is tied for the most all-time at UNM...part of the 2006 and 2004 NCAA slalom team championships...2007 All-RMISA.
- **Alex Mach (Sr.)** - NCAA qualifier, placing 16th in the slalom and 14th in the giant slalom at the NCAAs...three top-5 finishes in 2007...ranked 8th in the slalom and 12th in the giant slalom in the RMISA.
- **Tor Fodnesbergene (So.)** - All-American in the giant slalom, placing eighth at the NCAAs...Finished 11th in the NCAA men's slalom...Won the New Mexico slalom...Four top-5s in 2007...Five career Alpine wins is third all-time at UNM...Ranked No. 4 in the RMISA slalom and fifth in the GS...2007 All-RMISA.
- **Jon Masdal (Fr.)** - Ranked 7th giant slalom in the RMISA...qualified for the NCAAs but did not compete...2007 All-RMISA.
- **Karin Ohlin (So.)** - NCAA qualifier, placing 22nd in the women's giant slalom and 31st in the women's slalom...5th in the MSU slalom for her best showing in 2007...recorded two top-10s, both in the slalom in 2007.
- **Malin Hemmingson (Fr.)** - Won the 2007 NCAA Women's Slalom Individual title...finished 33rd in the women's giant slalom at the NCAAs...Won the New Mexico slalom...Ranked 4th in the slalom and 8th in the giant slalom in the RMISA...2007 All-RMISA.

Nordic Notes

TEAM NOTES

• The Nordic squad finished in sixth place overall in the RMISA with 928 points, 178 points behind fifth place Montana State. The women finished fifth and the men eighth. The women were fourth in the freestyle and classic events after winning the 5K classic at New Mexico during the regular season. The men were eighth in both the classic and freestyle events. The men only had one skier qualify for the NCAA, freshmen Erlend Saetre.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- **Casey Dyck (So.)** - Missed qualifying for the NCAAs by one spot...ranked 21st in the RMISA freestyle.
- **Erlend Saetre (Fr.)** - NCAA qualifier, placing 33rd in the men's 10K freestyle and 13th in the 20K classic...ranked 19th in the classic.
- **Laura Van Alst (Jr.)** - NCAA qualifier, placing 31st in the women's 5K freestyle and 39th in the 15K classic...5th in the freestyle at Denver for her top mark in 2007...ranked 11th in the RMISA freestyle and 25th in the classic.
- **Crystin Jaques (So.)** - Qualified for the NCAAs but did not compete...7th in the freestyle at Denver tied her career best finish...posted four top-10s in 2007...ranked 15th in the classic and 16th in the freestyle in the RMISA.
- **Melanie Zemp (So.)** - NCAA qualifier, placing 21st in the women's 5K freestyle and 25th in the 15K classic...8th in the New Mexico and NCAA West Regionals classic were her best finishes...ranked 10th in the classic
- **Polina Ermoshina (Fr.)** - All-American in the women's 15K freestyle, placing sixth at the NCAAs...Finished 14th in the 5K freestyle...Ranked 2nd in the classic and 12th in the freestyle in the RMISA...Eight top-10s on the year...2nd in the classic at Denver and New Mexico were her best finishes...2007 All-RMISA.



Recapping Last Event



Lobo women's Alpine skier Malin Hemmingson gave University of New Mexico head ski coach George Brooks a golden retirement present on the final day of the 2007 NCAA Skiing Championships. The freshman from Hallen, Sweden, won the women's slalom individual national title, the 10th individual gold medal at the NCAA Championships in school history. The Lobos finished tied for sixth with Middlebury College with 390 points in the overall team standings, ending an eight-year run in the top-5.

Dartmouth won the overall team title with 698 points. The Big Green is the first eastern team to win the NCAA Championship since Vermont won in 1994, holding off Denver (648), defending champ Colorado (592), Utah (536) and Vermont (400.5). Hemmingson posted a two-run time of 1:45.77, edging the 2006 NCAA Champion Lucie Zikova of Colorado who finished in 1:46.00. It was the second slalom win of the year for Hemmingson and the first individual NCAA title at UNM since Jennifer Delich won the giant slalom in 2004. Hemmingson is also the second Lobo woman to win gold in the slalom at the NCAAs, joining Marte Dolva who accomplished the same feat in 2002. Sophomore Karin Ohlin also skied for the Lobo women today. She stumbled in her second run, posting a two-run time of 2:20.39 and finishing 31st overall.

On the men's side, senior Lars Loeseth posted his second top-10 at the NCAAs with a sixth-place finish in the men's slalom. In his four-year career, Loeseth placed in the top-10 in seven of eight races at the NCAA Championships. He is just the fourth Lobo to win All-American honors in each of his four years at UNM. Loeseth's two-run time of 1:44.47 was just off the pace set by Denver's Adam Cole (1:43.36). Freshman Tor Fodnesbergene just missed a top-10 finish, placing 11th with a time of 1:45.58. Senior Alex Mach also finished in the top-20, placing 14th (1:46.06).

"We did just about as good as we could hope for considering we only qualified nine skiers for this year's NCAAs," stated UNM head coach George Brooks. Brooks announced before the start of the season that he would be ending his 37-year run as head coach of the Lobos following this year's championships. The only coach in the history of the Lobo ski program saw Hemmingson bring



Recapping Last Event



home the 10th individual title in school history on his last competitive day on the job. "I would trade none of the last 37 years for anything," ended Brooks.

The Lobos started the 2007 NCAA Championships in 12th place overall after the men's and women's Nordic freestyle races. Freshman Polina Ermoshina had the best result of the day for the Lobos, placing 14th in the women's 5K. Northern Michigan's Lindsay Williams won with a time of 13:50.4. Ermoshina crossed the line in 14:57.8, helping the UNM women to a sixth place team finish in the event. Sophomore Melanie Zemp placed 21st in a time of 15:09.2. Junior Laura Van Alst also raced for the Lobos today, crossing the line in 15:39.9 in 31st place. Freshman Erlend Saetre was the only Lobo to race in the men's 10K today. He placed 33rd overall in a time of 28:04.9, scoring seven points overall for New Mexico.

Loeseth placed fifth in the men's giant slalom, giving him All-American honors in all four years of his Lobo career. He is just the fourth skier in school history to accomplish that feat. Fodnesbergene placed eighth overall, earning his second All-American honor at UNM. Mach placed 16th overall and leading the Lobo men to a second place finish in the giant slalom team race. The Lobo women were led by Ohlin's 22nd place finish. Hemmingson stumbled during her second run, crossing the line in 33rd place.

Ermoshina, one of two Russians on the Lobos' squad, placed sixth in the women's 15K classic, crossing the line in 49:27.2. Northern Michigan's Lindsay Weier won the event in 47:21.0, one second ahead of teammate Lindsay Williams. Zemp (52:50.4) and Van Alst (58:04.6) also skied for UNM, placing 26th and 39th, respectively. Saetre had his best race since the first event of the season in the men's 20K classic, posting a 13th place finish with a time of 56:26.9. He was just over 17 seconds out of the top-10 and an All-American finish. Utah's Snorri Einarsson won the event with a time of 55:06.0.

2007 NCAA Championships Top-10

Rank	Team	Points
1	Dartmouth	698
2	Denver	648
3	Colorado	592
4	Utah	536
5	Vermont	400.5
6	New Mexico	390
	Middlebury	390
8	Northern Michigan	380
9	Montana State	310
10	Nevada	288.5

Lobos' All-Time NCAA Championship Team Finishes

Year	Finish	Year	Finish
1979	11th	1994	3rd
1980	11th	1995	7th
1982	9th	1996	9th
1983	6th	1997	8th
1984	3rd	1998	6th
1985	6th	1999	5th
1986	6th	2000	5th
1987	5th	2001	5th
1988	6th	2002	4th
1989	5th	2003	4th
1990	6th	2004	1st
1991	6th	2005	4th
1992	2nd	2006	2nd
1993	3rd	2007	T6th



RMISA Team Standings

Final 2007



RMISA Overall Team Standings

1. Denver	2,641
2. Colorado	2,560
3. Utah	2,397
4. New Mexico	2,012
5. Montana State	1,961
6. Nevada	1,744
7. Alaska-Anchorage	1,555
8. Western State	1,271
9. Whitman	793.5
10. Wyoming	99

RMISA Overall Nordic Team Standings

1. Denver	1,374
2. Colorado	1,332
3. Utah	1,250
4. Alaska-Anchorage	1,164
5. Montana State	1,106
6. New Mexico	928
7. Nevada	923
8. Western State	638
9. Whitman	421
10. Wyoming	99

RMISA Overall Alpine Team Standings

1. Denver	1,267
2. Colorado	1,238
3. Utah	1,127
4. New Mexico	1,084
5. Montana State	856
6. Nevada	821
7. Alaska-Anchorage	792
8. Western State	633
9. Whitman	373

RMISA Overall Men's Alpine Team Standings

1. Denver	649
2. New Mexico	645
3. Colorado	583
4. Utah	577
5. Montana State	417
6. Nevada	412
7. Western State	318
8. Alaska-Anchorage	314
9. Whitman	147

RMISA Overall Women's Alpine Team Standings

1. Colorado	645
2. Denver	618
3. Utah	550
4. Alaska-Anchorage	478
5. New Mexico	439
Montana State	439
7. Nevada	409
8. Western State	315
9. Whitman	226

RMISA Overall Women's Slalom Team Standings

1. Colorado	368
2. Denver	345
3. Utah	311
4. Alaska-Anchorage	296
5. Nevada	248
6. New Mexico	236
7. Montana State	190
8. Western State	159
9. Whitman	130

RMISA Overall Women's Giant Slalom Team Standings

1. Colorado	277
2. Denver	273
3. Montana State	249
4. Utah	239
5. New Mexico	203
6. Alaska-Anchorage	182
7. Nevada	161
8. Western State	156
9. Whitman	96

RMISA Overall Men's Slalom Team Standings

1. New Mexico	340
2. Colorado	337
3. Denver	330
4. Utah	307
5. Western State	277
6. Montana State	253
7. Nevada	236
8. Whitman	224
9. Alaska-Anchorage	168

RMISA Overall Men's Giant Slalom Team Standings

1. Denver	319
2. New Mexico	305
3. Utah	250
4. Colorado	246
5. Nevada	176
6. Montana State	164
7. Alaska-Anchorage	146
8. Western State	141
9. Whitman	58.5

RMISA Overall Women's Nordic Team Standings

1. Montana State	709
2. Colorado	652
3. Denver	599
4. New Mexico	587
5. Utah	584
6. Alaska-Anchorage	494
7. Nevada	413
8. Whitman	274
9. Western State	267
10. Wyoming	41

RMISA Overall Men's Nordic Team Standings

1. Denver	775
2. Colorado	680
3. Alaska-Anchorage	670
4. Utah	666
5. Nevada	510
6. Montana State	397
7. Western State	371
8. New Mexico	341
9. Whitman	147
10. Wyoming	58

RMISA Overall Women's Classical Team Standings

1. Colorado	334
2. Utah	323
3. Montana State	318
4. New Mexico	314
5. Denver	290
6. Alaska-Anchorage	267
7. Nevada	185
8. Western State	132
9. Whitman	125
10. Wyoming	22

RMISA Overall Women's Freestyle Team Standings

1. Montana State	391
2. Denver	318
3. Colorado	309
4. New Mexico	273
5. Alaska-Anchorage	261
6. Utah	228
7. Nevada	227
8. Western State	149
9. Whitman	135
10. Wyoming	19

RMISA Overall Men's Classical Team Standings

1. Denver	403
2. Colorado	347
3. Utah	340
4. Alaska-Anchorage	325
5. Nevada	238
6. Montana State	210
7. Western State	178
8. New Mexico	173
9. Whitman	71
10. Wyoming	27

RMISA Overall Men's Freestyle Team Standings

1. Denver	372
2. Alaska-Anchorage	345
3. Colorado	333
4. Utah	326
5. Nevada	272
6. Western State	193
7. Montana State	187
8. New Mexico	168
9. Whitman	76
10. Wyoming	31

Individual Alpine Collegiate Results

Name	Meet	Slalom	Giant Slalom	Name	Meet	Slalom	Giant Slalom
Amy Beresford	MSU	18th	11th	Alex Mach	MSU	5th	8th
	Utah	21st	23rd		Utah	3rd	DNF
	DU	34th	22nd		DU	6th	5th
	UNM	9th	11th		UNM	DNF	14th
	NCAA Reg.	DNF	xxx		NCAA Reg.	9th	xxx
	NCAA Champ.	---	---		NCAA Champ.	14th	16th
RMISA Rank		22nd	15th	RMISA Rank		8th	12th
Lene Kaasa	MSU	28th	26th	Peter Roering	MSU	DNF	DNS
	Utah	DNF	DNF		Utah	DNF	DNF
	DU	31st	18th		DU	DNS	DNS
	UNM	DNF	22nd		UNM	DNS	DNS
	NCAA Reg.	DNS	xxx		NCAA Reg.	DNS	DNS
	NCAA Champ.	---	---		NCAA Champ.	---	---
RMISA Rank		42nd	30th	RMISA Rank		48th	48th
Karin Ohlin	MSU	5th	27th	Tor Fodnesbergene	MSU	4th	DNF
	Utah	20th	16th		Utah	25th	5th
	DU	39th	20th		DU	DNF	3rd
	UNM	8th	31st		UNM	1st*	13th
	NCAA Reg.	24th	xxx		NCAA Reg.	26th	xxx
	NCAA Champ.	31st	22nd		NCAA Champ.	11th	8th
RMISA Rank		13th	25th	RMISA Rank		5th	5th
Jessica Dakers	MSU	34th	22nd	Gary Beresford	MSU	DNF	38th
	Utah	DNF	20th		Utah	DNF	DNF
	DU	24th	17th		DU	22nd	36th
	UNM	DNF	24th		UNM	25th	34th
	NCAA Reg.	DNS	xxx		NCAA Reg.	DNS	xxx
	NCAA Champ.	---	---		NCAA Champ.	---	---
RMISA Rank		40th	26th	RMISA Rank		36th	47th
Malin Hemmingson	MSU	17th	7th	Olivier Lacaille	MSU	37th	DNS
	Utah	14th	DNF		Utah	18th	DNF
	DU	6th	4th		DU	16th	DNF
	UNM	1st	10th		UNM	25th	DNF
	NCAA Reg.	DNF	xxx		NCAA Reg.	DNS	xxx
	NCAA Champ.	1st	33rd		NCAA Champ.	---	---
RMISA Rank		4th	8th	RMISA Rank		28th	42nd
Lars Loeseth	MSU	DNF	2nd	Jon Masdal	MSU	DNF	5th
	Utah	4th	2nd		Utah	14th	19th
	DU	4th	1st*		DU	7th	23rd
	UNM	6th	1st*		UNM	8th	6th
	NCAA Reg.	8th	xxx		NCAA Reg.	DNF	xxx
	NCAA Champ.	6th	5th		NCAA Champ.	---	---
RMISA Rank		8th	1st	RMISA Rank		13th	7th

* Denotes a career-high finish for skiers with at least one previous season of collegiate competition.



RMISA Individual Alpine Rank



Men's Slalom

Based on top-2 RMISA Finishes

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	John Buchar	DU	125
2.	Stefan Hughes	CU	124
	Adam Cole	DU	124
4.	Drew Roberts	CU	123
5.	Tor Fodnesbergene	UNM	122
6.	Francisco Ghedina	DU	121
7.	Tague Thorson	Utah	121
8.	Alex Mach	UNM	118
	Lars Loeseth	UNM	118
	Scott Hume	NEV	118
11.	Kyle Kung	Utah	117
12.	Joshua Bryan	CU	112
13.	Jon Masdal	UNM	109
14.	Luke Patterson	NEV	107
15.	Toby Lamar	MSU	106
16.	Sean Higgins	DU	105
17.	Gaspar Perricone	Utah	104
18.	Arman Serebrakian	CU	103

Women's Slalom

Based on top-2 RMISA Finishes

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	Lucie Zikova	CU	126
2.	Stefanie Klocker	UAA	125
3.	Claire Abbe	DU	122
4.	Malin Hemingsson	UNM	120
5.	Katie Lyons	NEV	119
6.	Lisa Perricone	CU	118
	Heidi Hillenbrand	CU	118
8.	Mikaela Grassl	Utah	116
9.	Molly Ryan	DU	114
	Chirine Njeim	Utah	114
	Kimberly Stephens	Utah	114
12.	Sarah Schaedler	WSC	113
13.	Karin Ohlin	UNM	112
14.	Amanda Goyne	NEV	111
15.	Karine Pederson	DU	108
16.	Taryn O'Flynn	NEV	107
17.	Smaranda Munteanu	UAA	106
18.	Rachel Roosevelt	CU	105

Men's Giant Slalom

Based on top-2 RMISA Finishes

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	Lars Loeseth	UNM	126
2.	Adam Cole	DU	125
3.	Tague Thorson	Utah	123
4.	Francesco Ghedina	DU	121
5.	Tor Fodnesbergene	UNM	118
6.	John Buchar	DU	116
7.	Jon Masdal	UNM	115
8.	Cameron Barnes	NEV	114
	Ian Dunlop	DU	114
10.	Stefan Hughes	CU	113
	Scott Venis	Utah	113
12.	Alex Mach	UNM	112
13.	Scott Hume	NEV	107
14.	Miles Cooke	CU	106
15.	Tony Cesolini	CU	105
16.	Don Brockett	MSU	98
17.	Jonathan Hverven	UAA	95
18.	Marco Schafferer	WSC	94

Women's Giant Slalom

Based on top-2 RMISA Finishes

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	Sarah Schaedler	WSC	126
2.	Lucie Zikova	CU	125
3.	Katie Lyons	NEV	119
	Jennifer Tank	DU	119
5.	Chirine Njeim	Utah	118
6.	Spela Bertoneclj	MSU	116
7.	Karine Pederson	DU	115
8.	Malin Hemmingson	UNM	114
	Mikaela Grassl	Utah	114
	Carmel McElroy	MSU	114
11.	Lisa Perricone	CU	111
12.	Heidi Hillenbrand	CU	109
13.	Rachel Roosevelt	CU	107
14.	Amy Lattimer	MSU	105
15.	Amy Beresford	UNM	100
16.	Lindsay McClure	DU	99
17.	Allison Empey	UAA	98
18.	Molly Ryan	DU	97



Individual Nordic Collegiate Results



Name	Meet	Classic	Freestyle	Name	Meet	Classic	Freestyle
Tiffany Callahan	MSU	31st	40th	Casey Dyck	MSU	34th	21st
	Utah	DNS	DNF		Utah	29th	17th
	DU	29th	25th		DU	26th	23rd
	UNM	DNS	22nd		UNM	24th	13th
	NCAA Reg.	DNS	DNS		NCAA Reg.	32nd	12th
	NCAA Champ.	---	---		NCAA Champ.	---	---
RMISA Rank		34th	31st	RMISA Rank		35th	21st
Laura Van Alst	MSU	DNF	27th	Rick Grahn	MSU	45th	49th
	Utah	27th	12th		Utah	DNS	42nd
	DU	13th	5th		DU	DNS	47th
	UNM	19th	17th		UNM	DNS	DNF
	NCAA Reg.	25th	11th		NCAA Reg.	DNS	DNS
	NCAA Champ.	39th	31st		NCAA Champ.	---	---
RMISA Rank		24th	11th	RMISA Rank		55th	52nd
Crystin Jaques	MSU	24th	25th	Erlend Saetre	MSU	12th	34th
	Utah	10th	13th		Utah	31st	30th
	DU	15th	7th*		DU	32nd	40th
	UNM	9th	11th		UNM	17th	38th
	NCAA Reg.	9th	14th		NCAA Reg.	14th	DNS
	NCAA Champ.	---	---		NCAA Champ.	13th	33rd
RMISA Rank		15th	16th	RMISA Rank		19th	40th
Melanie Zemp	MSU	14th	20th	Vsevolod Soloviev	MSU	23rd	26th
	Utah	12th	18th		Utah	20th	22nd
	DU	9th	17th		DU	22nd	26th
	UNM	8th	13th		UNM	27th	33rd
	NCAA Reg.	8th	19th		NCAA Reg.	DNS	DNS
	NCAA Champ.	26th	21st		NCAA Champ.	---	---
RMISA Rank		10th	22nd	RMISA Rank		30th	31st
Polina Ermoshina	MSU	5th	7th				
	Utah	33rd	DNF				
	DU	2nd	8th				
	UNM	2nd	19th				
	NCAA Reg.	6th	14th				
	NCAA Champ.	10th	22nd				
RMISA Rank		2nd	12th				
Jedd Young	MSU	24th	28th				
	Utah	38th	27th				
	DU	27th	27th				
	UNM	29th	16th				
	NCAA Reg.	34th	29th				
	NCAA Champ.	---	---				
RMISA Rank		36th	28th				

* Denotes a career-high finish for skiers with at least one previous season of collegiate competition.



RMISA Individual Nordic Rank



Men's Classic

Based on top-2 RMISA Finishes

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	Rene Reissbauer	DU	126
2.	Snorri Einarsson	Utah	125
3.	John Stene	DU	121
4.	Matthew Gelso	CU	120
5.	Raphel Wunderle	UAA	118
6.	Havard Selseng	DU	115
	Andy Liebner	UAA	115
	Kit Richmond	CU	115
9.	Even Sletten	Utah	113
10.	Lutz Preussler	NEV	109
	Harald Loevenskiold	DU	109
12.	Fabian Figi	Utah	108
13.	Karl Nygren	CU	107
14.	Mike Hinckley	DU	104
15.	Ben Fick	Utah	103
16.	Christian Coe	MSU	101
	Paul Schauer	UAA	101
16.	Andrew Richmond	CU	98

Women's Classic

Based on top-2 RMISA Finishes

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	Maria Grevsgaard	CU	126
2.	Polina Ermoshina	UNM	124
3.	Kristin Ronnestrand	CU	122
	Kassandra Rice	UAA	122
5.	Sara Schweiger	Utah	121
6.	Jamie Woelk	MSU	120
7.	Annelise Bailly	DU	117
8.	Sarah McCarthy	Utah	115
9.	Annelies Cook	Utah	113
10.	Melanie Zemp	UNM	108
	Brittany Greer	UAA	108
12.	Claire Rennie	MSU	107
	Kara Lapoint	DU	107
	Courtney Dauwalter	DU	107
15.	Crystin Jaques	UNM	106
16.	Mandy Bowden	MSU	102
	Devon Spika	Whit	102
18.	Mia Gaw	CU	99

Men's Freestyle

Based on top-2 RMISA Finishes

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	Rene Reissbauer	DU	125
	Kit Richmond	CU	125
	Matthew Gelso	CU	125
4.	John Stene	DU	123
5.	Snorri Einarsson	Utah	122
6.	Raphel Wunderle	UAA	120
	Andy Liebner	UAA	120
8.	Fabian Figi	Utah	113
9.	Even Sletten	Utah	111
10.	Patrick Neel	WSC	109
	Mike Hinckley	DU	109
12.	Matt De Carufel	NEV	107
	Paul Schauer	UAA	107
14.	Taylor Sheldon	DU	106
15.	Lutz Preussler	NEV	105
	Havard Selseng	DU	105
	Darrin Markvardsen	UAA	105
16.	Ben Fick	Utah	104

Women's Freestyle

Based on top-2 RMISA Finishes

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Points</u>
1.	Maria Grevsgaard	CU	126
	Annelise Bailly	DU	126
3.	Jamie Woelk	MSU	125
4.	Mandy Bowden	MSU	122
5.	Claire Rennie	MSU	120
6.	Kassandra Rice	UAA	117
7.	Devon Spika	Whit	115
8.	Sara Schweiger	Utah	114
9.	Chelsea Holmes	NEV	112
10	Lenka Palanova	CU	111
11.	Laura Van Alst	UNM	110
12.	Polina Ermoshina	UNM	109
	Sarah MacCarthy	Utah	109
14.	Paige Brady	NEV	108
	Kristin Ronnestrand	CU	108
16.	Crystin Jaques	UNM	105
17.	Krista Rader	UAA	101
18.	Courtney Dauwalter	DU	100

Alpine Roster

<u>Name</u>	<u>Yr./Exp.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>
Women		
Amy Beresford	Jr/1L	Dillon, Colo.
Lene Kaasa	Jr/2L	Steinberg, Norway
Karin Ohlin	So/1L	Malung, Sweden
Jessica Dakers	Fr/HS	Calgary, Alberta
Malin Hemmingson	Fr/HS	Hallen, Sweden
Men		
Lars Loeseth	Sr/3L	Oslo, Norway
Alex Mach	Sr/3L	Ottawa, Ontario
Peter Roering	Sr/3L	Oslo, Norway
Tor Fodnesbergene	So/1L	Fagernas, Norway
Gary Beresford	Fr/HS	Dillon, Colo.
Olivier Lacaille	Fr/HS	Pierrefonds, Quebec
Jon Masdal	Fr/HS	Fagernes, Norway

Nordic Roster

<u>Name</u>	<u>Yr./Exp.</u>	<u>Hometown</u>
Women		
Tiffany Callahan	Jr/2L	Aspen, Colo.
Laura Van Alst	Jr/1L	New Paltz, N.Y.
Crystin Jacques	So/1L	Canmore, Alberta
Melanie Zemp	So/1L	Entlebuch, Switzerland
Polina Ermoshina	Fr/HS	Moscow, Russia
Men		
Jedd Young	Sr/3L	Ketchum, Idaho
Casey Dyck	So/1L	Alberta, Canada
Rick Grahn	So/1L	Salt Lake City, Utah
Erlend Saetre	So/Tr	Tromso, Norway
Vsevolod Soloviev	Fr/HS	Petrosavodsk, Russia



The Rocky Mountain Intercollegiate Ski Association consists of six NCAA Division I and three Division II schools. Its members include the University of Alaska-Anchorage, University of Colorado, University of Denver, Montana State University, University of New Mexico, University of Nevada-Reno, University of Utah, Western State College and Whitman College. Teams compete in men's and women's alpine events as well as men's and women's Nordic events.

The RMISA is nationally known as the toughest confer-

ence for competitive skiing in all of collegiate skiing. Last season the members of the RMISA placed from first to 14th in the NCAA Championships, including the University of New Mexico's 1st overall national title.

This season the RMISA will sponsor four events that include both alpine and Nordic competition. These events will be held at Alaska-Anchorage, Montana State, Colorado and Western State. The western regional will be held at the University of Nevada and the NCAA Championships at the University of Colorado.

2006 Award Winners

NCAA Event Champions		
Men's Slalom		
Tor Fodnesbergene (3rd), Alex Mach (7th), Lars Loeseth (13th)		
NCAA All-Americans		
Lars Loeseth	Junior	GS
Alex Mach	Junior	SL
Tor Fodnesbergene	Freshman	SL
Karin Ohlin	Freshman	SL
Academic All-NCAA**		
Amy Beresford	Sophomore	
Lars Loeseth	Junior	
Kathrin Spendier	Senior	
Gladys Weidt	Senior	
RMISA All-Conference		
Tor Fodnesbergene	Freshman	
Lars Loeseth	Junior	
Alex Mach	Junior	
Karin Ohlin	Freshman	
Peter Roering	Junior	
Team MVP's		
Women	Karin Ohlin	Freshman
Men	Tor Fodnesbergene, Lars Loeseth, Alex Mach	

**Must carry a 3.5 G.P.A. and compete at the NCAA Regionals to qualify.



2006 Award Winners



NCAA All-Americans		
Geir Endre-Rogn	Senior	Classic
Dirk Grimm	Junior	Classic
Marit Rognmo	Sophomore	Freestyle
Laura Van Alst	Sophomore	Freestyle
Academic All-NCAA**		
Casey Dyck	Freshman	
Rick Grahn	Freshman	
Crystin Jaques	Freshman	
Geir-Endre Rogn	Senior	
Laura Van Alst	Sophomore	
RMISA All-Conference		
Dirk Grimm	Junior	
Geir-Endre Rogn	Senior	
Laura Van Alst	Sophomore	
Team MVP's		
Women	Laura Van Alst	Sophomore
Men	Dirk Grimm	Junior

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George Brooks
Head Ski Coach
37th Season
New Mexico '70

George Brooks begins his 37th and final year at the helm of the New Mexico skiing program, a program which has flourished under his direction. Brooks has been the only head coach in the 36-year history of the New Mexico program.

Initially a club sport prior to 1970, the UNM skiing program has been molded into a consistently competitive and nationally-ranked program. In the 36 years that Brooks has coached at New Mexico, his teams have placed in the top-10 at the NCAA Championships 23 times, including UNM's first ever NCAA Championships in 2004.

Brooks earned his bachelors degree in Political Science/History in 1970 and went on to earn his masters in Sports Physiology at UNM. Brooks is married to Debbie Dixon of Albuquerque. The couple has three children: Andrew (25), Casey (22) and Cristi (20).

- Brooks has coached more than 80 athletes to All-American status on over 130 different occasions.
- He has also coached over 125 skiers to Academic All-American honors and All-Conference awards.
- Eight Alpine team championships (women's Slalom in 1979, 1996 and 2002, women's Giant Slalom in 1977 and men's slalom in 1996, 1997, 2004 and 2006, and men's GS in 1998),
- Eight Nordic team champions, six Nordic individual, two Alpine Slalom and one Alpine giant slalom champion at the NCAA Championships.
- Nine-time U.S. Ski Team coach at the World University Games ('83, '87-'91, '93, '95 and '97).
- NCAA Skiing rules committee chairperson.
- Member of the New Mexico Skiing Hall of Fame.



Fredrik Landstedt
Nordic Team Coach
10th Season
New Mexico '91

Fredrik Landstedt is in his 10th season as the Nordic coach with the Lobos. Last season, Landstedt helped the Lobos place second overall at the NCAA Championships, guiding the Nordic team to a fourth place finish in cross country events. During his tenure at UNM he has coached 17 Lobos to 29 All-American awards, two individual national championships and four team national titles. Prior to coming to UNM, Landstedt coached at the University of Colorado for three years where he won an NCAA national championship. Before moving to Colorado he coached the West Valley High School ski team in Fairbanks, Alaska, to two state team titles. Landstedt also served as an assistant coach in New Mexico prior to his move to Alaska.

Originally from Solleftea, Sweden, Landstedt graduated from the University of New Mexico with a bachelor's degree in Economics in 1991 and an associate degree in Accounting/Bookkeeping in 1989. Landstedt represented the U.S. Ski Team as a coach during the 2006 World Junior Championships and the U-23 World Championships. Landstedt serves as the NCAA Skiing Secretary and rules editor. Landstedt and his wife, Brenda, have three sons, Gabriel (11), Adrian (9) and Andreas (5). Placed top-10 in the U.S National Championships eight times between 1991-93.

- Earned All-American status after finishing fourth in the NCAA Championships in 1987.

Olof Hedberg
 Assistant Nordic Coach

Dirk Grimm
 Assistant Nordic Coach

Martin Kroisleitner
 Assistant Alpine Coach



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Alpine Schedule/Team Results

Nordic Schedule/Team Results

Date	Location	Men	Women	Date	Location	Men	Women
1/6	Bozeman, Mont.	MSU GS 2nd	MSU GS 5th	1/13	Heber, Utah	Utah Sprint CL 8th	Utah Sprint CL 5th
1/7	Bozeman, Mont.	MSU SL T3rd	MSU SL 4th	1/14	Heber, Utah	Utah 20K Pursuit 7th	Utah 10K Pursuit 5th
1/13	Park City, Utah	Utah GS T3rd	Utah GS 7th	1/19	Bozeman, Mont.	MSU 10K FR 6th	MSU 5K Fr 6th
1/14	Park City, Utah	Utah SL 6th	Utah SL 3rd	1/20	Bozeman, Mont.	MSU 20K CL 6th	MSU 15K CL 6th
2/2	Winter Park, Colo.	DU GS 1st	DU GS 4th	2/2	Steamboat Springs, Colo.	DU 10K FR 8th	DU 5K FR 2nd
2/3	Winter Park, Colo.	DU SL 1st	DU SL 6th	2/3	Steamboat Springs, Colo.	DU 15K CL 7th	DU 10K CL 2nd
2/9	Taos, N.M.	UNM GS 2nd	UNM GS 5th	2/9	Red River, N.M.	UNM 10K CL 8th	UNM 5K CL 1st
2/10	Taos, N.M.	UNM SL 2nd	UNM SL 1st	2/10	Red River, N.M.	UNM 10K FR 7th	UNM 5 K FR 4th
2/23	Reno, Nev.	NCAA West GS Cancelled	NCAA West GS Cancelled	2/23	Reno, Nev.	NCAA West 10K FR T8th	NCAA West 5K FR 5th
2/24	Reno, Nev.	NCAA West SL 5th	NCAA West SL 9th	2/24	Reno, Nev.	NCAA West 20K CL 6th	NCAA West 15K CL 2nd
3/8	Jackson, N.H.	NCAA GS 2nd	NCAA GS 13th	3/9	Jackson, N.H.	NCAA 10K FR 16th	NCAA 5K FR 4th
3/10	Jackson, N.H.	NCAA SL 3rd	NCAA SL 9th	3/11	Jackson, N.H.	NCAA 20K CL 12th	NCAA 15K CL 10th

Overall Collegiate Race Finishes

Event	Alpine Overall	Nordic Overall	Overall Team
Montana State RMISA Meet - 1/6-7, 19-20	3rd	7th	4th
Utah RMISA Meet - 1/13-14	4th	7th	6th
Denver RMISA Meet - 2/2-3	3rd	6th	4th
New Mexico RMISA Meet - 2/9-10	2nd	T6th	3rd
NCAA West Regionals - 2/23-24	9th	5th	6th
NCAA Championships - 3/8-11	5th	9th	T6th

KEY

CL - Classic Style
 DEN - University of Denver
 FIS-U - Federation of International Skiers-University
 FR - Freestyle
 GS - Giant Slalom

MSU - Montana State University
 SL - Slalom
 UNM - University of New Mexico



Past Lobo Individual NCAA Champions



Year	Skier	Team	Event	Year	Skier	Team	Event
2007	Malin Hemmingson	Alpine	Women's Slalom		(Stefan Lanziner, Jimmy Renstrom, Klaus Seiringer)		
2006	Team Champion (Lars Loeseth, Alex Mach, Tor Fodnesbergene)	Alpine	Men's Slalom	1997	Team Champion (Jimmy Renstrom, Eric Nagel, Stefan Lanziner)	Alpine	Men's Slalom
2005	Team Champion (Martina Stursova, Trine Lundamo, Pirkko Pulkkanen)	Nordic	Women's 5K Freestyle	1996	Mattais Erlandsson	Alpine	Men's Slalom
2004	Overall Champions	Overall	NCAA Championships	1996	Team Champion (Mattais Erlandsson, Jimmy Renstrom, Klaus Seiringer)	Alpine	Men's Slalom
2004	Jennifer Delich	Alpine	Women's Giant Slalom	1996	Team Champion (Kajsa Haakansson, Asa Lovell, Caroline von Scheven)	Alpine	Women's Slalom
2004	Team Champion (Christian Jensen, Lars Loeseth, Peter Roering)	Alpine	Men's Slalom	1994	Niklas Skoglund	Nordic	Men's 20K Freestyle
2004	Team Champion (Martina Stursova, Trine Lundamo, Lena Jensen)	Nordic	Women's 5K Freestyle	1993	Ivana Radlova	Nordic	Women's 15K Freestyle
2003	Jimy Vika	Nordic	Men's 10K Freestyle	1993	Team Champion	Nordic	Men's 20K Freestyle
2003	Team Champion (Jenny Wissting, Kristina Strandberg, Martina Stursova)	Nordic	Women's 5K Freestyle	1992	Team Champion (Jonas Rytting, Oeyvind Larsen, Are Brekkan, Dag Roland)	Alpine	Men's Giant Slalom
2002	Marte Dolva	Alpine	Women's Slalom	1984	Heidi Sorenson	Nordic	Women's 7.5K
2002	Team Champion (Marte Dolva, Jennifer Delich, Caroline Schicht)	Alpine	Women's Slalom	1984	Team Champion (Heidi Sorenson, Wenche Hokholt, Kjersti Stenberg)	Nordic	Women's 7.5K Relay
2000	Kristina Strandberg	Nordic	Women's 15K Classic	1983	Team Champion (Heidi Sorenson, Wenche Hokholt, Kjersti Stenberg)	Nordic	Women's 7.5K Relay
2000	Team Champion (Kristina Strandberg, Jenny Wissting, Anne Heggland)	Nordic	Women's 15K Classic	1981	Marianne Rud	Nordic	Women's 7.5K
1998	Team Champion	Alpine	Men's Giant Slalom	1979	Team Champion (Cindy Stone, Stephany Lamay, Cathy Robran, Carol Thomas)	Alpine	Women's Slalom