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## **Army's Rosenshein Named 2008 Patriot League Men's Lacrosse Scholar-Athlete of the Year**

*Rosenshein is the third Black Knight to earn this honor and the first since 2003.*

**Center Valley, Pa.** – Army's Scott Rosenshein was named the 2008 Patriot League Men's Lacrosse Scholar-Athlete of the Year, it was announced on Tuesday by Patriot League Executive Director Carolyn Schlie Femovich. The scholar-athlete of the year award is voted on by the Patriot League's men's lacrosse sports information directors.

Rosenshein is a chemical engineering major with a 3.98 cumulative grade-point average, which is tops for the 2008 Black Knights men's lacrosse squad. The Montclair, N.J., native is a five-time Dean's List selection at West Point and was named to the 2007 Patriot League Men's Lacrosse Academic Honor Roll. He is the first men's lacrosse student-athlete to be enrolled in the prestigious Scholarship Program at Army.

On the field, Rosenshein has appeared in all 14 games so far for the nationally-ranked Black Knights, including a semifinal contest in the 2008 Patriot League Men's Lacrosse Championship. Army earned the No. 1 seed in the tourney after compiling a 5-1 record in Patriot League play. The junior Black Knight is one of the team's starting face-off wings and is a valuable member of the defense. Army is ranked fourth in the nation in scoring defense (6.71) and 25th in face-off win percentage (.507).

Rosenshein is one of three Black Knights to ever be named the Patriot League Men's Lacrosse Scholar-Athlete of the Year. Dominic Nogie earned the honor in 2001 and Mike Kamon shared the title in 2003.

To be eligible for the Patriot League Scholar-Athlete of the Year award, a student-athlete must have at least a 3.20 cumulative grade point average and be a starter or key player in his/her sport. Freshmen are not eligible for this honor.

The Patriot League Scholar-Athlete of the Year for each individual sport comprises the pool of nominees for the Patriot League Male and Female Scholar-Athlete of the Year awards given out over the summer. One male and one female are selected for this honor.

*"Today's Scholar-Athletes, Tomorrow's Leaders" – The Patriot League continually demonstrates that student-athletes can excel at both academics and athletics without sacrificing its high standards. The Patriot League's athletic success is achieved while its member institutions remain committed to its founding principle of admitting and graduating student-athletes that are academically representative of their class. Participation in athletics at Patriot League institutions is viewed as an important component of a well-rounded education.*

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