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## **Patriot League Announces Field Hockey Academic Honor Roll**

*71 student-athletes receive Honor Roll recognition*

**Center Valley, Pa.** – American's Irene Schickhardt, the 2008 Patriot League Field Hockey Scholar-Athlete of the Year, is one of 71 field hockey student-athletes named to this year's Patriot League Academic Honor Roll.

A senior international studies/economics major from Ludwigsburg, Germany, Schickhardt posted a 3.4 grade-point average in the fall. She is one of 17 student-athletes from American on this year's list, tied with Lafayette for the most of any school.

Three Patriot League field hockey student-athletes posted 4.0 GPAs in the fall. Melissa Casale, an undeclared freshman from American, Sarah Ebright, a junior civil engineering major from Bucknell, and Marci Richard, a freshman chemistry major from Bucknell, all recorded perfect GPAs in the fall semester.

Bucknell had 16 student-athletes on the list. Lehigh placed 10 student-athletes on the list, followed by Colgate with nine and Holy Cross with four.

To be eligible for the Academic Honor Roll, a student-athlete must earn a 3.20 grade-point average in the fall semester and be awarded a varsity letter in one of the Patriot League's seven fall championship sports. The criteria for awarding varsity letters are different at each institution.

*"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.*

### **2008 Patriot League Field Hockey Academic Honor Roll**

| <b><u>Name</u></b>   | <b><u>Class</u></b> | <b><u>Major</u></b>             | <b><u>GPA</u></b> | <b><u>Hometown/High School</u></b>                      |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|---|
| <b>AMERICAN (17)</b> |                     |                                 |                   |   |
| Carly Boyce          | Jr.                 | Psychology                      | 3.76              | New Egypt, N.J./Allentown                               |
| Rachel Carney        | Jr.                 | International Relations         | 3.68              | Los Gatos, Calif./Archbishop Mitty                      |
| Melissa Casale       | Fr.                 | Undecided                       | 4.00              | Lawrenceville, N.J./Lawrenceville                       |
| Anne-Meike De Wiljes | Jr.                 | Health Promotion                | 3.68              | Hanover, Germany/Humboldschule Hanover                  |
| Natalie Ellenberger  | Fr.                 | Health Promotion                | 3.60              | Gaithersburg, Md./Quince Orchard                        |
| Christine Fingerhuth | So.                 | Business Administration         | 3.68              | Santiago, Chile/Deutsche Schule Santiago                |
| Evan Fowler          | Fr.                 | International Relations         | 3.91              | Louisville, Ky./duPont Manual                           |
| Kirsten Gebhart      | So.                 | International Studies           | 3.89              | Mount Joy, Pa./Donegal                                  |
| Savannah Graybill    | Jr.                 | Journalism                      | 3.89              | Ephrata, Pa./Cocalico                                   |
| Hannah Henninghausen | So.                 | Business Administration         | 3.86              | Chevy Chase, Md./Bethesda-Chevy Chase                   |
| Megan Henry          | Sr.                 | CLEG                            | 3.68              | Roxbury, Conn./Shepaug Valley                           |
| Sarah Millman        | Fr.                 | Biochemistry                    | 3.45              | Center Valley, Pa./Southern Lehigh                      |
| Jesika Pufnock       | Sr.                 | International Studies           | 3.81              | Reading, Pa./Exeter                                     |
| Irene Schickhardt    | Sr.                 | International Studies/Economics | 3.40              | Ludwigsburg, German/Schiller                            |
| Emily Stovicek       | Jr.                 | Business Administration         | 3.82              | Montgomery Village, Md./Poolesville                     |
| Katie Turner         | Sr.                 | International Studies           | 3.74              | Millersville, Md./Severna Park                          |
| Anne van Erp         | So.                 | Undecided                       | 3.62              | Hilversum, Netherlands/Gemeentelijk Gymnasium Hilversum |

**BUCKNELL (16)**

|                   |     |                         |      |  |
|-------------------|-----|-------------------------|------|--|
| Jessie Atieh      | Jr. | Elementary Education    | 3.91 | North Caldwell, N.J./West Essex                        |
| Kate Bowen        | Fr. | Undeclared              | 3.33 | Kingston, Pa./Wyoming Valley West                      |
| Kelly Bruvik      | So. | Environmental Studies   | 3.33 | Skillman, N.J./Stuart Country Day                      |
| Sarah Ebright     | Jr. | Civil Engineering       | 4.00 | Hummelstown, Pa./Lower Dauphin                         |
| Amanda Faust      | Sr. | Accounting              | 3.25 | Kingston, Pa./Wyoming Valley West                      |
| Steph Graf        | Sr. | Management              | 3.41 | Jamison, Pa./Central Bucks East                        |
| Sarah Herrmann    | Sr. | International Relations | 3.81 | Newtown, Pa./Council Rock North                        |
| Emily Hutchison   | Sr. | European History        | 3.50 | Leola, Pa./Conestoga Valley                            |
| Jacque Katnesksza | Sr. | International Relations | 3.33 | Harare, Zimbabwe/Arundel School                        |
| Marci Richard     | Fr. | Chemistry               | 4.00 | Oley, Pa./Oley Valley                                  |
| Katie Ruiz        | Sr. | Environmental Studies   | 3.50 | Lewisburg, Pa./Lewisburg, Pa.                          |
| Johnna Simoes     | So. | Management              | 3.33 | San Diego, Calif./Torrey Pines                         |
| Mallory Smith     | Fr. | Biology                 | 3.83 | Schnecksville, Pa./Parkland                            |
| Austin Thomas     | Jr. | Psychology              | 3.53 | Tunkhannock, Pa./Tunkhannock                           |
| Christine Weiss   | So. | Management              | 3.66 | Bethlehem, Pa./Southern Lehigh                         |
| Sarah Zargarpour  | Fr. | Management              | 3.50 | North Vancouver, British Columbia/Handsworth Secondary |

**COLGATE (9)**

|                    |     |                                  |      |                                   |
|--------------------|-----|----------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------|
| Rebecca Anderson   | So. | Undeclared                       | 3.50 | Louisville, Ky./duPont Manual     |
| Erin Clark         | Jr. | Sociology & Anthropology/Spanish | 3.67 | Newtown, Conn./Newtown            |
| Laura Denenga      | So. | Undeclared                       | 3.53 | Harare, Zimbabwe/Peterhouse       |
| Laura Flisnik      | Sr. | Molecular Biology                | 3.34 | Marcy, N.Y./Whitesboro            |
| Kararine Hollnagel | So. | Undeclared                       | 3.37 | Hudson, Ohio/Western Reserve      |
| Kirsten Lalli      | So. | Molecular Biology                | 3.91 | Pound Ridge, N.Y./Fox Lane        |
| Sarah Pedersen     | Jr. | Biology                          | 3.98 | State College, Pa./State College  |
| Allison Waugh      | So. | Undeclared                       | 3.42 | Briarcliff Manor, N.Y./Briarcliff |
| Kaley Zaharris     | Sr. | Sociology & Anthropology         | 3.58 | Baltimore, Md./Bryn Mawr School   |

**HOLY CROSS (5)**

|                 |     |            |      |                                  |
|-----------------|-----|------------|------|----------------------------------|
| Jessie Cullen   | Sr. | Psychology | 3.43 | Norwich, Vt./Hanover             |
| Nora Happny     | Jr. | Sociology  | 3.25 | Portsmouth, N.H./Portsmouth      |
| Kristin Schulz  | Sr. | English    | 3.33 | Fairfield, Conn./Fairfield Warde |
| Kirsten Walther | Fr. | Undeclared | 3.78 | Landenberg, Pa./St. Mark's       |

**LAFAYETTE (17)**

|                 |     |                          |      |  |
|-----------------|-----|--------------------------|------|--|
| Kelsey Andersen | So. | Biology                  | 3.50 | West Long Branch, N.J./Shore Regional      |
| Alexa Biale     | Fr. | English                  | 3.42 | Basking Ridge, N.J./Kent Place School      |
| Meghan Cicchi   | So. | Chemistry                | 3.27 | Thousand Oaks, Calif./Lawrenceville School |
| Meghan Cloonan  | Jr. | History/English          | 3.52 | Fairport, N.Y./Fairport                    |
| Maggie Condon   | Sr. | Economics & Business     | 3.32 | Lake Bluff, Ill./Lake Forest               |
| Jaclyn DiSanti  | Sr. | Psychology               | 3.50 | Fairfield, N.J./West Essex                 |
| Mary Drucker    | Fr. | Undeclared               | 3.32 | Pelham Manor, N.Y./Pelham Memorial         |
| Rebecca Farson  | Fr. | Economics & Business     | 3.65 | Marysville, Pa./West Perry                 |
| Bridget Hilbig  | Jr. | Biology                  | 3.50 | Langhorne, Pa./Neshaminy                   |
| Kelly Hilovsky  | Jr. | Neuroscience             | 3.60 | Douglassville, Pa./Daniel Boone            |
| Lauren Jones    | Sr. | Mathematics/Economics    | 3.67 | Wilmington, Del./Wilmington Christian      |
| Cara Lyons      | So. | Civil Engineering        | 3.40 | New Holland, Pa./Garden Spot               |
| Lindsay Majno   | Jr. | Economics & Business/Art | 3.22 | Sudbury, Mass./Lincoln Sudbury             |
| Andrea Marrone  | Fr. | Psychology               | 3.42 | Newtown, Pa./Nazareth Academy              |
| Amanda Saber    | Jr. | Psychology               | 3.32 | Potomac, Md./Winston Churchill             |
| Emily Simon     | So. | Civil Engineering        | 3.32 | Green Village, N.J./Newark Academy         |
| Caitlin Titus   | Jr. | Biology                  | 3.23 | Langhorne, Pa./Neshaminy                   |

**LEHIGH (10)**

|                   |     |                                |      |  |
|-------------------|-----|--------------------------------|------|--|
| Lauren Cawley     | So. | Industrial Engineering         | 3.33 | Bethlehem, Pa./Saucon Valley           |
| Jennifer Cochran  | Sr. | Biology                        | 3.23 | Glenelg, Md./Glenelg                   |
| Caitlin Donnelly  | Fr. | Arts and Sciences              | 3.92 | Bethlehem, Pa./Liberty                 |
| Katey Fardelmann  | So. | International Relations/German | 3.75 | Washington, N.J./Warren Hills          |
| Kelly Fox         | Jr. | Finance                        | 3.55 | Wilmington, Del./Concord               |
| Amy Isabelle      | Jr. | Finance/Marketing              | 3.20 | Wolfeboro, N.H./Kingswood Regional     |
| Julie Kuhns       | Jr. | Systems Management Consulting  | 3.83 | White Haven, Pa./Crewstwood            |
| Jessica Miller    | So. | Arts and Sciences              | 3.45 | Letitz, Pa./Warwick                    |
| Lilia Stefaniwsky | So. | Biology                        | 3.31 | New Vernon, N.J./Madison               |
| Abby Tilton       | Fr. | Business                       | 3.82 | Franklin, N.J./Walkill Valley Regional |