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2008 OUTDOOR TRACK AND FIELD ALL-REGION TEAMS ANNOUNCED

NEW ORLEANS – Fifty-one Mountain West Conference student-athletes and five MWC relay teams have been named to their respective All-Region teams, the U.S. Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association (USTFCCCA) announced yesterday. To be considered All-Region, the student-athlete must place in the top eight of his or her respective event.

At the Midwest Regional held in Lincoln, Neb., last weekend, 16 male and 13 female track and field athletes competing for Air Force, Colorado State, New Mexico, TCU and Wyoming displayed individual performances worthy of the All-Region accolade. Colorado State's Jason Schutz (Discus, 182'-10.00" [55.73m]), TCU's Kishelle Paul (400-meter hurdles, 57.81) and New Mexico's Katie Coronado (Javelin, 178'-7.00" [54.43m]) each took the title in their respective events to secure a spot at the 2008 NCAA Championships. The TCU men's 4x100-meter and the Horned Frog women's 4x400-meter relay teams placed third and fourth, respectively, to garner All-Region honors.

BYU, San Diego State, UNLV and Utah student-athletes traveled to Northridge, Calif., for the West Regionals, placing a collective eight male and 14 female track and field athletes on the West All-Region team. San Diego State's Stephanie Bagan and BYU's Angela Wagner each won titles for automatic bids to the NCAA Championships. Bagan soared 14'-3.50" (4.36m) to win the women's pole vault, while Wagner clocked a time of 9:58.68 to win the women's 3,000-meter steeplechase. Both Aztec women's relay teams were named All-Region, with the 4x100-meter team placing fourth and the 4x400-meter team coming in eighth, as well as the UNLV women's 4x100-meter team, which finished third.

The NCAA Championship meet will be held June 11-14 at Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa.

Below is a complete list of student-athletes and relay teams earning All-Region honors.

MEN

All-Midwest Region

<i>Individual</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>Event</i>
Kevin Hawkins	Air Force	800-meter
Nick Frawley	Air Force	Pole Vault
Alex Godell	Colorado State	Hammer
Cameron Carter	Colorado State	Discus
Drew Morano	Colorado State	400-meter
Jason Schutz	Colorado State	Discus; Hammer
Lee Emanuel	New Mexico	1,500-meter
Andon Mitchell	TCU	100-meter
Festus Kigen	TCU	5,000-meter
Joe Brown	TCU	Javelin
Jonathan Jackson	TCU	Triple Jump
Matt Love	TCU	400-meter

Mychel Dungey	TCU	200-meter
Otis McDaniel	TCU	200-meter
Alan John	Wyoming	Hammer
Jeremiah James	Wyoming	Long Jump

Relay	Institution	
4x100-meter Relay	TCU	

All-West Region

Individual	Institution	Event
Bob Low	BYU	Pole Vault
Bryce Bergen	BYU	High Jump
Chandler Goodwin	BYU	3,000-meter Steeplechase
Chase Dalton	BYU	Javelin
Derek Taylor	BYU	3,000-meter Steeplechase
Kyle Perry	BYU	5,000-meter
Matt Weirich	BYU	Pole Vault
Richard Nelson	BYU	3,000-meter Steeplechase

WOMEN

All-Midwest Region

Individual	Institution	Event
Janay DeLoach	Colorado State	Long Jump
Kristen Hemphill	Colorado State	3,000-meter Steeplechase
Meagan Berg	Colorado State	Hammer
Missy Faubus	Colorado State	Discus
Ariel Burr	New Mexico	400-meter
Katie Coronado	New Mexico	Javelin
Tiyana Peters	New Mexico	High Jump
Candis Kelley	TCU	Shot Put
Jessica Clarke	TCU	400-meter
Kishelle Paul	TCU	400-meter Hurdles
Virgil Hodge	TCU	100-meter; 200-meter
Kate Burton	Wyoming	Hammer
Gretchen Johnson	Wyoming	5,000-meter

Relay	Institution	
4x400-meter Relay	TCU	

All-West Region

Individual	Institution	Event
Angela Wagner	BYU	3,000-meter Steeplechase
Ashley McAllister	BYU	Pole Vault
Carlee Clark-Platt	BYU	800-meter
Sandra Mazan	BYU	400-meter Hurdles
Stacy Slight	BYU	800-meter
Briana Johnson	San Diego State	100-meter Hurdles
Deontee Kaye	San Diego State	Triple Jump

Mandy Upuu	San Diego State	800-meter
Shana Solomon	San Diego State	200-meter
Shana Watson	San Diego State	Triple Jump
Sherraine Pencil	San Diego State	200-meter; 400-meter
Stephanie Bagan	San Diego State	Pole Vault
Brittney Bullocks	UNLV	400-meter
Chelsea Shapard	Utah	400-meter Hurdles

Relay

4x100-meter Relay
 4x400-meter Relay
 4x100-meter Relay

Institution

San Diego State
 San Diego State
 UNLV

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