AMERICAN COLLEGIATE ROWING ASSOCIATION
www.americancollegerowing.com
2014 ALL-AMERICAN TEAMS,
COACHES OF THE YEAR,
AND ALL-FRESHMAN BOATS

FOR RELEASE, Contact: Jeremy Struemph, ACRA Awards Chair, jeremy.struemph@gmail.com, 785-218-5739

June 4, 2014

The American Collegiate Rowing Association proudly announces the All-American teams and Coaches of the Year and, our All-Freshman Boats.

Criteria used were: 2,000 meter testing scores, performance of their crew (with most consideration on ACRA results), career racing results, accomplishments within their team, individual performances and the coach recommendation. Selections were made by the ACRA Board of Directors. To be considered for this award the team the individual is a member of must be an ACRA member and the coach must have submitted the candidate’s name. Coaches of the Year were submitted by the ACRA membership and voted on by the board. Congratulations to all those who received these honors.

2014 ALL-AMERICAN FIRST TEAM

**Men:**
- Connor Corwen, Bucknell
- Nate Biolchini, Grand Valley State
- Louis Schaljo, Michigan
- Conor Levey, Notre Dame
- Tim Maytom, UC – Los Angeles
- Evan West, UC – Santa Barbara
- Ryan Searcy, North Carolina
- Garrett Thomas, Virginia
- C: Sarah Zillioux, Virginia

**Women:**
- Lexi Benton, Grand Valley State
- Kaitlyn VanBoven, Grand Valley State
- Molly Visel, Grand Valley State
- Sarah Deal, Portland State
- Sarah Godbold, Purdue
- Alicia Newcombe, Purdue
- Emily Neary, UC – Davis
- Adriane Turner, UC – Santa Barbara
- C: Kirsten Wolf, Purdue

2014 Men’s Coach of the Year
Gregg Hartsmouth, University of Michigan

2014 Women’s Coach of the Year
John Bancheri, Grand Valley State University

2014 Men’s Assistant Coach of the Year
Charley Sullivan, University of Michigan

2014 Women’s Assistant Coach of the Year
Mackenzie Dowdy, University of New Hampshire
## 2014 ALL-AMERICAN SECOND TEAM

### Men:
- Kevin Bielawski (Boston College)
- Billy Tyker (Bucknell)
- Mitch Tyson (Michigan)
- Wes Year (Michigan)
- Luke Yehlem (Minnesota)
- Pete McHugh (Purdue)
- Steven Watts (UC – Santa Barbara)
- Forrest Brown (Virginia)
- C: Kyle Barnhart (Grand Valley State)

### Women:
- Elissa Besson (Grand Valley State)
- Emily Gersbeck (New Hampshire)
- Valerie Riple (New Hampshire)
- Morgan Bachus (UC – Santa Barbara)
- Katie Chrisman (Vanderbilt)
- Megan Allison (Wichita State)
- Bethany Hesse (Wichita State)
- C: Emily Quinn (New Hampshire)

## 2014 ALL-AMERICAN THIRD TEAM

### Men:
- Matt Sisto (Bucknell)
- Paul Gordon (Cincinnati)
- Adam McKenzie (Georgia Tech)
- Matt Rhodes (Notre Dame)
- Mike Frick (Purdue)
- Ty Saitta (Virginia)
- Gage Wells (Virginia)
- Joe Gregeresen (Western Washington)
- C: Kelsey Swalwell (New Hampshire)

### Women:
- Madeline Fritz (Colorado)
- Melissa Schick (Illinois)
- Jenn Varallo (Marquette)
- Taygra Longstaff (New Hampshire)
- Jamie Bartels (Portland State)
- Whitney Sterling (Vanderbilt)
- Shelby Fath (Wichita State)
- Gabriella Stewart (Wichita State)
- C: Ashley Brown (Wichita State)

## 2014 ALL-FRESHMAN BOAT

### Men:
- Ben Getz (Michigan)
- Peter Hunt (North Carolina)
- John Carroll (Notre Dame)
- Tanner Cipriano (Notre Dame)
- Steve Godfrey (Purdue)
- Dylan Goodman (Orange Coast)
- Steve Sorbom (Orange Coast)
- Ryan Towne (UC – Santa Barbara)
- C: Morgan North (Grand Valley)

### Women:
- Erin Enk (Grand Valley State)
- Brittany Gronda (Grand Valley State)
- Elle Memberto (Grand Valley State)
- Diana Montgomery (Illinois)
- Emily Froehlich (Purdue)
- Dana Jacobs (UC – Davis)
- Megan Dixon (UC – Santa Barbara)
- Haley Perry (UC – Santa Barbara)
- C: Dominique Savage (UC – Santa Barbara)