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2021 DIVISION II AND DIVISION III JULI INKSTER SENIOR AWARD RECIPIENTS ANNOUNCED

CORAL SPRINGS, Florida (September 9, 2021) – The Women’s Golf Coaches Association has announced the recipients of the 2021 Juli Inkster Senior Award for Divisions II and III.

The Juli Inkster Senior Award recognizes the highest ranked women’s collegiate golfer on Golfstat in her final year of NCAA eligibility. The award is presented separately to the top Division I, II and III players. The recipient must be academically eligible per NCAA rules and have played a minimum of 12 rounds during the year.

Division II Juli Inkster Senior Award
Helen Kreuzer, Lynn University

Kreuzer, a native of Bensheim, Germany, finished the 2020-21 season ranked second on Golfstat with a scoring average of 72.27. She finished inside the top-10 in every event she competed in during her senior campaign and was crowned both the Sunshine State Conference Individual Champion and NCAA Champion. A WGCA First-Team All-American in 2021, she became just the second player in program history to earn the honor more than once. Kreuzer concludes her Lynn career as the school record holder for 18-hole score (65), 36-hole score (128) and 54-hole score (207).

Division III Juli Inkster Senior Award
Paige Church, Methodist University

Church posted a scoring average of 76.99 to finish the 2021-21 season ranked seventh on Golfstat. The Newland, North Carolina native earned WGCA Second-Team All-America honors after registering a 62-7 head-to-head record against Golfstat’s top 100 golfers and finishing in ninth-place at the NCAA Championships. Church shot a career-low 70 en route to a second-place finish at the 2021 Montgomery County Club Intercollegiate, which ties for ninth-lowest in Methodist history.

Earlier this week, Duke graduate Jaravee Boonchant was named the recipient of the 2021 Division I Juli Inkster Senior Award Presented by Workday. Boonchant receives exemption to the Cambia Portland Classic and will participate in a two-day mentorship retreat with Inkster.

About the Women’s Golf Coaches Association
The Women’s Golf Coaches Association, founded in 1983, is a non-profit organization representing women’s collegiate golf coaches. The WGCA was formed to encourage the playing of college golf for women in correlation with a general objective of education and in accordance with the highest tradition of intercollegiate competition. Today, the WGCA
represents over 650 coaches throughout the U.S. and is dedicated to educating, promoting and recognizing both its members and the student-athletes they represent.

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