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WOMEN'S GOLF COACHES ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES 2021-22 DIVISION II AWARD WINNERS

CORAL SPRINGS, Florida (May 12, 2022) – The Women's Golf Coaches Association has announced the 2021-22 student-athlete and coaches awards for Division II Women's Collegiate Golf. WGCA First-Team All-Americans, Golf Pride Regional Coaches of the Year, WGCA Freshman of the Year Presented by StrackaLine and the PING WGCA Player of the Year were recognized at the NCAA Division II Championships held in Gainesville, Georgia. WGCA All-Region Teams, Kim Moore Spirit Award, WGCA National Coach of the Year Presented by Golf Pride, Golf Pride WGCA Assistant Coach of the Year, and the remaining WGCA All-American Teams will be announced following the NCAA Championships. For further information regarding these awards including selection criteria, please visit www.wgcagolf.com.

Division II PING WGCA Player of the Year

Alice Götbring, Barry University

<u>Division II WGCA Freshman of the Year Presented by StrackaLine</u>

Jordan Karrh, Dallas Baptist University

WGCA Division II All-American Team

First Team

Gracen Blount, Henderson State University Ainsley Cowart, University of West Georgia Faith DeLaGarza, Dallas Baptist University

Sara Ericsson, Lynn University

Alice Gotbring, Barry University

Ebba Hellman, Limestone University

Breann Horn, California State University, San Marcos

Maria Hoyos, Lynn University

Jordan Karrh, Dallas Baptist University

Faith Kilgore, Colorado Christian University

Kristina Kniesly, University of Findlay

Alexandra Naumovski, Lee University

Jessica Rathbone, Anderson University

Francesca Santoni, Saint Leo University

Anahi Servin, Academy of Art University

Gam Songprasert, West Texas A&M University

Division II Golf Pride WGCA Regional Coaches of the Year

South Region Coach of the Year: Marcelo Huarte, Lynn University

Central Region Coach of the Year: Colton Cowan, Henderson State University

Division II Golf Pride WGCA Regional Coaches of the Year (continued)

East Region Coach of the Year: Dominic Guarnieri, University of Findlay West Region Coach of the Year: Kenny Trapp, Dallas Baptist University

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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