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**UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO CAPTURES 2020-21 WGCA ALL-SCHOLAR TEAM GPA AWARD**

CORAL SPRINGS, Florida (July 22, 2021) – The University of New Mexico women's golf team has been named the recipient of the 2020-21 WGCA All-Scholar Team GPA Award. The award recognizes the women's collegiate golf program with the highest collective average team GPA which includes all of the team's student-athletes for the 2020-21 season. New Mexico's 10 team members had an average GPA of 3.993.

Leading Division II was Davenport University, as the team's nine members averaged a 3.915 GPA, while Macalester College led Division III with a 3.944 average GPA. In NAIA, Ottawa College – Arizona led the division with a GPA of 3.921.

The WGCA also announced the top 25 teams with the highest team GPA for Division I, Division II and Division III, as well as the top 10 teams for NAIA. They are as follows:

Division I		
Place	University	Team GPA
1	University of New Mexico	3.993
2	Stanford University	3.990
3	Arkansas State University	3.973
4	University of Wisconsin-Green Bay	3.951
5	University of Arkansas at Little Rock	3.917
6	Harvard University	3.901
7	University of Illinois	3.896
8	Seattle University	3.878
9	San Jose State University	3.877
10	University of Mississippi	3.876
T11	University of Cincinnati	3.857
T11	Michigan State University	3.857
T11	North Dakota State University	3.857
14	Bowling Green State University	3.854
15	University of Denver	3.853
16	University of North Carolina at Charlotte	3.851
17	Florida International University	3.847
18	California State University, Sacramento	3.846
19	Loyola University Chicago	3.844
20	Bellarmino University	3.841
T21	St. John's University	3.840
T21	University of Detroit Mercy	3.840
23	Quinnipiac University	3.836
24	Creighton University	3.828
T25	Rutgers University	3.820
T25	University of San Francisco	3.820

**Division II**

<b>Place</b>	<b>University</b>	<b>Team GPA</b>
1	Davenport University	3.915
2	University of Missouri-St. Louis	3.906
3	Lander University	3.897
4	St. Mary's University	3.873
5	Ohio Dominican University	3.868
6	Wayne State University	3.841
T7	Lynn University	3.810
T7	Rollins College	3.810
9	Colorado Christian University	3.804
10	University of Indianapolis	3.802
11	Nova Southeastern University	3.800
12	William Jewell College	3.766
13	University of West Georgia	3.760
14	Concordia University, St. Paul	3.750
15	Rogers State University	3.740
16	University of Central Oklahoma	3.736
17	Lindenwood University	3.717
18	Chadron State College	3.713
19	Rockhurst University	3.707
20	Sonoma State University	3.691
21	Oklahoma Baptist University	3.681
22	Barton College	3.677
23	University of Central Missouri	3.669
24	Lenoir-Rhyne University	3.668
25	Augustana University	3.643

**Division III**

<b>Place</b>	<b>University</b>	<b>Team GPA</b>
1	Macalester College	3.944
2	The University of Texas at Dallas	3.910
3	Gustavus Adolphus College	3.862
4	Middlebury College	3.848
5	Carnegie Mellon University	3.830
6	Benedictine University	3.824
7	University Of Wisconsin-Eau Claire	3.809
8	Whitman College	3.767
9	Kalamazoo College	3.764
10	St. Catherine University	3.754
11	Augsburg University	3.753
12	Williams College	3.750
13	Washington and Lee University	3.749
14	Washington University in St. Louis	3.737
15	University of Mary Hardin-Baylor	3.712
16	Simpson College	3.695
17	Stevenson University	3.689
18	University of Wisconsin- River Falls	3.678
19	Carleton College	3.667
20	Olivet College	3.665
21	Otterbein University	3.632
22	Edgewood College	3.620
T23	Hope College	3.619

T23	Luther College	3.619
25	St. Olaf College	3.616

#### NAIA

Place	University	Team GPA
1	Ottawa University-Arizona	3.921
2	Briar Cliff University	3.918
3	Montana Technological University	3.764
4	Indiana Wesleyan University	3.737
5	University of South Carolina Beaufort	3.680
6	Menlo College	3.651
7	Keiser University	3.630
8	Sterling College	3.593
9	University of Jamestown	3.580
10	Cumberland University	3.575

#### 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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