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## MIZUNO WGCA COACHES POLL RANKINGS ANNOUNCED

CORAL SPRINGS, Florida (September 23, 2022) – The Women's Golf Coaches Association (WGCA) has announced the results of the most recent Mizuno WGCA Coaches Poll. This is the second poll of the 2022 fall season.



In Division I, Stanford University remains at the No. 1 spot with 19 first-place votes, while Wake Forest University received three first-place votes to hold steady at No. 2. University of Virginia jumps seven spots to No. 3, followed by University of South Carolina who remains at No. 4. University of Texas makes an 11-spot jump to round out the top five.

Dallas Baptist University holds steady atop the Division II rankings with eight first-place votes, while Lynn University received three first-place votes to move up two spots to No. 2. Henderson State University jumps 10 spots to No. 3 after receiving five first-place votes, while University of Findlay drops two spots to No. 4. Rounding out the top five is University of Indianapolis, moving up six spots.

In Division III, there is a tie for the No. 1 spot between Emory University, who received eight first-place votes, and University of Redlands, who jumps six spots with the four remaining votes. George Fox University drops one spot to No. 3, while Carnegie Mellon University and Methodist University tie for the No. 4 spot.

In NAIA, Oklahoma City University remains atop the rankings with two first-place votes, while University of British Columbia holds steady at No. 2 with six first-place votes. Keiser University moves up two spots to round out the top-three.

## DIVISION I MIZUNO WGCA COACHES POLL

| Rank | University (First Place Votes) | Points |
|------|--------------------------------|--------|
| 1    | Stanford University (19)       | 565    |
| 2    | Wake Forest University (3)     | 545    |
| 3    | University of Virginia         | 460    |
| 4    | University of South Carolina   | 451    |
| 5    | University of Texas            | 449    |
| 6    | Texas A&M University           | 421    |
| 7    | University of Oregon           | 368    |
| 8    | Louisiana State University     | 363    |
| 9    | University of Mississippi      | 330    |
| 10   | Duke University                | 299    |
| 11   | Ohio State University          | 279    |
| 12   | University of Florida          | 268    |
| 13   | San Jose State University (1)  | 260    |

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| 14   | Arizona State University              | 244 |
| 15   | University of California, Los Angeles | 236 |
| 16   | Florida State University              | 219 |
| 17   | Clemson University                    | 215 |
| 18   | University of Central Florida         | 185 |
| 19   | Oklahoma State University             | 178 |
| 20   | University of Nebraska                | 109 |
| 21   | University of Southern California     | 104 |
| 22   | Auburn University                     | 95  |
| 23   | University of Michigan                | 87  |
| 24   | Kent State University                 | 84  |
| 25   | College of Charleston                 | 81  |
| <b>Others Receiving Votes:</b> Southern Methodist University (77); Campbell University (69); Baylor University (65); University of Arkansas (64); Michigan State University (45); University of Georgia (40); University of Alabama (37); Mississippi State University (29); University of Miami (27); University of Arizona (25); University of California, Berkeley (23); Texas Tech University (16); University of Arkansas at Little Rock (16); University of New Mexico (13); Pepperdine University (8); University of North Carolina (8); University of Tulsa (7); University of Tennessee (4); Vanderbilt University (4); University of Kentucky (2); Virginia Tech (1) |                                       |     |

#### **DIVISION II MIZUNO WGCA COACHES POLL**

| <b>Rank</b> | <b>University (First Place Votes)</b>  | <b>Points</b> |
|-------------|--|---------------|
| 1           | Dallas Baptist University (8)          | 389           |
| 2           | Lynn University (3)                    | 379           |
| 3           | Henderson State University (5)         | 366           |
| 4           | University of Findlay                  | 318           |
| 5           | University of Indianapolis             | 308           |
| 6           | Anderson University                    | 307           |
| 7           | Saint Leo University                   | 281           |
| 8           | Nova Southeastern University           | 238           |
| 9           | Lee University                         | 233           |
| 10          | West Texas A&M University              | 229           |
| 11          | Limestone University                   | 227           |
| 12          | University of Tampa                    | 203           |
| 13          | Rollins College                        | 195           |
| 14          | California State University San Marcos | 150           |
| 15          | Grand Valley State University          | 144           |
| 16          | Barry University                       | 132           |
| 17          | Columbus State University              | 127           |
| 18          | University of Missouri-St. Louis       | 116           |
| 19          | St. Mary's University (Texas)          | 114           |
| 20          | Lander University                      | 109           |
| 21          | University of Central Missouri         | 89            |
| 22          | Florida Southern College               | 81            |
| 23          | Rogers State University                | 68            |
| 24          | Carson-Newman University               | 50            |
| 25          | Oklahoma Christian University          | 43            |
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**Others Receiving Votes:** Wingate University (40); Lenoir Rhyne University (33); University of Arkansas Fort Smith (31); Tiffin University (26); Midwestern State University (22); University of Texas at Tyler (22); Arkansas Tech University (19); University of Nebraska at Kearney (19); Northeastern State University (16); Colorado Christian University (14); Texas A&M International University (11); Holy Names University (9); University of North Georgia (8); University of Central Oklahoma (7); University of West Georgia (7); Flagler College (6); University of Illinois at Springfield (4); California State University, East Bay (3); Lincoln Memorial University (3); Sonoma State University (2); Biola University (1); Harding University (1)

### **DIVISION III MIZUNO WGCA COACHES POLL**

| <b>Rank</b> | <b>University (First Place Votes)</b> | <b>Points</b> |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| T1          | Emory University (8)                  | 287           |
| T1          | University of Redlands (4)            | 287           |
| 3           | George Fox University                 | 241           |
| T4          | Carnegie Mellon University            | 230           |
| T4          | Methodist University                  | 230           |
| 6           | Washington and Lee University         | 227           |
| 7           | Washington University in St. Louis    | 224           |
| 8           | University of Texas at Dallas         | 217           |
| T9          | Amherst College                       | 172           |
| T9          | Centre College                        | 172           |
| 11          | Pomona-Pitzer                         | 170           |
| T12         | Claremont-Mudd-Scripps                | 160           |
| T12         | Williams College                      | 160           |
| 14          | New York University                   | 133           |
| 15          | Illinois Wesleyan University          | 126           |
| 16          | University of Wisconsin, Whitewater   | 90            |
| 17          | Rhodes College                        | 82            |
| 18          | St. Catherine University              | 75            |
| 19          | Carleton College                      | 74            |
| 20          | Bethel University                     | 73            |
| 21          | University of Mary Hardin-Baylor      | 59            |
| 22          | Grinnell College                      | 58            |
| 23          | Denison University                    | 45            |
| T24         | Hamilton College                      | 36            |
| T24         | Middlebury College                    | 36            |
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**Others Receiving Votes:** University of California, Santa Cruz (33); Carthage College (29); Christopher Newport University (29); Trinity University (Texas) (25); Oglethorpe University (24); University of Lynchburg (23); Central College (15); Gustavus Adolphus College (13); Sewanee: The University of the South (12); California Lutheran University (10); Berry College (7); University of Wisconsin-La Crosse (5); Ohio Northern University (4); Adrian College (3); York College of Pennsylvania (2); Rose Hulman Institute of Technology (1); Wellesley College (1)

### **NAIA MIZUNO WGCA COACHES POLL**

| <b>Rank</b> | <b>University (First Place Votes)</b> | <b>Points</b> |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1           | Oklahoma City University (2)          | 73            |

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| 2  | University of British Columbia (6) | 68 |
| 3  | Keiser University                  | 59 |
| 4  | Dalton State College               | 50 |
| 5  | SCAD Savannah                      | 47 |
| 6  | William Carey University           | 35 |
| 7  | Cumberland University              | 29 |
| 8  | Loyola University New Orleans      | 27 |
| 9  | Texas Wesleyan University          | 21 |
| 10   | Ottawa University - Arizona        | 8  |
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| <b>Others Receiving Votes:</b> Taylor University (7); SCAD Atlanta (4); Menlo College (3); Truett McConnell University (3); Milligan University (2); William Penn University (2); Briar Cliff University (1); Embry Riddle Aeronautical University (1) |                                    |    |

### **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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