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NCBWA REVEALS 2024 DIVISION I ALL-AMERICA TEAMS

DALLAS – The 2024 National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association's 24th All-America first, second and third teams announced Wednesday feature a plethora of the finest NCAA Division I standouts at the plate, afield and on the mound.

All five finalists for the 2024 Dick Howser Trophy presented by The Game Headwear highlight the first team choices in national voting by NCBWA members. They are junior second baseman Travis Bazzana of Oregon State, junior pitcher Chase Burns of Wake Forest, junior first baseman/pitcher Jac Caglianone of Florida, redshirt sophomore third baseman/first baseman/outfielder Charlie Condon of Georgia, and junior starting pitcher Hagen Smith of Arkansas.

There are 19 different conferences and 16 conference championship squads represented among the '24 stars. The three All-America squads are also made up of 14 conference players or co-players of the year, nine conference pitchers of the year, two conference relief pitchers of the year, and one circuit defensive player of the year.

All 75 student-athletes propelled most of their teams to postseason NCAA activity, and there are 16 All-America choices competing in the 77th NCAA Division I World Series starting Friday and running through June 22 or 23 at Charles Schwab Park in Omaha, Neb. Several others led their squads to NCAA Regional and Super Regional appearances this month.

Some of the first team members and their exemplary accomplishments in '24 have been Georgia's Condon with a nation-high 37 home runs, 78 RBI, 100 hits, and a 1.022 slugging percentage to lead the Bulldogs to within one victory of their first NCAA World Series qualification since 2008 and Florida State pitcher Jamie Arnold with a DI-best 15-0 record and 1.92 ERA to stake the Seminoles to their 24th appearance in the NCAA World Series since 1957.

Others with nationally prominent statistics are Oregon State's Bazzana with 28 homers and 66 RBI to compliment a .400-plus batting average throughout '24, CWS-bound Texas A&M OF Jace LaViolette with a .387 average, 18 homers and 71 RBI and teammate relief ace Evan Ashenbeck (one of the finalists for the 2024 NCBWA Stopper of the Year Award) with a Southeastern Conference-best ERA of 1.92 and 12 saves along with Tennessee second baseman Christian Moore – the first Volunteers star to smash 30-plus home runs (32 prec-CWS) in school history. Howser Trophy finalist Burns of Wake Forest led the country with 191 strikeouts in 100 innings pitcher (17.2 whiffs per nine innings).

Previous NCBWA All-America teams from 1996-2023 have featured the likes of P Stephen Strasburg of San Diego State, OF J.D. Drew of Florida State, P-DH Jason Jennings of Baylor, 1B Mark Teixeira of Georgia Tech, RHP Mark Prior of Southern California, SS Khalil Greene of Clemson, SS-2B Rickie Weeks of Southern, 3B Alex Gordon of Nebraska, P David Price of Vanderbilt, P-DH Brad Lincoln of Houston, C Buster Posey of Florida State, catcher Mike Zunino of Florida, 3B Kris Bryant of San Diego, P-1B A.J. Reed from Kentucky; OF Andrew Benintendi from Arkansas, OF Seth Beer of Clemson, UTIL Brendan McKay from Louisville, Florida P Brady Singer, Oregon State C Adley Rutschman, Arkansas RP Kevin Kopps, LSU pitcher Paul Skenes, and Texas 1B Ivan Melendez, among others.

Founded in 1962, the NCBWA is dedicated to the advancement of college baseball. Membership is open to writers, broadcasters and publicists of the sport. For more information about the NCBWA, visit the association's official Web site, www.ncbwa.com.

The Howser Trophy was created in 1987 shortly after Howser's death. Previous winners of the Howser Trophy are Mike Fiore, OF, Miami (Fla.), 1987; Robin Ventura, 3B, Oklahoma State, 1988; Scott Bryant, 1B-P, Texas,

1989; Alex Fernandez, P, Miami-Dade Community College South, 1990; Frank Rodriguez, P, Howard College (Texas), 1991; Brooks Kieschnick, UT-P, Texas, 1992 and 1993; Jason Varitek, C, Georgia Tech, 1994; Todd Helton, 1B, Tennessee, 1995; Kris Benson, P, Clemson, 1996; J. D. Drew, OF, Florida State, 1997; Eddy Furniss, 1B, LSU, 1998; Jason Jennings, UT-P, Baylor, 1999; Mark Teixeira, 1B, Georgia Tech, 2000; Mark Prior, P, USC, 2001, Khalil Greene, SS, Clemson, 2002; Rickie Weeks, 2B, Southern U., 2003; Jered Weaver, P, Long Beach State, 2004; Alex Gordon, 3B, Nebraska, 2005; Brad Lincoln, P/DH, Houston, 2006; David Price, P, Vanderbilt, 2007; Buster Posey, C, Florida State, 2008; Stephen Strasburg, P, San Diego State, 2009; Anthony Rendon, 3B, Rice, 2010; Taylor Jungmann, P, Texas, 2011; Mike Zunino, C, Florida, 2012; Kris Bryant, 3B, San Diego, 2013; A.J. Reed, DH-P, Kentucky, 2014; Andrew Benintendi, OF, Arkansas, 2015; Seth Beer, OF, Clemson, 2016; Brendan McKay, DH-P, Louisville, 2017; Brady Singer, P, Florida, 2018; Adley Rutschman, C, Oregon State, 2019; No Award, COVID-19, 2020; Kevin Kopps, P, Arkansas, 2021; Ivan Melendez, 1B, Texas, 2022; Paul Skenes, P, LSU, 2023.

For more information on the NCAA Division I All-America team, contact NCBWA Executive Associate Director Mike Montoro of West Virginia University at 304-293-2821.

2024 NCBWA Division I All-America Team

FIRST TEAM (Statistics Through June 10)

Pos.	Name, School, Class	Avg.	G	AB	R	H	2B-3B-HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB/SBA
C	Jackson Appel, Texas A&M, Sr.	.330	62	212	44	70	14-1-10	40	31	25	15/17
1B	Blake Burke, Tennessee, Jr.	.376	66	258	67	97	28-1-19	56	33	41	10/12
2B	Travis Bazzana, Oregon State, Jr.*	.407	60	214	84	87	16-4-28	66	76	37	16/21
SS	Kyle DeBarge, Louisiana, Jr.*	.355	62	256	65	91	19-3-21	72	24	30	10/14
3B	Charlie Condon, Georgia, r-So.*	.433	60	231	84	100	20-1-37	78	57	41	3/4
OF	James Tibbs III, Florida State, Jr.*	.374	62	235	71	88	17-1-28	94	54	31	7/8
OF	Braden Montgomery, Texas A&M, Jr.	.322	61	236	65	76	14-1-27	85	53	59	5/7
OF	Jace LaViolette, Texas A&M, So.	.314	62	239	83	75	16-3-28	77	57	74	6/8
OF	Drew Burress, Georgia Tech, Fr.	.381	58	218	73	83	15-3-25	67	58	37	8/10
OF	Lyle Miller-Green, Austin Peay, Graduate*	.393	56	219	94	86	17-2-30	94	54	38	13/15
DH	Caleb Cozart, UNC Greensboro, Sr.*	.332	53	190	65	63	10-1-22	73	41	38	1/2
UT	Jac Caglianone, Florida, Jr.	.411	62	236	79	97	7-0-33	68	52	25	3/3

5-2, 4.71 ERA, 15APP, 15GS, 0CG, 0/1SHO, 0SV, 72.2IP, 61H, 43R, 38ER, 48BB, 82K, .225OPPBA

Pos.	Name School	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	OPP BA
SP	Chase Burns, Wake Forest, Jr.*	10-1	2.70	16	16	0	0/0	0	100.0	62	32	30	30	191	.175
SP	Jamie Arnold, Florida State, So.	11-3	2.77	18	17	0	0/1	1	100.2	82	39	31	22	155	.216
SP	Hagen Smith, Arkansas, Jr.^	9-2	2.04	16	16	0	0/2	0	84.0	41	22	19	34	161	.144
SP	Trey Yesavage, East Carolina, Jr.^	11-2	2.80	17	16	0	0/1	0	96.1	87	36	30	20	131	.240
SP	Ryan Johnson, DBU, Jr.^	11-3	2.21	16	16	2	0/1	0	106.0	83	32	26	14	151	.215
SP	Michael Ross, Samford, Sr.^	13-0	3.27	15	15	1	1/1	0	96.1	86	38	35	21	88	.240
SP	Ryan Gallagher, UC Santa Barbara, r-So.*	10-1	2.22	14	14	1	1/1	0	89.0	50	26	22	25	96	.161
RP	Charlie Beilenson, Duke, Graduate	7-3	2.01	34	0	0	0/1	12	62.2	41	19	14	18	92	.181
RP	Ethan Bates, Louisiana Tech, Sr.*	2-1	3.43	36	0	0	0/2	17	44.2	29	19	17	20	52	.180
RP	Evan Ashenbeck, Texas A&M, Sr.	6-1	1.66	28	0	0	0/5	9	65.0	44	14	12	8	72	.185
RP	Bridger Holmes, Oregon State, Jr.	3-4	1.93	26	0	0	0/1	13	32.2	16	11	7	15	47	.145
RP	Conner Thurman, San Diego, r-Sr.	4-0	1.40	29	1	0	0/1	5	38.2	23	9	6	10	47	.168

SECOND TEAM

Pos.	Name, School, Class	Avg.	G	AB	R	H	2B-3B-HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB/SBA
C	Cole Messina, South Carolina, Jr.	.326	59	224	64	73	19-1-21	71	50	67	8/11
	Jacob Ference, Virginia, Graduate	.354	52	165	41	61	13-4-17	43	31	46	11/14
1B	Parks Harber, North Carolina, Sr.	.341	58	223	56	76	8-1-20	63	33	53	4/4
	Roman Kuntz, Morehead State, Sr.*	.366	61	235	71	86	15-1-33	100	50	34	2/4
2B	Christian Moore, Tennessee, Jr.	.375	66	269	75	101	17-0-32	71	35	45	3/7
SS	Jalin Flores, Texas, So.	.340	60	241	52	82	22-0-18	56	21	56	2/3
3B	Tommy White, LSU, Jr.	.330	66	279	61	92	12-1-24	70	27	38	3/3
OF	Vance Honeycutt, North Carolina, Jr.!	.314	59	242	85	76	12-2-26	65	35	80	28/31
OF	Nolan Schubart, Oklahoma State, So.	.370	49	173	55	64	10-1-23	68	49	62	0/0
OF	Dakota Jordan, Mississippi State, So.	.354	63	240	57	85	14-1-20	72	44	84	3/5
OF	Cole McConnell, Louisiana Tech, Sr.	.378	60	249	67	94	17-1-18	71	29	71	1/2
OF	Fenwick Trimble, JMU, Jr.	.369	61	244	71	90	21-1-14	65	29	23	18/18
DH	Jake Reinisch, Wake Forest, Sr.	.341	62	252	61	86	13-2-19	83	16	42	2/3
	Nick Lopez, Kentucky, Graduate	.350	56	217	57	76	22-2-6	50	22	29	3/5
UT	Carson Bengé, Oklahoma State, r-So.	.335	61	248	72	83	24-2-18	64	49	51	10/14

3-2, 3.16 ERA, 18APP, 4GS, 0CG, 0/2SHO, 3SV, 37.0IP, 26H, 14R, 13ER, 11BB, 44K, .186OPPBA

Pos.	Name School	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/Avg.
SP	Ryan Prager, Texas A&M, r-So.	8-1	3.10	17	17	1	1/4	0	87.0	73	34	30	18	114	.225
SP	Luke Holman, LSU, Jr.	9-4	2.75	16	16	0	0/3	0	91.2	57	36	28	33	127	.174
SP	Brett Sears, Nebraska, Sr.^	9-1	2.16	17	16	1	1/1	1	104.0	72	29	25	19	101	.191
SP	Payton Tolle, TCU, Jr.^	6-3	2.87	12	12	1	1/2	0	69.0	46	23	22	31	105	.189
SP	Jurrangelo Cijntje, Mississippi State, So.	8-2	3.67	16	16	0	0/1	0	90.2	70	39	37	30	113	.211
SP	Nick Brink, Portland, r-Jr.	10-4	3.61	15	15	2	1/1	0	99.2	85	44	40	23	130	.229
SP	Brian Holiday, Oklahoma State, Sr.	7-3	2.95	16	16	3	0/0	0	113.0	82	41	37	19	128	.199
RP	Wyatt Lunsford-Shenkman, East Carolina, Jr.	3-2	1.55	24	1	0	0/2	5	46.1	37	10	8	21	79	.218
RP	Nick Wissman, Dayton, Sr.^	11-1	2.93	25	0	0	0/0	7	67.2	66	26	22	11	64	.254
RP	Ben Abeldt, TCU, So.	2-0	1.07	23	0	0	0/1	7	33.2	24	5	4	14	37	.198
RP	Izaak Martinez, UC San Diego, r-Sr.	4-3	1.85	25	0	0	0/0	9	63.1	40	16	13	20	61	.183
RP	Griffin Herring, LSU, So.	6-1	1.79	21	1	0	0/3	6	50.1	39	13	10	13	67	.215

THIRD TEAM

Pos.	Name School Class	Avg.	G	AB	R	H	2B-3B-HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB/SB
C	Walker Janek, Sam Houston, Jr.!	.368	58	220	55	81	15-5-17	58	40	45	13/17
1B	Tanner Thach, UNCW, So.	.324	61	250	59	81	11-1-27	75	30	54	4/6
	Nick Kurtz, Wake Forest, Jr.	.306	54	173	65	53	11-1-22	57	78	42	4/4
2B	John Anderson, Samford, Sr.	.382	57	217	54	83	24-1-13	69	35	39	2/3
	Zac Morris, Duke, Graduate	.343	60	245	69	84	12-2-18	59	39	59	13/17
SS	Josh Kuroda-Grauer, Rutgers, Jr.*	.428	53	222	54	95	19-1-5	45	23	18	24/27
3B	Alec Makarewicz, NC State, Graduate	.380	59	250	64	95	25-0-22	80	25	49	1/2
	Gage Miller, Alabama, Jr.	.381	55	218	72	83	12-2-18	56	27	24	0/0
OF	Ben Watson, Virginia Tech, Graduate	.419	54	222	51	93	21-3-4	48	20	24	3/3
OF	Joel Dragoo, Presbyterian, Jr.*	.401	56	197	58	79	20-2-18	67	43	33	11/13
OF	Max Belyeu, Texas, So.*	.329	59	210	50	69	15-1-18	53	27	44	3/5
OF	Kien Vu, Arizona State, So.	.413	47	150	53	62	11-2-14	56	21	43	12/13
OF	Cam Cannarella, Clemson, So.	.337	58	246	58	83	16-3-11	60	34	44	0/2
OF	Lawson Harrill, Campbell, r-Sr.	.351	53	202	67	71	17-0-23	56	39	62	9/9
DH	Easton Carmichael, Oklahoma, So.	.366	61	254	59	93	19-5-7	64	20	43	12/18
	Slade Wilks, Southern Miss, Sr.	.336	62	247	54	83	20-1-14	69	29	53	1/1
UT	Austin Smith, San Diego, Jr.	.314	56	204	42	64	11-0-7	39	31	26	3/4

7-0, 3.49 ERA, 17APP, 9GS, 0CG, 0/2SHO, 3SV, 56.2IP, 47H, 27R, 22ER, 26BB, 49K, .225OPPBA

Pos.	Name School	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/Avg.
SP	Aidan Knaak, Clemson, Fr.	5-1	3.35	15	15	0	0/3	0	83.1	67	34	31	29	108	.221
SP	Nate Knowles, William & Mary, Jr.^	8-3	2.48	19	19	0	0/3	0	80.0	50	32	22	39	112	.178
SP	Khal Stephen, Mississippi State, Jr.	8-3	3.28	16	16	0	0/1	0	96.0	76	37	35	21	107	.213
SP	Cam Walty, Arizona, Sr.	8-2	3.29	16	14	0	0/1	0	90.1	98	39	33	13	75	.266
SP	Aiden May, Oregon State, Jr.	7-1	3.05	14	14	0	0/3	0	73.2	61	27	25	23	84	.219
SP	Jacob Kmatz, Oregon State, Jr.	7-3	3.38	16	16	1	0/1	0	88.0	66	36	33	22	96	.208
SP	Drew Beam, Tennessee, Jr.	8-2	4.44	17	17	2	0/0	0	93.1	96	56	46	23	85	.263
SP	Derek Clark, West Virginia, Sr.	8-3	3.23	14	13	4	1/2	0	97.2	83	38	35	23	91	.227
RP	AJ Causey, Tennessee, Jr.	13-3	3.77	17	6	0	0/0	1	86.0	82	43	36	19	117	.247
RP	Tyler Bremmer, UC Santa Barbara, So.	11-1	2.54	19	9	1	0/1	0	88.2	57	27	25	21	104	.182
RP	Mason Burns, Western Kentucky, Sr.	3-3	4.00	28	0	0	0/0	15	36.0	40	18	16	13	52	.270
RP	LP Langevin, Louisiana, Jr.^	6-1	3.73	23	3	0	0/2	7	62.2	40	27	26	33	106	.177
RP	Matthew Matthijs, North Carolina, So.	12-4	3.65	34	0	0	0/0	0	56.2	48	28	23	16	55	.233

*-Conference player of the year

^-Conference pitcher of the year

!-Conference defensive player of the year