



Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Coaches Association

**IWLCA Names Academic Squads and Merit Squads in Division III
Three schools designated as merit squads; 61 other schools also
honored**

The IWLCA has recognized three schools as earning Merit Squad status while 61 other earned Academic Squad honors for the 2010 season. Institutions were named Merit Squads by virtue of having one of the top three team GPAs for the season; every school with a team GPA of 3.0 or higher earned Academic Squad honors. Bates College ranked first with a 3.470 GPA, just edging Washington & Lee University, which posted a 3.458 GPA, and Vassar College, which had a 3.410.

Of the 64 institutions, 13 participated in the NCAA Championships, including NCAA runner-up Hamilton College and semifinalists Gettysburg College and Franklin & Marshall College.

Merit Squads

Bates College
Washington & Lee University
Vassar College

Academic Squads

Adrian College
Allegheny College
Alvernia University
Amherst College
Bates College
Bowdoin College
Bridgewater College
Bryn Mawr College
Buffalo State College
Castleton State College
The Catholic University of America
Centenary College (N.J.)
Colby College
College of Notre Dame of Maryland
Colorado College
Connecticut College
Denison University
Drew University
Eastern University
Franklin & Marshall College
Gettysburg College
Hamilton College
Haverford College
Immaculata University
Kenyon College
Lynchburg College
Manhattanville College
Marywood University

McDaniel College
Messiah College
Middlebury College
Mount Holyoke College
Muhlenberg College
Nazareth College
SUNY New Paltz
Oberlin College
Ohio Wesleyan University
SUNY Oneonta
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Rochester Inst. of Technology
University of Rochester
Rowan University
Saint Vincent College
Salve Regina University
Sewanee: The University of the South
Skidmore College
St. Lawrence University
St. Mary's College of Maryland
Stevens Institute of Technology
Swarthmore College
The College of New Jersey
Trinity College (CT)
Tufts University
Ursinus College
Vassar College
Virginia Wesleyan College
Washington and Lee University
Wellesley College
Wesleyan University
Western New England College
Wheaton College (Mass.)
Williams College
Wilson College
The College of Wooster