USTFCCCA names NCAA Division II Women’s All-Academic Team

Victoria Martinez of Adams State and Mandi Zemba of Grand Valley State are among the national champions named to the 2006 Division II USTFCCCA Women's All-Academic Track & Field Team.

The U.S. Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association (USTFCCCA) honors individuals and teams for their academic and athletic accomplishments during the indoor and outdoor track seasons. Forty-nine Division II women's teams had cumulative grade-point averages of 3.0 or higher.

Adams State, the third-place team at the 2006 NCAA Division II Outdoor Track and Field Championships at Emporia State, placed nine athletes on the All-Academic team. Martinez, the NCAA champion in the 800 and 1,500 meters, is joined by teammate Emily Mortensen, the national 10,000-meter winner.

Grand Valley State, the fourth-place team at the NCAA Division II outdoor meet, has 14 athletes on the All-Academic team, including Zemba, a double national champion in the 3,000 and 5,000 meters.

Other NCAA outdoor champions on the All-Academic Team are Holly Noller of Southern Illinois-Edwardsville (javelin) and Lesley Crutcher of Nebraska-Kearney (high jump).

South Dakota had the most athletes on the All-Academic team with 18.

To qualify for the USTFCCCA All-Academic Track & Field Team, an athlete must have a cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher and must have met the NCAA Division II national qualifying standard in her event.

2006 Division II USTFCCCA Women's All-Academic Teams:

Adams State College
Adelphi University
Albion College
Ashland University
Bellarmine University
Bryant University
California State University Stanislaus
Central Washington University
Chadron State College
Clarion University
Colorado School of Mines
Concordia University-St. Paul
Edinboro University
Emporia State University
Ferris State University
Fort Hays State University
Grand Valley State University
Harding University
Hillsdale College
Lock Haven University
Long Island University - C.W. Post Campus
Mansfield University
Michigan Tech University
Missouri Southern State University
Northern Kentucky University
Northern State University
Pittsburg State University
Saginaw Valley State University
Saint Martin's University
Seattle Pacific University
Sonoma State University
Stonehill College
Tiffin University
Truman State University
University of California San Diego
University of Colorado-Colorado Springs
University of Findlay
University of Massachusetts Lowell
University of Minnesota Duluth
University of Missouri Rolla
University of Nebraska Kearney
University of Nebraska Omaha
University of North Dakota
University of South Dakota
University of West Florida
University of Wisconsin Parkside
Wayne State College
West Chester University
Winona State University

2006 Division II USTFCCCA Women's All-Academic Track & Field Team (individuals):

Brittany Somers, Adams State College
Emily Mortensen, Adams State College
Heather Wood, Adams State College
Lavenna Mullenbach, Adams State College
Michelle Icban, Adams State College
Michelle Nelson, Adams State College
Tanya Gaurmer, Adams State College
Veronica Ramirez, Adams State College
Victoria Martinez, Adams State College
Ashlee Taylor, Angelo State University
Ashley Painter, Angelo State University
Culley Jo Dawson, Angelo State University
Daniela Swearingen, Angelo State University
Kandra Lakey, Angelo State University
Kasey Gierke, Angelo State University
Kyndel Howell, Angelo State University
Rachel Williams, Angelo State University
Alissa Klaehn, Ashland University
Amber Miller, Ashland University
Erin Stauffer, Ashland University
Jen Picucci, Ashland University
Jen Tinney, Ashland University
Mara Lee Albright, Ashland University
Michelle Stark, Ashland University
Natalie Coffey, Ashland University
Jenna Lillpop, Bellarmine University
Kathryn Hickey, Bellarmine University
Meghan Crowe, Bellarmine University
Damara Parrish, Bowie State University
Ricci Alleyne, Bowie State University
Carmen Franklin, California State Polytechnic University
Jamie Ray, California State Polytechnic University
Charissa Spears, California State University Stanislaus
Chelsea Gregorich-Evans, Central Washington University
Haley Amos, Central Washington University
Katie Hummel, Central Washington University
Lindy Mullen, Central Washington University
Marcie Mullen, Central Washington University
Rachel Bailey, Central Washington University
Terran Legard, Central Washington University
Amanda Owens, Chadron State College
Jacqueline Wells, Chadron State College
Mary Wells, Chadron State College
Amanda Maholtz, Clarion University
Diane Kress, Clarion University
Erin Richard, Clarion University
Keisha Perry, Clarion University
Tasha Wheatley, Clarion University
Hannah Davey Briggs, Colorado School of Mines
Melanie Peddle, Colorado School of Mines
Julie Nemergut, Edinboro University
Kelly Richards, Edinboro University
Rachel Lanzel, Edinboro University
Connie Philips, Emporia State University
Courtney Hurt, Emporia State University
Tanya Salter, University of South Dakota
Molly Fern Warner, University of Wisconsin Eau Claire
Jessica Lamp, University of Wisconsin Parkside
Jill Winkler, University of Wisconsin Parkside
Naomi Bong, University of Wisconsin Parkside
Valerie Kelly, University of Wisconsin Parkside
Lindsey Stockwell, Wayne State College
Rachel Roebke, Wayne State College
Tanna Walford, Wayne State College
Dana Glaviano, West Chester University
Nicole James, West Chester University
Agnes Kornoeraff, Western State College
Ashley Martinez, Western State College
Esther Komen, Western State College
Leora Jordan, Western State College
Shalee Keener, Western State College
Clara Cook, Western Washington University
Jessica Telleria, Western Washington University
Bria Magnuson, Winona State University
Deidra Faber, Winona State University
Gretchen Harty, Winona State University
Jessica Devine, Winona State University
Marissa Girolamo, Winona State University
Nicole Lonning, Winona State University