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MEN'S GOLF RECORD BOOK



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UNIVERSITY

Location:	Baton Rouge, La.
Founded:	1860
Enrollment:	31,414
Nickname:	Tigers or Fighting Tigers
Home Course:	The University Club (Par 72)
Mascot:	Mike VI (Live Bengal Tiger)
Colors:	Purple and Gold
Conference:	Southeastern
Affiliation:	NCAA Division I
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TEAM INFORMATION

2018-19 Record:	100-61
2018-19 SEC Finish:	9th
2018-19 NCAA Finish:	22nd
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:	8/2
Top Returnees:	Philip Barbaree (Sr.) Trey Winstead (Jr.)
Inaugural Season:	1932
Tournament Titles:	139
NCAA Championships:	5
SEC Championships:	16

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2019-20 MEN'S GOLF SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER

13-15	Maui Jim Intercollegiate	Scottsdale, Ariz.	The Mirabel GC
23-24	Inverness Intercollegiate	Toledo, Ohio	Inverness Club

OCTOBER

5-6	David Toms Intercollegiate	Shreveport, La.	Southern Trace CC
20-22	Tavistock Collegiate	Windermere, Fla.	Isleworth Golf & CC

JANUARY

27-28	Southwestern Invitational	Westlake Village, Calif.	North Ranch CC
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FEBRUARY

17-19	The Prestige	La Quinta, Calif.	PGA West
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MARCH

1-3	Cabo Collegiate	Cabo San Lucas, Mexico	Querencia GC
16-17	Valspar Collegiate	Palm City, Fla.	Floridian GC

APRIL

4-5	Aggie Invitational	Bryan, Texas	Traditions GC
13-14	Shoal Creek Invitational	Shoal Creek, Ala.	Shoal Creek GC
22-26	SEC Championship	St. Simons Island, Ga.	Sea Island GC

MAY

18-20	NCAA Regionals	Baton Rouge	University Club
May 29-June 3	NCAA Championships	Scottsdale, Ariz.	Grayhawk GC



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Why LSU?

"As far back as I can remember, I have literally bled purple and gold. It never crossed my mind that there was anywhere else to go other than LSU. The experiences and relationships that I developed at LSU have been an integral part of my life. No other colleges existed in my mind. I am fortunate to have attended a place that I considered a dream and look forward to my association with the University until the day I die."

David Toms
2001 PGA Champion
2018 U.S. Senior Open Champion
13-time PGA TOUR Winner

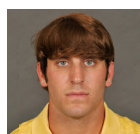


"I came to LSU to improve myself as a player and to have an awesome experience as a student-athlete. I was able to do both while playing for a great coach in Chuck Winstead and a great program he has continued to build at LSU. It really helped me get to where I am today."

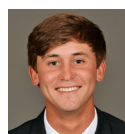


John Peterson
PGA TOUR Veteran
2011 NCAA Champion

"I've bled purple and gold from day one. I grew up an LSU fan in Baton Rouge, my parents went there and I had always wanted to go to school there. I had that opportunity when it came down to deciding where I wanted to continue my career. It's the best University on the planet, and I'm proud to call it my home."



Andrew Loupe
PGA TOUR Veteran
2-time NCAA All-American



Smylie Kaufman
PGA TOUR Veteran
PGA TOUR Winner



Andrew Loupe



David Toms



John Peterson



Smylie Kaufman



University CLUB



For more than a decade, the LSU men's and women's golf teams have called University Club home. The course received the honor of being ranked the 13th-best home for college golf in the country, according to a survey published in the September 2005 issue of *Golf Digest*. The evaluation by *Golf Digest* ranked the Top 15 home courses in college golf, and included such criteria as shot values, resistance to scoring, course layout and design, memorability and conditioning.

After undergoing extensive renovations in 2010, the home of LSU's nationally-ranked men's and women's programs features a newly-designed par-72 layout that will serve as an impressive showpiece for generations to come.

The course at the University Club was redesigned under the guidance of LSU

legend and PGA TOUR pro David Toms and renowned golf course architect Jim Lipe, who designed the original University Club in 1998. The course is carved into nearly 300 acres of land just seven miles south of the LSU campus on Nicholson Drive.

It came as no surprise that the University Club was selected as an NCAA Men's Golf Regional host site during the 2013 season, marking the first time in the illustrious history of the LSU Men's Golf program that the Tigers served as hosts to an NCAA postseason tournament on its home course. The men's team again played host to NCAA Regional competition in the spring of 2017 during which the Tigers were crowned NCAA Baton Rouge Regional Champions, while the Lady Tigers hosted a women's regional in 2015.

The challenging 18-hole, par-72 course at University Club plays to 7,700 yards from its championship tees and features wide fairways bordered by pine hammocks and native grasses, in addition to 2,000 feet of beautiful bulkhead. Four additional sets of tees are also available for players of all ages and skill levels.

In addition, the lake areas have been increased by 110,000 cubic yards in total and more than 500 trees have been added throughout the course to provide a challenging test of golf for anyone playing the University Club.

Not only that, but the course now has one of the most impressive finishing holes in golf as the 18th hole on the back nine features a new championship "Tiger" tee with a beautiful six-foot high wood bulkhead. The lake was expanded near the green, where an additional 180 feet of bulkhead was also added.

The course was built on land donated to the Tiger Athletic Foundation and subsequently leased to The University Club. The original vision that drove University Club's development was having a premier course that would provide a place for TAF members to play, as well as a home for the men's and women's golf teams at LSU.

The course opened for members on Oct. 22, 1998. The swimming and tennis facility adjacent to the course opened in the summer of 2000.

The Tiger Athletic Foundation is a private, non-profit corporation that serves as the fund-raising and development arm of the LSU athletics department. Each year, the TAF underwrites scholarship and academics awards, as well as capital development projects for LSU athletics.



Bilyeu Golf PRACTICE FACILITY

On April 15, 2011, the former LSU Golf House was renamed the Bilyeu Golf Practice Facility in honor of Mary and Woody Bilyeu following their generous donation toward the redesign of the new University Club and practice facility.

Donations raised by the Tiger Athletic Foundation allowed for extensive renovations to the University Club and practice facility in 2010, creating a more challenging venue for collegiate golfers while attracting championship level events to the University Club. The NCAA subsequently awarded the University Club the honor of serving as one of six host sites for the 2013 NCAA Division I Men's Golf Regionals.

The Bilyeu Golf Practice Facility first opened in the fall of 2002 to rave reviews from players, coaches and members of the athletic administration alike. This \$850,000 facility funded by TAF functions

primarily as a golf-learning center for the LSU men's and women's teams where student-athletes are able to improve their skills at one of the nation's best practice facilities.

The Bilyeu Practice Facility features a lavish meeting room, office space for both the men's and women's coaching staffs and an area devoted to equipment repair and storage. It also includes locker rooms, an indoor driving range with two hitting bays and a state-of-the-art learning center which can utilize the latest technology and video analysis to benefit each player's development in a classroom setting.

Outside the facility is a practice tee box that measures 100 yards in length, a brand new wedge game area built in 2007 and a 10,000-square-foot putting and pitching green surrounded by practice bunkers where players are able to practice in a

spacious environment.

Chuck Winstead, who is the head coach of the men's golf team and a Top 100 Teacher according to Golf Magazine, believes that having such a facility is essential in the development of his players and is evidence that LSU is committed to running a first-class program.

"The facility offers our student-athletes an environment second to none to excel and reach their potential," Winstead said. "The combination of state-of-the-art technology to work on their game combined with our indoor putting area to fine-tune their stroke enables our players to maximize their ability. We are able to utilize the tools we have to get the best out of each player and teach them in a comfortable setting."





TrackMan

LSU utilizes TrackMan technology to improve each player's game with properly-fitted equipment tailored to their specific needs. Each player is able to obtain exact yardages for each club in his bag while measuring various aspects of his swing, such as launch angle, spin rate, attack angle, clubhead speed, ball speed and much more.

Practice FACILITIES

CONFERENCE ROOM ►

The lavish conference room at the LSU Golf House enables the LSU coaching staff and players to meet in a quiet, spacious area.

LOCKER ROOM ▼

The new Tiger locker room includes space for all the players to dress and store their equipment.

VIDEO ANALYSIS

LSU head coach Chuck Winstead teaches his players using state-of-the-art video technology that is second to none.



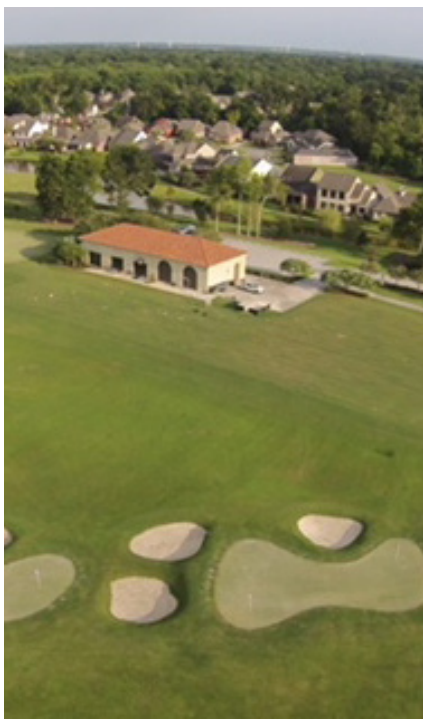
An inside view of the luxurious meeting and conference room.





WEDGE GAME

The practice facilities at the Bilyeu Golf Practice Facility feature a wedge-game area with three target greens, each measuring 2,000 square feet. Players can fine tune their wedge game by hitting shots from all lies and angles up to 120 yards as the greens are guarded by rough and five bunkers. The project, designed by LSU alumni David Toms, Jim Lipe and Chuck Winstead, was completed in the summer of 2007.



PUTTING GREEN

In addition to building a new wedge game area, recent renovations to the practice facilities at The Bilyeu Golf Practice Facility saw the completion of a brand new putting green measuring 10,000 square feet along with an existing putting green measuring 14,000 square feet that has been overseeded with bent grass. In all, the improvements to the practice facilities at the Bilyeu Golf Practice Facility are estimated at \$150,000.



TEE BOX

Members of the LSU men's and women's golf teams have the opportunity to practice in a spacious environment as the Bilyeu Golf Practice Facility features a large tee box measuring 100 yards in length.



SAM PuttLab

The SAM (Science and Motion) PuttLab uses the same basic principles as TrackMan technology, but with putting. The Tigers are able to fine tune their putting stroke from the feedback SAM provides about the angle of the putter face at set up, impact and through the stroke.

Club Repair

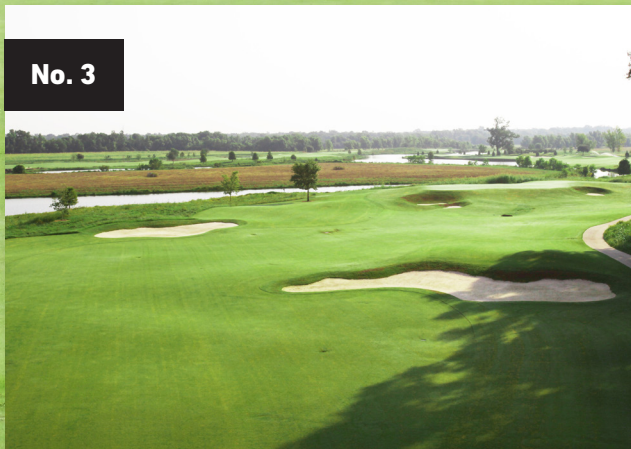
The Bilyeu Golf Practice Facility is blessed with a state-of-the-art club repair room that allows the players to re-grip clubs, re-shaft clubs and check and change the lies and lofts of each club, including woods and putters, to ensure your set is where you want it.



No. 2



No. 3



University Club Hole-By-Hole

In its original state, through the summer of 2009, the University Club played at just over 7,200 yards from its Tiger Tees and just over 6,000 yards for the early LSU Women's Golf Classics. Now the course measures out at a hefty 7,700 yards from the Tiger Tees

and an impressive 6,602 yards from member tees.

Here are some characteristics of the course and pictures of the holes (tees are listed in the following order: Tiger-Scratch-Member-Senior-Ladies/Juniors).

Distances

Tiger Tee – 3892-3808 – 7700
Scratch – 3648-3586 – 7234
Member -- 3377-3225 – 6602

Senior – 3043-2935 – 5978
Ladies/Juniors – 2660-2643 -- 5303

No. 1 – Par 4 – 456-402-385-349-274

A championship tee lengthened the hole by 50 yards. The former waste bunker on the left side was replaced by an area of pine hammock and several trees planted in the right rough. On the approach shot, players have to watch for a grass hollow that replaced greenside bunkers.

No. 2 – Par 4 – 447-435-382-324-312

A good hole that didn't need a lot of change. Two bunkers tempt those looking to carry a drive and the raised left side of the green creates a top shelf pin placement.

No. 3 – Par 5 – 673-632-578-542-496

Can you say long? The No. 1 handicap hole on the course had 53 yards added to its Tiger distance and features native grass areas down both sides of a fairway that was much easier to hit. The water has been expanded off the tee, replacing the old fairway bunker. The elevated green makes a more demanding approach.

No. 1



**No. 4 – Par 4 – 375-341-315-288-231**

This was a short par-four that some long hitters could put the ball at the edge of the green with an accurate drive. That task is a little tougher as the left side water now extends into the fairway. The green has been extended back for an additional hole location.

No. 5 – Par 3 – 189-172-155-137-96

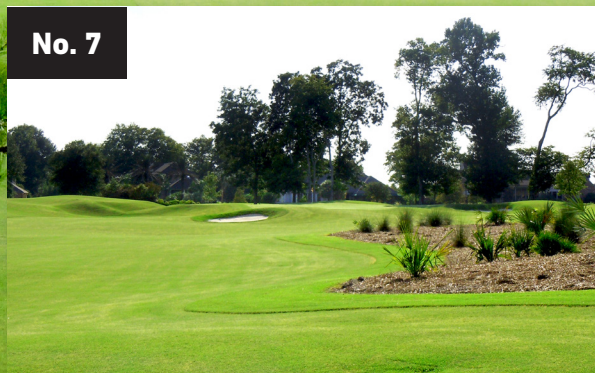
This picturesque par-three loses the wide bail-out area on the right as you look from the tee. The lake extends closer to the green making accuracy everything from the tee box.

No. 6 – Par 5 – 573-554-522-478-450

This hole has a whole new identity with a new lake down the entire length of the hole. A creek also crosses the fairway, directly in the landing zone of most hitters. The creek extends into a pond at the green making the approach shot more demanding.

No. 9

No. 7



No. 7 – Par 4 – 471-457-431-401-349

The beginning of a tough stretch of three holes to close the front nine. Native grasses replaced the wetlands in front of the tee box. A fairway bunker has been added and a grass hollow is now left of the green.

No. 8 – Par 3 – 222-188-166-130-107

The long par-three eighth hole has undergone a complete renovation. The tee box has been reshaped and elevated by seven feet. The water on the hole has expanded to the front left of the green. The putting surface has been reshaped with three new bunkers.

No. 9 – Par 4 – 486-467-443-394-345

The second-longest par-four on the course has several trees down the right side. Waste bunkers have been replaced by pine hammock areas and native grass comes into play on the left side. The result is a tighter landing area to try to place a drive.

No. 8





No. 11

No. 10



No. 10 – Par 4 – 484-444-402-354-327
 Golfers will notice the trees down the left side that give the hole definition. The approach shot will have to avoid pine hammocks short and right of the green.

No. 11 – Par 5 – 567-557-516-484-429
 This long par-five has native dunes on the left side. A fairway bunker in the middle of the fairway that is 110 yards out from the green will cause approach problems. The water down the right has been extended close to the newly-elevated green, placing a premium on getting the ball to the hole.

No. 12 – Par 4 – 422-410-368-350-307
 Several trees will cause problems with errant drives on both sides of the hole. A new sand bunker has replaced a grass bunker in front of the green. An accurate tee shot is a must.

No. 13



No. 14



No. 13 – Par 3 – 209-179-151-141-119

This has always been one of the best holes on the course. Some trees have been added and the green expanded to add hole locations. A straightforward tee shot is necessary with severe bunkers on the left side of the green.

No. 14 – Par 4 – 460-448-404-351-317

One of the more intimidating holes on the course with an uncompromising dogleg left leaving little room for error off the tee. Water has been extended into the fairway on the left side and pine hammocks down the right. The green has been expanded to the back and to the right.

No. 15 – Par 4 – 365-347-327-287-244

This hole probably had some of the biggest changes on the golf course. There is a new elevated tee box and the right side of the hole features mounding with native grasses. The fairway has been reshaped and bunkers added on the left. The hole has the potential to be played as a drivable par-four.

No. 15





No. 16

No. 17

**No. 16 – Par 3 – 253-215-167-144-117**

This hole now could play 250 yards over water from the Tiger tee as opposed to the former distance of 188 yards. The existing green has been expanded to the right to allow more hole locations. Water has been added to the right of the green.

No. 17 – Par 5 – 551-528-501-452-443

The hole has several trees down the right side of the entire hole. The water on the left expands toward the fairway approaching the hole. A lake at the green makes an accurate approach imperative. Long hitters can reach the green in two.

No. 18 – Par 4 – 497-458-389-372-340

The U-Club's signature hole is one of the best finishing holes in the state. Native grasses are both right and left on this dogleg left hole. The lake, which has always been in play off the tee, has been expanded near the green, replacing the left greenside bunker. There is 180 feet of bulkhead bordering the left side of the green.



Philip Barbaree had a career year in 2018-19 with a career low 71.48 strokes per round

2018-19 INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

PLAYER	TOURNAMENTS	ROUNDS	STROKES	AVERAGE	LOW ROUND	RDS PAR OR BETTER	TOP 10s
Philip Barbaree	12	33	2,359	71.48	66	17	3
Luis Gagne	11	30	2,147	71.57	62	14	4
Trey Winstead	11	30	2,172	72.40	68	13	2
Michael Sanders	9	24	1,743	72.63	67	12	2
Chris Woollam	2	6	439	73.17	68	3	1
Garrett Barber	10	26	1,909	73.42	66	10	2
Nathan Jeansonne	11	28	2,056	73.43	65	12	1
Carter Toms	2	6	448	74.67	68	1	0
Hayden White	1	3	231	77.00	71	1	0
Drew Gonzales	1	3	234	78.00	77	0	0

2018-19 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

DATE	TOURNAMENT	LSU FINISH	LSU SCORE
Sept. 7-9	Carpet Capital Collegiate Classic	t-7th (15) Host: Rocky Face, Ga.	296-292-285--873 (+9) Course: The Farm Golf Club
Sept. 21-23	Maui Jim Intercollegiate	3rd (14) Host: Scottsdale, Ariz.	263-274-280--817 (-23) Course: The Mirabel Golf Club
Oct. 6-7	David Toms Intercollegiate	1st (13) Host: Baton Rouge, La.	282-281-280--843 (-21) Course: University Club
Oct. 21-23	Tavistock Collegiate Invitational	5th (15) Host: Windermere, Fla.	292-286-284--862 (-2) Course: Isleworth Golf Club
Feb. 18-20	The Prestige	1st (15) Host: La Quinta, Calif.	279-280-279--838 (-14) Course: PGA West (Greg Norman Course)
March 4-6	Querencia Cabo Collegiate	6th (13) Host: Cabo San Lucas, Mexico	289-286-288--863 (+11) Course: Querencia Golf Course
March 17-18	Valspar Collegiate	11th (15) Host: Palm City, Fla.	289-272-292--853 (+1) Course: Floridian Golf Course
April 15-16	Shoal Creek Invitational	2nd (15) Host: Birmingham, Ala.	285-290-295--870 (+6) Course: Shoal Creek Country Club
April 24-26	SEC Championship	9th (14) Host: St. Simons Island, Ga.	282-282-293--857 (+17) Course: Seaside Golf Course
May 13-15	NCAA Stanford Regional	5th (13) Host: Stanford, Calif.	287-273-282--842 (+2) Course: Stanford Golf Course
May 24-26	NCAA Championship	t-22nd (30) Host: Fayetteville, Ark.	308-302-297--907 (+43) Course: The Blessings Golf Course



Trey Winstead

PHILIP BARBAREE

Carpet Capital Collegiate	75-72-73-220 (t34)
Maui Jim Intercollegiate	67-67-69-203 (t12)
David Toms Intercollegiate	70-69-74-213 (5)
Tavistock Collegiate Invitational	75-71-72-218 (t22)
The Prestige at PGA West	73-69-66-208 (t3)
Querencia Cabo Collegiate	75-68-72-215 (t22)
Valspar Collegiate	73-68-74-215 (t37)
Shoal Creek Invitational	67-71-76-214 (t4)
SEC Championships	74-69-76-219 (t41)
NCAA Stanford Regional	68-68-75-211 (t17)
NCAA Championships	76-74-73-223 (t43)

GARRETT BARBER

Carpet Capital Collegiate	77-75-72-224 (t53)
David Toms Intercollegiate	70-73-68-211 (3)
Tavistock Collegiate Invitational	73-77-76-226 (56)
The Prestige at PGA West	68-76-71-215 (t14)
Querencia Cabo Collegiate	74-72-71-217 (t26)
Valspar Collegiate	70-66-75-211 (t21)
Shoal Creek Invitational	69-76-72-217 (t9)
SEC Championships	80-72-83-235 (69)
NCAA Championships	77-76-153 (154)*

*Played final two rounds

LUIS GAGNE

Maui Jim Intercollegiate	62-70-70-202 (t6)
David Toms Intercollegiate	73-75-72-220 (t13)
Tavistock Collegiate Invitational	77-72-73-222 (t13)
The Prestige at PGA West	71-69-71-211 (t6)
Querencia Cabo Collegiate	69-72-68-209 (t7)
Valspar Collegiate	72-67-75-214 (t33)
Shoal Creek Invitational	76-73-73-222 (t31)
SEC Championships	68-72-71-211 (t16)
NCAA Stanford Regional	71-66-70-207 (t10)
NCAA Championships	75-77-77-229 (t77)

DREW GONZALES

David Toms Intercollegiate	78-77-79-234 (t60)
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NATHAN JEANSONNE

Carpet Capital Collegiate	72-77-69-218 (t24)
Maui Jim Intercollegiate	65-70-71-206 (t20)
David Toms Intercollegiate	71-82-69-222 (t18)
The Prestige at PGA West	69-70-73-212 (t8)
Querencia Cabo Collegiate	71-74-77-222 (t40)
Valspar Collegiate	75-71-76-222 (t63)
Shoal Creek Invitational	77-78-76-231 (t66)
SEC Championships	71-69-75-215 (t26)
NCAA Stanford Regional	74-79-70-223 (t67)
NCAA Championships	85*

*Played only the first round of the NCAA Championships

MICHAEL SANDERS

Carpet Capital Collegiate	78-72-71-221 (t41)
Maui Jim Intercollegiate	69-67-71-207 (t24)
David Toms Intercollegiate	77-67-68-212 (4)
Tavistock Collegiate Invitational	69-74-67-210 (t14)
Querencia Cabo Collegiate	76-76-82-234 (t61)
Shoal Creek Invitational	68-74-77-219 (t18)
NCAA Stanford Regional	74-70-69-213 (t27)
NCAA Championships	80-76-71-227 (t77)

CARTER TOMS

Maui Jim Intercollegiate	74-68-74-216 (t61)
David Toms Intercollegiate	76-80-76-232 (t55)

HAYDEN WHITE

David Toms Intercollegiate	80-71-80-231 (t48)
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TREY WINSTEAD

Carpet Capital Collegiate	72-73-74-219 (t27)
Maui Jim Intercollegiate	71-72-70-213 (t48)
David Toms Intercollegiate	68-70-71-209 (1)
Tavistock Collegiate Invitational	75-69-72-216 (t17)
The Prestige at PGA West	71-72-71-214 (t11)
Valspar Collegiate	74-74-68-216 (t40)
Shoal Creek Invitational	73-70-74-217 (t9)
SEC Championships	69-75-71-215 (t26)
NCAA Stanford Regional	77-69-73-219 (t57)
NCAA Championships	77-80-77-234 (t119)

CHRIS WOOLAM

David Toms Intercollegiate	68-72-70-210 (2)
The Prestige at PGA West	78-74-77-229 (t63)

OVERALL RECORD: 100-61

Carpet Capital Collegiate Classic	296-292-285--873 (+9)	7th of 15
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David Toms Intercollegiate	282-281-280--843 (-21)	1st of 13
Tavistock Collegiate Invitational	292-286-284--862 (-2)	5th of 15
The Prestige at PGA West	279-280-279--838 (-14)	1st of 15
Querencia Cabo Collegiate	289-286-288--863 (+11)	6th of 13
Valspar Collegiate Invitational	289-272-292--853 (+1)	11th of 15
Shoal Creek Invitational	285-290-295--870 (+6)	2nd of 15
SEC Championships	282-282-293--857 (+17)	9th of 14
NCAA Stanford Regional	287-273-282--842 (+2)	5th of 13
NCAA Championships	308-302-297--907 (+43)	22nd of 30

Shinnecock Hills, N.Y. - The LSU men's golf program had a strong presence at the 2018 U.S. Open at the Shinnecock Hills Country Club with four players in the field. Luis Gagne, Philip Barbaree, Jacob Bergeron and Sam Burns all won their sectionals to advance to what is considered the most difficult major of the year.

The journey for the four started at local qualifying with 9,049 entries that entered for a chance to make the 156-man field for the U.S. Open. The trio of current players made it to sectionals, where they each medaled, competing against the best amateurs and pros in the world. Rising senior Luis Gagne fired 68-70 to win his sectional, while junior-to-be Philip Barbaree and emerging sophomore Jacob Bergeron carded 11-under-par 133 to grab their sectional. Burns carded rounds of 62-66 to garner medalist honors at his sectional in Memphis.

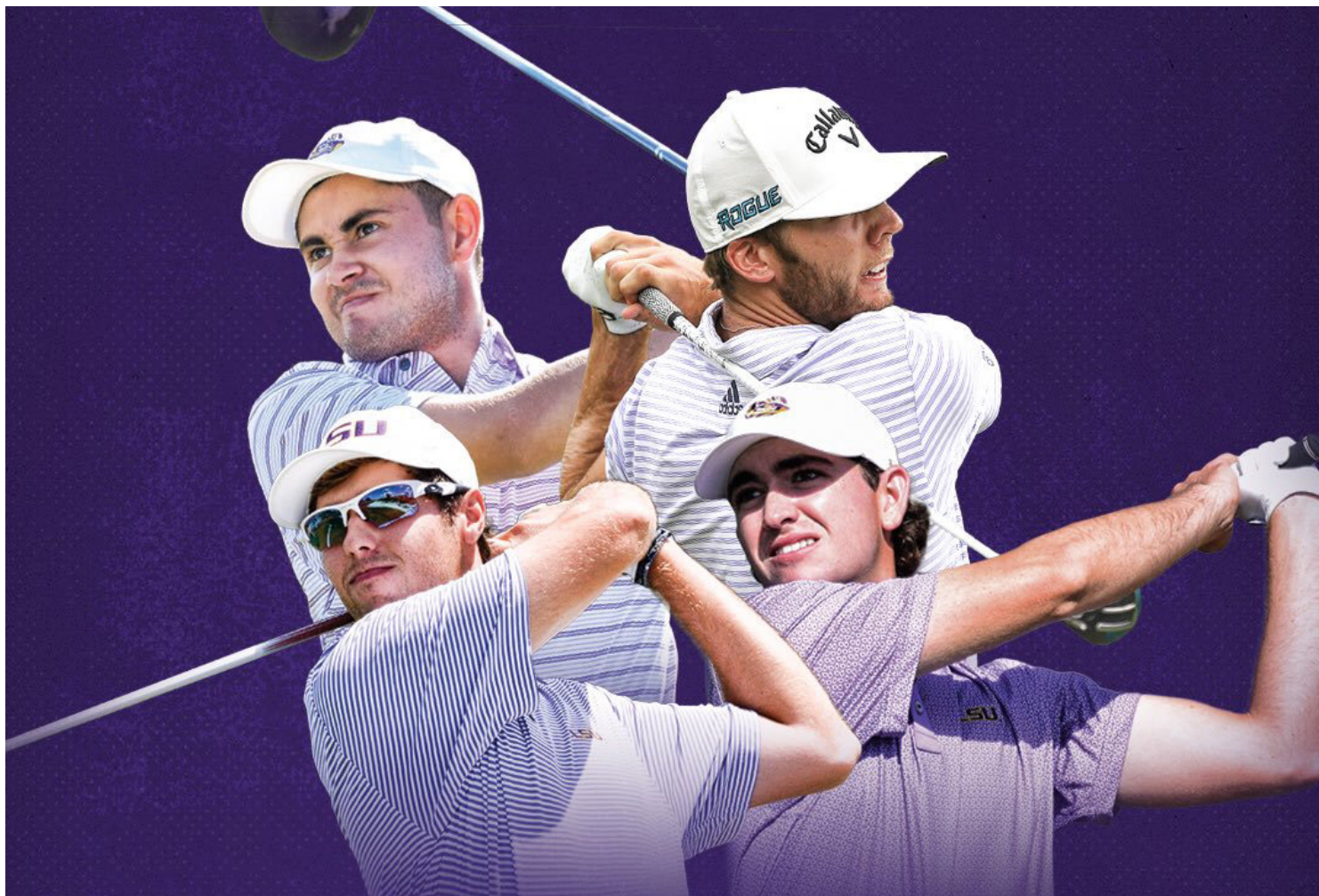
Gagne fired a final round 74 on June 17 to earn a share of the low amateur title with Matt Parziale.

Entering the fourth and final day of competition at the grueling setup of Shinnecock Hills, Gagne trailed Parziale by one stroke when he teed off on Sunday. After bogeying the par 3 second hole, Gagne strung together an impressive display of golf over the next seven holes on the front nine. Following his bogey on two, Gagne registered four straight pars before birdieing the par 3 seventh. Having 180 yards in between him and the pin, Gagne dotted his iron shot on the par 3 to a little bit over three and a half feet. He rolled that putt in for his only birdie of the day. He went on to par the eighth and ninth holes to finish the front nine with 35 strokes.



Gagne came home in 39 strokes to finish off his round with a 4-over par 74. His four-round total came out to a 16-over par 296 that earned him an overall finish in a tie for 48th place. The righty excelled off the tee and with the flat stick all week long. His 118 putts during the tourney was the fourth-best putting effort of the tournament, and he hit 75 percent of fairways off the tee to help him finish inside the top 30 in that category.

Sam Burns finished the four-day tournament in a four-way tie for 41st with a 14-over par 294. Burns' final round saw him shoot a 2-over par 72 that featured two birdies, 12 pars and four bogeys. The tie for 41st place is the best finish for Burns at a major tournament. Barbaree and Bergeron did not make the cut.



DAVID TOMS

Turned Professional: 1989
 Joined PGA TOUR: 1992
 Best Finish: 1st (13 times)
 Career Earnings: \$44,667,962

PGA TOUR VICTORIES

1997 Quad City Classic
 1999 Sprint International
 1999 Buick Challenge
 2000 Michelob Championship at Kingsmill
 2001 Compaq Classic of New Orleans
 2001 PGA Championship
 2001 Michelob Championship at Kingsmill
 2003 Wachovia Championship
 2003 FedEx St. Jude Classic
 2004 FedEx St. Jude Classic
 2005 WGC-Accenture Match Play Championship
 2006 Sony Open
 2011 Crowne Plaza Invitational

CHAMPIONS TOUR VICTORIES

2018 U.S. Senior Open

PGA TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

13 career PGA TOUR victories
 2018 U.S. Senior Open Champion
 2001 PGA Champion
 2002, 2004 and 2006 Ryder Cup team member
 2003, 2005, 2007 and 2011 Presidents Cup team member
 Led the U.S. squad with a 4-0-1 record at The Presidents Cup in 2007
 Has finished Top 10 in major championships 11 times in his PGA TOUR career
 Ranks No. 16 in career PGA TOUR earnings with \$41,838,216 as of Dec. 20, 2018





ANDREW LOUPE

Turned Professional:	2011
Joined PGA TOUR:	2013
Best PGA Finish:	T-3rd (2016 CareerBuilder Challenge)
Best Web.com Finish:	1st (2015 Nationwide Children's Hospital Championship)

ZACH WRIGHT



Turned Professional:	2016
Joined Web.com Tour:	2017
Best Finish:	T-68th (United Leasing & Finance Championship)
Best Mackenzie Tour Finish:	2nd (3 times)
Lethbridge Paradise Canyon Open, GolfBC Championship, Freedom Financial Open	

SMYLIE KAUFMAN



Turned Professional:	2014
Joined PGA TOUR:	2015
Best PGA Finish:	1st (2015 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open)
Best Web.com Finish:	1st (2015 United Leasing Championship Presented by PTI)

CURTIS THOMPSON

Turned Professional: 2014
 Joined Web.com Tour: 2014
 Best Finish: T-3rd (2016 Panama Claro
 Championship)



BEN TAYLOR

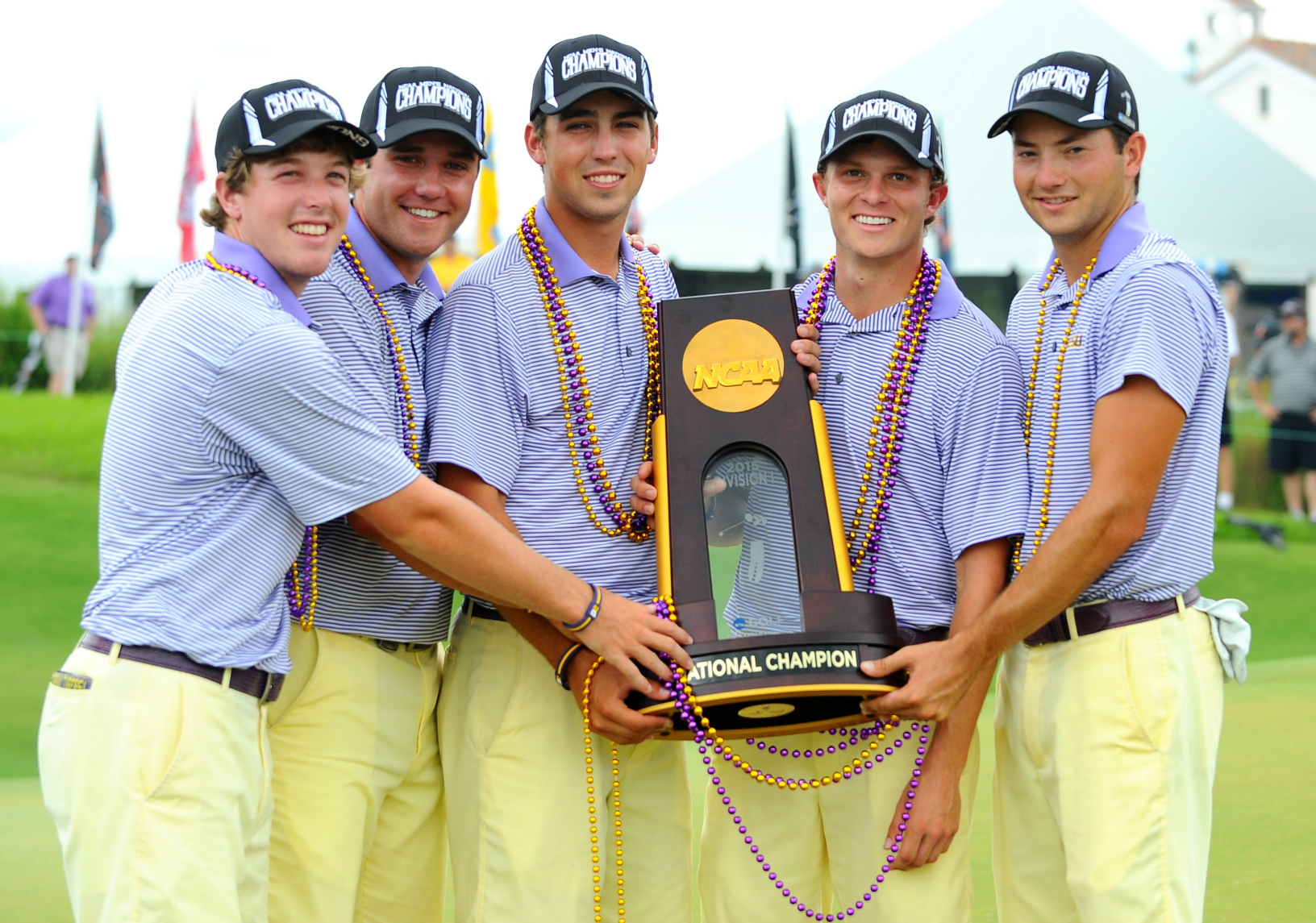
Turned Professional: 2015
 Best Web.com Finish: 1st (2018 Club Colombia
 Championship)
 Earned PGA Tour Card for 2019-2020 season



SAM BURNS

Turned Professional: 2017
 Best PGA Finish: T-3rd (2018 Sanderson
 Farms Championship)
 Best Web.com Finish: 2nd (2018 Club Colombia
 Championship)
 PGA Tour member since 2018-19 season





National Champions!

Tigers Tame Trojans for NCAA Championship

Just as he did in the national semifinal against Georgia, LSU's senior All-American Ben Taylor scored the deciding point by rolling in a nine-foot par putt at the par-four 18th hole to claim a 1-up victory over USC's Bobby Gojuangco and hand the Tigers their fifth national championship with a 4-1 victory over the Trojans.

With All-SEC standouts Zach Wright and Brandon Pierce already in the clubhouse with match wins of their own and watching nearby, Taylor made it 3-for-3 for the Tigers in the 2015 NCAA Championship Match by coming from behind on the back nine to defeat Gojuangco on the final hole and seal LSU's victory.

Pierce put the first point on the board for the Tigers with a 2-and-1 win over Rico Hoey, while Wright followed with a 3-and-2 victory over Sean Crocker to push LSU's advantage to 2-0 as Taylor played the 18th hole.

With All-SEC sophomore Eric Ricard defeating Jonah Teixeira by a 1-up margin and senior All-American Stewart Jolly going 1-down to Eric Sugimoto, the Tigers were crowned national champions for the fifth time in team history with a 4-1 victory over the No. 5-seeded Trojans in the title match. They captured their first NCAA Championship in 60 years after also being crowned champions in 1940, 1942, 1947 and 1955.

"I'm just so proud of these guys," said LSU head coach Chuck Winstead of his team winning the national championship for the 2015 season. "It's hard to get into a position to even have a chance to win this tournament, and then when you show up out here today and you still have the resolve to play the way we did, I'm very proud of the guys on this team."

"There are a lot of people at LSU that care about men's golf, and really the athletic department, so having graduated from LSU and being a Tiger, it's very special. The supporters at LSU and the administration have very much supported us these 10 years. We didn't do this by ourselves, so I think it means quite a lot. They've invested."

Taylor scored the third and deciding point to send the Tigers into the NCAA Championship Match a day before when he defeated Georgia's Zach Healy by a 2-up margin on the 18th green in their semifinal match.

The 18th hole was again the site of LSU's match decider when Taylor rolled in his par putt from nine feet to close out his match with Gojuangco by a narrow 1-up scoreline and deliver the title to Baton Rouge for the first time in 60 years. But it was a match very much in the balance as Taylor found himself 1-down to his Trojan opponent after 16 holes and both players heading to the par-five 17th.

Taylor went up by as many as two holes early on the back nine as he opened the side with a par at the par-four 10th hole to extend his lead, then dropped three-straight at Nos. 11-13 to fall 1-down to Gojuangco late in the match. That's where he remained as both players put their drives in good positions in the fairway on the reachable 17th.

Knowing that his opponent would likely make birdie, Taylor addressed his ball and fired a 4-iron from 258 yards to within five feet of the hole where he would knock down his putt for eagle and square the match.

"Surprisingly not too bad," Taylor said of his nerves as he prepared to hit his second shot into the 17th green. "Before I hit my shot Coach (Chuck Win-

stead) asked me, 'Are you having fun?' It was hard to say no because it was a lot of fun. It was a perfect club, a perfect yardage, and we knew it was going to be a good shot. To see it run up that tier and go to the back of that green by that back pin was pretty special."

Gojuangco's bogey at No. 18 then opened the door for Taylor to seal the title for the Tigers as he buried his par putt after leaving his first putt well short of the cup from the back-left side of the green.

"It was a perfect moment to end a perfect college career, and I couldn't be happier. I'm emotional and don't even know what else to say. It's been a great day, and what a finish to my college career. I'm so happy, just a great feeling," Taylor shared with Golf Channel's Angela Hamann after the victory. "At first on the birdie putt, we knew that a two-putt was likely going to be good enough to win the national championship, but it was obviously a very fast putt that I left short. I had that putt in the practice round, about 10 feet down the hill. We had the line and I just had to put a good stroke on it."

Like Taylor, Pierce and Wright both ended their time at Concession Golf Club unbeaten in match play at the NCAA Championships to help lead the Tigers to the team title on a Wednesday afternoon that will live long in the memory. Pierce took down Hoey 2-and-1 to finish 2-0-1, while Wright closed out Crocker 3-and-2 to match Taylor's perfect 3-0 record for the week.

Pierce trailed only briefly in his match after making bogey at the par-four second hole to go 1-down to Hoey early on. He rebounded quickly with a birdie at the par-four fifth hole, before extending his lead to 2-up with a birdie at the par-four 12th hole and 3-up with an eagle at the par-five 13th hole. Despite falling back to 2-up with a bogey at the par-four 15th, Pierce held on for a 2-and-1 win for LSU's first point in the match.

Pierce handed Hoey his only defeat in three matches while running his own record to 2-0-1 after also defeating Vanderbilt's Theo Humphrey 1-up in the quarterfinal round and squaring his match with Georgia's Sepp Straka after 18 holes in the semifinal. It was an exclamation point onto the end of what was an All-American spring season for the Tiger sophomore.

Wright led the Tigers into the final eight of match play at the NCAA Championships in each of the 2014 and 2015 seasons while posting a perfect 5-0 mark against the nation's best.

With his match against Crocker remaining all square through 13 holes, it was clear that Wright would have a say in which team would take home the national championship when he stepped up for his tee shot at No. 14 with just five holes to play. Wright then stormed to victory down the stretch when he made back-to-back pars at No. 14 and No. 15 and a birdie at the par-four 16th hole for a comfortable 3-and-2 win in the end.

It proved to be an outstanding championship for Wright as he not only tied for 11th place to match Pierce as the top Tiger in 72 holes of stroke play, but he also captured LSU's highest winning margins in the quarterfinal and semifinal rounds of match play on Tuesday with a 4-and-2 win over Vanderbilt's Carson Jacobs and a 7-and-6 victory over Georgia's Mookie DeMoss en route to the championship match.

"Absolutely. I mean, I can be more aggressive so it definitely is not like a fear of losing," Wright said of his ability to play his best golf in match play. "Because you only lose one hole, you don't lose multiple strokes to the field. We came here on a mission to try and win this."

A fourth LSU Tiger in the lineup also remained unbeaten in match play as Ricard showed the nerves of a seasoned veteran while playing in his first career NCAA Championship. After finishing all square with Vanderbilt's Zack Jaworski in the quarterfinal and scoring a decisive 4-and-3 victory over Georgia's Greyson Sigg in the semifinal round, Ricard finished the title match against Teixeira 1-up as they were called off the course after 16 holes once Taylor had sealed the match and the championship for the Tigers.

Ricard also left Concession Golf Club with an unbeaten 2-0-1 mark in his NCAA Championship debut as he will team with Pierce and Wright in providing the Tigers with a strong foundation in the lineup as they look to be NCAA Champions once again in 2016 as they are sure to return one of the strongest teams in all of college golf in the spring.

Jolly might have dropped his match to USC's Sugimoto in the final, but the two-time All-SEC pick and All-American had nothing but great memories when looking back on his final NCAA Championship.

"It means a lot," Jolly shared of going out a national champion in his final tournament as a Tiger. "I'm out there playing with my brothers, and just couldn't be more proud of them. This is what we worked for all year this year. We've worked so hard for this. The semifinals last year definitely stung a bit, and we came out here with a chip on our shoulder and got it done this year."

The Tigers not only made history by winning their fifth national champi-

onship on the links in school history, but they also tied a team record with five wins in a season as they matched their single-season mark with five wins that was previously set during the 1959-60 season. The 2015 SEC Champions and NCAA Champions also took home the title from the Golfweek Conference Challenge (Sept. 14-16), David Toms Intercollegiate (Oct. 4-5) and Talis Park Challenge (March 15-16) during the 2014-15 campaign.

By taking home the team title in the 2015 NCAA Championship Match, the Tigers also won LSU's 47th national championship in school history as one of the most decorated athletic programs in all of college athletics.

NCAA Championship Match

Final Results – No. 7 LSU def. No. 5 USC, 4-1

Brandon Pierce (LSU) def. Rico Hoey (USC), 2&1

Ben Taylor (LSU) def. Bobby Gojuangco (USC), 1-up

Zach Wright (LSU) def. Sean Crocker (USC), 3&2

Eric Ricard (LSU) def. Jonah Teixeira (USC), 1-up

Eric Sugimoto (USC) def. Stewart Jolly (LSU), 1-up





National Champions!

Tigers Defeat Bulldogs in National Semifinals

After knocking off No. 2 seed Vanderbilt by a 3.5-1.5 margin in the national quarterfinals earlier in the day, the Tigers defeated No. 3 seed Georgia by the same scoreline in their semifinal match in the afternoon to advance to the NCAA Championship Match at the 2015 NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championships.

The Tigers earned the right to play for their first NCAA title in 60 years where they would meet the No. 5-seeded USC Trojans in the NCAA Championship Match airing live on Golf Channel.

The Trojans defeated No. 1 seed Illinois by an identical score of 3.5-1.5 in their national semifinal to set up a title tilt with LSU in the final. While competing as the No. 5 seed in match play, USC opened with a comfortable 4-0 win over No. 4 seed Texas in the quarterfinal round.

Senior All-American Ben Taylor scored the deciding point for the Tigers to send the team into the NCAA Championship Match as he defeated Georgia's Zach Healy by a 2-up margin with a strong finish on the back nine.

Second-Team All-SEC performers Zach Wright and Eric Ricard both cruised to comfortable victories over their Bulldog rivals as Wright scored a decisive 7-and-6 win over Mookie Demoss and Ricard followed with his 4-and-3 win over Greyson Sigg to score the three points needed to win the match for the Tigers. Sophomore Brandon Pierce battled back from a three-hole deficit on the back nine to finish all square with Sepp Straka, while senior Stewart Jolly rounded out the semifinals with a narrow 2-and-1 defeat to Georgia's Lee McCoy.

"I'm so proud of the guys," said LSU head coach Chuck Winstead following his team's semifinal victory. "This day was a long day. It takes a lot of focus and a lot of determination to play this much golf in these conditions, and you just have to kind of hang in there and keep playing. Our guys have had a nice year and have done some great things. They've worked really hard and are looking forward to tomorrow."

"USC has a great team. Not only do they have a great team, but they're playing really well here too. We're playing well, so I know we're all looking forward to getting out there and getting after it."

All eyes were on Taylor as he and Healy went to the back nine all square in their match that proved to be the decider in sending either the Tigers or Bulldogs to the championship finale. Taylor went 1-down in the match when he opened the back nine with a double bogey on the par-four 10th hole to hand the advantage over to Georgia.

But the Tiger All-American ground out the required result after he again squared the match with a par at the par-four 12th before taking his first lead of the afternoon by rolling in a clutch six-foot putt for par at the par-four 15th. After halving Nos. 16 and 17, Taylor fired a 6-iron from 196 yards to within three feet of the pin for a tap-in birdie and a 2-up victory for LSU's clinching third point.

"The front nine was a massive grind. It was quite windy and really raining, so it was pretty tough to win holes and not give any away," Taylor said of their front nine. "It cleared up on the back nine and we started hitting some proper golf shots. We had to go out and make birdies to win holes. The 17th was a good example because right when I made a birdie, (Zach Healy) came back and made birdie to extend the match."

"That was huge and got us to the final for the first time in school history," Taylor added of his 6-iron into the 18th green. "It was 196 yards downwind with the pin back left, and I just fired it right in there at the pin."

Wright's match was never in doubt as he took an early 1-up lead with a par at the par-four second hole and never looked back while cruising to an easy victory in his match with DeMoss. He put together a run of four in a row as he went 4-up with pars at the par-five third, par-three fourth and par-four fifth holes. Wright dropped his only hole of the day with a bogey at the par-five seventh hole as his lead was cut to 3-up.

But order was restored when Wright made par at the par-four eighth hole before closing out his match 7-and-6 with consecutive wins with a

birdie at No. 10 and back-to-back pars at Nos. 11 and 12.

With his 7-and-6 win over DeMoss, Wright remained unbeaten at 4-0 in his four career matches in match play at the NCAA Championships. He also defeated Vanderbilt's Carson Jacobs by a 4-and-2 margin in their quarterfinals match, while also earning wins over UCLA's Matt Pinizzotto (2-and-1) in the quarterfinal and Alabama's Cory Whitsett (1-up) in the semifinal a season before in 2014.

Like Wright, Ricard never trailed in his match against Sigg as he was quickly 1-up thanks to a par at the par-four first hole before extending his lead to 4-up with just six holes to play with a birdie at No. 7, par at No. 9 and birdie at No. 12. After trading the 13th and 14th holes, Ricard closed out the match 4-and-3 when he drained a lengthy birdie putt at the par-four 15th hole.

"On this golf course, you have to be good off the tee and not make any silly mistakes to give a hole away. You have to make the other person beat you," Taylor added. "That was my mindset. I was able to do that great on the back nine today. We'll approach it the same way as we did today, same routing as we've had yesterday, the day before and really what we've done all year to get to the final."

NCAA Match Play Semifinals

Final Results – No. 7 LSU def. No. 3 Georgia, 3.5-1.5

Brandon Pierce (LSU) vs. Sepp Straka (UGA), A/S
Ben Taylor (LSU) def. Zach Healy (UGA), 2-up
Zach Wright (LSU) def. Mookie DeMoss (UGA), 7&6
Eric Ricard (LSU) def. Greyson Sigg (UGA), 4&3
Lee McCoy (UGA) def. Stewart Jolly (LSU), 2&1





National Champions!

LSU Advances to Second-Straight NCAA Semifinal

Brandon Pierce, Ben Taylor and Zach Wright were the first Tigers to tee off in LSU's national quarterfinal match against Vanderbilt, and each defeated their Commodore rival to send the SEC Champions back to the Final Four of match play at the NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championships for the second-straight season.

Pierce put the first point on the board for the Tigers with a narrow 1-up victory over Vanderbilt's Theo Humphrey, while Taylor followed with a 3-and-2 victory over All-American Matthias Schwab and Wright kept his match play record undefeated with a 4-and-2 victory over Carson Jacobs as No. 7-seeded LSU earned a 3.5-1.5 win over the No. 2-seeded Commodores in the national quarterfinals.

LSU's All-SEC sophomore Eric Ricard played Zack Jaworski all square for 18 holes, while Stewart Jolly dropped a 3-and-2 decision to Vanderbilt's SEC Player of the Year Hunter Stewart in their morning match.

The Tigers advanced to the NCAA Final Four for the second-straight season where they set up an SEC showdown with No. 3 seed Georgia in their semifinal match after the Bulldogs closed out No. 6-seed South Florida by a decisive 4-1 margin in the quarterfinal round.

LSU teed off against Georgia with experience on its side after advancing to the Final Four of match play the season before for its best finish at the NCAA Championships in 47 years. The Tigers, competing as the No. 3 seed after trying for second place in stroke play a year ago, took down No. 6 seed UCLA by a 4-1 margin in the national quarterfinals before falling to No. 2 seed and eventual national champion Alabama by the same score in the semifinal

round. It marked LSU's best NCAA finish since finishing in third place in 1967.

Pierce put the first point on the board for the Tigers in the 2015 quarterfinal as he never trailed Humphrey before winning 1-up in 18 holes. He took a 1-up lead early in the match with a birdie at the par-five third hole before falling back to all square after dropping the par-three sixth hole with a bogey. Pierce then made back-to-back birdies at the par-four ninth and par-four 10th holes to take a 2-up lead to the back nine.

After trading holes by dropping the par-three 11th and winning the par-three 14th, Pierce's lead was erased when Humphrey birdied consecutive holes at the par-four 15th and par-four 16th holes to square the match on the back nine. Pierce seized control again when he chipped in for eagle from more than 50 feet on the par-five 17th hole before picking up for par at the par-four 18th hole for a 1-up win.

Like Pierce, Taylor never trailed in his match with Schwab as he fired out of the gate by taking five of the first seven holes to make the turn with a commanding 5-up lead. Schwab would only manage to cut Taylor's lead to 3-up on the back nine after the Tiger All-American dropped two holes with a par at the par-five 13th and bogey at the par-three 14th.

Taylor improved his record to 2-1 in match play at the NCAA Championships as an LSU Tiger when he matched Schwab with a birdie at No. 15 and par at No. 16 to claim a 3-and-2 victory for LSU's second win of the day.

Wright, who won both of his matches in match play at the NCAA Championships a year ago, moved to 3-0 in his career with a 4-and-2 win over Jacobs in the deciding match to send the Tigers to the NCAA semifinals to play Georgia.

Wright actually fell 2-down in the match after just four holes, but rebounded to square the match with consecutive pars at No. 5 and No. 6 where they remained going to the back nine. LSU's Second-Team All-SEC selection then won four-straight holes on the back nine at Nos. 13-16 to seal the victory for the Tigers.

The Tigers earned the No. 7 seed in match play following the final round with a final score of 17-over par 1,169 in stroke-play qualifying at the 2015 NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championships that was held at Concession Golf Club in Bradenton, Florida.

After teeing off in the fourth round of stroke play in third place overall, the Tigers sealed their spot in the "Race for the Eight" for match play with a team score of 10-over par 298 in the final round to finish seventh in the field and take the No. 7 seed into the national quarterfinals to face the second seed Vanderbilt Commodores in the opening round of match play.

Illinois, the NCAA runner-up in 2013, earned the top seed in match play after posting the lowest 72-hole score in the field at 3-over 1,155. Vanderbilt followed two shots back in second place at 5-over 1,157, while Texas and Georgia finished three shots off the pace in a tie for third place at 6-over 1,158. USC (1,161), South Florida (1,168), LSU (1,169) and UCLA (1,172) rounded out the eight-team field in the match play competition.

Two Tigers nearly cracked the Top 10 of the leaderboard with their performance at the 2015 NCAA Championships as Wright and Pierce tied for 11th place in the final stroke-play standings. Pierce posted a 1-over par 73 and Wright added a 3-over par 75 in the final round as the two Second-Team All-SEC performers finished off matching 72-hole scores of 1-over par 289.

Ricard was impressive in his NCAA Championship debut as he added a counting score of 6-over 78 for the Tigers in the final round for a total of 4-over 292 to tie for 27th place overall.

NCAA Match Play Quarterfinals

Final Results – No. 7 LSU def. No. 2 Vanderbilt, 3.5-1.5

Brandon Pierce (LSU) def. Theo Humphrey (VU), 1-up
Ben Taylor (LSU) def. Matthias Schwab (VU), 3&2
Zach Wright (LSU) def. Carson Jacobs (VU), 4&2
Eric Ricard (LSU) vs. Zach Jaworski (VU), A/S
Hunter Stewart (VU) def. Stewart Jolly (LSU), 3&2

NCAA Stroke Play Leaderboard

Final Team Results (Top 10 Only)

1. Illinois	286-292-296-282 – 1155 +3
2. Vanderbilt	301-284-287-285 – 1157 +5
T3. Georgia	288-293-286-291 – 1158 +6
T3. Texas	294-300-280-284 – 1158 +6
5. Southern California	289-285-296-291 – 1161 +9
6. South Florida	294-291-292-291 – 1168 +16
7. LSU	292-289-290 -298 – 1169 +17
8. UCLA	294-304-280-294 – 1172 +20
9. Georgia Tech	293-295-290-297 – 1175 +23
10. TCU	296-293-291-299 – 1179 +27

NCAA Stroke Play Leaderboard

Final Individual Results (Top 10 Only)

1. Bryson Dechambeau, SMU	70-67-72-71 – 280 -8
2. Cheng-Tsung Pan, Washington	72-70-72-67 – 281 -7
T3. Thomas Detry, Illinois	68-71-73-70 – 282 -6
T3. Hunter Stewart, Vanderbilt	74-69-71-68 – 282 -6
5. Paul Dunne, UAB	72-69-69-73 – 283 -5
6. Claudio Correa, South Florida	68-75-69-72 – 284 -4
7. Andrew Presley, TCU	73-70-72-70 – 285 -3
T8. Doug Ghim, Texas	72-73-70-71 – 286 -2
T8. Riley Davenport, Charlotte	70-74-72-70 – 286 -2
10. Beau Hossler, Texas	72-75-69-71 – 287 -1





SEC Champions!

Tigers Win First SEC Crown Since 1987

The LSU Tigers lifted the SEC Championship trophy for the first time in 28 seasons when they turned a three-shot deficit entering the final round into a three-shot victory with a winning score of 13-under par 827 at the 2015 SEC Men's Golf Championships held at Sea Island Golf Club's Seaside Course.

Not since the sophomore season of the great David Toms in 1986-87 had the Tigers been crowned SEC Champions on the links, but the team of seniors Stewart Jolly and Ben Taylor, junior Zach Wright and sophomores Brandon Pierce and Eric Ricard earned their place in history as the champion golfers of the year for the 2014-15 season.

They claimed the 16th SEC Championship in the program's history to rank second all-time behind the 26 titles won by the Georgia Bulldogs while snapping Alabama's run of three-straight wins from 2012-14.

But the 2014 SEC runners-up appeared set for a second-straight silver-medal-winning finish at the championship as they fell five shots behind in second place to both three-time defending champion Alabama and title-challenging Vanderbilt on the back nine. They trailed the Crimson Tide by five shots as groups in the final wave began to make the turn before also falling five shots back of Vanderbilt late in the day.

Closing at 1-under par as a team on the back nine and 2-under par over the final four holes, the Tigers staked their claim as SEC Champions as Alabama came in at 10-over par on the back nine with Vanderbilt posting its score of 4-over par on the final nine holes of the championship, including a cumulative 5-over par as a team through holes Nos. 15-18.

With Jolly leading the way with a 1-under par 69, Taylor and Wright both firing matching scores of even-par 70 and Pierce adding a 2-over par 72 toward LSU's team score in the final round, the Tigers took home the title with a total of 1-over 281 in the final round and winning effort of 13-under 827 in 54 holes played at the Seaside Course. The Commodores and South Carolina Gamecocks trailed three back in a tie for second place at 10-under 830 as each ended with an even-par 280 in the final round.

Rounding out the Top 5 of the final team standings as this year's SEC Men's Golf Championships were Alabama and Auburn in a tie for fourth place at 7-under par 833.

"It came down to the end, and our guys just kept playing," said LSU head coach Chuck Winstead of his team's performance late in the final round.

"They really outplayed some great teams down the stretch. The course was tougher today, you could see that in the scores. It took a great amount of focus to get through it. They did that and competed very well all the way through the 54th hole.

"The guys are thrilled, and I'm happy for them. They've worked hard to achieve something like this and certainly deserve it. We have five guys here who are not just very good players, but they're all really competitive as a group. When you put our five guys up against some great teams that are here, they're very competitive and want to take on the challenge of playing in a great championship event like we have here."

Jolly proved to be a catalyst in LSU's charge on the back nine as he was the only Tiger to break par in the final round, firing a 1-under 69 to

tie for fourth place at 5-under par 205 for the weekend.

After making the turn at 2-over par for his round with bogeys at the par-four fourth and par-five seventh holes, Jolly ignited a furious finish to the championship when he holed a 4-iron from the fairway on the par-five 15th hole for eagle before carding a birdie at the par-three 17th hole en route to a team-low round of 69 on the afternoon. He cracked the Top 10 of the final SEC leaderboard for the first time in his four SEC starts with the Tigers as he eclipsed his previous best tournament finish when he tied for 21st place as a junior in 2014.

"It's huge for us," Jolly exclaimed following the team trophy presentation. "I couldn't be prouder of my teammates. We've had a good year, and this makes it a great year. I couldn't be happier. It's great that we all put it together when it mattered most. This is an awesome feeling."

Jolly talked about the shot that sparked his outstanding finish to the championship when he holed a 4-iron from 199 yards into the 15th green to level his score at even-par before finishing the day at 1-under.

"I actually hit a bad drive into the fairway bunker, didn't get a very good lie, so I had to lay it up into the fairway from there," Jolly explained. "I've been hitting my irons pretty well lately, and the pin was back left of the green, so it set up a right-to-left shot shape. It suited my ball flight like I hit it. I had a really good number (yardage), it was a good 4-iron if I hit it correctly."

"Coach (Winstead) and I were both talking to it like, 'Please be good!' He was having a little bit of fun saying, 'Be the right club today!' It was just perfect. It was the most amped up I've ever been on a golf course." Jolly was among three Tigers to break into the Top 10 of the final leaderboard following the final round at the SEC Championships as Wright followed in a tie for sixth place at 4-under par 206 to claim his best finish in three career appearances and Pierce wrapped up the weekend in a tie for ninth place at 3-under par 207 while making his championship debut with the Tigers.

After firing the lowest round of the weekend for the Tigers with his 4-under 66 in the second round, Wright closed out a top-10 finish with two birdies and two bogeys for an even-par round of 70 in the final round to improve his two prior finishes of tying for 36th place at the SEC Championships as a freshman in 2013 and as a sophomore in 2014. Pierce's 2-over 72 was the final counting score for the Tigers in securing the team title.

Both Taylor and Ricard tied one another for 31st place on the final leaderboard with matching tournament scores of 3-over par 213 for the championship. Like Wright, Taylor canceled out two birdies with two bogeys for an even-par 70 in the final round to his second-round output after opening the tournament with a 3-over par 73 in the first round.

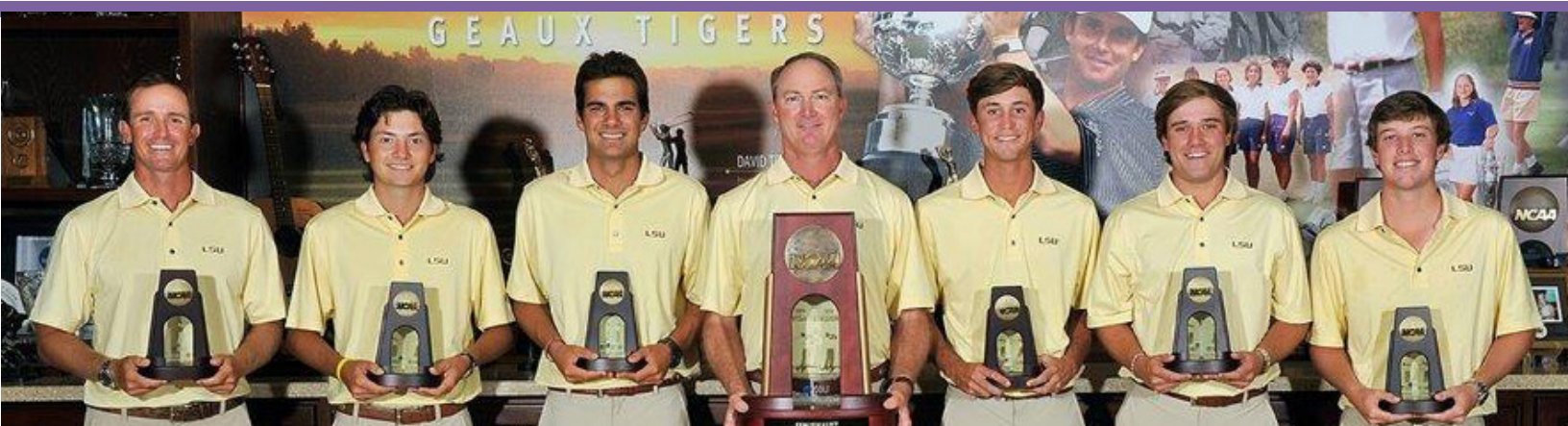
While making his SEC Championship debut alongside Pierce, Ricard counted a score of 1-under 69 before adding rounds of 1-over 71 and 3-over 73 to finish the event at 3-over 213.

South Carolina's Matthew NeSmith led wire-to-wire in claiming the SEC individual title as he followed rounds of 5-under 65 and 6-under 64 with a final-round 3-under 67 to take home a comfortable six-shot victory with a final score of 14-under par 196 for the championship. Auburn's Ben Schlottman followed six shots back in second place with a 54-hole score of 8-under par 202.

"There are so many people who have helped LSU Golf get back to this level during our time here. I'm happy for all of those who have given us so much support," Winstead added. "Whether it be alumni, past members of our team, the administration and others, there are just so many people who have played a major part in this. We can't thank them enough for helping us along the way."

Their victory at the 2015 SEC Men's Golf Championships marked the fourth time during the 2014-15 season for the Tigers to be crowned team champions in their 10 tournament starts on the year. They also claimed team titles at the Golfweek Conference Challenge (Sept. 14-16) and David Toms Intercollegiate (Oct. 4-5) in the 2014 fall season and the Talis Park Challenge (March 15-16) earlier in the spring.





Tigers Compete for National Championship in Match Play

The LSU Tigers gave themselves an opportunity to win their first national championship in nearly 60 years after firing a team score of 4-under par 836 in 54 holes of medal play at the 2014 NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championships while earning the No. 3 seed in the eight-team match-play tournament for the title in the event held May 23-28 at Prairie Dunes Country Club in Hutchinson, Kansas.

It marked the first time in six seasons of the current format that the Tigers qualified for the eight-team, single-elimination tournament for the national championship dating back to NCAA's adoption of match play since the 2008-09 season.

Sparked by final rounds of 2-under par 70 by junior Ben Taylor and 1-under par 69 by senior Smylie Kaufman, the Tigers capped their third round of stroke-play qualifying with a team score of 1-under par 279 to finish as the runners-up to the No. 3-ranked Stanford Cardinal and in a tie for second place with the No. 1-ranked Alabama Crimson Tide among the 30 teams in medal play.

Stanford ran away from the field with a 54-hole score of 13-under par 827 to claim the No. 1 seed in the match play quarterfinals. Alabama earned the No. 2 seed over the Tigers in match play with the second tiebreaker established by the NCAA of highest 54-hole score by one golfer in the lineup after both teams' non-counting scores over the three rounds totaled 11-over par.

LSU broke par in each of its three rounds in stroke play to clinch its first top-10 team finish at the NCAA Championships in 25 years, sandwiching scores of 1-under 279 in the first and third rounds around a 2-under 278 in the second round for a 54-hole score of 4-under par 836.

The Tigers last cracked the Top 10 of the final team standings at the NCAA Championships in 1989 when they tied for eighth place nationally. It was the 20th time in the program's history that the Tigers took home a top-10 team finish at the NCAA Championships, including four national titles claimed in 1940, 1942, 1947 and 1955.

Their performance set up a quarterfinal match with No. 21-ranked UCLA as the Bruins nabbed the No. 6 seed thanks to an unbelievable display of putting on their back nine to finish off a round of 1-over 281 in the final round for a score of 4-over 844 for sixth place overall in stroke-play qualifying.

No. 1 seed Stanford faced No. 8 seed Illinois after the Fighting Illini tied the SMU Mustangs for seventh place in the team standings at 5-over par 845 after 54 holes. No. 2 seed Alabama battled No. 7 seed SMU, and No. 4 seed Oklahoma State and No. 5 seed Georgia Tech featured in the remaining match after the Cowboys finished at even-par 840 and the Yellow Jackets ended at 1-over par 841.

"Our guys are excited. They have worked hard this year, and are excited for the opportunity to play for a national championship," LSU head coach Chuck Winstead said of his team's qualification. "The reality of the NCAA Championships is that it is two tournaments here. We played very well in stroke play to put ourselves in this position, and now we'll go to match play with the mindset to win. The teams we've brought here in the past few years have all had it in them to get to this point, but I'm so proud of these guys for believing in themselves and taking that next step up.

"These guys are developing into a very good team. We'll keep playing the type of golf we've been working toward, and see if we can't get a little bit better

every day. We're looking forward to it."

After opening the championship with a 1-over 71, Taylor caught fire to finish as the top Tiger in the individual competition as he played his final 36 holes at 5-under par with scores of 3-under 67 and 2-under 68 to tie for sixth place on the final leaderboard at 4-under par 206 for the championship.

It was the third time in five years for an LSU Tiger to crack the Top 10 of the final NCAA standing after three-time All-American John Peterson tied for sixth place as a junior in 2010 before being crowned the NCAA Champion as a senior in 2011.

Taylor played a nearly flawless final round with three birdies and one bogey on his scorecard. After opening with six-straight pars, he reeled off three birdies over a four-hole stretch around the turn at the par-five seventh, par-four eighth and par-three 10th holes before making his lone bogey of the day at the par-four 13th hole to cap his afternoon with a team-leading 2-under par 68.

It was an outstanding individual finish in the NCAA Championship

2014 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS FINAL TOP 10 TEAM LEADERBOARD

1. Stanford	281-267-279 – 827 -13
T2. LSU	279-278-279 – 836 -4
T2. Alabama	274-278-284 – 836 -4
4. Oklahoma State	277-279-284 – 840 E
5. Georgia Tech	277-282-282 – 841 +1
6. UCLA	279-284-281 – 844 +4
T7. SMU	275-285-285 – 845 +5
T7. Illinois	285-280-280 – 845 +5
9. South Carolina	272-292-282 – 846 +6
10. Houston	284-285-279 – 848 +8

2014 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS FINAL TOP 10 INDIVIDUAL LEADERBOARD

1. Cameron Wilson, Stanford	71-63-70 – 204 -6
2. Ollie Schniederjans, Ga. Tech	71-65-68 – 204 -6
T3. David Boote, Stanford	73-67-65 – 205 -5
T3. James Ross, Houston	70-69-66 – 205 -5
T3. Robby Shelton, Alabama	72-65-68 – 205 -5
T6. Ben Taylor, LSU	71-67-68 – 206 -4
T6. Denny McCarthy, Virginia	65-71-70 – 206 -4
T6. Seth Reeves, Ga. Tech	66-72-68 – 206 -4
T9. Brian Campbell, Illinois	70-74-63 – 207 -3
T9. Sebastian Cappelen, Ark.	68-71-68 – 207 -3
T9. Lorens Chan, UCLA	70-70-67 – 207 -3
T9. Bryson Dechambeau, SMU	69-69-69 – 207 -3
T9. Toni Hakula, Texas	72-68-67 – 209 -3
T9. Ryan Zech, Missouri	70-69-68 – 207 -3



Tigers Make Historic Run to NCAA Final Four

debut for the junior from Leatherhead, Surrey, England, as Taylor joined the program in the summer of 2013 as a two-time NCAA Division II All-American.

Kaufman and junior Curtis Thompson also broke par for 54 holes to lead the Tigers into match play as they tied one another for 19th place on the leaderboard at 1-under par 209 for the championship.

Kaufman trailed Taylor by just one shot in the final round with his 1-under par 69 that featured an eagle at No. 7 and a birdie at the par-four 14th hole along with bogeys at the par-four ninth and par-four 16th holes. Thompson carded three birdies and three bogeys in the last round to take home his best career NCAA finish with an even-par 70 in Monday's final round.

Junior First-Team All-SEC and All-American standout Stewart Jolly added a 2-over 72 toward LSU's team score in the final round as he finished off the individual competition in a tie for 55th place at 4-over 214 for the championship. Sophomore Zach Wright rounded out the lineup in a tie for 105th place at 9-over 219 that featured a 4-over 74 on the day.

Stanford's Cameron Wilson was crowned the 2014 NCAA Champion after defeating Georgia Tech standout Ollie Schniederjans in a three-hole, sudden-death playoff after the two All-Americans tied one another with matching 54-hole scores of 6-under par 204 in medal play. After earning the No. 3 seed in 54 holes of medal play, the Tigers made history in advancing to the NCAA Final Four of match play after scoring a decisive 4-1 victory over the No. 6-seeded UCLA Bruins in their quarterfinal match to set up an SEC showdown with No. 2 seed and defending national champion Alabama in the semifinal round at the 2014 NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championships.

Kaufman, Taylor, Thompson and Wright each put the Tigers on the scoreboard with wins in their respective matches as LSU cruised to the NCAA Semifinals to face the Crimson Tide with just one match separating them from a chance to play for their fifth national championship in the program's history.

Kaufman clinched the win for the Tigers with his 2-up victory over UCLA's Jonathan Garrick in Match 3. In what proved to be a tight match throughout, neither led by more than one hole until Kaufman's par at the par-four ninth hole that sealed his 2-up victory and gave the Tigers a clinching 3-1 advantage in the match with only Wright still on the course.

Kaufman took the lead for good in his match with an eagle 3 at the par-five seventh hole to take a 1-up lead with just two holes to play. He finished his round at No. 9 after teeing off from the back nine to start the day.

Taylor, the team's top performer in stroke play qualifying, scored the first point for the Tigers in the quarterfinal as he stormed to a 4&3 victory over Bruin standout Anton Arboleda as they played only 15 holes in their match. Taylor was actually 2-down to Arboleda through 3 holes after teeing off from the back nine, but quickly squared the match with pars at the par-four 13th and par-three 15th holes. After grabbing a lead for the first time with a par at the par-four third hole, Taylor sealed the match by a score of 4&3 as he won four-straight holes at Nos. 3-6 to put the Tigers on the scoreboard.

The Bruins won their only point for the match when Loren Chan drew UCLA level at 1-1 in with a 4&3 victory of his own over Tiger junior Stewart Jolly as they also picked up after 15 holes.

But Thompson gave the Tigers a lead they would not relinquish thanks to his 1-up victory over Preston Valder as LSU regained the lead by a 2-1 margin.

The match came down to the final hole after they played 17 holes at all square. A par by Thompson and a double bogey by Valder on No. 9 gave the point to the Tigers for a crucial 2-1 advantage.

After Kaufman clinched the quarterfinal victory for the Tigers, Wright polished off the win with his 2&1 victory over Matt Pinizzotto in Match 5. Wright found himself 2-down after just three holes, but bounced back for a 1-up lead at the turn with a birdie at the par-four 14th, a par at the par-three 15th and a birdie at the par-four 18th hole. Wright and Pinizzotto traded holes at No. 1 and No. 2, before Wright made birdie at No. 7 and par at No. 8 to finish his 2&1 victory in the match.

Alabama, which also scored a 3-2 win in its quarterfinal match against No. 7 seed SMU, featured in the national championship match in each of the previous two seasons. The Crimson Tide won the program's first national championship in 2013 with a 4-1 victory over Illinois in the national championship match after finishing as the NCAA runner-up to Texas in 2012.

It's a national semifinal that also featured the top two teams from the SEC Championship earlier in April 2014 when Alabama won its third-straight conference crown with the Tigers finishing as the SEC runners-up for the 2013-14 season.

LSU and Alabama squared off on live television as Golf Channel broadcast both national semifinal matches on May 27, 2014, that also featured No. 1 seed Stanford against No. 4 seed Oklahoma State.

The SEC rivals finished 54 holes of stroke play qualifying in a tie for second place in the team standings as both LSU and Alabama fired teams scores of 4-under par 836 in three rounds to earn their spot in the match-play competition. They had certainly matched one another shot-for-shot through five days of action at Prairie Dunes Country Club after advancing to the NCAA Final Four.

LSU's historic 2013-14 season came to an end for the Tigers as they went down by a 4-1 score to Alabama in the NCAA Semifinals.

Wright was the lone Tiger to win his semifinal match as he scored a 1-up victory over Alabama's senior All-American Cory Whitsett to put the Tigers on the scoreboard after the Crimson Tide had already clinched their spot in the national championship match. Alabama advanced to battle No. 4 seed Oklahoma State in the title match to wrap up the 2013-14 collegiate season, defeating the Cowboys by a 4-1 score to win its second-straight national championship.

With their run to the NCAA Final Four, the Tigers earned their best team finish at the NCAA Championships since earning a third-place national finish in 1967, while they also finished among the nation's top-10 teams for the first time in 25 years when they tied for eighth place in the event in David Toms' senior season in 1989.

Their performance capped an outstanding postseason run that featured a victory at Texas A&M's Aggie Invitational in their regular-season finale before finishing as the SEC runners-up at the SEC Championships and tying for fourth place at the NCAA Columbia (Mo.) Regional in 2014.

John Peterson: NCAA Champion

A member of the LSU men's golf program was crowned individual medalist at the NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championships for the first time in 70 years as senior All-American John Peterson put an exclamation point onto the end of a heralded career on June 2, 2011, with a national championship after firing a 54-hole score of 5-under par 211 at Karsten Creek Golf Club in Stillwater, Oklahoma.

After firing a competitive course record 7-under 65 in the second round, Peterson finished with an even-par 72 in the final round for a dramatic one-shot victory over UCLA's Patrick Cantlay.

Peterson joined LSU greats Fred Haas, Jr. (1937) and Earl Stewart (1941) as an NCAA champion as he was the team's top NCAA finisher since Perry Moss tied for fourth place in 1991.

The LSU golf program actually made history with Peterson's victory as it became the first school during the history of the NCAA Championships to sweep the men's and women's individual crowns in the same season. Lady Tiger freshman Austin Ernst took home the NCAA women's crown nearly two weeks before in the event hosted by Texas A&M at The Traditions Golf Club in College Station.

"This is an unbelievable feeling. I can't really describe it. It hasn't sunk in for me yet," Peterson said after his victory. "I'm probably most excited about getting to walk out to the 50-yard line in Tiger Stadium one night next year at a football game. If they let me do that, I want to walk out there in front of 90,000 people with Chuck (Winstead) and Shane (Warren) and these guys who've helped me."

LSU'S JOHN PETERSON CLAIMS NATIONAL CROWN IN FINALE



"I'm just so proud of this team and how far we've come these last four years. I know we would have liked to play better as a team this week, but we've had a great season."

After wrapping up his round at approximately 1:30 p.m. CDT with a one-shot lead over Georgia Tech star James White and a two-shot advantage over the contending trio of Cantlay, Harris English of Georgia and Luke Guthrie of Illinois, Peterson endured many anxious moments in the clubhouse while he watched the contenders try to match his number in the afternoon round at Karsten Creek.

After White made bogey on the par-three No. 3 to drop to 3-under par for the championship, no one at the top of the leaderboard would pull to within one shot of Peterson again until the final group approached the par-five 18th hole when Cantlay stood over a 16-foot eagle putt trailing Peterson by two shots at 3-under par.

Cantlay, the National Player of the Year who birdied the par-four 17th hole to draw to within two shots of Peterson's lead, fired a 4-iron to within 16 feet of the flag on the 18th green to give himself a left-to-right putt back up the hill for his eagle attempt. The UCLA freshman burned the right side of the cup before holing out with a birdie and ending a single stroke behind Peterson on the leaderboard with a score of 4-under 212 for three rounds.

Five golfers finished four shots back in a tie for third place at 1-under 215, while White was five back in a tie for eighth place at even-par 216 and English tied for 10th place at 1-over par 217.

There's no doubt that the championship was won on the back nine, which Peterson played at 13-under par for the tournament after playing the front nine at a combined 8-over par during his three rounds.

"We went back to the hotel after the round," Peterson said. "I just tried to keep my mind off of it as much as I could, but I had to charge up my phone because I was hitting refresh so many times. I probably won't be able to even go to sleep tonight. I'm feeling so many different things



right now."

Despite teeing off at 8:10 a.m. CDT as part of the very first wave of the day with a one-stroke lead for the first 36 holes, the final round proved to be anything but a smooth ride to the finish for Peterson as his national title hopes appeared dashed after turning with a 4-over 40 on his front nine.

As the only championship contender on the course in the morning round, Peterson then found himself in a tie for 10th place as he headed to the back nine with a score of 1-under for the championship.

But as he had done throughout his collegiate career, Peterson stormed back to retake the lead thanks to his near perfect back nine in which he carded four birdies with no bogeys for a 4-under par 32. After crawling back to 3-under par with birdies at the par-three 11th hole and par-five 14th hole, Peterson went out in style in his final round as an LSU Tiger with back-to-back birdies at the par-four 17th and par-five 18th holes.

On the 17th hole, Peterson fired a 4-iron into the wind from 180 yards to within seven feet of the cup as he finished with a birdie. He then followed by hitting his second shot on the par-five 18th hole over the green with the ball coming to rest in the long rough. But he then took a full-swing flop shot that rolled five feet past the hole for yet another birdie opportunity. Peterson's putt circled all 360 degrees of the cup before falling for a birdie, eliciting an emotional fist pump from the Tiger senior as he regained the overall lead.

All Peterson could do at that point was just sit and wait as the rest of those trailing him on the leaderboard prepared to begin their rounds. It would be another six hours before Peterson learned his fate with Cantlay rolling his eagle putt wide right of the cup on the 54th and final hole of medal play.

Peterson was actually on the driving range warming up for a potential playoff with Cantlay when he heard the news that the putt was missed and he had finally won his national

championship.

A playoff for the NCAA title would have been a fitting end to Peterson's senior season after competing in three already that spring. Peterson defeated teen phenom Jordan Speith to take home the Jones Cup before the start of the collegiate spring season in February 2011. He also dropped a pair of playoffs to Florida standout Andres Echavarria for the SEC individual title and teammate Andrew Loupe for a spot in the PGA Tour's Zurich Classic leading up to NCAA postseason play.

"I knew he (Patrick Cantlay) was going to make that putt and we would be going to a playoff. That is how this season has been for me this year," Peterson said. "It's funny how that seems to happen to me this year in the biggest tournaments. It was a great feeling when he missed his putt."

By winning the 2011 NCAA individual crown, Peterson capped one of the most prolific careers for an LSU Tiger as he became the fifth three-time All-American in program history, joining a list with the likes of Eddie Merrins (1952-54), B.R. McLendon (1965-67), Rob McNamara (1984-87) and David Toms (1986-89).

Peterson led the way for the No. 9-ranked and No. 10-seeded Tigers throughout the week as LSU earned a 21st-place finish in the final team standings with a 54-hole team score of 41-over par 905. The Tigers improved upon their 24th-place finish at the NCAA Championships the season before with their top finish in the tournament since an 18th-place finish in 1997.

Junior Sang Yi carded his lowest score of the tournament in the final round with a 2-under par 70. Yi posted a total of four birdies to go along with just two bogeys to climb into a tie for 88th place in the final standings with a 54-hole score of 13-over 229.

The Tigers also counted scores of 9-over par 81 by senior Ken Loooper and 10-over par 82 by junior Austin Gutsell as part of its team score of 17-over 305 in the final round. Loooper

wrapped up in a tie for 125th place at 21-over 237 on the week, while Gutsell followed one shot back in 128th place at 22-over 238.

Senior All-American Andrew Loupe shot an 18-over 90 in the final round to finish the event in a tie for 141st place overall in the event. Loupe still earned All-America honors as one of the nation's top players of 2011.

"We didn't drive the ball straight enough this week to be successful as a team on this golf course," said LSU head coach Chuck Winstead. "But you can't take away from what this group has done for LSU Golf. I love these guys and wish this week would have gone better for them as a group. They've done things for their time here to restore this program to where it should be. I'm proud of each and every one of them."

Peterson also talked about his fellow seniors and the recognition they helped bring back to one of the most storied programs in all of college golf during their four years together.

"It makes me extremely glad that I came to LSU," Peterson said. "When I was coming out of high school, I was a pretty good player, but I wasn't a great player by any means. We weren't even that good when we got here four years ago. Andrew and I and the rest of this senior class have really pushed ourselves toward this point. It's been an unbelievable time for us and we know this program is only going to get better."

2011 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS Final Medal Play Leaderboard

1. John Peterson, LSU	74-65-72 - 211 -5
2. Patrick Cantlay, UCLA	72-69-71 - 212 -4
T3. Lion Kim, Michigan	72-70-73 - 215 -1
T3. Cameron Peck, Texas A&M	68-74-73 - 215 -1
T3. Patrick Reed, Augusta State	69-75-71 - 215 -1
T3. J.J. Spaun, San Diego State	69-75-71 - 215 -1
T3. Peter Uihlein, Oklahoma State	73-69-73 - 215 -1
T8. Michael Weaver, California	71-71-74 - 216 E
T8. Michael White, Georgia Tech	67-73-76 - 216 E
T10. Todd Baek, San Diego State	72-72-73 - 217 +1
T10. Austin Cook, Arkansas	70-74-73 - 217 +1

NATIONAL PLAYER OF THE YEAR

SAM BURNS

Chasing The Bear

Sam Burns' reputation as the top player in college golf was confirmed on June 1 of last year when he earned the title of 2017 NCAA Division I Jack Nicklaus National Player of the Year presented by Barbasol in conjunction with The Memorial Tournament. He claimed a special place in history with the announcement as he became the first LSU Tiger to ever be named the National Player of the Year for college golf. A unanimous First-Team All-American and the 11th first-teamer in program history, Burns was presented the national award by the legendary Jack Nicklaus himself just three days later on June 4 as part of the PGA TOUR's Memorial Tournament. Burns was selected among a "Who's Who" of college golf elite as other finalists included Oregon's Wyndham Clark, Vanderbilt's Patrick Martin, Stanford's Maverick McNealy and Wake Forest's Will Zalatoris.

SEC Player of the Year

Not only was Burns honored as the NCAA Division I Jack Nicklaus National Player of the Year for the 2016-17 season, but he was also an easy selection as the SEC Player of the Year as the top performer in the Southeastern Conference for his sophomore season. He snapped a 26-year drought as the first Tiger to earn the title of SEC Player of the Year since Perry Moss in 1991 while becoming the sixth recipient in school history. LSU's other SEC Players of the Year include John Salamone in 1979, Rob McNamara in 1987 and David Toms in back-to-back seasons in 1988 and 1989.

4-Time Champion

Burns' sophomore season at LSU was highlighted by four tournament wins to help solidify his claim as the National Player of the Year for the 2016-17 season. His victory at the NCAA Baton Rouge Regional helped send the Tigers back to the NCAA Championships once again as he opened with a 7-under 65 in the first round and never looked back en route to a winning 4-under 212 in 54 holes at the University Club. In a battle of the nation's top two players, Burns defended his home course with his fourth win of the season over Oregon's Wyndham Clark, who followed in second place with a final score of 3-under par. Burns first shared medalist honors at the David Toms Intercollegiate during the 2016 fall season before adding titles at the Western Refining Sun Bowl All-America Golf Classic and Louisiana Classics en route to a record-setting season.

Scoring Record

After averaging 72.42 strokes per round in his debut season in 2015-16, Burns smashed LSU's single-season scoring record with a career-low 70.05 in his 15 tournament appearances as a sophomore a year ago. Brandon Pierce's scoring record of 71.16 lasted only two seasons as Burns eclipsed the school's all-time record by more than one full stroke. LSU legend and PGA TOUR great David Toms held the previous record of 71.27 from the 1988-89 season.

The Streak

Burns carried an unprecedented streak of 14-straight top-10 individual finishes into the NCAA Championships where he closed his career with a tie for 32nd place while helping the Tigers claim a ninth-place team finish for 2017 and fourth-straight top-10 finish since 2014. After opening his sophomore season with tie for sixth place at the Carpet Capital Collegiate Classic, Burns reeled off a run of 14 Top 10s in a row that included four wins at the David Toms Intercollegiate, Western Refining Sun Bowl College Golf Classic, Louisiana Classics and NCAA Baton Rouge Regional along with two other second-place finishes runner-up finishes at the Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic and The Prestige at PGA West. Burns ended his career tied for the No. 8 spot on LSU's career list since the 1981-82 season with 15 top-10 individual finishes in his two seasons.





Tigers in Major Championships

LSU Tigers have enjoyed tremendous success in major championships over the years as six program alums have accounted for 30 top-10 finishes since former NCAA champion Fred Haas, Jr., advanced to the quarterfinal round of match play at the 1952 PGA Championship held at Big Spring Country Club in Jefferson County, Kentucky. LSU great David Toms has claimed a school-record 11 top-10 finishes in major championships during his illustrious PGA TOUR career, including a win at the PGA Championship during the 2001 season. Tiger great Jay Hebert was also crowned a PGA Champion during his professional career in 1960 while totaling 10 top-10 finishes in majors in a career that spanned nearly a quarter century. Below are a listing of all top-10 finishes by LSU Tigers in major championships.

The Masters

Place	Player	Year
10	Jay Hebert	1957
T9	Jay Hebert	1958
T8	Jay Hebert	1959
T10	Jay Hebert	1966
T6	David Toms	1998
T8	David Toms	2003
9	David Toms	2007

The U.S. Open

Place	Player	Year
T9	Jay Hebert	1953
T5	Fred Haas, Jr.	1954
T7	Jay Hebert	1958
T9	Gardner Dickinson	1961
T9	Johnny Pott	1964
T6	Gardner Dickinson	1967
T5	David Toms	2003
T5	David Toms	2007
T4	David Toms	2012
T4	John Peterson	2012

The British Open

Place	Player	Year
T4	David Toms	2000

The PGA Championship

Place	Player	Year
Quarterfinals	Fred Haas, Jr.	1952
7	Jay Hebert	1957
T5	Jay Hebert	1958
1	Jay Hebert	1960
T4	Johnny Pott	1961
10	Jay Hebert	1962
T8	Gardner Dickinson	1963
5	Gardner Dickinson	1965
1	David Toms	2001
T10	David Toms	2005
T4	David Toms	2011
7	David Toms	2013



Fred Haas, Jr.



Gardner Dickinson



Johnny Pott

LSU GREATS MAKE HISTORY AT 112TH U.S. OPEN

Two LSU Tigers finished among the Top 10 of the leaderboard in a major championship for the first time in program history when LSU greats David Toms and John Peterson matched one another with 72-hole scores of 3-over par 283 in four rounds at The Olympic Club to tie for fourth place at the 112th United States Open Championship held June 14-17, 2012.

After playing alongside one another in the second to last pairing in Saturday's third round, Toms wrapped up the championship with a 2-under par 68 and Peterson carded an even-par 70 on Father's Day to tie Jim Furyk, Pdraig Harrington and Jason Dufner for fourth place overall.

They finished just two shots off the pace as Webb Simpson was crowned the 2012 U.S. Open champion after having a 1-over par 281 to become the 14th different major champion in a run of 14-straight majors.

With their performance, both Toms and Peterson earned an exemption into the field for the 2013 Masters Tournament and 2013 U.S. Open Championship.

Toms earned his best career finish at the U.S. Open and took home his 10th career top-10 finish in a major championship by tying for fourth place for the weekend. Toms had twice tied for fifth place at the U.S. Open in 2003 and 2007 as he posted his third top-10 finish in 16 career starts in the event.

Toms was brilliant in firing the second-lowest round of Sunday's finale as he quickly rebounded from his bogey at the par-four fifth hole with a birdie at the par-four seventh hole before making the turn at even in his round. He then made two birdies on the back nine at the par-four 12th and par-five 17th holes to card an impressive 2-under 68 and finish with a 72-hole score of 3-over 283.

Toms was actually tied for the U.S. Open lead after 36 holes while entering the weekend sitting at the top of the leaderboard along with Tiger Woods and Furyk.

"You battle a lot of emotions and put a lot of pressure on yourself to keep up," Toms said of sharing the 36-hole lead. "Leading or being tied for the lead in the golf tournament, in the U.S. Open, was great. To be able to turn it around and play really solid golf after the way I played actually the last several tournaments has been nice, to be back in the hunt."

While Toms made 53 major championship appearances during his illustrious career on the PGA TOUR with his start at the 112th U.S. Open, Peterson made the most of his major championship debut after posting 1-over 71, even-par 70, 2-over 72 and even-par 70 for his 3-over par 283 for the championship.

Peterson's scorecard featured four birdies, two bogeys and one double bogey as he put himself in position to win the event, even dropping as low as 2-over par for the tournament with his birdie at the par-four 10th hole on the back nine of the final round.

"I had my dad there (on Sunday), and it was Father's Day," Peterson said of his father, David. "It was tough because my grandmother (David's mother) passed away the week before. He always told me that a great Father's Day present would be for me to be playing (on Sunday) in the U.S. Open. So, that's a thing I guess I'll treasure the most from the week, him being there with me."

Peterson even provided one of the highlights of the weekend when he put himself in contention to win the U.S. Open title when he aced the par-three 13th hole with a 7-iron from 182 yards for what proved to be the only hole-in-one for the championship.

"I never made one," Peterson said. "I knew I had my yardage right when I hit it. When it landed it landed perfectly. You never expect it to go in though."

It marked the eighth time in U.S. Open history for an LSU Tiger to finish among the Top 10 of the leaderboard. Fred Haas, Jr., the 1937

NCAA champion, was the first to do so after tying for fifth place back in 1954, while Gardner Dickinson twice cracked the U.S. Open Top 10 by tying for ninth place back in 1961 and tying for sixth place in 1967. Johnny Pott also tied for ninth place in 1964.

And while LSU Tigers have earned a total of 20 top-10 finishes in the history of major championship golf on the PGA TOUR, Toms and Peterson are the first to do so on the same weekend.

112th U.S. Open Leaderboard

1.	Webb Simpson	281 +1
T2.	Graeme McDowell	282 +2
T2.	Michael Thompson	282 +2
T4.	John Peterson	283 +3
T4.	David Toms	283 +3
T4.	Jason Dufner	283 +3
T4.	Jim Furyk	283 +3
T4.	Pdraig Harrington	283 +3
9.	Ernie Els	284 +4
T10.	Kevin Chappell	285 +5
T10.	Retief Goosen	285 +5
T10.	John Senden	285 +5
T10.	Lee Westwood	285 +5
T10.	Casey Wittenberg	285 +5



David Toms



John Peterson

LSU at the SEC Championships

YEAR	LSU FINISH (SCORE)	CHAMPION (SCORE)	MEDALIST (SCORE)	SITE
1937	1st (614)	LSU (614)	Vincent D'Antoni, Tennessee	Baton Rouge, La.
1938	1st (608)	LSU (608)	Henry Castillo, LSU	Baton Rouge, La.
1939	1st (604)	LSU (604)	Sonny Swift, Georgia	Baton Rouge, La.
1940	1st (601)	LSU (601)	Henry Castillo, LSU	Athens, Ga.
1941		Georgia (616)	Earl Stewart, LSU	Athens, Ga.
1942	1st (597)	LSU (597)	Arnold Blum, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1943-45	No Tournaments- World War II			
1946	1st (604)	LSU (604)	George Hamer, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1947	1st (633)	LSU (633)	Joe Moore, LSU	Athens, Ga.
1948	1st (303)	LSU (303)	Albert Swann, Georgia Tech	Athens, Ga.
1949		Georgia Tech (303)	Hal Spears, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1950		Georgia (1200)	John Owens, Kentucky	Athens, Ga.
1951		Georgia (579)	Griffin Moody, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1952		Georgia (591)	Bobby Hill, Alabama	Athens, Ga.
1953	1st (586)	LSU (586)	Eddie Merrins, LSU	Athens, Ga.
1954	1st (576)	LSU (576)	Eddie Merrins, LSU	Athens, Ga.
1955		Florida (575)	Lester Kelly, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1956		Florida (591)	Dave Ragan, Florida	Athens, Ga.
1957		Georgia (590)	Tom Aaron, Florida	Athens, Ga.
1958		Georgia (593)	Tom Aaron, Florida	Athens, Ga.
1959		Georgia (583)	Bob Moser, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1960	1st (573)	LSU (573)	Doug Essig, LSU/Cobby Ware, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1961		Georgia (570)	Howell Fraser, LSU	Athens, Ga.
1962		Georgia (1170)	David Boyd, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1963		Georgia (589)	Jim Gabrielsen, Georgia/Jack Oliver, Georgia	Athens, Ga.
1964		Georgia (581)	Bert Greene, Tennessee	Athens, Ga.
1965	T3rd (596)	Georgia (575)	B.R. McLendon, LSU (282)	Athens, Ga.
1966	1st (854)	LSU (854)	B.R. McLendon, LSU (210)	Baton Rouge, La.
1967	1st (872)	LSU (872)	B.R. McLendon, LSU (212)	Gainesville, Fla.
1968	9th (898)	Florida (848)	Steven Melnyk, Florida (204)	Knoxville, Tenn.
1969	3rd (1108)	Georgia (1099)	Vaughn Moise, LSU (212)	Athens, Ga.
1970	2nd (1106)	Georgia (1105)	Tommy Valentine, Georgia (213)	Callaway Gardens, Ga.
1971	4th (1132)	Georgia (1099)	Jimmy McQuillian, Florida (215)	Callaway Gardens, Ga.
1972	5th (1159)	Georgia (1117)	Mickey Mabry, Tennessee (217)	Callaway Gardens, Ga.
1973	4th (1134)	Florida (1099)	Gary Koch, Florida (212)	Callaway Gardens, Ga.
1974	2nd (1128)	Florida (1104)	Gary Koch, Florida (214)	Dothan, Ala.
1975	2nd (1112)	Florida (1101)	Phil Hancock, Florida (214)	Dothan, Ala.
1976	3rd (1101)	Auburn (1094)	Phil Hancock, Florida (207)	Decatur, Ala.
1977	4th (1092)	Georgia (1073)	Sam Trahan, Florida (209)	Decatur, Ala.
1978	3rd (1164)	Georgia (1142)	Larry Rinker, Florida (222)	Birmingham, Ala.
1979	5th (895)	Alabama (876)	Wayne DeFrancesco, LSU (212)	Birmingham, Ala.
1980	6th (912)	Tennessee (884)	Rick Pearson, Florida (215)	Augusta, Ga.
1981	T3rd (887)	Auburn (884)	John Salamone, LSU (211)	Augusta, Ga.
1982	7th (904)	Georgia (873)	Randy Watkins, Ole Miss (211)	Augusta, Ga.
1983	6th (898)	Georgia (881)	Dave Peege, Ole Miss (213)	Augusta, Ga.
1984	2nd (885)	Ole Miss (881)	Emlyn Aubrey, LSU (213)	Augusta, Ga.
1985	6th (889)	Florida (868)	Peter Persons, Georgia (213)	Florence, Ala.
1986	1st (871)	LSU (871)	Chip Sullivan, Ole Miss (210)	Florence, Ala.
1987	1st (869)	LSU (869)	David Toms, LSU (205)	Florence, Ala.
1988	2nd (872)	Georgia (854)	Lan Gooch, Ole Miss (209)	Florence, Ala.
1989	2nd (890)	Florida (874)	Chris DiMarco, Florida (215)	Louisville, Ky.
1990	9th (896)	Tennessee (866)	Mike Sposa, Tennessee (210)	Jackson, Miss.
1991	5th (879)	Florida (860)	Jimmy Green, Auburn (205)	West Point, Miss.
1992	4th (881)	Florida (876)	Brian Gay, Florida (211)	St. Francisville, La.
1993	4th (885)	Florida (847)	Guy Hill, Florida (206)	Jacksonville, Fla.
1994	7th (889)	Florida (860)	Brian Gay, Florida (213)	Fairfield Glade, Tenn.
1995	7th (874)	Arkansas (855)	Bud Still, Arkansas (206)	Nashville, Tenn.
1996	9th (883)	Miss. State (859)	Graham Davidson, Miss. State (205)	Birmingham, Ala.
1997	3rd (889)	Miss. State (879)	Bryant MacKellar, Auburn (210)	Opelika, Ala.
1998	8th (588)	Georgia (567)	Eric Ecker, South Carolina (136)	Athens, Ga.
1999	T6th (982)	Florida (901)	Camilo Bendetti, Florida (212)	Lexington, Ky.
2000	5th (882)	Georgia (852)	Roland Thatcher, Auburn (208)	Killen, Ala.
2001	8th (887)	Georgia (841)	Bryant Odom, Georgia (207)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2002	T4th (874)	Auburn (857)	Camilo Benedetti, Florida (210)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2003	12th (917)	Florida (856)	Brett Stegmaier, Florida (203)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2004	8th (875)	Georgia (843)	Brendon Todd, Georgia (207)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2005	T6th (899)	Kentucky (875)	David Skins, Tennessee (210)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2006	6th (868)	Georgia (827)	Brett Stegmaier, Florida (205)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2007	9th (892)	Tennessee (869)	Patton Kizzire, Auburn (211)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2008	T8th (888)	Alabama (853)	Michael Thompson, Alabama (208)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2009	T4th (872)	Georgia (849)	Billy Horschel, Florida (206)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2010	5th (856)	Georgia (844)	Russell Henley, Georgia (204)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2011	5th (865)	Florida (848)	Andres Echavarria, Florida (209)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2012	11th (877)	Alabama (828)	Justin Thomas, Alabama (203)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2013	11th (881)	Alabama (848)	Sebastian Cappelletti, Arkansas (202)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2014	2nd (822)	Alabama (806)	Bobby Wyatt, Alabama (192)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2015	1st (827)	LSU (827)	Matthew NeSmith, South Carolina (196)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2016	5th (864)	Georgia (853)	Lee McCoy, Georgia (207)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2017	T-5th (Quarterfinals)	Vanderbilt (def. Texas A&M, 3&2)	Alejandro Tosti, Florida (200)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2018	T-3rd (Semifinals)	Auburn (def. Alabama, 3&2)	Andy Zhang, Florida (205)	St. Simons Island, Ga.
2019	9th (857)	Arkansas (def. Auburn 3-1-1)	Jovan Rebuta, Auburn (202)	St. Simons Island, Ga.

LSU'S SEC INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONS

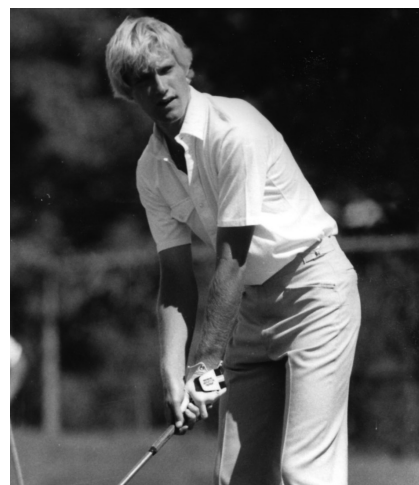
YEAR	SCORE	PLAYER	SITE
1937	146	Fred Haas, Jr.	Baton Rouge, La.
1938	141	Henry Castillo	Baton Rouge, La.
1939	140	Henry Castillo	Baton Rouge, La.
1940	140	Henry Castillo	Baton Rouge, La.
1941	142	Earl Stewart	Athens, Ga.
1947	138	Joe Moore	Athens, Ga.
1953	286	Eddie Merrins	Athens, Ga.
1954	284	Eddie Merrins	Athens, Ga.
1960	283	Don Essig	Athens, Ga.
1961	281	Howard Fraser	Athens, Ga.
1965	282	B.R. McLendon	Athens, Ga.
1966	210	B.R. McLendon	Baton Rouge, La.
1967	212	B.R. McLendon	Gainesville, Fla.
1969	212	Vaughn Moise	Birmingham, Ala.
1979	212	Wayne DeFrancesco	Augusta, Ga.
1981	211	John Salamone	Augusta, Ga.
1984	213	Emlyn Aubrey	Augusta, Ga.
1987	205	David Toms	Florence, Ala.

LSU'S SEC TEAM CHAMPIONS

YEAR	SCORE	COACHES	SITE
1937	614	Maj. J. Perry Cole	Baton Rouge, La.
1938	608	Maj. J. Perry Cole	Baton Rouge, La.
1939	604	Maj. J. Perry Cole	Baton Rouge, La.
1940	601	Maj. J. Perry Cole	Baton Rouge, La.
1942	597	Maj. J. Perry Cole	Athens, Ga.
1946	604	T.P. Heard	Athens, Ga.
1947	633	T.P. Heard	Athens, Ga.
1948	303	Mike Barbato	Athens, Ga.
1953	586	Mike Barbato	Athens, Ga.
1954	576	Mike Barbato	Athens, Ga.
1960	573	Mike Barbato	Athens, Ga.
1966	854	Harry Taylor	Baton Rouge, La.
1967	872	Harry Taylor	Gainesville, Fla.
1986	871	Buddy Alexander	Florence, Ala.
1987	869	Buddy Alexander	Florence, Ala.
2015	827	Chuck Winstead	St. Simons Is., Ga.

ALL-TIME SEC TEAM TITLES

1.	Georgia	27
2.	LSU	16
3.	Florida	13
4.	Alabama	5
5.	Tennessee	3
	Auburn	3
7.	Mississippi State	2
	Arkansas	2
9.	Georgia Tech	1
	Kentucky	1
	Ole Miss	1



Emlyn Aubrey • 1984 SEC Champion

LSU'S TOP 10 NCAA TEAM FINISHES

YEAR	FINISH	SCORE	CHAMPION (SCORE)	SITE
1939	5th	617	Stanford (612)	Wakonda CC, Des Moines, Iowa
1940	T-1st	601	LSU, Princeton (601)	Edwanok CC, Manchester, Vt.
1941	2nd	599	Stanford (580)	The Scarlet Course, Columbus, Ohio
1942	T-1st	590	LSU, Princeton (590)	South Bend CC, South Bend, Ind.
1943	3rd	621	Yale (614)	Olympia Field C.C.
1946	5th	629	Stanford (619)	Springdale CC, Princeton, N.J.
1947	1st	606	LSU (606)	University of Michigan Course, Ann Arbor, Mich.
1948	2nd	588	San Jose State (579)	Stanford University Golf Course, Palo Alto, Calif.
1952	7th	602	North Texas State (573)	Purdue University Course, West Lafayette, Ind.
1953	3rd	581	Stanford (578)	Broadmoor GC, Colorado Springs, Colo.
1954	4th	582	SMU (572)	Braeburn CC, Houston, Texas
1955	1st	574	LSU (574)	Holston Hills CC, Knoxville, Tenn.
1956	9th	613	Houston (601)	The Scarlet Course, Columbus, Ohio
1966	T-8th	607	Houston (582)	Stanford University Golf Course, Palo Alto, Calif.
1967	3rd	591	Houston (585)	Shawnee GC, Delaware, Pa.
1984	T-6th	1162	Houston (1145)	Bear Creek Golf World, Houston, Texas
1985	T-9th	1196	Houston (1172)	Grenelefe GC, Haines City, Fla.
1986	10th	1175	Wake Forest (1156)	Bermuda Run CC, Winston Salem, N.C.
1989	T-8th	1173	Oklahoma (1139)	Oaktree Country Club, Edmond, Okla.
2014	T-3rd	836	Alabama (def. Oklahoma State, 4-1)	Prairie Dunes Country Club, Hutchinson, Kan.
2015	1st	1169	LSU (def. Southern California, 4-1)	Concession Golf Club, Bradenton, Fla.
2016	T-5th	1136	Oregon (def. Texas, 3-2)	Eugene Country Club, Eugene, Ore.
2017	9th	1161	Oklahoma (def. Oregon, 3.5-1.5)	Rich Harvest Farms GC, Sugar Grove, Ill.

LSU'S NCAA TEAM CHAMPIONS

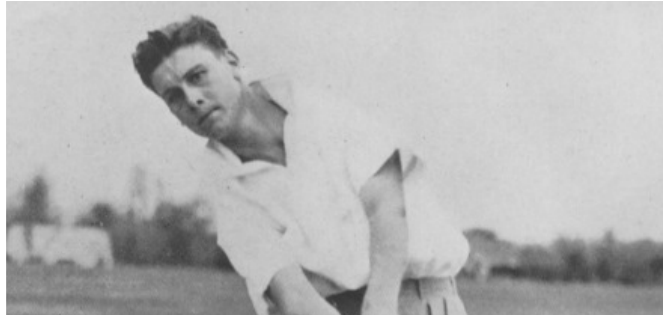
YEAR	SCORE	COACH	SITE
1940	601	Maj. J. Perry Cole	Ekwanok CC, Manchester, Vt.
1942	590	Maj. J. Perry Cole	South Bend CC, South Bend, Ind.
1947	606	T.P. Heard	Univ. of Michigan Course, Ann Arbor, Mich.
1955	574	Mike Barbato	Holston Hills CC, Knoxville, Tenn.
2015	4-1	Chuck Winstead	Concession GC, Bradenton, Fla.

LSU'S NCAA INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONS

YEAR	PLAYER	SITE
1937	Fred Haas, Jr.	Oakmont CC, Oakmont, Pa.
1941	Earl Stewart	The Scarlet Course, Columbus, Ohio
2011	John Peterson	Karsten Creek GC, Stillwater, Okla.

LSU'S TOP 20 NCAA INDIVIDUAL FINISHES (SINCE 1985)

YEAR	PLAYER	FINISH	SCORE
1985	Rob McNamara	T-10th	291
1986	Emlyn Aubrey	T-3rd	287
1987	Rob McNamara	16th	293
1988	David Toms	5th	288
	Greg Leshner	T-16th	293
	Fredrik Lindgren	T-19th	294
1989	Fredrik Lindgren	T-17th	289
1991	Perry Moss	T-4th	212
	Scott Sterling	T-18th	218
2010	John Peterson	T-6th	211
2011	John Peterson	1st	211



Fred Haas, Jr. • 1937 NCAA Champion



Earl Stewart • 1941 NCAA Champion



1940 National Champions



1955 National Champions

TOP 20 CAREER STROKE AVERAGES (SINCE 1982)

PLAYER	AVG.	RDS.
1. Sam Burns (2015-17)	71.13	79
2. Luis Gagne (2015-19)	71.53	131
3. Alan Morgan (1999-2001)	72.17	75
4. Philip Barbaree (2017-Present)	72.34	95
5. Brandon Pierce (2013-17)	72.39	101
6. John Peterson (2007-11)	72.58	146
7. Stewart Jolly (2011-15)	72.80	133
8. Zach Wright (2012-16)	72.81	138
Curtis Thompson (2011-14)	72.81	102
Heath West (2002-05)	72.81	132
11. David Toms (1985-89)	72.93	160
12. Fredrik Lindgren (1987-89)	73.00	76
13. Andrew Loupe (2007-11)	73.01	143
14. Eric Ricard (2013-17)	73.02	125
Nathan Jeansonne (2015-19)	73.05	102
16. Chris Wells (2004-07)	73.16	99
17. Rob McNamara (1983-87)	73.20	143
18. Brian Bateman (1993-96)	73.22	143
19. Sang Yi (2008-12)	73.28	138
20. John Humphries (1999-2003)	73.31	141

* - minimum 70 rounds

TOP 20 STROKE AVERAGES (SINCE 1982)

PLAYER	RDS.	AVG.	YEAR
1. Sam Burns	43	70.05	2016-17
2. Luis Gagne	37	71.16	2017-18
Brandon Pierce	25	71.16	2014-15
4. David Toms	43	71.27	1988-89
5. Luis Gagne	43	71.35	2016-17
6. Philip Barbaree	33	71.48	2018-19
7. Stewart Jolly	36	71.50	2013-14
8. Zach Wright	39	71.51	2015-16
9. John Peterson	39	71.54	2010-11
10. Alan Morgan	39	71.54	2000-01
11. Sang Yi	34	71.56	2011-12
Luis Gagne	30	71.57	2018-19
13. Scott Sterling	35	71.60	1992-93
14. Curtis Thompson	36	71.78	2013-14
15. Craig Webb	35	71.91	1992-93
16. Ben Taylor	24	72.00	2013-14
Andrew Loupe	38	72.00	2009-10
Emlyn Aubrey	40	72.00	1985-86
19. Zach Wright	34	72.03	2014-15
20. Trey Winstead	37	72.08	2017-18

*minimum 12 rounds

YEARLY STROKE AVG. LEADERS (SINCE 1985)

YEAR	PLAYER	AVG.	RDS.
1984-85	Rob McNamara	73.32	40
1985-86	Emlyn Aubrey	72.00	40
1986-87	Rob McNamara	73.38	37
1987-88	David Toms	72.61	39
1988-89	David Toms	71.27	43
1989-90	Perry Moss	72.81	32
1990-91	Perry Moss	72.64	42
1991-92	Rett Crowder	73.57	40
1992-93	Scott Sterling	71.60	35
1993-94	Scott Sterling	73.54	35
1994-95	Brian Bateman	73.25	35
1995-96	Brian Bateman	72.84	38
1996-97	P.J. Smith	72.67	37
1997-98	P.J. Smith	73.08	37
1998-99	Jeremy Wilkinson	73.21	32
1999-00	Alan Morgan	72.86	36
2000-01	Nathan Goulding	72.77	27
2001-02	Heath West	72.35	34
2002-03	John Humphries	72.31	38
2003-04	Heath West	72.80	35
2004-05	Chris Wells	72.83	36
2005-06	Andrew Lanahan	73.37	27
2006-07	Chris Wells	73.00	30
2007-08	Andrew Loupe	74.06	33
2008-09	John Peterson	72.48	33
2009-10	Andrew Loupe	72.00	38
2010-11	John Peterson	71.53	39
2011-12	Sang Yi	71.56	34
2012-13	Curtis Thompson	73.00	38
2013-14	Stewart Jolly	71.50	36
2014-15	Brandon Pierce	71.16	25
2015-16	Zach Wright	71.51	39
2016-17	Sam Burns	70.05	43
2017-18	Luis Gagne	71.16	37
2018-19	Philip Barbaree	71.48	33

CAREER TOP-10 FINISHES (SINCE 1982)

PLAYER	NO.
1. David Toms (1985-89)	29
2. Rob McNamara (1983-87)	22
3. Emlyn Aubrey (1982-86)	20
4. John Peterson (2007-11)	19
Brian Bateman (1993-96)	19
Luis Gagne (2015-19)	19
7. Andrew Loupe (2007-11)	18
8. Greg Lesher (1986-90)	16
9. Sam Burns (2015-17)	15
Sang Yi (2008-12)	15
11. Zach Wright (2012-16)	14
Jeremy Wilkinson (1996-99)	14
13. Stewart Jolly (2011-15)	13
P.J. Smith (1995-97)	13
15. Brandon Pierce (2013-17)	12
Andrew Presley (2010-14)	12
17. Eric Ricard (2013-17)	11
John Humphries (1999-2003)	11
Bob Friend (1982-86)	11
20. Scott Sterling (1990-94)	10
Rett Crowder (1988-92)	10
Fredrik Lindgren (1987-89)	10

CAREER TOP-20 FINISHES (SINCE 1985)

PLAYER	NO.
1. David Toms (1985-89)	37
2. Luis Gagne (2015-19)	31
3. Andrew Loupe (2007-11)	29
P.J. Smith (1995-97)	29
5. Brian Bateman (1993-96)	28
6. John Peterson (2007-11)	27
Greg Lesher (1986-90)	27
8. Zach Wright (2012-16)	25
Sang Yi (2008-12)	25
Heath West (2002-05)	25
11. Scott Sterling (1990-94)	23
12. Sam Burns (2015-17)	22
Stewart Jolly (2011-15)	22
14. Curtis Thompson (2011-14)	21
15. Rett Crowder (1989-92)	20
Perry Moss (1987-91)	20
17. Andrew Presley (2010-13)	19
18. Brandon Pierce (2013-17)	18
John Humphries (1999-2003)	18
Alan Morgan (1999-2001)	18
Jeremy Wilkinson	18

CAREER TOURNAMENT WINS (SINCE 1982)

PLAYER	NO.
1. David Toms (1985-89)	6
2. Luis Gagne (2015-2019)	4
Sam Burns (2015-17)	4
Rob McNamara (1983-87)	4
5. Zach Wright (2012-16)	3
Stewart Jolly (2011-15)	3
7. Eric Ricard (2013-17)	2
Andrew Presley (2010-13)	2
Austin Gutsell (2008-12)	2
John Peterson (2007-11)	2
Alan Morgan (1999-2001)	2
Perry Moss (1987-91)	2

BEST TEAM ROUNDS (SINCE 1985)

SCORE	TOURNAMENT
-19 265	The Prestige at PGA West, 2016, 3rd rd.
-17 263	SEC Championships, 2014, 3rd rd.
-17 263	Maui Jim Intercollegiate, 2018, 1st rd.
-16 268	Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic, 2016, 3rd rd.
-16 268	Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic, 2017, 1st rd.
-16 272	NCAA Franklin Regional, 2016, 2nd rd.
-15 273	The Prestige at PGA West, 2015, 3rd rd.
-14 270	Maui Jim Intercollegiate, 2016, 3rd rd.
-14 270	Maui Jim Intercollegiate, 2016, 1st rd.
-14 274	NCAA Columbia Regional, 2014, 3rd rd.
-13 271	Maui Jim Intercollegiate, 2016, 2nd rd.
-13 275	Gary Koch Invitational, 2009, 1st rd.
-12 276	NCAA Baton Rouge Regional, 2017, 1st rd.
-12 268	NCAA New Haven Regional, 2015, 3rd rd.
-12 276	David Toms Intercollegiate, 2010, 2nd rd.
-12 272	Valspar Collegiate, 2019, 2nd rd.
-11 277	NCAA Championships, 2017, 2nd rd.
-11 273	Valspar Invitational at Floridian, 2015, 1st rd.
-11 277	Schenkel Invitational, 2011, 2nd rd.
-11 277	Louisiana Classics, 2010, 2nd rd.
-11 273	David Toms Intercollegiate, 2009, 2nd rd.
-11 277	SEC Championships, 2009, 3rd rd.
-11 277	CCLA Intercollegiate, 2000, 2nd rd.
-11 277	Chris Schenkel Invitational, 1986, 2nd rd.
-11 277	David Toms Intercollegiate, 2017, 2nd rd.
-11 277	Old Waverly Collegiate, 2018, 3rd rd.
-11 281	Tar Heel Invitational, 1986, 2nd rd.
-10 278	Louisiana Classics, 2017, 1st rd.
-10 278	Golfweek Conference Challenge, 2014, 1st rd.
-10 278	University Club Intercollegiate, 2004, 2nd rd.
-10 278	Billy Hitchcock Invitational, 1992, 2nd rd.

BEST TEAM TOURNAMENT SCORES (SINCE 1985)

SCORE	TOURNAMENT
-41 811	Maui Jim Intercollegiate, 2016
-31 821	Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic, 2017
-26 826	The Prestige at PGA West, 2016
-25 839	NCAA Franklin Regional, 2016
-24 828	Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic, 2016
-23 817	Maui Jim Intercollegiate, 2018
-21 843	The Prestige at PGA West, 2015
-21 843	David Toms Intercollegiate, 2018
-19 845	Louisiana Classics, 2014
-18 822	SEC Championships, 2014
-17 847	Louisiana Classics, 2012
-16 848	David Toms Intercollegiate, 2010
-16 848	University Club Intercollegiate, 2004
-15 849	Golfweek Conference Challenge, 2014
-15 849	NCAA Columbia Regional, 2014
-15 849	Billy Hitchcock Intercollegiate, 1994
-15 849	Chris Schenkel Invitational, 1986
-14 838	Talis Park Challenge, 2015
-14 838	The Prestige, 2019
-13 827	SEC Championships, 2015
-13 851	LSU Spring Invitational, 2004
-13 851	Tournament of Champions, 2000
-12 852	Carpet Capital Collegiate Classic, 2016
-12 840	Valspar Invitational at Floridian, 2015
-12 852	Chris Schenkel Invitational, 1989
-12 852	Henry Homberg Invitational, 1987

BEST IND. TOURNAMENT SCORES (SINCE 1985)

SCORE	PLAYER
-17 196	Luis Gagne (Maui Jim Intercollegiate, 2016)
-13 200	Sam Burns (Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic, 2016)
-12 201	Sam Burns (Sun Bowl All-America Golf Classic, 2016)
-12 201	Zach Wright (The Prestige at PGA West, 2016)
-12 204	John Peterson (Gary Koch Invite, 2009)
-11 199	Smylie Kaufman (SEC Championships, 2014)
-11 205	Perry Moss (LSU National Invite, 1990)
-11 205	David Toms (SEC Championships, 1987)
-10 206	Sam Burns (Louisiana Classics, 2017)
-10 206	Eric Ricard (David Toms Intercollegiate, 2015)
-10 206	Myles Lewis (The Prestige at PGA West, 2015)
-10 203	Stewart Jolly (Valspar Invitational at Floridian, 2014)
-10 206	Myles Lewis (Louisiana Classics, 2014)
-10 206	Andrew Presley (Louisiana Classics, 2012)
-10 206	Austin Gutsell (David Toms Intercollegiate, 2010)
-10 206	Chris Wells (UC Intercollegiate, 2004)
-10 206	Alan Morgan (CCLA Intercollegiate, 2000)
-10 206	David Toms (Golf Digest Collegiate, 1988)
-9 135	Nathan Jeansonne (Tiger Classic, 2017)
-9 204	Brandon Pierce (Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic, 2016)
-9 207	Eric Ricard (The Prestige at PGA West, 2015)
-9 207	Stewart Jolly (Golfweek Conference Challenge, 2014)
-9 207	Stewart Jolly (Carpet Capital Collegiate Classic, 2014)
-9 207	Austin Gutsell (LSU National Invitational, 2012)
-9 207	Greg Lesher (LSU National Invite, 1989)
-8 208	Eric Ricard (NCAA Franklin Regional, 2016)
-8 205	Philip Barbaree (Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic, 2017)
-8 202	Jacob Bergeron (Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic, 2017)
-8 202	Luis Gagne (Maui Jim Intercollegiate, 2018)



Smylie Kaufman



Luis Gagne

LSU'S INDIVIDUAL MEDALISTS (SINCE 1985)

YEAR	PLAYER	TOURNAMENT	SCORE
1985	Rob McNamara	University of New Orleans Invitational	139
1985	Rob McNamara	Country Club of Jackson Invitational	207
1987	David Toms	LSU National Invitational	212
1987	Rob McNamara	Miami-Doral Park National Invitational	213
1987	Tommie Mudd	Country Club of Jackson Invitational	210
1987	David Toms	SEC Championships	205
1988	David Toms	Jerry Pate Intercollegiate	208
1989	David Toms	Golf Digest Collegiate Invitational	206
1989	David Toms	Florida Southern-Imperial Lakes Classic	205
1989	David Toms	Gator Invitational	204
1989	Greg Leshner	LSU National Invitational	207
1991	Perry Moss	LSU National Invitational	205
1994	Scott Sterling	Southeastern Intercollegiate	209
1996	Brian Bateman	PING-Tulsa Invitational	216
2001	Alan Morgan	Tennessee Tournament of Champions	209
2001	Alan Morgan	Country Club of Louisiana Intercollegiate	206
2003	John Humphries	LSU Spring Invitational	211
2005	Beck Troutman	LSU Spring Invitational	211
2009	John Peterson	John Hayt Invitational	214
2010	Austin Gutzell	David Toms Intercollegiate	206
2010	Andrew Loupe	Louisiana Classics	208
2011	John Peterson	NCAA Championships	211
2012	Austin Gutzell	LSU National Invitational	207
2012	Andrew Presley	Louisiana Classics	206
2012	Stewart Jolly	Shoal Creek Intercollegiate	210
2012	Curtis Thompson	Shoal Creek Intercollegiate	210
2012	Andrew Presley	David Toms Intercollegiate	220
2013	Zach Wright	Louisiana Classics	209
2013	Stewart Jolly	Golfweek Conference Challenge	210
2014	Myles Lewis	Louisiana Classics	206
2014	Stewart Jolly	Golfweek Conference Challenge	207
2014	Ben Taylor	David Toms Intercollegiate	214
2015	Eric Ricard	David Toms Intercollegiate	206
2016	Zach Wright	The Prestige at PGA West	201
2016	Zach Wright	Valspar Collegiate Invitational	211
2016	Zach Wright	Tiger Classic	143
2016	Luis Gagne	Maui Jim Intercollegiate	196
2016	Luis Gagne	Tiger Classic	143
2016	Sam Burns	David Toms Intercollegiate	215
2016	Luis Gagne	David Toms Intercollegiate	215
2016	Brandon Pierce	David Toms Intercollegiate	215
2016	Eric Ricard	David Toms Intercollegiate	215
2016	Eric Ricard	Tiger Classic	143
2016	Sam Burns	Western Refining Sun Bowl All-America Golf Classic	201
2017	Sam Burns	Louisiana Classics	206
2017	Nathan Jeansonne	Tiger Classic	135
2017	Sam Burns	NCAA Baton Rouge Regional	212
2017	Luis Gagne	David Toms Intercollegiate	140
2017	Jacob Bergeron	David Toms Intercollegiate	140
2018	Trey Winstead	David Toms Intercollegiate	209

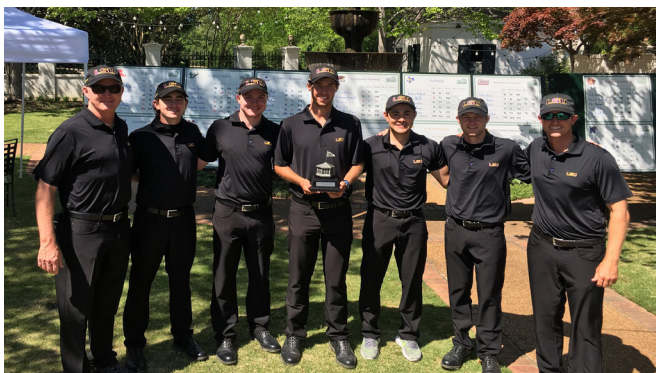


Sam Burns

LOW ROUNDS (SINCE 1985)

PLAYER	CLASS	SCORE	PAR	TOURNAMENT	DATE	SITE
Sam Burns	So.	62	71	Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic	11/6/17	Ka'anapali Golf Club - Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii
Luis Gagne	Sr.	62	70	Maui Jim Intercollegiate	9/21/18	The Mirabel Golf Club - Scottsdale, Ariz.
Tommie Mudd	So.	63	72	LSU Invitational	1985	Sherwood Forest Country Club - Baton Rouge, La.
Nathan Jeansonne	Fr.	64	71	The Prestige at PGA West	2/17/16	PGA West (Norman Course) - La Quinta, Calif.
Greg Leshner	Jr.	64	70	Gator Invitational	2/10/89	University Course - Gainesville, Fla.
Luis Gagne	Jr.	64	71	Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic	11/3/17	Ka'anapali Golf Club - Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii

All-Time Tournament Wins



2018 OLD WAVERLY COLLEGIATE



2017 DAVID TOMS INTERCOLLEGIATE

1935-36
Southern Intercollegiate

1936-37
SEC Championships
Southern Intercollegiate

1937-38
SEC Championships
Southern Intercollegiate

1938-39
SEC Championships

1939-40
SEC Championships
Southern Intercollegiate
NCAA Championships

1941-42
SEC Championships
Southern Intercollegiate
NCAA Championships

1945-46
SEC Championships

1946-47
SEC Championships
NCAA Championships

1947-48
SEC Championships
Southern Intercollegiate

1948-49
Gulf Coast Invitational

1949-50
Gulf Coast Invitational

1952-53
SEC Championships

1953-54
Southern Intercollegiate
SEC Championships

1954-55
NCAA Championships

1955-56
All-America (Team Match)

1958-59
All-America (Two Ball)

1959-60
All-America (Team Match)
All-America (Best Ball)
Southern Intercollegiate
SEC Championships
All-America (Two Ball)

1960-61
LSU Invitational

1961-62
LSU Invitational

1963-64
Buckhaults Invitational

1964-65
Buckhaults Invitational

1965-66
LSU Invitational
Southern Intercollegiate
SEC Championships

1966-67
B.O. Van Hook Invitational
L.R. Goldman Invitational
SEC Championships

1967-68
B.O. Van Hook Invitational

1968-69
B.O. Van Hook Invitational

1969-70
LSU Invitational
Tulane Invitational
Louisiana Intercollegiate

1970-71
McNeese Invitational

1971-72
Jim Corbett Classic

1972-73
Louisiana Intercollegiate
Port Malabar Invitational
Jim Corbett Classic

1973-74
Louisiana Intercollegiate
Jim Corbett Classic

1974-75
LSU Invitational
Centenary Classic
Jim Corbett Classic

1975-76
LSU-Tulane Invitational
Florida Invitational

1976-77
Seminole Classic
Jim Corbett Classic

1977-78
Louisiana Intercollegiate

1978-79
Southern Mississippi Invitational
Broadwater Beach Invitational

1980-81
Seminole Classic
New Orleans Invitational

1983-84
Yale Fall Intercollegiate
Morton Braswell Intercollegiate
Louisiana Intercollegiate
Orange Lake Intercollegiate

1984-85
USM-Laurel C.C. Invitational
UNO Invitational

1985-86
USM-Laurel C.C. Invitational
Gator Invitational
Country Club of Jackson Invitational
SEC Championships

1986-87
Country Club of Jackson Invitational
SEC Championships

1987-88
Gator Invitational
Jerry Pate Invitational

1988-89
LSU National Invitational
Florida Southern Invitational
Golf Digest Collegiate Invitational
Chris Schenkel Invitational

1990-91
Taylor Made Doral Park
Intercollegiate

1991-92
Billy Hitchcock Intercollegiate

1993-94
Country Club of Louisiana
Intercollegiate
Southeastern Intercollegiate
Billy Hitchcock Intercollegiate

1994-95
Louisiana Classic
All-American Intercollegiate

1995-1996
Reliastar Classic
Ping-Tulsa Invitational
Blue-Gray Intercollegiate

1998-99
The Bridges All-American

2000-01
Tennessee Tournament of
Champions
Country Club of Louisiana
Intercollegiate
LSU Spring Invitational

2001-02
Gator Invitational
LSU Spring Invitational

2002-03
LSU Spring Invitational

2003-04
Baylor Invitational
Country Club of Louisiana
Intercollegiate
LSU Spring Invitational

2004-05
LSU Spring Invitational

2005-06
Shoal Creek Intercollegiate

2008-09
Gopher Invitational
John Hayt Invitational
Reunion Intercollegiate

2009-10
David Toms Intercollegiate
Louisiana Classics
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate

2010-11
Gopher Invitational
David Toms Intercollegiate
Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate
LSU National Invitational

2011-12
Louisiana Classics
Argent Financial Classic
LSU National Invitational

2012-13
Shoal Creek Intercollegiate
David Toms Intercollegiate

2013-14
Aggie Invitational

2014-15
Golfweek Conference Challenge
David Toms Intercollegiate
Talis Park Challenge
SEC Championships
NCAA Championships

2015-16
David Toms Intercollegiate
The Prestige at PGA West
Tiger Classic

2016-17
Maui Jim Intercollegiate
David Toms Intercollegiate
The Prestige at PGA West
Aggie Invitational
Tiger Classic
NCAA Baton Rouge Regional

2017-18
David Toms Intercollegiate
Ka'anapali Collegiate Classic
Old Waverly Collegiate

2018-19
David Toms Intercollegiate
The Prestige at PGA West

LSU'S WINNINGEST COACHES

COACH	YEARS	TOURNAMENT TITLES
Chuck Winstead	14	36
Britt Harrison	11	16
Mike Barbato	13	15

COACH	YEARS	TOURNAMENT TITLES
Maj. J. Perry Cole	11	12
Bill Brogden	5	11
Greg Jones	6	10

COACH	YEARS	TOURNAMENT TITLES
Buddy Alexander	5	10
Harry Taylor	7	10

1961-1992, 2011-12 LSU National Invitational

YEAR	TEAM CHAMPION (SCORE)	INDIVIDUAL CHAMPION (SCORE)
1961	LSU (591)	Howell Fraser, LSU (145)
1962	LSU (578)	Roy Pace, Louisiana Tech (142)
1963	Memphis State (579)	Buddy Short, Southwestern La. (138)
1964	LSU (584)	John Lamey, Alabama (142)
1965	LSU (591)	Pat O'Brien, McNeese State (140)
1966	LSU (577)	B.R. McLendon, LSU (141)
1967	Houston (849)	B.R. McLendon, LSU (208)
1968	Memphis State (573)	Jimmy Day, LSU (133)
1969	Houston (849)	John Mahaffey, Houston (208)
1970	LSU (1,340)	Gary Bennett, Memphis State (279)
1971	Houston (1,439)	Jim McLean, Houston (282)
1972	Houston (1,430)	Mike Drury, LSU (278)
1973	Houston (1,073)	Bill Rogers, Houston (208)
1974	Houston (1,076)	Keith Fergus, Houston (212)
1975	LSU (1,063)	Bruce Douglass, Murray State (207)
1976	LSU (592)	Allen Ritchie, Alabama (144)
1977	Houston (1,082)	Jerry Anderson, Texas (212)
1978	Oklahoma State (1,067)	Mark Tinder, Oral Roberts (207)
1979	Oral Roberts (842)	Mark Tinder, Oral Roberts (204)
1980	Houston (854)	Hal Sutton, Centenary (208)
1981	Oral Roberts (858)	Joe Rasett, Oral Roberts (206)
1982	UCLA (831)	Jay Delsing, UCLA (202)
1983	Texas (562)	Mark Brooks, Texas (138)
1984	Houston (847)	John Slaughter, Houston (206)
1985	Oklahoma (870)	David Peege, Ole Miss (210)
1986	Florida (856)	Philip Jonas, Lamar (206)
1987	LSU (863)	David Toms, LSU (212)
1988	Arizona State (1,091)	Dave Miley, Ole Miss (210)
1989	LSU (862)	Greg Leshner, LSU (207)
1990	Clemson (875)	Oswald Drawdy, Clemson (209)
1991	Florida (846)	Perry Moss, LSU (205)
1992	Florida (896)	Carl Paulson, South Carolina (215)
2011	LSU (886)	Stephan Jaeger, Chattanooga (209)
2012	LSU (853)	Austin Gutsell, LSU (207)

2009-Present David Toms Intercollegiate

YEAR	TEAM CHAMPION (SCORE)	INDIVIDUAL CHAMPION (SCORE)
2009	LSU (844)	Jade Scott, Rice (204)
2010	LSU (848)	Austin Gutsell, LSU (206)
2011	Oklahoma (862)	Andrew Noto, Louisiana-Lafayette (208)
2012	LSU (897)	Andrew Presley, LSU (220)
2013	Southeastern La. (860)	Grady Brame, Southeastern La. (209)
2014	LSU (891)	Ben Taylor, LSU (214)
2015	LSU (864)	Eric Ricard, LSU (206)
2016	LSU (853)	Sam Burns, Luis Gagne, Brandon Pierce, Eric Ricard, LSU (215)
2017	LSU (565)	Luis Gagne (LSU), Jacob Bergeron (LSU)
2018	LSU (843)	Lewis George (Central Arkansas) - 140
		Trey Winstead, LSU (209)

1993-2003 Country Club of Louisiana Intercollegiate

YEAR	TEAM CHAMPION (SCORE)	INDIVIDUAL CHAMPION (SCORE)
1993	LSU (879)	Ryan Perna, North Florida (215)
1994	Tennessee (884)	Jamie Neher, Tennessee (213)
1995	Georgia (881)	Simon Cooke, Virginia (214)
1996	Auburn (865)	Michael Connell, Mississippi State (207)
1997	Georgia (857)	Jeremy Parrot, Georgia (207)
1998	E. Tenn. State (862)	David Christensen, E. Tenn. State (209)
1999	North Florida (880)	David Bennett, North Florida (211)
2000	LSU (856)	Alan Morgan, LSU (206)
2001	UAB (856)	Graeme McDowell, UAB (204)
2002	No Tournament	No Tournament
2003	LSU (851)	Michael Thompson, Tulane (207)



David Toms

ALL-AMERICANS

YEAR	GOLFER	SELECTION
1937	Fred Haas, Jr.	First Team
1941	Earl Stewart	First Team
1943	Sonny Ellis	First Team
1948	Gardner Dickinson	First Team
1952	Eddie Merrins	
1953	Eddie Merrins	
1954	Eddie Merrins	
1955	Johnny Pott	First Team
1962	Howell Fraser	Second Team
1965	B.R. McLendon	Honorable Mention
1966	B.R. McLendon	Second Team
1967	B.R. McLendon	First Team
	Randy Wolff	Honorable Mention
1969	Vaughn Moise	Third Team
1970	Jimmy Wittenberg	Honorable Mention
1973	Dick Clark	Honorable Mention
1974	Stan Lee	Second Team
1975	Stan Lee	Second Team
1979	Wayne DeFrancesco	First Team
1980	John Salamone	Honorable Mention
1981	John Salamone	Second Team
1984	Emlyn Aubrey	Honorable Mention
	Fred Dupre	Third Team
1985	Rob McNamara	Honorable Mention
1986	Emlyn Aubrey	Third Team
	Rob McNamara	Honorable Mention
1987	Rob McNamara	Second Team
	David Toms	Honorable Mention
1988	Greg Leshner	Honorable Mention
	Fredrik Lindgren	Honorable Mention
	David Toms	First Team
1989	Greg Leshner	Second Team
	David Toms	First Team
1990	Perry Moss	Honorable Mention
1991	Perry Moss	Second Team
1992	Rett Crowder	Honorable Mention
1994	Scott Sterling	Honorable Mention
1996	Brian Bateman	Third Team
1997	P.J. Smith	Honorable Mention
2001	Alan Morgan	Honorable Mention
2003	John Humphries	Honorable Mention
2009	John Peterson	Second Team
2010	Andrew Loupe	Honorable Mention
	John Peterson	Honorable Mention
2011	Andrew Loupe	Honorable Mention
	John Peterson	First Team
2012	Sang Yi	Honorable Mention
2013	Curtis Thompson	Honorable Mention
2014	Stewart Jolly	Third Team
	Ben Taylor	Honorable Mention
	Curtis Thompson	Honorable Mention
2015	Brandon Pierce	Third Team
	Eric Ricard	Honorable Mention
	Zach Wright	Honorable Mention
2016	Sam Burns	Honorable Mention
	Luis Gagne	Honorable Mention
	Zach Wright	Second Team
2017	Sam Burns	First Team
	Luis Gagne	Honorable Mention
2018	Luis Gagne	Third Team

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

YEAR	GOLFER
1989	Greg Leshner
	Fredrik Lindgren
1991	Rett Crowder
1995	Brian Bateman
1996	Chip McDonald
2011	Austin Gutgsell
	Sang Yi



Eddie Merrins



B.R. McLendon



David Toms



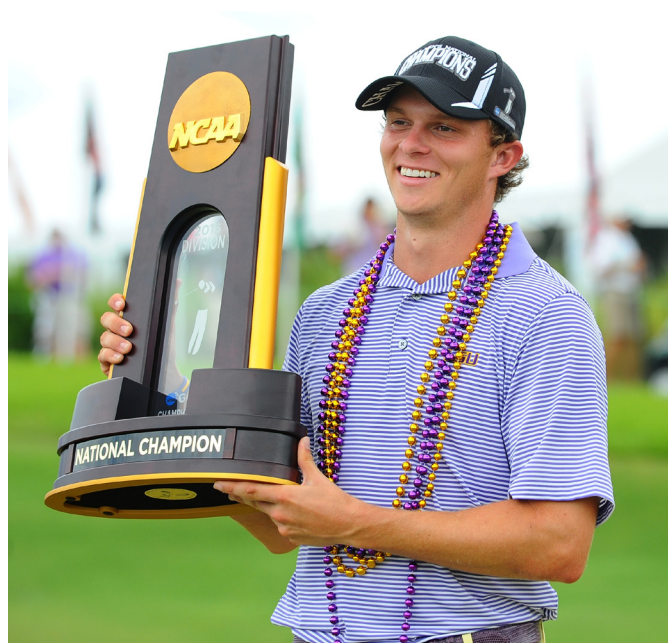
Brian Bateman

ALL-SEC SELECTIONS

YEAR	GOLFER	SELECTION
1970	Tommy Evans	Second Team
	Vaughn Moise	First Team
	Jimmy Wittenberg	First Team
1971	Mike Drury	Second Team
	Jimmy Wittenberg	First Team
1972	Shelby Houston	First Team
1974	Dick Clark	First Team
	Stan Lee	First Team
1975	Jim Adams	Second Team
	Louis Lee	Second Team
	Stan Lee	First Team
1976	Frank Gusmus	Second Team
	Louis Lee	Second Team
1977	Steve Cromwell	First Team
1978	Louis Lee	Second Team
	Gary Marlowe	Second Team
1979	Wayne DeFrancesco	Freshman of the Year
	John Salamone	First Team
		Player of the Year
1982	Dudley Bienvenu	Second Team
1983	Emlyn Aubrey	Second Team
	Fred DuPre	First Team
1984	Emlyn Aubrey	First Team
	Fred DuPre	First Team
	Rob McNamara	Second Team
		Freshman of the Year
1985	Rob McNamara	First Team
1986	Emlyn Aubrey	First Team
	Rob McNamara	First Team
	David Toms	Freshman of the Year
1987	Rob McNamara	First Team
		Player of the Year
1988	David Toms	First Team
	Greg Leshar	Second Team
	David Toms	First Team
		Player of the Year
1989	Greg Leshar	First Team
	Fredrik Lindgren	Second Team
	David Toms	First Team
		Player of the Year
1990	Greg Leshar	Second Team
	Perry Moss	Second Team



Luis Gagne



Brandon Pierce

YEAR	GOLFER	SELECTION
1991	Rett Crowder	Second Team
	Perry Moss	First Team
		Player of the Year
1992	Rett Crowder	First Team
1993	Scott Sterling	Second Team
1994	Brian Bateman	Second Team
	Scott Sterling	First Team
1995	Brian Bateman	Second Team
1996	Brian Bateman	First Team
1997	P.J. Smith	First Team
1998	P.J. Smith	Second Team
1999	Jeremy Wilkinson	Second Team
2000	Alan Morgan	Second Team
2001	John Humphries	Second Team
	Alan Morgan	First Team
2002	Nathan Goulding	Second Team
	Heath West	Second Team
2003	John Humphries	First Team
2004	Heath West	Second Team
2005	Chris Wells	Second Team
2007	Chris Wells	Second Team
2008	Andrew Loupe	All-Freshman Team
	John Peterson	All-Freshman Team
	Clayton Rotz	All-Freshman Team
2009	John Peterson	First Team
	Sang Yi	All-Freshman Team
2010	Andrew Loupe	First Team
2011	Andrew Loupe	First Team
	John Peterson	First Team
2012	Andrew Presley	Second Team
	Sang Yi	First Team
2013	Andrew Presley	Second Team
	Curtis Thompson	First Team
2014	Stewart Jolly	First Team
	Curtis Thompson	Second Team
2015	Stewart Jolly	Second Team
	Brandon Pierce	Second Team
	Eric Ricard	Second Team
	Zach Wright	Second Team
2016	Zach Wright	First Team
2017	Sam Burns	First Team
	Luis Gagne	Second Team
2018	Luis Gagne	First Team
	Trey Winstead	All-Freshman Team
	Jacob Bergeron	All-Freshman Team
2019	Luis Gagne	Second Team
	Philip Barbaree	Second Team

A

Adams, Jim (1973-74-75-76)
 Adams, Wright Jr. (1934-37)
 Aitchison, David (2003)
 Amerman, Wink (1999)
 Anthony, Richard (1966)
 Aubrey, Emlyn (1983-84-85-86)
 Aydlett, Brandon (2003-04-05)

B

Barbaree, Philip (2017-18-19)
Barber, Garrett (2019)
 Barsamian, Jarrod (2006-07-08-09)
 Bateman, Brian (1993-94-95)
 Beard, Tommy (1953-54-55-56)
 Beckers, Michael (2000)
 Bergeron, Jacob (2018)
 Biancalana, Roy (1980-81-82)
 Bienvenu, Dudley (1982)
 Bigham, Neil (1957)
 Blaum, Brent (2007)
 Bourgeois, Jason (1993-94)
 Burns, Sam (2016-17)
 Byman, Pete (1980-81-82-83)

C

Caldwell, Bill (1972)
 Caldwell, Blake (2015-16-17-18)
 Calhoun, Cecil (1953-54-55-56)
 Carmichael, Sam (1959-60-61)
 Castillo, Henry (1938-39-40)
 Castro, Franco (2011-12)
 Clark, Dick (1972-73-74-75)
 Clark, Frank (1950-51)
 Cole, Henry (1965-66-67)
 Collier, Jo (1971-72)
 Crowder, Rett (1989-90-91-92)
 Cuthbert, Tommy (1969)

D

Daigle, William (1968-69)
 Day, Jimmy (1966-67-68)
 DeBaus, Claude (1951)
 DeFrancesco, Wayne (1979-80)
 Dickinson, Gardner (1948)
 Dodson, Bill (1957)
 Doss, Jackie (1952)
 Downie, Michael (1964-65)
 Dressler, Billy (2000-01)
 Drury, Mike (1970-71-72)
 DuPre, Fred (1980-81-83-84)

E

Elkins, Tommy (1965-66)
 Ellis, Sonny (1948)
 Ervin, Tucker (2002-03)
 Essig, Don (1958-59-60)
 Evans, Tommy (1970)

F

Faulds, Thomas (1980)
 Ferrell, William (1962-63)
 Finkelstein, Maury (1962-63-64)
 Finney, Michael (1987-88-89)
 Fraser, Howell (1960-61-62)
 Friend, Bob (1983-84-85-86)

G

Gagne, Luis (2016-17-18-19)
 Gatlin, Butch (1963-64)
 Gaudin, Russ (1962-63-64)
Gonzales, Drew (2017-18-19)
 Goodwin, Mark (1972)
 Goulding, Nathan (2001)
 Guido, Paul (1979)
 Gusmus, Frank (1974-75-76)
 Gutgsell, Austin (2010-11-12)

H

Haas, Fred (1935-36-37)
 Harrell, Bobby (1952)
 Harris, Billy (1979-80)
 Harris, Chad (1995)
 Hebert, Junius (1948)
 Henriksen, Steve (1977-78)
 Hitchcock, Brett (1998-99)
 Hoffman, Tico (1977-78-79)
 Holmes, Jim (1975-77)
 Hoover, Tom (1962-63)
 Horrell, Jason (2002-03-04)
 Houston, Shelby (1973-74-75)
 Huguet, Marty (1969)
 Humphries, Earl (1971-72-73)
 Humphries, Jason (1998-99-00)
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