



CAPITAL ONE ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA® TEAM SELECTED BY CoSIDA

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BRENDAN TOUGHEY OF BALDWIN WALLACE LEADS CAPITAL ONE ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA® DIVISION III BASEBALL TEAM

TOWSON, Md. – Senior outfielder **Brendan Toughey** of Baldwin Wallace University leads the 2013 Capital One Academic All-America® Division III Baseball Team, as selected by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA).

Toughey has been chosen as the Capital One Academic All-America® of the Year award winner for Division III baseball.

The Capital One Division II and III Academic All-America® program is being financially supported by the NCAA Division II and III national governance structures, to assist CoSIDA with handling the awards fulfillment aspects for the 2012-13 DII and DIII Academic All-America® teams program.

Enrolled in BW's Masters of Business Administration in accounting program, Toughey has a 3.93 G.P.A. as a two-time Capital One Academic All-America® selection. He earned second team honors in 2012. A native of East Amherst, N.Y., Toughey batted .411 this season with a school single-season record 66 runs scored, four homeruns and 20 stolen bases in 22 attempts.

A two-time All-Ohio Athletic Conference pick, Toughey finished his career as the Yellow Jackets' all-time leader with 153 runs to go along with a .356 batting average, 65 RBI and 54 stolen bases. Toughey earned Academic All-OAC honors twice and was recently tabbed to the *D3Baseball.com* All-Mideast Region First Team.

Toughey is joined on the 2013 Capital One Academic All-America® Division III Baseball first team by one graduate student, seven seniors and two juniors.

Of the group, senior outfielder **Tyler Heck** of Union (N.Y.) is the only other repeat Capital One Academic All-America® selection.

A mechanical engineering major with a 3.93 G.P.A., Heck was named as the Liberty League Player of the Year with a .394 average, three home runs, 26 RBI's and 38 stolen bases. A native of Clinton, N.Y., Heck ranked among the nation's leaders in stolen bases and was named ABCA/Rawlings All-New York Region.

Completing the 2013 Capital One Academic All-America® Division III Baseball first team outfield is junior **Nick Fisher** of number one-ranked Linfield.

A mathematics major with a 3.83 G.P.A., Fisher has played a crucial role in the Wildcats' run to the NCAA Division III national championship. He also led top-ranked Linfield to the NCAA Austin regional championship. A native of Lake Oswego, Ore., Fisher earned a spot on the All-Northwest Conference first team and finished the season with six home runs, 47 runs batted in, 15 doubles, four triples and 254 stolen bases. The team's fourth-leading hitter, he was second on the team with 49 runs scored. He helped Linfield set a school record with a 42 victories.

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The 2013 Capital One Academic All-America® Division III baseball first team infield is composed of seniors **Nicholas Boggan** of California Lutheran, **Eric Jensen** of Wheaton (Mass.) and **Scott Staniewicz** of Tufts along with junior **Travis Mason** of St. Norbert.

A business major with a 3.56 G.P.A., Boggan helped the No. 5-ranked Kingsmen reach the NCAA Condordia (Texas) Regional and finish the season with a 35-9-1 record. A native of Pacific Grove, Cal., Boggan was a two-time selection to the All-Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference first team. As a senior, Boggan batted .412 with 13 home runs and 67 RBI's.

A mathematics and economics double-major with a 3.85 G.P.A., Jensen earned Capital One Academic All-District honors for the third time this year. A native of Gorham, N.H., he led Wheaton to its ninth straight 30-win season and a berth to the NCAA New England Regional. Wheaton finished the season with a 32-12 record. The 2013 New England Women's and Men's Athletic Conference Player of the Year, Jensen batted .373 with 31 RBI's and 18 stolen bases.

An electrical engineering and mathematics double-major with a 3.86 G.P.A., Staniewicz was named to the 2013 New England Intercollegiate Baseball Association (NEIBA) All-New England Division III third team. A native of Boca Raton, Fla., Staniewicz batted .357 with 22 RBI's and 11 stolen bases while helping Tufts post a 22-12 record.

A business administration major and the only member of the Capital One Academic All-America® Division III baseball first team with a perfect 4.0 G.P.A., Mason was named to the *D3Baseball.com* All-Central Region Team for the second straight season while helping his team to a 27-17 record. A native of De Pere, Wis., Mason batted .327 with four home runs, 36 RBI's and 12 stolen bases.

Senior **Ryan Zakszeski** of Johns Hopkins is the catcher on the first team. A materials science and engineering double-major with a 3.58 G.P.A., Zakszeski helped the Blue Jays to a berth to the NCAA Mid-Atlantic Regional and a 37-10 record. A native of Gilbertsville, Pa., Zakszeski was named to the All-Centennial Conference first team and the *D3Baseball.com* All-Mid-Atlantic Region first team. Zakszeski batted .358 with seven home runs and 22 RBI's.

Completing the Capital One Academic All-America® Division III Baseball first team are senior pitchers **Ben Heaton** of Augustana (Ill.) and **Bryce Murphy** of Manchester along with graduate student designated hitter **Adam Cordova** of Wisconsin-La Crosse.

An accounting and finance double major with a 3.84 G.P.A., Heaton helped the Vikings to a College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin championship and a 34-11 record. A native of Heyworth, Ill., Heaton posted a 5-2 record with a 2.59 E.R.A. while leading Augustana to a berth in the NCAA Division III regionals.

An accounting major with a 3.55 G.P.A., Murphy has been a key piece during the Spartans' run to a 39-5-1 record and the NCAA Mideast regional championship. A native of Ossian, Ind., Murphy had a 5-2 record on the mound with a 1.52 E.R.A. and 13 saves. A *D3Baseball.com* All-Mideast Region selection, Murphy also led Manchester with a .392 batting average and 43 RBI's.

An exercise & sport science major with a 3.84 G.P.A., Cordova was recently named the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Max Sparger Baseball Scholar-Athlete Award winner. A native of Merrill, Wis., Cordova was a two-year captain and a two-time All-WIAC honoree. He batted .321 and led UWL with five home runs and 44 runs batted in. Cordova helped the Eagles post a 21-21 record and reach the WIAC championship game.

The 11 members of the Capital One Academic All-America® Division III Baseball first team maintain an average G.P.A. of 3.79.

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Since the program's inception in 1952, CoSIDA has bestowed Academic All-America honors on more than 18,000 student-athletes in Divisions I, II, III and NAIA, covering all NCAA championship sports.

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2013 Capital One Academic All-America® Division III Baseball Team

Academic All-America® of the Year: Brendan Toughey, Baldwin Wallace

FIRST TEAM

Pos.	Name	School	Yr.	Hometown	G.P.A.	Major
P	Ben Heaton	Augustana (Ill.)	Sr.	Heyworth, Ill.	3.84	Accounting & Finance
P	Bryce Murphy	Manchester	Sr.	Ossian, Ind.	3.55	Accounting
C	Ryan Zakszeski	Johns Hopkins	Sr.	Gilbertsville, Pa.	3.58	Materials Science, Engineering
INF	Nicholas Boggan	California Lutheran	Sr.	Pacific Grove, Cal.	3.56	Business
INF	Eric Jensen	Wheaton (Mass.)	Sr.	Gorham, N.H.	3.85	Mathematics, Economics
INF	Travis Mason	St. Norbert	Jr.	De Pere, Wis.	4.00	Business Administration
INF	Scott Staniewicz	Tufts	Sr.	Boca Raton, Fla.	3.86	Electrical Engineering, Math
OF	Nick Fisher	Linfield	Jr.	Lake Oswego, Ore.	3.83	Mathematics
OF	Tyler Heck (2)	Union (N.Y.)	Sr.	Clinton, N.Y.	3.93	Mechanical Engineering
OF	Brendan Toughey (2)	Baldwin Wallace	Sr.	East Amherst, N.Y.	3.93	MBA in Accounting
DH	Adam Cordova	Wisc.-LaCrosse	Gr.	Merrill, Wis.	3.84	Exercise & Sport Science

SECOND TEAM

Pos.	Name	School	Yr.	Hometown	G.P.A.	Major
P	Cory Schmidt	Hope	Sr.	Milan, Ohio	3.95	Psychology
P	Andrew Levy	Salisbury	Sr.	Hampstead, Md.	3.52	Accounting
C	Dillon Tagle	Elizabethtown	Sr.	Ringoes, N.J.	3.76	Biology, Pre-Med
INF	Evan Brockmeier (2)	Marietta	Sr.	Marietta, Ohio	3.80	Petroleum Engineering
INF	David Cladis	Wisc.-Whitewater	Sr.	Joliet, Ill.	3.67	Secondary Math Education
INF	Adam Weiner	Johns Hopkins	Sr.	Newark, Del.	3.98	Mech. Engineering, Physics
INF	Drew Yoder	Wartburg	Sr.	Wellman, Iowa	3.74	Accounting, Business Admin.
OF	AJ Flores	William Paterson	Jr.	West Orange, N.J.	3.95	History & Secondary Educ.
OF	Pat Hirschberg	Trinity (Texas)	Sr.	Parker, Col.	3.83	Business Admin., Accounting
OF	Michael Kastelic	Allegheny	Sr.	Johnstown, Pa.	3.93	Biochemistry
DH	Kevin Hendricks	Benedictine	Sr.	Mundelein, Ill.	3.56	Management & Org. Behavior

THIRD TEAM

Pos.	Name	School	Yr.	Hometown	G.P.A.	Major
P	Bob Cook	Amherst	Sr.	Winnetka, Ill.	3.48	Mathematics
P	Tyler Goldstein	Johns Hopkins	Jr.	Highland Park, Ill.	3.60	Economics
P	Dom Quaranta	Washington (Mo.)	So.	Homer Glen, Ill.	3.95	Mechanical Engineering
C	Sam Shook	Ozarks	So.	Katy, Texas	3.89	Mathematics
INF	Danny Collins	U.S. Merchant Marine	Jr.	Sleepy Hollow, N.Y.	3.79	Logistics & Inter. Transportation
INF	Mike McDonald	Oberlin	Jr.	Weston, Conn.	3.90	Biochemistry, Biology
INF	Chris Wilhelm	Johns Hopkins	Sr.	Oceanside, N.Y.	3.57	Biology
INF	Andrew Yin	Wesleyan	So.	Potomac, Md.	4.00	Chemistry
OF	Jordan Grilliot	Marietta	Sr.	Brookville, Ohio	3.78	Chemistry
OF	Heath Johnson	Stevenson	Sr.	New Castle, Del.	3.96	Business Administration
OF	Jake Zadra (2)	Edgewood	Sr.	Madison, Wis.	3.98	Biology
DH	Scoop Ruxin	Swarthmore	So.	Lexington, Mass.	3.92	Economics, Political Science

(2) Capital One Academic All-America® Division III 2nd Team in 2012

