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MIAA Presidential Scholars list announced

Conference recognizes 62 student-athletes -- including 11 seniors -- with cumulative 4.00 GPAs

(OVERLAND PARK, Kan.) – The Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association is proud to announce the names of 62 student-athletes earning recognition on the 2003-04 MIAA Presidential Scholars list.

To gain this distinction, student-athletes must have a cumulative 4.00 grade-point average and completed a minimum of two terms of attendance at the nominating institution.

There were 24 male student-athletes and 38 female student-athletes who earned this honor.

Among the 62 are 11 seniors with a 4.00 GPA – Cen-

tral Missouri State golfer Brooks Barefoot, volleyball player Trudy Carter, softball player Kassie Long and basketball player Jena Shackelford; Emporia State football player Brad Johnson; Missouri-Rolla cross country / track runner Kate Hamera (the women's Ken B. Jones Award winner) and soccer player Chris Shaw; Missouri Southern football player Clint Grimmett and cross country / track competitor Rachel McGowan; Pittsburg State cross country / track runner Carissa VanGundy-Marshall and Southwest Baptist cross country / track runner Jackie Hodson.

2003-04 MIAA Presidential Scholars – Men

Name	School	Sport(s)	Cl.	Major	Hometown
Barefoot, Brooks	CMSU	Golf	Sr.	Finance	Overland Park, Kan.
Bartels, Matt	UMR	TF	Fr.	Engineering	Hamel, Ill.
Beyer, Chris	PSU	FB	Fr.	Automotive Technology	Moundridge, Kan.
Conrad, Andrew	UMR	TF	Fr.	Engineering	St. Louis, Mo.
Crane, Zachary	UMR	Soc	Fr.	Engineering	Olathe, Kan.
Crossett, Andy	TSU	Golf	Jr.	Political Science	Liberty, Mo.
Cummings, Chris	MWSC	FB	So.	Biology/Health Sciences	Kansas City, Mo.
Dellasega, Nick	PSU	FB	Fr.	Management	Pittsburg, Kan.
Gaul, Bill	UMR	Sw	Fr.	Engineering	West Des Moines, Iowa
Grimmett, Clint	MSSU	FB	Sr.	Criminal Justice	Seneca, Mo.
Grote, Curtis	ESU	TF	Jr.	Social Science	Liberal, Kan.
Johnson, Brad	ESU	FB	Sr.	Computer Information Systems	Minneapolis, Kan.
Kunshek, Brett	PSU	FB	Fr.	Accounting	Frontenac, Kan.
Lamberson, Josh	NWMSU	FB	So.	Corporate Recreation	Wilber, Neb.
Martinek, Brian	WU	BsB	Fr.	Sports Medicine	Silver Lake, Kan.
Meyer, Michael	MSSU	BsB	Fr.	International Business	Olathe, Kan.
Robbins, Jason	WU	Golf	So.	Accounting	Topeka, Kan.
Schiefelbein, Scot	PSU	FB	Fr.	Biology	Pittsburg, Kan.
Schloss, Phil	UMR	Soc	So.	Mechanical Engineering	West Plains, Mo.
Shaw, Chris	UMR	Soc	Sr.	Biological Sciences	Sioux Falls, S.D.
Shelley, Andy	UMR	Sw	Fr.	Mechanical Engineering	Katy, Texas
Sorensen, Eric	PSU	CC/TF	Jr.	Commercial Graphics	Wichita, Kan.

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<i>Men (cont.)</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>Sport(s)</i>	<i>Cl.</i>	<i>Major</i>	<i>Hometown</i>
Wachter, Andy	PSU	BkB	So.	Commercial Graphics	Pittsburg, Kan.
Wittrock, Eric	TSU	CC/TF	Fr.	Biology	Carroll, Iowa

2003-04 MIAA Presidential Scholars – Women

<i>Name</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>Sport(s)</i>	<i>Cl.</i>	<i>Major</i>	<i>Hometown</i>
Anderson, Brittany	TSU	Sw	Fr.	Biology	Dublin, Ohio
Baer, Lauren	SBU	Ten	Fr.	Elementary Education	Kirksville, Mo.
Bax, Megan	CMSU	SB	So.	Athletic Training	Jefferson City, Mo.
Bomhoff, Sarah	CMSU	Soc	Fr.	Elementary Education	Wichita, Kan.
Broderick, Marian	MWSC	VB	So.	Mathematics	Wichita, Kan.
Carter, Trudy	CMSU	VB	Sr.	Elementary Education	Overbrook, Kan.
Casley, Jessica	PSU	TF	So.	Biology	Frontenac, Kan.
Dance, Sarah	TSU	Sw	Jr.	Exercise Science	Lincoln, Neb.
Faust, Jacquie	TSU	CC/TF	Fr.	Communication Disorders	St. Louis, Mo.
Gfeller, Erin	MSSU	SB	Fr.	Undeclared	Overland Park, Kan.
Gombosi, Barb	MSSU	Ten	Fr.	Psychology	Maribor, Slovenia
Gorynski, Deidre	WU	Soc	Fr.	Undeclared	Topeka, Kan.
Gossard, Andrea	MSSU	BkB	Fr.	Drafting & Design	Altamont, Kan.
Hamera, Kate	UMR	CC/TF	Sr.	Aerospace Engineering	Easton, Mo.
Henningsen, Casey	ESU	BkB	Fr.	Accounting	Glen Elder, Kan.
Hodson, Jackie	SBU	CC/TF	Sr.	Middle School Education	Great Bend, Kan.
Hyzer, Kylee	UMR	CC/TF	Fr.	Engineering	Joliet, Ill.
Jones, Brandy	ESU	TF	Fr.	Undecided	Perry, Kan.
Kaleps-Clark, Lija	TSU	Sw	Fr.	Undeclared	Westerville, Ohio
Kueny, Becca	UMR	BkB/TF	Fr.	Engineering	Boonville, Mo.
Larson, Kristen	ESU	CC/TF	So.	History	Scandia, Kan.
Long, Kassie	CMSU	SB	Sr.	Early Childhood Education	Carrollton, Mo.
McGowan, Rachel	MSSU	CC/TF	Sr.	Elementary Education/Special Ed.	Raytown, Mo.
McMunn, Lacey	MSSU	Ten	Jr.	Elementary Education	Parsons, Kan.
Miller, April	NWMSU	BkB	Fr.	Marketing/Management	Grant City, Mo.
Millham, Lisa	CMSU	BkB	So.	Speech Pathology	Jackson, Mo.
Nelson, Megan	PSU	CC/TF	Jr.	English	Baldwin City, Kan.
Rector, Linzi	UMR	TF	Fr.	Applied Mathematics	Altamont, Ill.
Shackelford, Jena	CMSU	BkB	Sr.	Biology	Lenexa, Kan.
Sherman, Jenny	CMSU	SB	Fr.	Graphic Arts Technology	Overland Park, Kan.
Soltys, Natalie	TSU	SB	Fr.	Political Science	Lee's Summit, Mo.
Sova, Megan	MWSC	SB	Fr.	Biology/Health Sciences	Omaha, Neb.
Stetzler, Amy	CMSU	CC/TF	Fr.	Spanish	Lee's Summit, Mo.
Thompson, Maggie	UMR	Soc/BkB	Fr.	Biological Sciences	Jefferson City, Mo.
VanGundy-Marshall, Carissa	PSU	CC/TF	Sr.	Recreation	Americus, Kan.
Vanwey, Josie	CMSU	Soc	So.	Secondary Education/English	Wichita, Kan.
Wallace, Sarah	MSSU	TF	Fr.	Biology (pre-medicine)	Branson, Mo.
Watt, Jennifer	ESU	Soc	Fr.	Business	St. Louis, Mo.

Sports legend: BkB=Basketball, BsB=Baseball, Bowl=Bowling, CC=Cross Country, FB=Football, SB=Softball, Soc=Soccer, Sw=Swimming, Ten=Tennis, TF=Track & Field, VB=Volleyball, Wr=Wrestling.