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2008 ACRA Academic All-Americans

The American Collegiate Rowing Association is pleased to announce it's 2008 Academic All-Americans. To be named to the first team a student-athlete must maintain a 3.85 GPA and be at least a sophomore in academic standing. ACRA second team criteria was 3.7 - 3.85, and third team 3.5-3.7. One Hundred and Forty Nine student-athletes from ACRA schools received this honor. Congratulations to all those who have done such a great job in the classroom.

Name	Year	School	GPA	Major/Concentration	Honors	Home Town
FIRST TEAM						
Bailey Colahan	Junior	Purdue University	4.0	Special Education	National Society of Collegiate Scholars, Golden Key International Honor Society	Marblehead, MA
Christine Troy	Senior	Purdue University	4.0	Aeronautical and Astronautical Engineering	Astronaut Scholar, Weaver Memorial Scholarship	Cincinnati, OH
Christopher Hardin	Junior	University of Maryland	4.0	Finance	Honors Fellows Program, Paul and Jean Mullan Award	Bethlehem, PA
Wes Brown	Junior	University of Texas	4.0	Chemistry Honors, Business Honors, Pre-Med	Welch Foundation Scholarship, Presidential Scholarship	Ballinger, TX
Ellen Manovich Jim Quigley	Junior Senior	The Ohio State University Lehigh	3.98 3.96	English and History Electrical Engineering	OSU Presidential Scholar, National Merit Scholar Department Top Electrical Engineer Recognition	
Colin Rolfs	Senior	Northwestern University	3.96	Philosophy	Phi Beta Kappa, Departmental Honors: Philosophy	Salt Lake City, UT
Lila Miller	Sophomore	UCLA	3.96	Тіпозорпу	Thi Deta Nappa, Departmental Horors. Thirdsophy	Piedmont, CA
Jessica Craig	Senior	Northwestern State University	3.94	Biology	Summa Cum Laude, JOVE Scholar, Phi Kappa Phi	Franklin, LA
Matt Miller	Senior	Northwestern University	3.94	Journalism/Anthropology	Dean's List, Summa Cum Laude, Departmental Honors: Anthropology and Spanish	East Lansing, MI
Emilyn Winkelmeyer	Sophomore	University of Colorado	3.94	English		Buena Vista, CO
Michael N. Lutkus	Senior	University of Notre Dame	3.94	Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, French	Tau Beta Pi, American Institute of Chemist Award	Hudson, Ohio
Phil Bresnahan	Senior	Lehigh	3.93	Chemical Engineer	Presidental Scholarship,	
Laurissa Gulich	Junior	Michigan State University	3.93	Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science		
Phil Smith	Senior	Emory University	3.91	Finance		0 1 10 1 11/
Michael Brett Cronin	Junior	Penn State University	3.9	Geoscience, Civil Engineering	Schreyer Honors Scholar, Phi Kappa Phi	Orchard Park, NY
Tyler DeWitt Daniel Eaddy	Sophomore Junior	University of Colorado University of Texas	3.9 3.9	Computer Science Business Honors, Chemistry Honors		Colorado Springs, CO Austin, TX
Derrick Thiel	Junior	University of Virginia	3.9	Studio Art. Pre-Med		Mount Vernon, VA
Michael Wildes	Junior	Georgia Tech	3.9	Biomedical Engineering		Danielsville, GA
Asher Kohn	Junior	University of Maryland	3.89	History	Phi Beta Kappa, Mortarboard, Primmannum Honor Society	Granger, IN
Andrew Sun	Junior	University of Maryland	3.89	Physiology, Neurobiology and Economics	Banneker/Key Scholarship, Maryland Distinguished Scholarship	Rockville, MD
Jonathan Talbert	Senior	University of Michigan	3.89			
Nick Kluesner	Senior	University of Notre Dame	3.89	Biological Sciences, Philosophy	Magna Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa	Ames, IA
Kacy Jo Peek	Senior	University of Texas	3.89	Plan II Honors, Classics, Pre-med	Dean's List, Plan II and Classics Honors	Keller, TX
Julie Lincoln	Senior	The Ohio State University	3.88	Speech and Hearing Science	Magna Cum Laude, Honors and Research Distinction	
Meaghan Beadle Ian Musa	Sophomore Junior	Northwestern University University of Virginia	3.87 3.87	American Studies/History Foreign Affairs	Dean's List 2008 Society of Five's Pursuit of Excellence Scholarship	Wheaton, IL Philidelphia, PA
Thomas Wytock	Senior	Northwestern University	3.87	Physics/Science/Math	Dean's List, Phi Beta Kappa, Departmental Honors: Physics	Leawood. KS
Andrew Robison	Junior	Purdue University	3.86	Electrical Engineering	Dean's List, Fill beta Kappa, Departmental Honors. Friysics	Kokomo, IN
Sarmed Rashid	Junior	University of Texas	3.86	Plan II, Theoretical Math, Government	2007 State Department Critical Language Scholarship,2008 Human in Action Fellowship	Sugar Land, TX
Peter Fast	Sophomore	Wichita State U.	3.86	Aerospace Engineering	2007 State Department State Language Seriolation p. 2000 Flaman III 7 State Flaman	Hillsboro, KS
Andrew Walker	Junior	Tulane University	3.85	Finance		Kenner, LA
David Vande Walle	Junior	University of Minnesota	3.85	Mechanical Engineering	Dean's List, Institute of Technology Honors Program	
Chris Morley	Senior	University of Texas	3.85	Plan II Honors, Spanish, Pre-Law	Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi, Dean's List,	Adelaide, Australia
SECOND TEAM						
Gabriella March	Junior	Tulane University	3.84	Geology, Economics		Chicago, IL
John Pasinski	Senior	Washington University	3.84	Medical Engineering	BME Honors Soc. AHME, Woodward Scholar	Woodbury,MN
Kirsten Hill	Junior	Tulane University	3.83	Political Economy, Philosophy	Fellow, tulane Center for Public Service	Naperville, IL
David Ringham	Senior	Michigan State University	3.82	Physics/Astronomy/Chemical Physics		
Angelo Marasco	Senior	Purdue University	3.81	Mechanical Engineering	Dean's List, President Engineering Honor Society	Grand Haven, MI
Christina Venson Sam McAleese	Junior Sophomore	University of Texas Northwestern University	3.81 3.8	Studio Art Philosophy/Biology	Phi Kappa Phi Dean's List, Assistant Editor NU Newspaper	Austin, TX Columbus, IN
Taylor Carson	Senior	Penn State University	3.8	Accounting	Schreyer Honors College	Lansdale, PA
Michelle Smyth	Sophomore	Penn State University	3.8	International Politics, Chinese and Middle East Studies	Dean's List, Phi Eta Sigma,	Cortlandt Manor, NY
Ryan Williams	Junior	Georgia Tech	3.8	Industrial Engineering	Dours List, Fill Ltd Oighta,	Cortainat Warror, 141
Cody Kamin	Senior	Georgia Tech	3.8	Aerospace Engineering		
Blake Donovan	Junior	Grand Valley State University	3.79	Group Social Studies	Dean's List, President's List	
Richard Maxwell Cavanaugh	Junior	University of Delaware	3.79	Hotel, Restaurant, Instintutional Management		
Andrew Lala	Junior	University of Maryland	3.79	Landscape Architecture	Academic Honors, President's Scholarship	Ridgefield, NJ
William S. Lauber	Sophomore	Fordham College	3.78	International Political Economy	Dean's List,	elkridge, MD
Sara Gawick	Junior	University of Colorado	3.78	Finance	Beta Gamma Sigma	Sugar Land, TX
Andrew Leonardi Joe Loquidice	Senior Sophomore	Fordham College Lehigh	3.77 3.77	Business Administration, Public Accounting Biology	Betta Gamma Sigma, Dean's List	Manhassett, NY
Karina Worden	Senior	UCSB	3.77	Biology Major	Dean's List	Lancaster, PA
Jordan Bunch	Senior	University of Colorado	3.77	Political Science	Cum Laude in English, Kittredge Honors Program, Phi Beta Kappa	Arvada, CO
Garrett Lyman	Junior	Washington State University	3.77	Civil Engineering		Port Orchard, WA
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Nicholas Krimmel	Junior	UCLA	3.77			Schonfelderstr, Germany
Nathan Humberston Elizabeth Boes	Senior Sophomore	Bucknell University Michigan State University	3.76 3.76	French, International Relations, Political Science	Presidental Fellowship, Magna Cum Laude, Pi Sigma Alpha, Dean's List	Shillington, PA
Eric W. Fedder	Senior	Penn State University	3.76	Lyman Briggs (Sciences) Architectural Engineering	Tau Beta Pi Honor Society	Paxinos, PA
Alex Blaseio	Junior	UCLA	3.76	NeuroScience		San Diego, CA.
Claire Wood Michael Nechemia	Sophomore	UCSB	3.76	Global Studies Major	Dean's List	Irvine, CA
Dimitri Papagiannopoulos	Senior Senior	Emory University Northwestern University	3.75 3.75	Finance, Real Estate Biological Sciences	Dean's List, Senior Honors Thesis, Greek National Honors Society	Naperville, IL
Alexsandr Malorodov	Junior	University of Maryland	3.74	Electrical Engineering	Dean's List	Columbia, MD
Scott Turner	Senior	Michigan State University	3.73	Crop and Soil Sciences		
Neal Ellsworth Scott Gallagher	Freshman Sophomore	Michigan State University University of Colorado	3.73 3.73	Social Science Philosophy, Economics		Englewood, CO
Nick Benson	Junior	lowa State University	3.72	Aerospace Engineering		Lakeville, MN
Marissa Nicole Rosanio	Sophomore	Penn State University	3.72	Science in Nursing	National Society of Collegiate Scholars, Phi Eta Sigma	Wilmington, DE
Lauren Kebely	Junior	UCSB	3.72	Political Science Major	Dean's List	Seattle, WA
Ryan Callas Kevin Verhoff	Senior Senior	University of Connecticut The Ohio State University	3.72 3.71	International Development	Honors Student, Dean's List	
Robert Lawrence	Junior	University of Virginia	3.71	Biomedical Engineering, Economics	Rodman Scholar	Charlottesville, VA
Jeff Pipp	Sophomore	Michigan State University	3.7	Lyman Briggs (Sciences)		
Andrew Ryan Conety Lindsay Kilpatrick	Junior Junior	Penn State University The Ohio State University	3.7 3.7	Mechanical Engineering Food, Agriculture and Bio-Engineering	"Best Design Process" freshman Design 2006 OSU Honors Program, Alpha Epsilon	Harleysville, PA
Robert Wood	Senior	Tulane University	3.7	Cellular and Molecular Biology	2007 Piano Honors recitalist	Metairie, LA
Kevin Sullivan	Senior	Washington University	3.7	Bio-Chemistry	Dean's List	Wilmette, IL
THIRD TEAM						
Lisa Malloure	Senior	Grand Valley State University	3.69	BioMedical Sciences	Dean's List	
Emily Hubacek	Senior	Purdue University	3.69	Construction Engineering	Dean's List	Schereville, IN
Rane Shaub	Sophomore Senior	University of Colorado UCSB	3.69 3.68	Finance Biology	Dean's List	Tacoma, WA Palmdale, CA
Alyssa LoPiccolo Lauren Newby	Junior	University of Colorado	3.68	International Affairs	Dean's List	Scottsdale, AZ
Rob Bowen	Junior	University of Notre Dame	3.68	Economics, Arts and Letters	Dean's List, Notre Dame Scholar	Omaha, NE
David Hofmayer	Senior	Emory University	3.67	History, Political Science		0.11 00
Lee Wilson Scott Christian Dold	Sophomore Sophomore	University of Colorado Wichita State U.	3.67 3.66	Aerospace Engineering Aerospace Engineering		Golden, CO Durango, CO
Nikki Magdelano	Junior	UCLA	3.65	Psychology, Statistics		Tustin, CA
Alex Schnell	Sophomore	University of Colorado	3.65	Political Science, Economics		Arvada, CO
Ali Cheema	Senior	University of Michigan	3.65	Developer.	Ell Engeline London	Bloomfield Hills, MI
Pearse Lenz Daniel Ringo	Sophomore Senior	Fordham College Tulane University	3.64 3.64	Psychology Economics, History	F.U. Emerging Leaders	East Dorset, VT Rochester, NY
Jordan Wyrwa	Sophomore	University of Michigan	3.64	Engineering		Deerfield, IL.
Salvatore Marsico	Junior	Fordham College	3.63	Physics-Engineering	Dean's List	Chappaqua, NY
Lauren Golembiewski	Senior	Penn State University	3.63	Graphic Design	Pi Lambda Theta	New Kensington, PA
Allison Mary Washam Michaela Sacra	Junior Senior	Penn State University University of Rochester	3.62 3.62	Elementary Education Brain and Cognitive Sciences	Pi Lambua Trieta	Souderton, PA Acton, MA
Ali Wykis	Junior	Purdue University	3.61	Political Science, Law and Society	Dean's List, Thayer Scholar	Soldotna, AK
Amy Kuhn	Sophomore	UCSB	3.61	Global Studies Major	Dean's List	Bigfork, MT
Mike Dombroski Daniel T. Gapinski	Senior Senior	University of Michigan University of Minnesota	3.61 3.61	Aerospace Engineering Mechanical Engineering	Faculty Scholarship for Academic Excellence	Guilford, CT.
Jennifer Hendriks	Senior	Penn State University	3.6	Industrial Engineering	Dean's List,	Westford, MA
Travis Clymer	Senior	UC-Davis	3.6	Biomedical Engineering		Fiddletown, CA
Michelle Williams-Davis		Georgia Tech	3.6	Dec Mark		
Jessica Ostasewski Kristin Granroth	Senior	U.S. Military Academy Grand Valley State University	3.6 3.58	Pre-Med Hospitality	Dean's List, Honors College	
Paul Grote	Senior	Northwestern University	3.58	Philosophy	Dean's List, Departmental Honors: Philosophy	Pittsfield, IL
Peter C. Fetzer	Senior	Penn State University	3.58	Civil Engineering	Member of ASCE, Chi Epsilon	East Rockaway, NY
Elizabeth Harkness	Senior	Purdue University	3.58	Aeronautical and Astronautical Engineering	Desails List Coldes Kouldesse Conint.	Flagstaff, AZ
Rebecca Lipasek Mary Bonhard	Senior Senior	Purdue University The Ohio State University	3.58 3.57	Food Chemistry and Chemistry Psychology and English	Dean's List, Golden Key Honor Society, Honor's Program, Dean's List	Fort Wayne, IN
Katy Lynn Hartz	Sophomore	Penn State University	3.56	Marketing	Dean's List	Ithaca/Lansing, NY
Martin Reschke	Junior	UCLA	3.56	History, English		Huntington Beach, CA.
Jess Mulein Brendan McNutt	Junior Junior	University of Colorado University of Notre Dame	3.56 3.56	Advertising, Philosophy Computer Science		Tarzana, CA Seattle, WA
Angela Rei Koerper	Senior	Penn State University	3.55	SecondaryEducation, History, Social Studies		Huntingdon Valley, PA
Carter East	Junior	The Ohio State University	3.55	Material Science and Biomedical Engineering	Honors Program	-
Brittan Specht Greg Gausewitz	Junior Senior	Tulane University UCLA	3.55 3.55	Philosophy, Political Science Economics		Parker, CO. Newport Beach, CA.
Kevin Kane	Junior	Northwestern University	3.54	Environmental Science/Economics	Dean's List, Departmental Honors: Environmental Science	Park Ridge, IL
Daniel Tesfay	Junior	University of Texas	3.54	Sociology and Government, Linguistics	University Honors, Liberal Arts College Scholar	Dallas, TX
Brendan Collins	Senior	University of Virginia	3.54	History		Arlington, VA
Cepand Alizadeh Andrew Neils	Junior Senior	University of Virginia Bucknell University	3.54 3.53	Foreign Affairs/ Middle Eastern Studies Chemical Engineering and Biology	Cum Laude, Mortar Board Honor Society, Phi Sigma, Dean's List	Arlington, VA Lawrence, KS
Jessica Brady	Junior	Northwestern University	3.53	Journalism	Editorial Intern at BLUSH magazine	Tampa Bay, FL
Evan Hodes	Senior	Penn State University	3.53	Advertising and History	Dean's List	Highland Park, IL
Kristin Cameron	Junior	UCSB	3.53	Psychology Machanian Engineering	Dean's List	Martinez, CA
Nick Springer Dan Robertson	Junior Junior	University of Notre Dame Grand Valley State University	3.53 3.52	Mechanical Engineering Finance/Economics	Dean's ListPi Tau Sigma Dean's List, Honors College, Economics Club	Three Rivers, MI
Brooke Coppedge	Senior	Wichita State U.	3.52	Psychology	Source List, Floridia College, Economica Citto	Topeka, KS
Andrew Millspaugh		University of Delaware	3.514	Environmental Engineering Major		·
Cameron Bates Sebastian von Marschall	Sophomore	University of Michigan University of Virginia	3.51	Architecture		Fayetteville, NY.
Claire Evans	Senior Junior	University of Virginia Emory University	3.51 3.51	Architecture		Fairfax, VA
Cody Copus	Senior	Grand Valley State University	3.5	Mathmatics	Dean's List, Mathematics Honors Society	
Geoff Sadek	Junior	Grand Valley State University	3.5	BioMedical Sciences	Dean's List	
Dan Vainner	Senior	Grand Valley State University	3.5	Accounting	Dean's List	

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Matt Rejc Mike Stoll Adam Welker		Grand Valley State University Grand Valley State University The Ohio State University	3.5 3.5 3.5	Criminal Justice Political Science Italian	Dean's List, Dean's List, Student Senate Member	
Kristian Kanya	Junior	UCLA	3.5	Political Science		Sacramento, CA.
Matt Kikosicki	Senior	University of Maryland	3.5	Architecture	Scholar in the Arts	Clinton, CT
Matt Powell	Senior	University of Maryland	3.5	Physics		Cheverly, MD
Gabe Cahn	Junior	University of Maryland	3.5	Mechanical Engineering	Dean's List, Honors Citation	Clarksville, MD
Paul Chang	Sophomore	University of Michigan	3.5	College of Literature		Temperance, MI
David Alviar	Senior	University of Texas	3.5	Economics, Phiosophy, Spanish Literature	National Hispanic Scholar, Phi Eta Sigma, Alpha Lambda Delta	Houston, TX
Michael Gaston	Junior	Georgia Tech	3.5	Mechanical Engineering		Madison, MS
Tessa Laney	Senior	Emory University	3.5			