AMERICAN COLLEGIATE ROWING ASSOCIATION

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The American Collegiate Rowing Association proudly announces the All-American teams and Coaches of the Year and, our All-Freshman Boats.

Criteria used were: 2,000 meter testing scores, performance of their crew (with most consideration on ACRA results), career racing results, accomplishments within their team, individual performances and the coach recommendation. Selections were made by the ACRA Board of Directors. To be considered for this award the team the individual is a member of must be an ACRA member and the coach must have submitted the candidate's name. Coaches of the Year were submitted by the ACRA membership and voted on by the board. Congratulations to all those who received these honors.

2014 ALL-AMERICAN FIRST TEAM

Men:	School:	Women:	School:
Connor Corwen	Bucknell	Lexi Benton	Grand Valley State
Nate Biolchini	Grand Valley State	Kaitlyn VanBoven	Grand Valley State
Louis Schaljo	Michigan	Molly Visel	Grand Valley State
Conor Levey	Notre Dame	Sarah Deal	Portland State
Tim Maytom	UC – Los Angeles	Sarah Godbold	Purdue
Evan West	UC – Santa Barbara	Alicia Newcomer	Purdue
Ryan Searcy	North Carolina	Emily Neary	UC - Davis
Garrett Thomas	Virginia	Adriane Turner	UC – Santa Barbara
C: Sarah Zillioux	Virginia	C: Kirsten Wolf	Purdue

2014 Men's Coach of the Year Gregg Hartsuff, University of Michigan

2014 Women's Coach of the Year John Bancheri, Grand Valley State University

2014 Men's Assistant Coach of the Year Charley Sullivan, University of Michigan

2014 Women's Assistant Coach of the Year Mackenzie Dowdy, University of New Hampshire

2014 ALL-AMERICAN SECOND TEAM

School:	Women:	School:
Boston College	Elissa Besson	Grand Valley State
Bucknell	Meridith Kisting	Illinois
Michigan	Emily Gersbeck	New Hampshire
Michigan	Valerie Riple	New Hampshire
Minnesota	Morgan Bachus	UC – Santa Barbara
Purdue	Katie Chrisman	Vanderbilt
UC – Santa Barbara	Megan Allsion	Wichita State
Virginia	Bethany Hesse	Wichita State
Grand Valley State	C: Emily Quinn	New Hampshire
	Boston College Bucknell Michigan Michigan Minnesota Purdue UC – Santa Barbara Virginia	Boston College Bucknell Meridith Kisting Michigan Michigan Michigan Michigan Michigan Michigan Michigan Morgan Bachus Purdue UC - Santa Barbara Virginia Emily Gersbeck Morgan Bachus Katie Chrisman Megan Allsion Bethany Hesse

2014 ALL-AMERICAN THIRD TEAM

Men:	School:	Women:	School:
Matt Sisto	Bucknell	Madeline Fritz	Colorado
Paul Gordan	Cincinnati	Melissa Schick	Illinois
Adam McKenzie	Georgia Tech	Jenn Varallo	Marquette
Matt Rhodes	Notre Dame	Taygra Longstaff	New Hampshire
Mike Frick	Purdue	Jamie Bartels	Portland State
Ty Saitta	Virginia	Whitney Sterling	Vanderbilt
Gage Wells	Virginia	Shelby Fath	Wichita State
Joe Gregersen	Western Washington	Gabriella Stewart	Wichita State
C: Kelsey Swalwell	New Hampshire	C: Ashley Brown	Wichita State

2014 ALL-FRESHMAN BOAT

Men:	School:	Women:	School:
Ben Getz	Michigan	Erin Enk	Grand Valley State
Peter Hunt	North Carolina	Brittany Gronda	Grand Valley State
John Carroll	Notre Dame	Elle Memberto	Grand Valley State
Tanner Cipriano	Notre Dame	Diana Montgomery	Illinois
Steve Godfrey	Purdue	Emily Froehlich	Purdue
Dylan Goodman	Orange Coast	Dana Jacobs	UC - Davis
Steve Sorbom	Orange Coast	Megan Dixon	UC - Santa Barbara
Ryan Towne	UC – Santa Barbara	Haley Perry	UC - Santa Barbara
C: Morgan North	Grand Valley	C: Dominique Savag	eUC – Santa Barbara