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UC Names Spring Scholar-Athletes of the Quarter

255 student-athletes honored

CINCINNATI - University of Cincinnati track and field athlete **Ryan Beltz** (*Brownsburgh, Ind./Wapakoneta*) and lacrosse player **Mackenzie Parsons** (*Hudson, Ohio/Hudson*) have been named the Department of Athletics top scholar-athletes of the spring quarter after both individuals earned perfect 4.0 grade point averages (GPA).

A total of 17 student-athletes, representing each of UC's sports, were named scholar-athletes of the quarter and the contingent will have their photos added to the Academic Wall of Fame just outside the Nancy Hamant Academic Center on the fifth floor of the Richard E. Lindner Center.

In addition to Beltz and Parsons, cross country runners **Brian Berling** (*Cincinnati, Ohio/Elder*), **Courtney Hentz** (*Erlanger, Ky./St. Henry*), football player **Alex Delisi** (*Clarkston, Mich./St. Mary's Prep*), women's golfer **Bambee Del Paz** (*Caloocan City, Philippines/Miriam College*), women's swimmer **Melody Smith** (*Williamsburgh, Ohio/Milford*), tennis player **Kseniya Slynko** (*Odessa, Ukraine/Odessa*), women's track and field athlete **Boudine Bouma** (*Purmerend, The Netherlands/DaVinci College*), and volleyball player **Julie Guenther** (*Fairfield, Ohio/Hamilton Badin*) all earned 4.0 GPAs during the spring quarter.

A total of 255 student-athletes were named to either the Topcat or the Bearcat Honor Roll. To qualify for the Topcat Honor Roll, a student-athlete must have earned a grade point average between a 3.5 and a 4.0 GPA, while Bearcat honorees must maintain, between 3.0 and 3.49 for the quarter.

Scholar Athletes of the Quarter

Sport	Student-Athlete	Class	Major
Baseball	Jason Pascuzzi	Fr.	Mechanical Engineering
Men's Basketball	Jaquon Parker	Fr.	Undecided
Women's Basketball	Ellese Daniel	Fr.	Journalism
Men's Cross Country	Brian Berling	Sr.	Secondary Education
Women's Cross Country	Courtney Hentz	Sr.	Biology
Football	Alex Delisi	Rs-Jr.	Finance
Men's Golf	Kurt Harris	So.	Finance
Women's Golf	Bambee Del Paz	Jr.	Industrial Management
Lacrosse	Mackenzie Parsons	So.	Special Education
Men's Soccer	Daniel Cooperider	Fr.	Undecided
Women's Soccer	Kay Young	So.	Marketing
Men's Swimming	Matt Hargrove	So.	Accounting
Women's Swimming	Melody Smith	Jr.	Spanish
Tennis	Kseniya Slynko	So.	Economics
Men's Track and Field	Ryan Beltz	Sr.	Chemical Engineering
Women's Track and Field	Boudine Bouma	Sr.	Exploratory Studies
Volleyball	Julie Guenther	Jr.	Nursing

Top Female Scholar-Athlete of the Quarter

Mackenzie Parsons, Lacrosse

Top Male Scholar-Athlete of the Quarter

Ryan Beltz, Men's Track and Field

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Winter Quarter Topcat Honor Roll (3.5-4.0 GPA)

Baseball (8)

Marcus Heath
Anthony Howard
Zachary Isler
Nicholas Johnson
Kiley Jones
Jason Pascuzzi
Tyler Smith
Andrew Streng

Men's Basketball (1)

Alex Eppensteiner

Women's Basketball (2)

Valerie Schuster
Stephanie Stevens

Men's Cross Country (7)

David Barry
Chase Beckmann
Brian Berling
Oliver Book
Matthew Collmar
Eric Finan
Randall King

Women's Cross Country (5)

Courtney Hentz
Lilian Jelimo
Katherine Lewnard
Jocelyn McCauley
Cortney Staruch

Football (14)

Austen Bujnoch
Alexander Delisi
Thomas Franklin
Drew Frey
Alex Hoffman
Brendon Kay
Jason Kelce
Travis Kelce
Colin Lozier
Demetrius Richardson
Wesley Richardson
J.K. Schaffer
Kenbrell Thompkins-Johnson
Adrian Witty

Women's Golf (4)

Alexandra Carl
Bambee Dela Paz
Katie Moore
Kristin Price

Lacrosse (12)

Lori Banky
Gwendolyn Branscome
Jennifer Davis
Jenn Doran
Lauren Kelly
Katie Kiriazoglou
Shannon Lynes
MacKenzie Parsons
Kylie Ramsland
Gabby Sinmaz
Karen Skelton
Paige Stratton

Men's Soccer (8)

D.J. Albert
Daniel Cooperider
Peter Jannelli
Sam Klosterman
Judson Mckinney
Chris Thompson
Nick Weightman
Matt Williams

Women's Soccer (13)

Logan Ballinger
Sydney Barker
Christine Brewer
Kaylee Dakers
Ashley Daniels
Vanessa Hardin
Emily Hebbeler
Katie Johnson
Erin Kaufman
Kendall Loggins
Heather Neiser
Erin Petree
Kay Young

Men's Swimming (6)

Stephen Cunningham
Joseph Gillespie
Matthew Hargrove
Brandon Metzler
Drew Ross
Mike Whipkey

Women's Swimming (16)

Lindsay Bakan
Logan Bauer
Alicia Berman
Stephanie Conklin
Shannon Connors
Elinore De Jong
Renee Desalee

Maggie Eubanks
Liz Hansson
Kinsey Kowalski
Kirtley Krombolz
Sarah Krone
Erin Mullins
Breein Rossi
Melody Smith
Brittany Teneych

Tennis (5)

Lindsey Lonergan
Anna Nelke
Caitlin O'Gara
Kseniya Slynko
Elise Woulfe

Men's Track (14)

David Barry
Chase Beckmann
Brian Berling
Jason Berling
Oliver Book
Brian Bruner
Matt Collmar
Erin Finan
Cameron Hermiller
Darius Howard
Randall King
Kyle Kubera
John McClelland
Chase Petzinger

Women's Track (15)

Boudine Bouma
Paris Campbell
Jasmine Cotton
Kayla Dunn
Catherine Earl
Michelle Eby
Mackenzie Fields
Jenna Heaton
Courtney Hentz
Lilian Jelimo
Katie Lewnard
Jocelyn McCau
Brianna Patton
Cortney Staruch
Anastasia Tarpeh

Volleyball (4)

Ann Fesl
Julie Guenter
Melissa Harpenau
Stephanie Niemer

Winter Quarter Bearcat Honor Roll (3.00-3.49 GPA)

Baseball (12)

Derek Cox
Brian Garman
Cory Hough
Anthony Howard
Daniel Jensen
Kevin Johnson
Terrell Jones
Chris McElroy
Chris Peters
Jake Procter
Michael Riddell
Andrew Streng

Women's Basketball (3)

Chanel Chisholm
Elese Daniel
Carla Jacobs

Men's Cross Country (2)

Matt Collmar
Richard Lupp

Women's Cross Country (1)

Cortney Staruch

Football (29)

Timothy Anderson
Blake Annen
Robert Armstrong
Francis Becker
Austen Bujnoch
Zach Collaros
Andre Cureton
Rommel Dismuke
Adam Fearing
Dan Giordano
Vidal Hazelton
Sean Hooey
Jamar Howard
Scott Johnson
Chris Jurek
Travis Kelce
Patrick Lambert
Collin McCafferty
James Meador
Daniel Milligan
Patrick O'Donnell
Craig Parmenter
Isaiah Pead
Jared Rains
Jonathan Simmons
Daniel Sprague

Jordan Stepp
George Winn
Orion Woodard

Men's Golf (5)

Ryan Cahill
Andrew Desmarais
Kurt Harris
Joseph Kastelic
David Tepe

Women's Golf (2)

Alexandra Carl
Jenny Linville

Lacrosse (12)

Allison Bell
Maddie Fink
Cathy Hebert
Patty Kelly
Katie Liberatore
Haley Marvine
Marissa Pierson
Adrianna Piontek
Laura Simanski
Tiffany Smith
Natalie Starvaggi
Katelyn Wettig

Men's Soccer (10)

D.J. Albert
Matt Bahner
Kashmar Briscoe
Luke Henke
Mark Konitsch
Ryan Lavigne
Danny Mortemore
Branden Stelmak
Darren Weber
Nick Weightman

Women's Soccer (5)

Rachel Barnette
Brooke Eberly
Katelyn Johnson
Heather Neiser
Kelli Pawelko

Men's Swimming (6)

Nathaniel Kramer
Hoyle Miller
Daniel Oldham
Kurt Ramer

Josh Schneider
Britton Van Dissel

Women's Swimming (7)

Logan Bauer
Laurie Caudy
Erin Frye
Joanne Gribler
Brittany Groene
Isabelle Krombholz
Charlotte Nilsson

Tennis (1)

Abigail Mayo

Men's Track (16)

Brian Bruner
Mario Cannon
Matt Collmar
Troy Cooper
Brandon Fitch
Jacob Haseman
Kyle Kubera
Doug Lang
Richard Lupp
Thomas marks
Allen Moore
Maurice Norman
Michael Rutherford
Zach Schmidt
Ryan Westfall
Brian Zimmerman

Women's Track (6)

Gabby Calderone
Jasmine Cotten
Jennifer Harsh
Jenna Heaton
Shanay Portis
Cortney Staruch

Volleyball (4)

Melissa Harpenau
Emily Hayden
Megan Turner
Lindsay Upton