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### ***NCBWA ANNOUNCES 2017 DIVISION I ALL-AMERICA TEAMS***

**MORGANTOWN, W. Va.** – After two rounds of voting by the organization, 71 baseball student-athletes comprise the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association's 22nd Annual All-America first, second and third teams, as announced on Wednesday.

Twenty-one different conferences are represented with nine conference championship teams included. The three All-America squads are also made up of 14 conference players of the year, 12 conference pitchers of the year winners and 12 first-round draft picks in the recent Major League Baseball Amateur Draft.

Members of this year's team lead or are tied for the lead nationally in 16 different categories, including batting average (Keston Hiura, UC Irvine, .442), hits per game (Adam Groesbeck, Air Force, 1.82), home runs (Jake Adams, Iowa, 29), home runs per game (Adams, Iowa, 0.48), on-base percentage (Hiura, UC Irvine, .567), RBI per game (Niko Hulszier, Morehead State, 1.39), slugging percentage (Brent Rooker, Mississippi State, .810), total bases (Rooker, Mississippi State, 201), walks (Seth Beer, Clemson, 2016 Dick Howser Trophy recipient, 64), walks per game (D.J. Artis, Liberty, 1.19), doubles (Rooker, Mississippi State, 30), hits allowed per nine innings (Wyatt Marks, Louisiana, 4.40), strikeouts (JP Sears, The Citadel, 142), strikeout to walk ratio (Casey Mize, Auburn, 12.11), strikeouts per nine innings (Marks, Louisiana, 15.17) and victories (Jake Thompson, Oregon State, 14)

Previous NCBWA All-America teams from 1996-2016 have featured the likes of P Stephen Strasburg of San Diego State, OF J.D. Drew of Florida State, P-DH Jason Jennings of Baylor, 1B Mark Teixeira of Georgia Tech, RHP Mark Prior of Southern California, SS Khalil Greene of Clemson, SS-2B Rickie Weeks of Southern, 3B Alex Gordon of Nebraska, P David Price of Vanderbilt, P-DH Brad Lincoln of Houston, C Buster Posey of Florida State, catcher Mike Zunino of Florida, 3B Kris Bryant of San Diego, P-1B A.J. Reed from Kentucky; OF Andrew Benintendi from Arkansas, OF Beer among others.

Founded in 1962, the NCBWA is dedicated to the advancement of college baseball. Membership is open to writers, broadcasters and publicists of the sport. For more information about the NCBWA, visit the association's official Web site, [www.ncbwa.com](http://www.ncbwa.com).

For more information on the NCAA Division I All-America team, contact NCBWA Associate Executive Director Mike Montoro of West Virginia University at 304-293-2821

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## 2017 NCBWA Division I All-America Team

### FIRST TEAM *(Statistics Through June 13)*

Pos.	Name, School, Class	Avg.	G	AB	R	H	2B-3B-HR	RBIs	BB	SO	SB/SBA
*C	Riley Adams, San Diego, Jr.	.312	54	202	45	63	12-0-13	47	33	57	2/2
*1B	Brent Rooker, Mississippi State, r-Jr.	.387	67	248	60	96	30-3-23	82	48	58	18/23
2B	Braden Shewmake, Texas A&M, Fr.	.335	62	266	47	89	17-2-11	68	15	28	11/16
*3B	Jake Burger, Missouri State, Jr.	.328	63	247	69	81	13-0-22	65	43	38	3/4
SS	Jeremy Eierman, Missouri State, So.	.313	63	243	67	76	15-2-23	68	41	61	17/19
OF	Greg Deichmann, LSU, Jr.	.320	65	241	51	77	12-0-19	72	48	53	6/9
OF	Stuart Fairchild, Wake Forest, Jr.	.360	63	261	65	94	19-1-17	67	31	54	21/26
*OF	Niko Hulsizer, Morehead State, So.	.349	59	249	69	87	21-2-27	82	27	74	3/4
OF	Matt Wallner, Southern Miss, Fr.	.336	66	235	56	79	14-2-19	63	45	50	4/6
*DH	Keston Hiura, UC Irvine, Jr.	.442	56	199	48	88	24-1-8	42	50	38	9/15
*UT	Brendan McKay, Louisville, Jr.	.343	61	210	54	72	13-1-17	56	45	36	2/2

10-3, 2.34 ERA, 16APP, 16GS, 0CG, 0/5SHO, 0SV, 104.0IP, 69H, 30R, 27ER, 33BB, 140K, .188OPPBA

Pos.	Name School	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	OPP BA
^SP	J.B. Bukauskas, North Carolina, Jr.	9-1	2.53	15	15	0	0/1	0	92.2	62	34	26	37	116	.188
^SP	Trey Cumbie, Houston, So.	10-2	2.04	15	13	4	2/1	0	101.1	91	30	23	15	82	.238
^SP	Steven Gingery, Texas Tech, So.	10-1	1.58	15	15	0	0/1	0	91.1	60	21	16	29	107	.186
SP	David Peterson, Oregon, Jr.	11-4	2.51	15	15	1	1/1	0	100.1	88	34	28	15	140	.237
SP	Jake Thompson, Oregon State, r-Jr.	14-0	1.52	18	17	1	1/5	0	118.1	76	21	20	36	113	.184
RP	Michael Byrne, Florida, So.	4-5	1.83	34	3	0	0/2	16	68.2	55	20	14	15	84	.218
RP	Lincoln Henzman, Louisville, Jr.	3-0	1.77	25	0	0	0/3	16	35.2	20	7	7	9	36	.164
RP	Josh Hiatt, North Carolina, r-Fr.	4-2	1.90	32	0	0	0/1	13	52.0	31	13	11	20	64	.168
RP	Colton Hock, Stanford, Jr.	6-1	2.08	27	0	0	0/2	16	47.2	36	11	11	11	35	.211
RP	Kenyon Yovan, Oregon, Fr.	1-1	1.97	22	0	0	0/5	15	32.0	26	9	7	6	36	.213

### SECOND TEAM

Pos.	Name, School, Class	Avg.	G	AB	R	H	2B-3B-HR	RBIs	BB	SO	SB/SBA
C	Ben Breazeale, Wake Forest, Sr.	.333	60	237	50	79	16-0-11	51	27	39	0/0
*1B	Jake Adams, Iowa, Jr.	.335	61	245	55	82	14-0-29	72	29	57	5/6
2B	Riley Mahan, Kentucky, Jr.	.336	66	262	58	88	23-3-15	67	22	56	9/12
3B	Drew Ellis, Louisville, Jr.	.367	62	221	55	81	18-1-20	61	38	38	6/6
*SS	Jake Scheiner, Houston, Jr.	.346	63	246	50	84	18-3-18	64	27	41	8/11
OF	Seth Beer, Clemson, So.	.298	63	218	51	65	17-1-16	53	64	35	2/3
OF	Adam Groesbeck, Air Force, Sr.	.410	50	222	60	91	23-3-8	42	17	31	9/11
OF	Brandon Gutzler, Murray State, r-Jr.	.353	58	238	57	84	17-0-16	71	32	51	5/7
DH	Alfonso Rivas, Arizona, So.	.371	58	213	54	79	13-0-7	63	39	36	3/7
UT	Adam Haseley, Virginia, Jr.	.390	58	223	68	87	16-1-14	56	44	21	10/14

7-1, 3.58 ERA, 11APP, 11GS, 0CG, 0SHO, 65.1IP, 58H, 30R, 26ER, 18BB, 53K, .240OPPBA

Pos.	Name School	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/Avg.
^SP	Cory Abbott, Loyola Marymount, Jr.	11-2	1.74	15	15	2	2/0	0	98.1	61	27	19	28	130	.173
^SP	Miguel Ausua, Oral Roberts, Jr.	11-3	1.65	16	15	1	1/0	0	92.2	80	22	17	30	85	.235
SP	Griffin Canning, UCLA, Jr.	7-4	2.34	17	17	4	3/1	0	119.0	93	34	31	32	140	.213
SP	Alex Faedo, Florida, Jr.	7-2	2.55	18	17	0	0/6	1	109.1	90	39	31	36	135	.221
^SP	Logan Gilbert, Stetson, So.	10-0	2.02	15	12	2	1/2	0	89.0	65	23	20	26	107	.202
SP	Jared Janczak, TCU, r-So.	9-0	1.97	13	13	0	0/2	0	82.1	47	22	18	19	91	.164
SP	Alex Lange, LSU, Jr.	9-5	2.92	17	17	4	2/1	0	111.0	97	38	36	40	134	.233
RP	Ross Learned, Purdue, Jr.	6-0	0.58	27	0	0	0/0	4	46.1	30	3	3	10	37	.196
RP	Wyatt Marks, Louisiana, Jr.	2-1	2.28	30	0	0	0/4	7	59.1	29	20	15	25	100	.144
RP	Troy Montemayor, Baylor, Jr.	3-1	2.10	25	0	0	0/0	12	25.2	18	7	6	9	29	.189
RP	Jake Mulholland, Oregon State, Fr.	6-1	1.31	27	0	0	0/5	6	48.0	34	8	7	11	41	.195
RP	Nick Sandlin, Southern Miss, So.	10-2	3.52	29	0	0	0/3	8	56.2	41	17	15	29	80	.201

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**THIRD TEAM**

Pos.	Name, School, Class	Avg.	G	AB	R	H	2B-3B-HR	RBIs	BB	SO	SB/SB
*C	Evan Skoug, TCU, Jr.	.277	63	242	58	67	9-0-20	67	39	87	3/3
	Travis Watkins, East Carolina, r-Sr.	.340	60	247	47	84	14-1-10	49	14	42	5/7
*1B	Ben Fisher, Eastern Kentucky, Sr.	.363	56	223	71	81	14-0-25	72	38	35	0/0
2B	Carson Crites, Southeastern Louisiana, Sr.	.299	59	231	51	69	13-2-14	60	29	38	15/17
3B	Carl Stajduhar, New Mexico, Jr.	.350	58	237	65	83	16-2-17	69	34	47	3/4
SS	Logan Warmoth, North Carolina, Jr.	.336	63	271	60	91	19-5-10	49	28	47	18/21
	*Nick Madrigal, Oregon State, So.	.383	56	222	52	85	19-2-4	36	24	15	16/20
*OF	D.J. Artis, Liberty, So.	.359	52	181	58	65	13-2-6	45	62	30	23/26
*OF	Bryce Bowman, Western Carolina, r-So.	.381	56	218	52	83	15-2-11	59	37	31	9/13
*OF	Noah Cummings, Oral Roberts, Jr.	.330	62	224	59	74	16-3-13	57	49	58	8/13
OF	Jeren Kendall, Vanderbilt, Jr.	.307	62	261	59	80	10-5-15	53	24	74	20/24
OF	Brian Miller, North Carolina, Jr.	.343	63	271	61	93	16-3-7	49	38	35	24/30
DH	Ryan Flick, Tennessee Tech, Jr.	.377	58	231	61	87	24-0-19	74	37	62	1/2
UT	Jake Meyers, Nebraska, Jr.	.297	53	195	52	58	7-0-1	16	39	31	20/22
	8-2, 3.42 ERA, 14APP, 14GS, 1CG, 1/1SHO, 84.1IP, 86H, 35R, 32ER, 9BB, 57K, .265OPPBA										
	Braden Zarbnisky, West Virginia, So.	.336	46	125	32	42	3-0-1	12	17	25	12/12
	6-2, 2.75 ERA, 23APP, 0GS, 0CG, 0/0SHO, 6SV, 39.1IP, 35H, 14R, 12ER, 21BB, 46K, .246OPPBA										

Pos.	Name School	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/Avg.
^SP	Drew Hemmerich, Norfolk State, Sr.	10-2	1.97	13	13	6	2/0	0	105.1	75	27	23	16	118	.196
SP	Brigham Hill, Texas A&M	8-3	3.18	16	16	0	0/3	0	96.1	85	36	34	29	107	.237
SP	Tyler Holton, Florida State, So.	10-2	2.25	17	17	2	1/1	0	112.0	69	38	28	29	139	.171
^SP	Gunner Leger, Louisiana, Jr.	10-2	1.97	15	15	0	0/6	0	91.1	66	24	20	24	84	.206
SP	Casey Mize, Auburn, So.	8-2	2.04	13	12	2	0/2	0	83.2	66	26	19	9	109	.210
^SP	Sean Mooney, St. John's, Fr.	8-2	1.71	16	13	1	1/1	0	100.0	70	23	19	16	88	.196
^SP	JP Sears, The Citadel, Jr.	7-3	2.64	14	14	2	1/2	0	95.1	69	28	27	27	142	.204
^SP	Bryan Shaffer, Maryland, Jr.	7-4	2.66	16	16	2	0/1	0	108.1	88	38	32	18	109	.223
RP	Sam Bordner, Louisville, So.	2-0	0.47	21	0	0	0/3	3	38.2	16	2	2	10	35	.124
RP	Tommy Doyle, Virginia, Sr.	3-1	1.87	23	0	0	0/1	14	33.2	28	8	7	10	38	.228
#RP	Alex Padilla, UIC, r-So.	2-1	0.45	28	0	0	0/5	10	39.2	27	4	2	12	35	.196
RP	Spencer Price, Mississippi State, So.	4-1	2.91	31	0	0	0/2	14	34.0	24	13	11	19	40	.197
RP	Logan Salow, Kentucky, Sr.	2-6	1.95	31	0	0	0/1	12	55.1	37	23	12	17	73	.188

\*-Conference player of the year

^-Conference pitcher of the year

# - Conference relief pitcher of the year