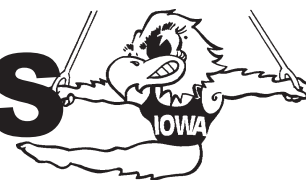


# IOWA HAWKEYES

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**MEN'S GYMNASTICS WEEKLY RELEASE**

**Feb. 9, 2011**

## 2011 Schedule

1/15	at Windy City Invite	4th/5
1/22	vs. Illinois-Chicago	W 342-329.3
1/29	at Illinois	L, 354.9-339.4
<b>2/11</b>	<b>vs. Minnesota</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
2/19	vs. Nebraska	TBA
3/5	at Minnesota	7 p.m.
3/12	at California	7:30 p.m.
3/20	at Nebraska	2: p.m.
4/1	at Big Ten Championships	TBA
4/2	at Big Ten Championships (Champaign, IL)	TBA
4/14	at NCAA Championships	TBA
4/15	at NCAA Championships	TBA
4/16	at NCAA Championships (Columbus, OH)	TBA

All times are central and subject to change

## 2011 Roster

Lance Alberhasky	Fr.	AA
Javier Balboa	Jr.	AA
Todd Becker	So.	FX, V, HB
Angelo Bronzino	Fr.	AA
Zach Cazabon	Jr.	AA
David Dyckman	Fr.	PH, HB, PB
Anton Gryshayev	So.	AA
John Haines	Sr.	FX, R, V
Brandon Hill	Fr.	AA
Mike Jiang	Sr.	PH, HB, PB
Ben Ketelsen	Sr.	FX, PH, V, PB, HB
Timm Krueger	So.	FX, V
Jack McClay	RS So.	PB, HB
Matt McGrath	So.	FX, R, V, PB
Broderick Shemansky	So.	AA
Adam Wilson	Jr.	PH
Samuel Wright	Fr.	FX, V, HB

## Season Bests

FX: McGrath, 14.8-  
PH: Ketelsen, 14.6  
R: Gryshayev, 15.1-  
V: Ketelsen/McGrath 15.9-  
PB: McClay/Jiang, 14.4  
HB: Alberhasky/Jiang/Ketelsen, 14.1  
AA: Balboa, 79.800

**THIS WEEK:** The ninth-ranked Iowa Hawkeyes will take on No. 7 Minnesota inside the UI Field House Friday at 7 p.m. Iowa has 50 all-time wins against the Golden-Gophers. The 50 wins are the most for Iowa against any other opponent.

**SNOWED IN:** The Hawkeyes will be anxious to hit the gym Friday after a two-week break from competition. Senior Mike Jiang and sophomore Matt McGrath were supposed to travel to Las Vegas last week for the U.S. Winter Cup, but the snow storms kept the Hawkeyes grounded.

**HOME SWEET HOME:** For the first time in nearly three weeks, Iowa will return to the UI Field House for action. Iowa's last contest was in Champaign. The Hawkeyes will have their next two meets in the comforts of their home gym before closing out the season on the road.

**LAST TIME OUT:** In a top-10 battle against No. 3 Illinois, the Hawkeyes were handed their first Big Ten loss of the season by a 354.900-339.400 margin. Sophomore Matt McGrath scored a personal best and team season-high 14.800 on floor exercise to tie for third. McGrath posted another team season high on vault, as both McGrath and Ben Ketelsen earned a 15.900 to tie for first. Anton Gryshayev placed second on rings (15.1) with a team season-high, while Javier Balboa placed fourth on parallel bars with a 14.300.

**ONE-UPPER:** After setting the school record on rings last week, Sophomore Anton Gryshayev one-upped himself against Illinois to break the record yet again. Gryshayev scored a 15.100, which gives him the top two scores on the event in school history. Gryshayev first set the school record on rings with a 14.900 against Illinois-Chicago. The previous holder was Reid Urbain, who scored a 14.800 in 2009. The open-ended scoring system has been in place since 2008.

**A NEW ERA:** The Hawkeyes will have a new man at the helm this season, as JD Reive was announced to fill the head coaching vacancy left by the retirement of Tom Dunn after his 30th season. Reive is the seventh men's gymnastics coach in program history. Reive comes from Stanford, where he served as an assistant coach for seven seasons and helped the Cardinal reach four top-three finishes at the NCAA Championships. He was also honored as the Collegiate Gymnastics Association Assistant Coach of the Year on three occasions. Reive also coached the U.S. National Team at the 2009 Toyota Cup in Japan. Reive graduated from the University of Nebraska in 2000. Assisting Reive will be Dmitri Trouch and Brad Virkler.

**Mr. ALL-AMERICAN:** Iowa's Mike Jiang walked away from the 2010 season with All-America honors, placing seventh at the NCAA Championships on pommel horse. Jiang scored a 14.550 and a 14.000 to place among the best in the nation. Jiang scored a 13.500 at the NCAA Qualifier to reach the NCAA Championships. Jiang is back this season as one of three seniors on the roster.

**UP NEXT:** Iowa will stay at home will they will take on to-be Big Ten newcomer Nebraska. Start time is 7 p.m. The Cornhuskers are currently ranked 10th.