

QUALITY EDUCATION

THE OPPORTUNITY FOR A QUALITY EDUCATION

Your aspiration may be a career in medicine or law or education. Regardless of the specific career field, it's important to identify the college football program that places a high priority on academics and allows the student athlete to take full advantage of the tremendous educational opportunities available to him.

At the University of Iowa student athletes learn quickly that academic success is the highest priority.

"The number one reason a student-athlete should go to college is to earn an education," says Hawkeye Coach Kirk Ferentz. **"Iowa has a tremendous academic reputation with diverse areas of study available."**

Student athletes at Iowa are scoring big in the graduation race. In fact, when compared to other Big Ten Conference and NCAA Division I-A institutions, the Hawkeyes stack up quite nicely.

According to annual graduation rates released by the NCAA, Iowa annually ranks among the leaders in the Big Ten Conference in graduation rates among football players. Iowa's football student-athletes recorded a grading of 73% in the most recent Graduation Success Rate. The UI's student athletes recorded an 84% grade, compared to the 66% grading for all UI students.

In the most recent figures released under the Academic Progress Rate, Iowa's football student-athletes earned a score of 950. That compares favorably to the Division I national average of 934 and ranks fourth best in the Big Ten Conference.

The Hawkeye football team, from 2002 to 2004, was ranked in the top 25 in the nation at the conclusion of each season. Among those top 25 teams, Iowa's graduation rate, in all three years, ranked among the top five.

In recent semesters, Iowa's male and female student athletes for all sports have posted a combined grade point average above 3.0.

According to the U.S. News & World Report rankings, The University of Iowa ranks as the 20th-best public university. In addition, five UI graduate programs rank as the best in the nation. Overall, UI has 23 graduate programs ranked in the ranking of America's Best Graduate Schools, 2009.

GRADUATION RATES RANK HIGH

Iowa's football team has ranked in the top 10 in the nation in both major polls in three of the last six years, based on its results on the field. Based on results in the classroom, the Hawkeyes have ranked even higher.

Among the 64 teams competing in bowl games at the conclusion of the 2006 season, Iowa's football program had the ninth best graduation rate (72%) for the group of student-athletes who enrolled in the fall semester of 2001. This includes a graduation rate of 86% for "Black" student-athletes, 67% for "White" student-athletes and 50% for "Hispanic" student-athletes.

In addition, Iowa's football program was one of 34 programs in the nation cited by the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) for having a graduation rate of over 70%. The AFCA report involves the freshman class from the 2001-02 academic year.

Among the top 25 ranked teams at the end of the 2004 season, the graduation rate for Iowa football (58%) ranked third best. Among the top 25 in 2003 Iowa ranked fourth (57%) in graduation rate and, in 2002, Iowa's graduation rate (63%) ranked fifth best among ranked teams. Only one other institution ranked among the top five in graduation rates over the same three seasons.

Iowa ranked second among the eight universities represented in the 2003 Bowl Championship Series (BCS) in graduation rates for its student-athletes in the sport of football.

"Student-athletes at the University of Iowa, through the office of Athletic Student Services, have the best support system available anywhere. This support is well documented by the academic success our athletes have enjoyed. The graduation rates and the academic honors are a complement to our Student Services staff and the effort they put forth in assisting our student-athletes in their academic pursuits."

KIRK FERENTZ
Head Football Coach
University of Iowa



"This points to success in three areas of our football program and our athletics program.

First, it speaks to the determination of our football staff to recruit students who are as committed to academic excellence as they are athletic excellence.

Second, it speaks to the work of the staff in our Athletic Student Services unit and the commitment that they have consistently demonstrated to providing the appropriate guidance and support to our student-athletes.

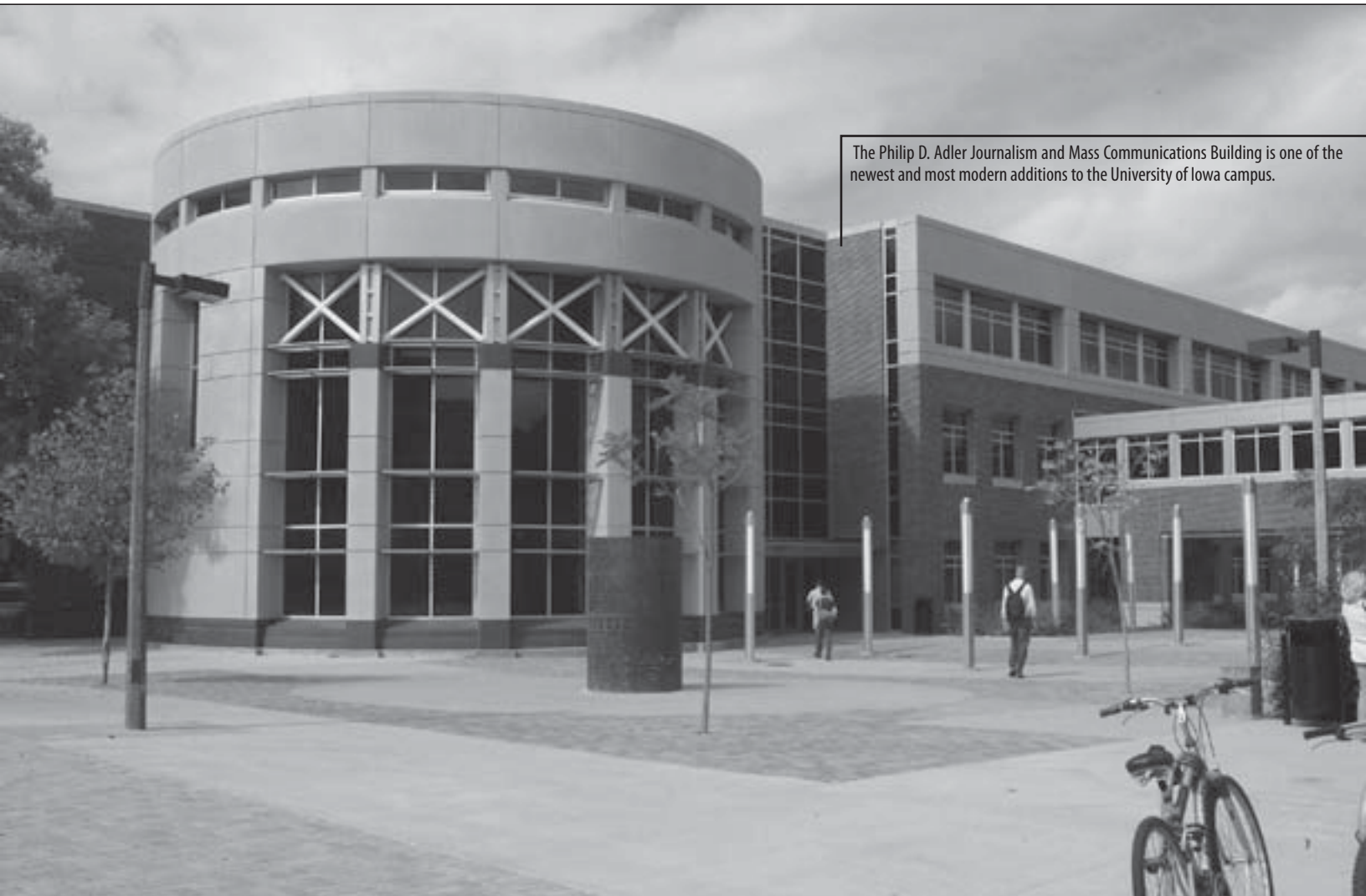
Third, and most importantly, it speaks to the commitment of the student-athletes themselves. As always, numbers don't lie and these indicate that you can be successful both on the playing field and in the classroom."

GARY BARTA
Director of Athletics
University of Iowa

IOWA

SETTING THE PACE

THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA SETS THE PACE



The Philip D. Adler Journalism and Mass Communications Building is one of the newest and most modern additions to the University of Iowa campus.

As a leader in higher education and service, the University of Iowa is one of 60 members of the select Association of American Universities. The AAU is involved in formation of national policies related to research and graduate and professional education.

As the first university to accept creative work in lieu of theses for graduate degrees in theater, writing, music, and art, in 1922.

As the first university to admit men and women on an equal basis.

As the home of one of the nations largest university-owned teaching hospitals.

As the “writing university,” home of the pioneering Iowa Writers’ Workshop, nationally recognized programs in nonfiction and playwriting, and the International Writing Program.

Where Iowa graduates have earned 15 Pulitzer Prizes.

Where the Gallup Poll was developed and perfected by George H. Gallup, while he was a student and later, a journalism teacher at the University of Iowa.

As having graduated 18 Rhodes Scholars.

With the Master of Fine Arts program rated sixth best visual arts program in the nation -- fourth best among non-specialty schools, by US News & World Report.

With the world’s first educational television station.

As the birthplace of speech pathology discipline- and where the undergraduate program is ranked at the top nationally.

In physical therapy – ranked fifth in overall quality of doctoral programs.

With jazz receiving the top award at the Notre Dame Festival four times and numerous performances at international jazz festivals.

With the oldest dental college, law school, university natural history museum and neurology department west of the Mississippi River.

As the home of modern educational testing.

Where the butterfly stroke in swimming was originated.

As the home of world-renowned hydraulic research programs.

As the nerve center for writing reform and a leader in preparing future educators to teach school children how to write, according to *Time* magazine.

With its music education program, ranked fourth in quality by the National Association of Music Executives of State Universities.

Where mass communication was established as an interdisciplinary graduate field by Wilbur Schramm and where the first two Ph.D.’s were awarded in mass communication in 1948.

As home to the University Hygienic Laboratory, which is one of the leading environmental quality and public health laboratories.

THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

PRODUCES LEADERS



Juanita Kidd Stout
First African-American woman
elected to a state Supreme Court



Nolden Gentry
Attorney



John Pappajohn
Entrepreneur



Barry Kemp
Television Producer



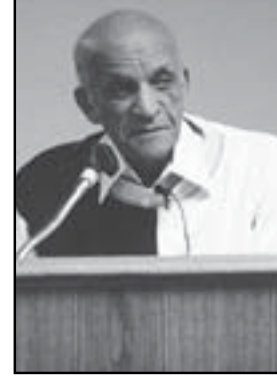
Tom Brokaw
Former Anchorman, NBC News



Eddie Robinson
Former Football Coach, Grambling
State University



Dennis Green
NFL Head Football Coach
and Analyst



John B. McLendon
Innovator, Writer, Coach

When the student-athlete considers his future, he should consider prospects beyond football. He should consider where he wants to be in five, ten, fifteen years from today and the best course of action for getting there. Also, he should decide early on to commit to excellence in every challenge undertaken.

Without a doubt, the men and women listed here took time to consider their future and the ways to get there. These former University of Iowa undergraduates have gone on to become leaders in their chosen fields. They also pursued their academic studies as strongly as the Iowa Hawkeyes go after their opponents each Saturday on the gridiron.

BUSINESS

Leland C. Adams
Former president, Amoco Production Co.

John J. Balles
Former president, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

Matthew Bucksbaum
Former CEO & Founder
General Growth Properties

Arthur A. Collins
Founder, Collins Radio (Rockwell Collins)

Kathleen A. Dore
President, CanWest Media Works, Toronto,
Canada
Former Executive vice president and general
manager,
Bravo Television Network & the Independent
Film Channel

John W. English
Former vice president and chief investment
officer, Ford Foundation

Nolden Gentry
Iowa Letterman, '58, '59, '60
Attorney, Brick, Gentry, Bowers, Swartz, Stoltze,
Scheling and Levis
Des Moines, IA

Leonard Hadley
Former chairman and CEO, Maytag Corporation

H. John Hawkinson
Former president and director of funds, Kemper
Financial Services Inc.

Richard O. Jacobson
President, Jacobson Warehouse Co.

Bill Krause
President, Krause Gentle Corp.

Richard Levitt
Chairman & CEO, Nellis Corporation

Frank N. Magid
President, Frank N. Magid Associates, Inc.,
Pioneer in market research and media
consultation

John Pappajohn
Venture capitalist, entrepreneur;
President, Equity Dynamics, Inc.

Gary Seamans
Chairman and CEO, Westell Technologies,
Aurora, IL

Luther Smith
Aerospace Engineer, pilot
Member, Tuskegee Airmen, 1942
World War II Purple Heart and Prisoner of War
Medal

EDUCATION

Joseph N. Crowley
President, University of Nevada at Reno and
former NCAA president

R. Wayne Duke
Former commissioner, Big Ten Conference

E.F. Lindquist
Co-founder, American College Testing (ACT)
Program

John B. McLendon
First African-American coach inducted into The
Basketball Hall of Fame

Eddie Robinson
Legendary football coach, Grambling State
University

Wilbur Schramm

International authority on communications and founder, Iowa Writers' Workshop

Richard Schultz

Executive Director, United States Olympic Committee; Former Executive Director, NCAA

James Van Allen

Space physicist

ENTERTAINMENT

Diablo Cody

Best Original Screenplay Oscar Award for *Juno*

Michele M. Crider

Recognized worldwide as a leading soprano
Has performed in all of Europe's major opera houses

Simon Estes

International opera star

John Falsey

Executive producer of television's "Northern Exposure" & "I'll Fly Away"

Jim Foster

Track and Cross Country Letterman
Founder and Innovator, Arena Football

Al Jarreau

Grammy Award-winning singer

Mark Johnson

Film producer and Oscar Award winner for *Rainman*

Alex Karras

Former NFL All-Pro, Detroit Lions; actor, *Victor, Victoria; Blazing Saddles; "Webster"*

Barry Kemp

Television producer, creator of the hit series "*Coach*"

Shirley Rich Krohn

Casting director for *Kramer vs Kramer; Three Days of the Condor; Taps; Saturday Night Fever*

Ashton Kutcher

Actor, "That 70s Show" and other productions

Richard Maibaum

Writer of James Bond motion picture scripts

David Milch

Creator, *Hill Street Blues, NYPD Blue* and other television series
Three-time Emmy Award recipient
Founder, Redboard Productions

Marian Rees

Producer of television films
Owner, Marian Rees and Associates

Brandon Routh

Actor, *Superman*

Gene Wilder

Actor, *Silver Streak, Young Frankenstein, Stir Crazy*

GOVERNMENT

David Bonior

U.S. House of Representatives, Mt. Clemons, MI

Terry Branstad

Former Governor, state of Iowa

General Charles A. Horner

Architect of the US air war against Iraq during the Persian Gulf War/
Desert Storm

Alan Larson

Assistant to Secretary of State for Economic, Business, and Agricultural Affairs

Ruth Van Roeckel McGregor

Chief Justice of the Arizona Supreme Court
2005 recipient, American Judicature Society's Dwight D. Opperman Award for Judicial Excellence

Mary Louise Smith

Noted political party leader and civil rights proponent

Juanita Kidd Stout

First African-American woman elected to a state Supreme Court

LITERATURE

Marvin Bell

Iowa Poet Laureate
UI Writers Workshop faculty member and mentor from 1965 until retirement in 2005

Mildred Wirt Benson

Author of 23 Nancy Drew mysteries and first woman to receive master's degree in journalism at Iowa

T.C. Boyle

Author of 11 Novels & eight short story collections
Winner of numerous literary awards, including five O. Henry Awards

John Irving

Writer, *The World According to Garp; A Son of the Circus; Hotel New Hampshire; A Prayer for Owen Meany*

W.P. Kinsella

Writer, *Shoeless Joe*

Margaret Walker

Writer, *Jubilee*

MEDIA

Alan Abelson

Editor, *Barron's*

Tom Brokaw

Former anchorman, NBC News

Paul Burmeister

Quarterback, 1992, 1993
Sports anchor/reporter
The NFL Network

John Cochran

Correspondent, ABC News

Paul Conrad

Political cartoonist and three-time winner of the Pulitzer Prize

Brett Dolan

Broadcaster, Houston Astros

George Gallup

Founder, The Gallup Poll

Charles Guggenheim

Documentary filmmaker, Peabody and Oscar award winner

Milo Hamilton

50 years in Broadcasting
Voice of the Houston Astros

Harry Kalas

Broadcaster, Philadelphia Phillies

Bob Miller

Broadcaster, Los Angeles Kings

Herbert Nipson

Executive Editor, *Ebony*

Brian Ross

Correspondent, NBC News; Peabody and Emmy award winner

Mark Shapiro

Former Vice-President, ESPN

Carole Simpson

Anchor, ABC News

MEDICINE

Dr. Nancy Andreasen

Psychiatrist renowned for her research on schizophrenia, as well as creativity

James Bramson

Executive Director, American Dental Association

Dr. Johann L. Ehrenhaft

Pioneer in field of open heart surgery

Dr. Robert C. Hardin

Developed blood bank protocols during WW II based on seminal work on blood preservation

Dr. Don H. O'Donoghue

Sports medicine pioneer

Dr. Emory D. Warner

World recognized pathologist

PULITZER PRIZE WINNERS

Marquis Childs

1970, *St. Louis Post Dispatch*

Rita Dove

1987, *Thomas and Beulah*
U.S. Poet Laureate

Jorie Graham

1996, *The Dream of the Unified Field; New and Selected Poems*

J. Tracy Kidder

1982, *The Soul of a New Machine*

James A. McPherson

1978, *Elbow Room*

Marilynne Robinson

2005, *Gilead*

Jane Smiley

1992, *A Thousand Acres*

Tennessee Williams

1948, *A Streetcar Named Desire*
1955, *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof*

FIRST ADVANCED DEGREES IN THE UNITED STATES

African-Americans who received advanced degrees from the University of Iowa, who were also the first in the United States to receive that particular degree:

Alexander Clark, Jr.
1879, law degree

Elizabeth Catlett
1940, master's in art

Lulu Johnson
1941, Ph.D. in history

Oscar Anderson Fuller
1942, Ph.D. in music

Lilia Ann Abron
1972, Ph.D. in chemical engineering

Lisa Portis
1989, Ph.D. in pharmacology

THE GERDIN LEARNING CENTER

RUSSELL A. AND ANN GERDIN ATHLETIC LEARNING CENTER

The University of Iowa's Russell A. and Ann Gerdin Athletic Learning Center, opened for the fall, 2003 semester, is one of the latest additions to the University of Iowa campus which directly benefits Iowa's student-athletes.

The Learning Center is a multi-level, 20,000-square foot facility which provides one all-purpose area for the academic pursuits for Iowa's male and female student-athletes. The facility is centrally located on the Iowa campus for easy access by all athletes and staff.

The Learning Center features an auditorium, two classrooms, study lounges for freshmen and upper-class student-athletes, a computer lab, a teaching lab, the athletic library, office space for Iowa's academic Student Services staff and a display area to recognize the academic accomplishments of Iowa's student-athletes.



"We are extremely excited about the addition of the Gerdin Athletic Learning Center and what it has added to the educational experiences of our student-athletes. Our student-athletes enjoy the finest facilities available. The Learning Center makes the total package we have to offer our student-athletes second to none."

The Learning Center provides one area, in a convenient, central location, that provides a great environment for our student-athletes to achieve their academic goals."

KIRK FERENTZ

Head Coach
The University of Iowa



THE GERDIN LEARNING CENTER

RUSSELL A. AND ANN GERDIN ATHLETIC LEARNING CENTER



"On my first visit to campus I was impressed with the Gerdin Academic Learning Center and I know that my parents really liked it. It's a great benefit to have one facility for student-athletes, to assist with everything we need academically. It stuck in my mind that Iowa has made academic success a priority for the student-athletes with the learning center and the support we receive from the Student Services staff.

More importantly, everything I was told would happen, has happened, as far as opportunities in both football and academics. I've had every opportunity to get the results I wanted in both phases, while being able to get assistance when it has been needed. I was told I would have to earn everything, and that is the way it has been."

A.J. EDDS

Junior Linebacker
Greenwood, Indiana

"It was tough to balance football and academics at first, but you catch on and adjust. It is made easier by the people you work with everyday. Coming from a large city to a university community took some time for me to adjust. I feel like I have a good feel for the campus and I feel very comfortable as a student-athlete and as a part of the community.

The Gerdin Learning Center is one of the best in the nation, for our use as student-athletes. It is very convenient for our use, and everything we need is available there. But along with having a great facility, we are fortunate that the Student Services staff members are very helpful and are always willing to be there for us in providing the assistance and advice that we need."

ADRIAN CLAYBORN

Sophomore Defensive End
St. Louis, Missouri



ACADEMIC SUCCESS



FRED MIMS
Associate Athletic Director
Director, Office of Student Services



DR. PETER GRAY
Iowa Athletic Department
Office of Student Services



NANCY PARKER
Iowa Athletic Department
Office of Student Services



SUE WALKER
Iowa Athletic Department
Office of Student Services



DOUG CONRAD
Academic Advisor
Office of Student Services



ANTHONY GRANT
Academic Advisor
Office of Student Services

A COMMITMENT TO ACADEMIC SUCCESS

To many, the student-athletes who play football for the University of Iowa are simply campus celebrities who play a game each Saturday afternoon before fans packed into stadiums across the country.

However, to the staff in Iowa's Office of Student Services, these young men are individuals with the same routine problems of the ordinary college student. Instead of talking touchdowns and interceptions, the Student Services staff works alongside the student-athlete in tackling "off-the-field" problems.

The staff works with faculty advisors on the scheduling of classes for each student-athlete, making certain each course is geared toward the educational and professional goals of that specific student-athlete. The office also provides tutors for student-athletes as well as assistance in finding summer and permanent employment opportunities in the area of their career ambitions.

Once on campus every first year student-athlete attends a series of lectures that investigate the academic sphere at the University of Iowa. These discussion sessions help prepare the student-athlete on subjects as diverse as relaxing prior to an exam to the most effective way to study for an essay test.

First year student-athletes are also involved in special study sessions. The Student Services staff oversees the program, but the entire coaching staff is actively involved in its day-to-day operation.

The Office of Student Services has proven most beneficial to Iowa's student-athletes. For the student-athlete, the staff is a group of men and women who help them look beyond the immediate interests of college and athletics, concentrating instead on the long-term interests of the student-athlete.

In 2006, Iowa's football program was one of just 34 Division I programs to be recognized by the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) for having a graduation rate above 70%.

During the fall semester a year ago, 18 Iowa Hawkeye football players earned academic all-Big Ten honors. Senior linebacker Mike Humpal was recognized for the fourth straight year, while senior linebacker Mike Klinkenborg, junior defensive lineman Matt Kroul, senior long snapper Daniel Olszta and senior defensive back Adam Shada were named for the third straight year.

In addition, Klinkenborg and Shada were named as first team academic all-Americans for the second straight year, while defensive lineman Anton Narinskiy was named to the all-District team. Klinkenborg was selected as a 2007 National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete, earning an \$18,000 post-graduate scholarship. He was one of 15 finalists for the prestigious Draddy Trophy.

Narinskiy earned President's List recognition for the third straight year. To earn that recognition, a student must have compiled a grade point average of 4.0 or above for their most recent two semesters, with a minimum of 12 graded hours per semester. Narinskiy has earned his undergraduate degree and is working towards his master's degree.

During the 2008 spring semester, 31 Hawkeye players (over 35% of the team) earned a grade point average above 3.0. Ten team members earned Dean's List recognition and a total of 23 current Hawkeyes have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or above.

"Athletic Student Services assist student-athletes in handling academic and social problems they may face. We want the student athlete to feel comfortable with our staff to the extent that they can come to us and talk about anything. We also push the student-athlete to excel. On many occasions after a student-athlete leaves the University of Iowa, he'll call back and say how he appreciated the help and support we gave him when he was here."

FRED MIMS
Associate Athletic Director
Director, Office of Student Services

IOWA ACADEMIC SUCCESS

IOWA'S STUDENT RETENTION PROGRAM

The graduation rate of student-athletes at the University of Iowa each year has been higher than the national average, exceeding that of the student body as a whole and ranking among the best in the Big Ten Conference and the nation.

However, the Iowa Hawkeyes aren't known for resting on their laurels. That's why the Iowa Athletic Department continues to seek ways to enhance existing academic support programs to increase the chance that all student athletes at the University will reach their academic goals.

Essential to Iowa's approach to this complex problem is a pro-active retention program. The program is founded on a strong principle: the longer a student-athlete attacks his academic challenges as hard as he attacks his daily practices and competition, the more likely that student-athlete will achieve academic success.

The goal of the retention program is to move a student-athlete from a passive to a pro-active position in the retention process; from observer to participant. The Retention Program has been designed to assist student-athletes who need extra support services in order to achieve academic success.

There are several reasons why the UI's retention program has been successful. First, the program is under the direction of one full-time staff member.

Mrs. Susan Walker, who joined the Iowa staff in 1982, earned both her bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Iowa. Prior to heading the retention program Walker served 14 years as a counselor for Iowa's football athletes.

Walker spearheads a support team which works directly with students, faculty and other academic staff members. Iowa's student-athletes benefit from the ongoing efforts that one full-time specialist can put toward the program and their needs.

The UI program includes an "early warning system" which helps identify potential difficulties for the student-athletes. This process begins upon receipt of the college entrance exams and high school transcripts, and continues throughout the student-athletes' entire academic experience at the University of Iowa.

The Office of Student Services looks to other offices for assistance in providing a fully-integrated approach to student retention. Staff members encourage student-athletes to also take full advantage of the expertise available from faculty members and the numerous excellent campus-wide academic support systems.

"The Iowa Retention Program has been broadened each year as we have developed new initiatives in addressing the academic needs of the student-athletes. We spend a large amount of time in one-on-one meetings and developing individual educational plans."

SUE WALKER
Iowa Athletic Department
Office of Student Services

FROM FOOTBALL TO MEDICAL SCHOOL

Two senior members of Iowa's 2002 offensive line are proving that brains and brawn can mix. Andrew Lightfoot, a native of Des Plaines, IL, attended medical school at Iowa, while Will Lack, a native of Nora Springs, IA, attended Harvard University medical school. Both cite their experiences with the Iowa football program as being very helpful in their preparation and medical school selection.

Lightfoot earned his undergraduate degree in psychology, with minors in biology and chemistry. He is a 2007 Iowa medical school graduate and currently in his first year of residency at Iowa, working in urology. He was an academic all-Big Ten and Verizon district academic all-American selection throughout his playing career.



"One of the main reasons I was able to be successful in medical school and work my way through, is directly related to athletics, especially my time as a member of the football program at the University of Iowa. It is important to have good communication skills and to be a good team member, and I learned that at Iowa. Work ethic is extremely important as well. That is something that is ingrained in you at an early age when competing in athletics, and especially as a member of the football program at the University of Iowa. Right now I have a strong interest in remaining in the University setting and going into the academic realm of medicine."

ANDY LIGHTFOOT
2002 Senior, Iowa Football
Iowa Medical School Graduate, 2007

Lack joined the Iowa program as a walk-on and feels his football experiences paid dividends. He graduated with a major in biomedical engineering. While over 5,000 students apply for acceptance to the medical program at Harvard in any given year, less than 200 are accepted.

Lack graduated from Harvard Medical School with honors in orthopedics in June, 2007 and is currently in orthopedics residency at the University of Iowa.



"I feel a great sense of gratitude to the University of Iowa. I believe the experiences I had on the football team have proven invaluable and I continue to stay in touch with a number of my former teammates. Along with Andy Lightfoot in residency here at Iowa, other teammates have gone on to be Navy SEALs, NFL players, lawyers, college coaches and businessmen. I feel very fortunate to have been an Iowa football player and remain incredibly thankful for the support of the coaching staff, both on and off the field."

WILL LACK
2002 Senior, Iowa Football
Harvard Medical School Graduate, 2007

GRADUATION RATES

TAKE A LOOK AT THESE NUMBERS

U.S. News & World Report, in its yearly rankings, has ranked the University of Iowa 24th among American public national universities for undergraduate education. Iowa ranks in the top 13% of some 161 public universities across the nation.

In its 2009 rankings of America's Best Graduate Schools, U.S. News & World Report ranks five Iowa programs as best in the nation among public universities. Overall, Iowa has 23 graduate programs ranked in the top 10 nationally.

Serious about taking advantage of your educational opportunity and earning a degree? At the University of Iowa, the numbers are stacked in your favor. Overall, 72 percent of the student athletes with scholarships who enrolled in the UI in 2001-02 earned their degrees in six years.

During the 2007 Fall semester, Iowa was one of three Division I football programs in the nation to have two players named as first team academic all-Americans, as LB Mike Klinkenborg and DB Adam Shada earned that distinction for the second straight year.

In addition, Iowa was the only team in the nation to have three players earn first team academic all-America honors in 2006. Iowa was one of 34 Division I programs to be recognized by the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) for having a graduation rate of over 70 percent.

Iowa's graduation rate has annually ranked among the best in the Big Ten Conference and the nation. At the conclusion of the 2002, 2003 and 2004 seasons, Iowa ranked in the top 25 in the nation in the national rankings. Among those top 25 teams, Iowa's graduation rate, in each of the three years, ranked among the top five.



"It's one thing that coach says to everyone right away when you get here, the first thing we are here for is a degree, that comes first; football is there, but it will always come second. There are tons of resources for us to get what we need academically, as far as assistance and help that is provided.

The Gerdin Learning Center is where we do everything regarding academics; it is a great facility that has everything we need. For those players who meet with tutors, for checking out books, or just finding a quiet place to study. If we need any assistance, the staff and resources are available. It's very close and convenient to the dormitories and Hillcrest, where we have our meals.

A key part of success in academic is time management. It's a big adjustment from high school, as far as the number of hours you put in with football and the hours for academics. It's all about time management, getting off on the right foot and starting strong that first semester."

MATT KROUL
Senior Defensive Tackle
Two-time Academic all-Big Ten
Mt. Vernon, Iowa

2007 Big Ten Conference All-Academic Hawkeyes

Student-Athlete	*Year	Major
Rob Bruggeman	Senior	Finance
A.J. Edds	Junior	Pre-Business
Bryon Gattas	Senior, 2007	Health & Sport Studies
Brett Greenwood	Sophomore	Open
Mike Humpal	Senior, 2007	Health & Sport Studies
Mike Klinkenborg	Senior, 2007	Elementary Education
Matt Kroul	Senior	Health & Sport Studies
Bryan Mattison	Senior, 2007	Health & Sport Studies
Gavin McGrath	Senior	Finance
Brett Morse	Sophomore	Pre-Business
Jayne Murphy	Sophomore	Pre-Physical Therapy
Daniel Murray	Sophomore	Mechanical Engineering
Anton Narinskiy	Senior	Accounting
Daniel Olszta	Senior, 2007	Pharmacy
Michael Sabers	Senior	Health & Sport Studies
Adam Shada	Senior, 2007	Finance
Jeff Tarpinian	Sophomore	Pre-Business
Julian Vandervelde	Sophomore	Open

* -- Denotes current classification

IOWA GRADUATION RATES

TAKE A LOOK AT THESE NUMBERS

"When high school students visit the Tippie College of Business as prospective scholar-athletes, my colleagues and I emphasize that, if they enroll in the business school, they will have to work every bit as hard at their studies as they do for their sport. Fortunately, athletes who major in business, are, for the most part, as serious about getting their degrees as they are about competing in their sports, and Iowa's coaches encourage that mindset.

To succeed in life, college graduates must work hard and know how to discipline themselves; Iowa athletes learn that lesson early. Hawkeye coaches and UI faculty complement each other and Iowa's student-athletes are the real winners."

GARY FETHKE

Former Interim President
Former Dean, Henry B. Tippie College of Business
University of Iowa



Senior DL Anton Narinskiy earned district academic all-America honors in 2007. Narinskiy has also been named to the UI's President's List in each of the last three years.

HAWKEYES EARN ACADEMIC HONORS

Over the past nine seasons, Iowa football has made its mark on the playing field. The Hawkeyes won Big Ten titles in 2002 (8-0) and 2004 (7-1). Iowa participated in bowl games at the conclusion of six straight seasons (2001-06), including January bowl games in four consecutive years (2002-05).

Under Coach Kirk Ferentz and his staff, Hawkeye football players have also been successful in the classroom. Thirteen players have combined to earn academic all-America honors on 24 occasions. Four players, DL Aaron Kampman, OL Andy Lightfoot, LB Mike Klinkenborg and DB Adam Shada, were three-time honorees.

Klinkenborg and Shada were honored for the third time as seniors in 2007, as both earned first team academic All-America honors for the second straight year. In 2006, senior OL Mike Elgin joined Klinkenborg and Shada on the first team, making Iowa the only Division I program in the nation with three players earning that distinction.

In addition, Iowa players have been honored 114 times over the past nine seasons with academic all-Big Ten recognition.

IOWA'S ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS, 1999-2007



Kody Asmus
2004



Jared Clauss
2002, 2003



Sean Considine
2004



Mike Elgin
2005, 2006



Andy Fenstermaker
2005



Nate Kaeding
2002, 2003



Aaron Kampman
1999, 2000, 2001



Mike Klinkenborg
2005, 2006, 2007



Andy Lightfoot
2000, 2001, 2002



Anton Narinskiy
2007



Adam Shada
2005, 2006, 2007



Thad Sheldon
1999



Rob Thein
1999

STUDENT-ATHLETE SUPPORT

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

At The University of Iowa, a strong relationship has been developed between athletics and academics, where football coaches and athletes work hand-in-hand with academic deans and professors, assuring the student-athlete the best possible opportunities to excel in the classroom and in athletics.

From the first visit for any prospective student-athlete, to the completion of their academic and athletic career at Iowa, academic personnel play a large roll in the career of Hawkeye student-athletes. Beginning with the on-campus visits, student-athletes are introduced to professors in their selected field of study, and are able to establish a relationship and develop an understanding of the academic setting in which they will be involved.



"It is a great pleasure working with Coach Ferentz and his staff. Having wrestled for Dan Gable, I have insight into working with a coach who cares as much about an athlete outside the sports arena as in it. I've marveled at the total concern both coaches have shown for the "process" of success. There are no shortcuts in their philosophies or actions. All athletes should be able to take what they learn here and apply it to every aspect of their lives for the next 70 years.

I came to the University of Iowa with marginal athletic and academic ability and left with four NCAA Championship rings and a doctoral degree. Sports careers end, but what is learned from the important teachers and mentors in life endures. Coach Ferentz is the quintessential teacher and mentor."

DR. MITCHELL KELLY

Faculty Representative for Recruiting
2003 University of Iowa Carnegie Foundation Professor of the Year
University of Iowa



"I've been really impressed with the caliber of athlete that Coach Ferentz and his staff are recruiting to be members of the University of Iowa football program. They recognize the demanding life a "student-athlete" at the University of Iowa leads, and place a high priority on seeking capable students as well as good citizens."

ELLIE HERMAN, Ph.D.

Coordinator of Field Experiences
University of Iowa

IOWA HONORS PROGRAM

THE SCHOLARLY LIFE AND IOWA'S ACADEMIC HONORS PROGRAM



Marvin Sims, a sports counselor in the department of Sports Medicine at the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, has been employed at The University of Iowa for 21 years, working exclusively with student-athletes for the past 15 years.

" Student-athletes who enter the University of Iowa must prepare to succeed both scholastically and athletically. To accomplish this essential task the individuals must make many sacrifices and changes.

I've found through the years that student-athletes tend to deal with these changes in many different ways. Some handle the new expectations and living under a microscope very well, while others find it quite uncomfortable, and have a little harder time making the necessary adjustments.

As a sports counselor, I assist the student-athletes in identifying and working through the unexpected changes that naturally occur with this major life shift, and to help prepare them to meet the challenges that the college environment and a Division I program will certainly provide."

MARVIN L. SIMS

**Sports Counselor
University of Iowa**

The University of Iowa may be the best place in the world for student-athletes interested in living a scholarly life in addition to pursuing success on the playing field.

Providing creative, ambitious student-athletes with such an open and rich learning environment has produced many success stories -- success that's been measured by papers published, scholarships earned, and careers launched. And all of this intellectual energy is brought together in a beautiful place that's designed for meeting the needs of the student-athlete.

Iowa's Honors Program puts highly motivated student-athletes in the company of leading faculty scholars. Iowa's honors students represent an active and energetic group of scholars within the larger student community. They use Honors Program resources to participate in special seminars, to work with faculty members on research projects, to stay informed of scholarship opportunities for graduate study, and to present their own research at conferences around the nation.

They also frequently get together with other honors students to have a good time outside of the rigors of academic study. Students who are eligible to join the Honors Program receive a letter of invitation and information about honors activities.

Members of the Iowa football program have excelled in the classroom. Two Hawkeye players earned academic all-America honors in 2007 and three Hawkeyes earned that distinction in 2006.

Linebacker Mike Klinkenborg, a senior in 2007 and a three-time academic all-American, was named a National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete a year ago, earning an \$18,000 post-graduate scholarship. He was one of 15 finalists for the prestigious Draddy Award.

Mike Elgin, a three-year starter in the offensive line, earned academic all-America honors in both 2005 and 2006. Following his final season in 2006 he was selected in the NFL draft by the New England Patriots.

Matt Reischl, a two-time academic all-American, made the most of his educational opportunity while at the University of Iowa. Reischl graduated with a double major in economics and finance and earned the Ernest R. Johnson Memorial Prize for graduating from the College of Liberal Arts with the highest academic standing, including a 4.18 GPA, based on a 4.0 scale.

Derek Rose, another 1998 Hawkeye senior, also made his mark in the classroom. A starter for three seasons, Rose earned two prestigious honors during his final year. He was named a National Scholar-Athlete by the National Football Foundation, earning a \$25,000 post-graduate scholarship. During his final season Rose was also a Burger King Scholar Athlete of the Week, earning a \$10,000 scholarship for the UI general scholarship fund.



Linebacker Mike Klinkenborg, a senior in 2007, earned an \$18,000 post-graduate scholarship by being named a National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete. Klinkenborg was a two-time first team academic all-American and a year ago he was a finalist for the Draddy Award.

PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE

HAWKEYES INVOLVED IN COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

"Students who assume that their academic majors and association with football will get them jobs out of college may be surprised. Getting a good job after football requires additional things - knowledge about the work world; mastering writing, speaking, research, problem solving and computer skills; summer work experiences, professional contacts and a job search plan. We offer programs and services that help the student-athlete acquire all of these."

NANCY PARKER

Iowa Athletic Department
Office of Student Services

Getting the most out of your educational experience means preparing for the life that follows after football and college. At the University of Iowa, student athletes have access to support services which will assist them in securing employment in the career field that matches their interests, skills and education.

Working with the staff of the Iowa Athletic Department's Office of Student Services and the University's Career Center, student athletes identify their interests and career options, select a program of appropriate academic study and explore the world of work through internships and the many resources available.

The Iowa Athletic Department assists student athletes in making the transition from college to full time employment by introducing them to business and professional leaders during the annual Senior Student-Athlete Recognition Banquet in Des Moines. This "networking" often results in job interviews and, for many student athletes, permanent employment.

University of Iowa student athletes are encouraged to participate in the Career Center's Career Leadership Academy, a variety of workshops on job search skills, resume writing, interviewing, relocation, employment and industry trends, conducted by staff from the Career Center and Athletic Student Services.

Former student athletes and potential employers are invited to the University of Iowa to discuss with student athletes the world of work and how to effectively "market" themselves in an increasingly competitive workplace.

HAWKEYES INVOLVED IN COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Each year, all University of Iowa student-athletes take part in the Hawkeye Day of Caring. The student-athletes, joined by Iowa coaches, administrators and staff, perform service projects for many agencies around the Iowa City area.

Hawkeye Day of Caring is the brainchild of the Iowa Student Athlete Advisory Committee, whose goal is to increase the level of community service among its teams and individuals. Hawkeye Day of Caring is an annual opportunity for Iowa's student-athletes to offer their support to service organizations throughout the community.



Hawkeye Players and staff members contributed to sandbagging efforts during the June flooding in Iowa City.



Members of the University of Iowa football team sign autographs and visit with fans while hosting children from Camp Courageous each spring.

A LIFETIME COMMITMENT

TO THE STUDENT-ATHLETE

"I don't like to leave anything undone. In athletics and life, I've always finished what I started."

That's what Andre Tippett, a five-time all-Pro defensive end for the New England Patriots and captain of the Iowa football team that played in the 1982 Rose Bowl, said about finishing his education.

Tippett left school before earning his degree. However, in January 1990 he returned to campus at the urging of Associate Athletic Director Fred Mims for one final semester of class work.

Tippett retired following the 1993 season and now works in Players Relations as a member of the New England administrative staff.

Mims oversees a program that encourages former University of Iowa student-athletes who have not completed an undergraduate degree program to return to Iowa City and finish their education. A number of Hawkeye football players have returned to campus to finish degree programs following their playing careers.

"If they can't come back right away, maybe they can take correspondence classes or enroll in some courses at another school closer to their home and transfer credits back to the University of Iowa. The important thing is for each student-athlete to complete his education," said Mims.

The program is even more evidence of the University of Iowa's commitment to each of its student-athlete's academic success. It's a commitment that is for life and, in return, can provide the student-athletes who participate, a lifetime of career opportunities.

"The University of Iowa Athletic Student Services office is committed to developing long-lasting relationships with all student-athletes. These relationships begin during the student's recruitment process and last a lifetime."

SUE WALKER

Iowa Athletic Department
Office of Student Services

"People talk about where their allegiance is. Well, my allegiance is to the University of Iowa and I didn't want to get my degree from anyplace else."

ANDRE TIPPETT

Five-time All-Pro and former Captain, New England Patriots, Pro Football Hall of Fame and former Iowa Hawkeye

Former Hawkeye Andre Tippett, who enjoyed an all-Pro career with the New England Patriots, visits with Iowa Coach Kirk Ferentz. Tippett, a member of the New England management team, was inducted into the Iowa Varsity Club Hall of Fame.



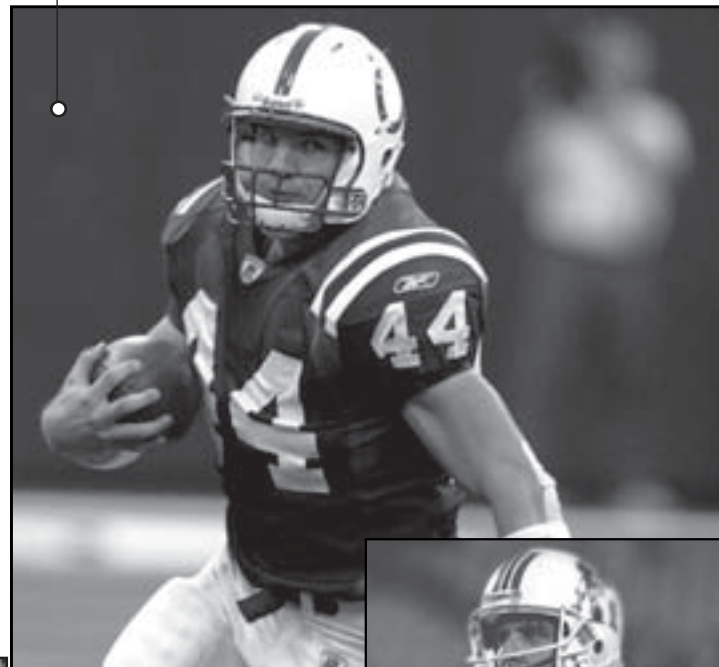
"First and foremost, the people in the program at the University of Iowa, everyone involved, are just great people. I formed many great relationships while at Iowa and I'm always anxious to get back to Iowa City to see how everyone is doing. I always try to follow the program when I can, and I stay in touch with the coaches. As a former player, I know myself and others always want Coach Ferentz and the staff to know they have our support."

Iowa City is a great city and community, it has everything you are looking for in a University and it is a community I will always feel a part of."

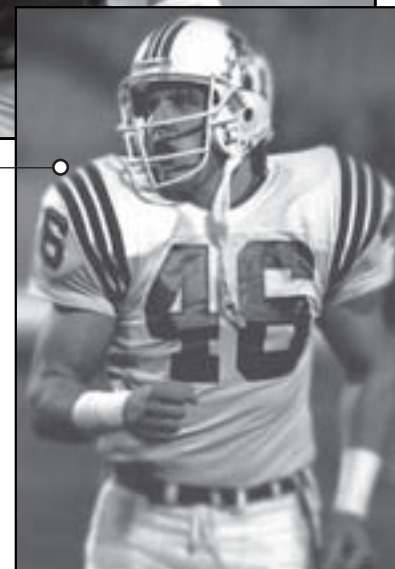
DALLAS CLARK

Former Iowa TE
2002 John Mackey Award Winner
Indianapolis Colts, 2007 Super Bowl Champions

Dallas Clark (44) is an Iowa native who stays in touch with the Iowa football program. Clark, who entered the NFL following his junior season, returned to Iowa City and earned his degree during the off season.



Following an NFL career in which he earned all-Pro honors while playing for the New England Patriots, Marv Cook returned to Iowa City, where he is a successful businessman, high school football coach and staunch supporter of Hawkeye football and the University of Iowa.



WHY LIFE SKILLS PROGRAM



Fred Mims (far left), Director of Iowa's Athletic Student Services, visits with members of the Iowa football team during the spring. Members of the Athletic Student Services staff work closely with UI student-athletes to assist in all areas of their experiences while attending the University of Iowa.

The University of Iowa Athletic Department is committed to provide educational experiences and services to develop well-balanced lifestyles for student-athletes. The Athletic Student Services staff is committed to help the student-athlete derive maximum benefits from their athletics and college experience. Learning about who you are, acquiring self-understanding, a positive self-image, learning decision-making and coping skills to deal with the pressures and stresses of growing up all lead to a high quality of life as a student and an athlete at Iowa.

TRANSITION SEMINAR

The Transition Seminar runs for 12 weeks (90 minutes per week) at the beginning of the fall semester. This seminar, which is attended by all new students, explores personal and academic issues stemming from the transition from high school to college and adjustment issues that are unique to student-athletes. Its purpose is to help student-athletes improve their performance and persistence at Iowa.

These are highly interactive sessions with emphasis on group discussion in order for the student-athletes to learn from each other. Some of the topics are: introduction to the University library, personal and academic goal-setting, time management, personal responsibility and accountability, substance abuse, relating to professors, study skills, diversity and ethics.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Throughout the year, Athletic Student Services sponsors and conducts educational programs. These are seminars, speakers, workshops and short courses on issues of personal growth and life skills, with a primary focus on alcohol and other drugs. These programs, which are often topics suggested by student-athletes, appeal to a variety of audiences, including specific teams, age groups (i.e., freshmen, fourth-year seniors) or department-wide.

Subjects that have been addressed in the past include alcohol and self-esteem, healthy intimacy, sexual assault, personal responsibility and accountability, communicating with coaches, stress management, racial diversity, time management, learning strategies and transitions from college to professional life.

CAREER GUIDANCE AND DEVELOPMENT

Planning a meaningful career and a fulfilling life is an ongoing process of expanding and narrowing choices, beginning when the student-athlete arrives on campus and continuing throughout their college career and lifetime. This process includes learning about who you are (e.g., your values, abilities and interests) and using that information to choose courses leading eventually to an academic major by the end of the second year.

The process continues with "building a resume" and exploring other college and community activities (e.g., campus organizations, student government, community service, church involvement). An important step is to learn about the world of work, growing industries, employment forecasts and how the student-athlete interests and abilities fit. Summer internships, fieldwork and volunteering are all valuable experiences that lead to reasonable decisions about a career.

As the student-athlete approaches their senior year, they need to explore their options for life after graduation (i.e., full time work, graduate or professional school or professional sports). Those decisions will require further planning, whether it is to develop a job strategy and resume, or to apply to graduate schools and take entrance exams.

Athletic Student Services offers individual consultation, career development seminars and workshops, referrals to other campus offices and special events, such as the Senior Student-Athlete Recognition Banquet in Des Moines for graduating student-athletes. This event is an opportunity for graduating seniors to be recognized by the governor for their contributions to the people of Iowa and to meet and network with professional and business executives across the state of Iowa.

Athletic counselors and staff members from Athletic Student Services help student-athletes identify their choices, clarify their plans and refer them for further assistance to other student service offices on campus.

IOWA LIFE SKILLS PROGRAM

CAREER PLANNING TIMETABLE

All the activity in career planning boils down to the tasks of expanding and narrowing . . . and of exploring and choosing.

FIRST YEAR: EXPLORING

Get to know who you are: interests, skills, work values through inventories and assessments
Get introduced to the Discover Software Program
Take a variety of introductory courses to learn about academic programs
Explore college majors with athletics counselor, academic adviser, faculty, family, and friends
Investigate the academic departments, their admission requirements, and required courses/prerequisites
Take 7C:081, Making a Vocational Educational Choice for two credits
Attend a career exploration workshop
Visit Career Development Services, 315 Calvin Hall, to find out sources of career information
Volunteer on campus or in the community

SECOND YEAR: NARROWING

Get involved in a campus activity; join a campus organization
Take 7C:081, Making a Vocational Educational Choice for two credits
Work with academic advisors/athletics counselors to identify academic majors that fit your academic performance, interests and skills
Begin to define the things that are important to you in a job
Learn as much as you can about available careers, occupations, employment outlook
Talk to professionals in the field you are considering
Research in the Career Development Services
Attend a workshop on choosing a major
Attend Careers Day in September
Investigate internships and seek out summer jobs and volunteer work related to your career interest
Draft a resume
Choose a major; apply to an academic department
Attend the Summer Jobs Fair in February
Volunteer on campus or in the community

THIRD YEAR: FOCUS

Determine a graduation plan with advisor; tentative graduation date, degree requirements, required internships, field experiences, student teaching
Begin to network: Get to know faculty, professionals, and former teammates in interest areas
Explore graduate or professional school possibilities after graduation
Identify career goals based on skills, interests, and work values
Update/add to your resume
Seek out a summer internship, quality work experience related to interest area
Attend Careers Day in September. Distribute resume and meet employers
Take leadership role in campus activity/organization
Attend the Summer Jobs Fair in February
Volunteer on campus or in the community

FOURTH YEAR: TAKE ACTION

Request and get a graduation analysis. Are you ready to graduate?
Develop a job search strategy
Take an inventory of skills and abilities you have developed and make sure you can speak to what you can do
Refine, finalize resume
Attend workshops on writing resumes, interviews, job search process
Register at Business and Liberal Arts, Engineering or Education Placement Office for on-campus interviews
Research employers, companies to interview
Attend Career Day in September. Distribute final resume and meet employers
Attend Polk County Senior Recognition Banquet and continue to network
Step-up networking activities and talk to faculty, employers, friends and former teammates
Complete all graduate/professional school applications; register and take graduate entrance exams
Attend senior transition workshops



Academic Advisor's Anthony Grant (above right) and Doug Coonrod (below right) work with Hawkeye student-athletes on a daily basis.



UNIVERSITY OF IOWA MAJORS

MORE THAN 100 PROGRAMS TO CHOOSE FROM

University of Iowa students have more than 100 programs to choose from when deciding on a field of study. And, they can take their time in selecting a course of study or career. One out of four students begin their college career as an open major prior to selecting a major once their college career is underway.

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

Actuarial Science
African American World Studies
American Studies
Ancient Civilization
Anthropology
Applied Physics
Art
Art History
Asian Languages and Literature
Astronomy
Athletic Training
Biochemistry
Biology
Chemistry
Cinema
Classics
Communication Studies
Comparative Literature
Computer Science
Dance
Economics
Elementary Education
English
Environmental Sciences
Exercise Science
French
Geography
Geoscience
German

Greek
Health and Sport Studies
History
Interdepartmental Studies
International Studies
Italian
Journalism and Mass Communication
Latin
Leisure Studies
Linguistics
Literature, Science, and the Arts
Mathematics
Microbiology
Music
Performing Arts Entrepreneurship
Philosophy
Physics
Political Science
Portuguese
Psychology
Religious Studies
Russian
Science Education
Social Work
Sociology
Spanish
Speech and Hearing Science
Statistics
Theatre Arts
Women's Studies

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Accounting
Economics
Finance
Management
Management Information Systems
Marketing

COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY

Oral Health Sciences

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Elementary Education
Secondary Education

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Biomedical
Chemical and Biochemical
Civil and Environmental
Electrical and Computer
Industrial
Mechanical

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

Clinical Laboratory Science
Nuclear Medicine Technology
Radiation Sciences

COLLEGE OF NURSING

B.S. in Nursing (B.S.N.)

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

Doctor of Pharmacy six-year program (Pharm.D.)

The University of Iowa also offers preparatory programs for persons who will major in the following at another institution: Chiropractic, Mortuary Science, Optometry, Podiatric Medicine, and Veterinary Medicine.



HAWKEYE PLAYERS EXCEL

IN THE CLASSROOM

Members of the University of Iowa football program have proven to be winners in the classroom as well as on the playing field. During the 2008 spring semester, 31 Hawkeye players earned a grade point of 3.0 or above. In addition, 10 Hawkeye players made the Dean's List and junior Anton Narinskiy earned a place on the President's List for the third consecutive year. A total of 23 current team members carry a cumulative grade point of 3.0 or above.

DEAN'S LIST HAWKEYES, SPRING, 2008

Wes Aeschliman	Anton Narinskiy
Rob Bruggeman	Tyler Nielsen
Eric Guthrie	Austin Postler
Cody Hundertmark	Michael Sabers
Michael Morio	Jeff Tarpinian

HAWKEYE PLAYERS WITH A GPA OF 3.0 OR ABOVE, SPRING, 2008

Wesley Aeschliman	Travis Meade
Pat Angerer	Tony Moeaki
Jordan Bernstine	Mike Morio
Rob Bruggeman	Brett Morse
Dan Doering	Devan Moylan
A.J. Edds	Daniel Murray
Bryon Gattas	Brandon Myers
Chad Geary	Anton Narinskiy
Justin Greiner	Daniel Olszta
Eric Guthrie	Austin Postler
Cody Hundertmark	Michael Sabers
Tyler Gerstandt	Andrew Schulze
Mitch King	Adam Shada
Nick Kuchel	Jeff Tarpinian
Gavin McGrath	Julian Vandervelde
Marvin McNutt	

IOWA RANKS HIGH ACADEMICALLY AMONG BOWL TEAMS

Among the 64 Division I football programs that participated in bowl games following the 2006 season, Iowa ranked ninth overall with a graduation rate of 72% for the group of student-athletes who enrolled in the University of Iowa in the fall semester of 2001. Iowa's graduation rate ranked second among Big Ten teams competing in bowl games.

In graduation rate data for teams that participated in bowl games and finished in the top 25 of the national rankings in 2002, 2003 and 2004, the Iowa football program ranked highly, according to information released by the NCAA.

In graduation rates for student-athletes in the sport of football, Iowa's 63% graduation rate in 2002 ranked second among the eight universities represented in the 2003 Bowl Championship Series and third among the seven Big Ten Conference universities that participated in bowl games.

The Iowa football team ranked eighth in the nation in the final rankings in 2002, 2003 and 2004. Among the teams ranked in the top 25 each year, Iowa's graduation rate ranked fifth in 2002 (63%), fourth in 2003 (57%) and third in 2004 (58%). Only one other school ranked in the top five in each of the three years.

According to the data compiled by the NCAA for the 2001 season, Iowa's graduation rate of 78 percent for scholarship student-athletes in the sport of football, who entered the University of Iowa for the fall 1994 semester, ranked behind only Stanford (93%), Syracuse (91%), Boston College (85%) and Southern California (82%) among the bowl game participants.

The same five schools topped the list when a comparison was done using a four-year graduation rate average, with Iowa again ranking as the top public institution. The national graduation rate average for Division I-A football student-athletes was 52 percent. Iowa was one of 16 of the 50 bowl teams whose graduation rate for its football student-athletes matched or exceeded the graduation rate for its respective institution's entire student body.

"We take great pride in the academic achievements of our student-athletes, just as we admire their athletic achievements. The athletics program at the University of Iowa has long embraced the idea that academic pursuits do not have to suffer in order to be successful in athletic competition. We are proud of what our football team has accomplished on the field and off, and we look forward to a bright future."

FRED MIMS
Associate Director of Athletics
Director, Office of Student Services
University of Iowa



Senior offensive lineman Rob Bruggeman is one of 10 current team members who earned a place on the University of Iowa Dean's List for the 2008 Fall semester.



NFL HAWKEYES

When a student-athlete excels on the football field at the University of Iowa he gets noticed. He's noticed by the thousands of fans in Kinnick Stadium and the stadiums where the Hawkeyes play; by the vast numbers of media who follow the Iowa football program and Big Ten football; by the millions of college football fans watching the Hawkeyes on nationally televised games; and by scouts for the franchises of the National Football League.

When the Oakland Raiders selected offensive tackle Robert Gallery with the second selection in the 2004 NFL Draft, it marked the high point of Iowa's selections in the Kirk Ferentz era. Twenty-three Iowa players have been selected in the NFL Draft in the past six years. Five Hawkeye players were selected in the 2003, 2004 and 2005 NFL draft, while linebackers Chad Greenway (first round) and Abdul Hodge (third round) were drafted in 2006. Three Hawkeye players were selected in both the 2007 and 2008 drafts.

Hawkeye players selected in the past six NFL drafts have included eight selections in the first two rounds. Along with the 23 selections, an additional 28 Hawkeyes in the past six years have signed free agent contracts with NFL teams. An Iowa football player has been selected in the NFL Draft in each of the past 31 years.

In the past nine seasons, with Kirk Ferentz as the Hawkeye head coach, 60 of the 70 seniors who were starters have been selected in the NFL Draft or signed an NFL contract.

The relationships Kirk Ferentz established during his six years as an NFL coach, along with the reputation established by the Iowa football program for preparing players for the professional level, are beneficial to members of the Iowa football program who aspire to a professional career.

These relationships, paired with an Iowa football program that stresses fundamentals, discipline and pro-like offensive and defensive systems, have meant that highly-skilled Hawkeyes are often the choice of NFL teams in the league's annual college football draft. And the Hawkeyes have been successful in the NFL as well. Twenty-eight former Hawkeyes have competed in the Super Bowl, including TE Dallas Clark and DB Bob Sanders, members of the 2007 Super Bowl champion Indianapolis Colts.

The following former Hawkeye players have made the step from college to professional football, with the majority of the players listed currently active in the NFL.



JASON BAKER

Punter Jason Baker has found a home in the NFL since 2001. He averaged 40.8 yards as a rookie that season with San Francisco. In 2003 Baker averaged 39.5 yards per punt for Kansas City as the Chiefs advanced to the second round of the playoffs. Baker spent the majority of the 2004 season with Kansas City before joining the Carolina Panthers for the 2005 season. He averaged 43.3 yards on 72 punts in 2005, with no blocks, for the Panthers, who advanced to the NFC championship game. Baker ranked sixth in the NFL with an average of 45.7 yards on 98 punts for the Panthers in 2006. Last season he averaged 44.2 yards, with 22 punts inside the 20 and just five touchbacks.



JONATHAN BABINEAUX

Jonathan Babineaux earned all-America recognition as a senior in 2004, helping the Hawkeyes to the Big Ten title and a win over LSU in the 2005 Capital One Bowl. Babineaux was a second round selection of the Atlanta Falcons, and he made an immediate impact. Babineaux saw action in all 16 games as a rookie in 2005, recording 31 tackles, including 24 solo tackles. Babineaux recorded 28 tackles (23 unassisted) while again playing in all 16 games in his second year. Last season he played in 13 games, recording a career-best 45 tackles, including three QB sacks.



LADELL BETTS

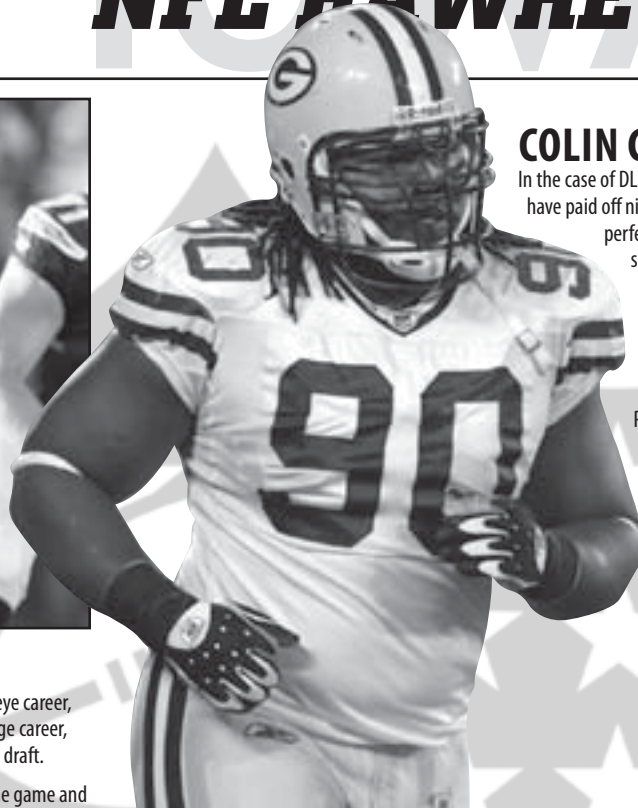
After rushing for over 1,000 yards in each of his final two seasons at Iowa, Ladell Betts moved onto the NFL, being selected by the Washington Redskins in the second round of the 2002 draft. As a rookie Betts averaged 4.7 yards per carry with the Redskins and totaled 1,151 all-purpose yards. In 2003 Betts rushed 77 times for 255 yards and two touchdowns before missing seven games due to injury. In 2004 he played in all 16 games, with one start, averaging 4.1 yards per carry. Betts rushed 26 times for 118 yards in his only start, helping the Redskins to a win over Minnesota. In 2005 he played in 12 games while helping the Redskins advance to the playoffs. Betts had his best season in 2006. He started nine games and rushed for 1,154 yards on 245 carries, setting career highs in both rushing and receiving. Last season he averaged 3.6 yards per carry and added 21 receptions for 174 yards. He is the only running back in the history of the Washington Redskins to record consecutive 150 yard rushing games.



SCOTT CHANDLER

Scott Chandler moved from wide receiver to tight end early in his Hawkeye career, and the position change has paid dividends. Following a standout college career, Chandler was selected by San Diego in the fourth round of the 2007 NFL draft.

Chandler made the team for his rookie season, but was active for just one game and had no receptions. Still, he had the opportunity to practice all season and heads into his second professional season ready to make a contribution to San Diego's success.



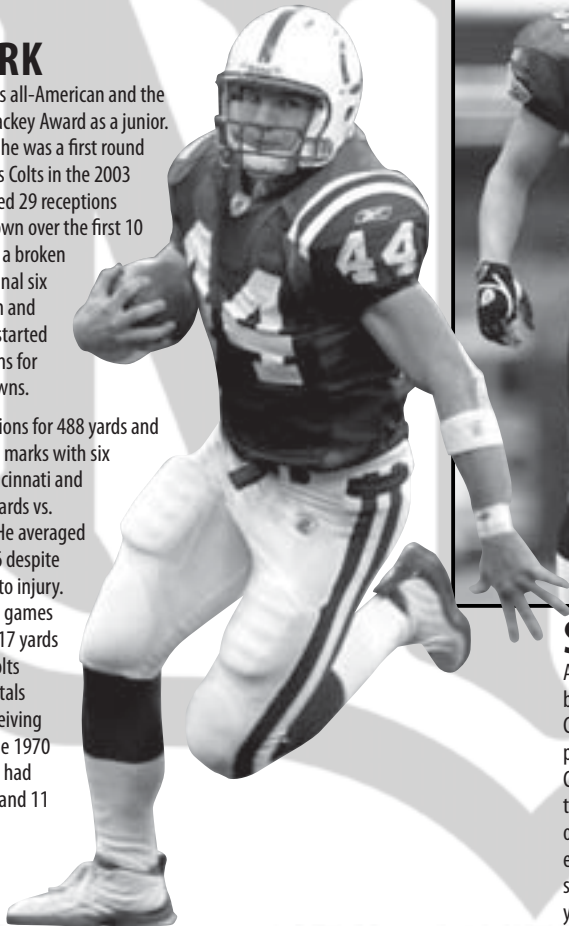
COLIN COLE

In the case of DL Colin Cole, patience and hard work have paid off nicely. After helping the Hawkeyes post a perfect 8-0 record in Big Ten play in 2002, Cole signed as a free agent with the Minnesota Vikings. Cole did not see game action in his initial professional season, in which he spent time in both Minnesota and Detroit. Cole's stock in the past four seasons has risen with the Green Bay Packers. Cole played in all 16 games for the Packers in 2005, recording 40 tackles and two QB sacks. He recorded 37 tackles (20 solo stops) while seeing action in 15 games in 2006 and he had 12 tackles a year ago as the Packers fell just short of a return to the Super Bowl.

DALLAS CLARK

Dallas Clark was a consensus all-American and the winner of the 2002 John Mackey Award as a junior. Declaring for the NFL Draft, he was a first round selection of the Indianapolis Colts in the 2003 draft. As a rookie he recorded 29 receptions for 340 yards and a touchdown over the first 10 games of the season before a broken leg forced him to miss the final six games of the regular season and the playoffs. In 2004 Clark started 13 games, with 25 receptions for 423 yards and five touchdowns.

In 2005 as he had 37 receptions for 488 yards and four TDs. He set career high marks with six catches for 125 yards vs. Cincinnati and he had four catches for 84 yards vs. Pittsburgh in the playoffs. He averaged 12.2 yards per catch in 2006 despite missing several games due to injury. He started four post-season games and had 21 receptions for 317 yards in the post-season as the Colts won the Super Bowl. His totals marked the best playoff receiving total for a tight end since the 1970 NFL merger. Last season he had 58 receptions for 616 yards and 11 touchdowns.



SEAN CONSIDINE

After joining the Iowa program as a walk-on, Sean Considine became one of the top defensive backs in recent Iowa history. Even after working his way on the field as a starting safety, Considine remained a key player on Iowa's special teams throughout his career. He blocked two punts in a win at Iowa State and closed his career with a touchdown against LSU in the 2005 Capital One Bowl, picking up a blocked punt for a score in Iowa's dramatic win. Considine was the first player selected in the fourth round of the 2005 NFL draft. He was a quality performer on special teams for the Eagles as a rookie, recording eight tackles before suffering a season ending injury. In his second season Considine recorded 85 tackles, including 59 solo stops. Last season he recorded 36 tackles and an interception while starting the first eight games of the year before missing the second half of the season due to injury.



W H Y NFL HAWKEYES

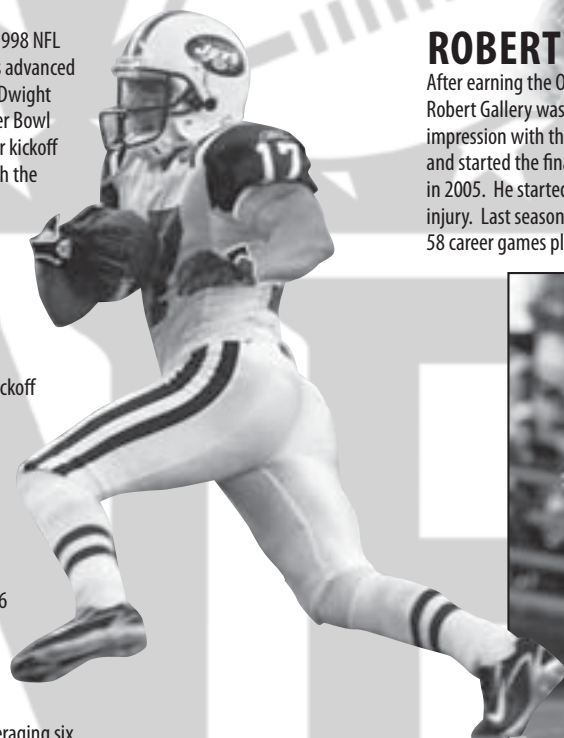
JARED DEVRIES

After earning all-America honors for three straight seasons, DT Jared DeVries was a third round selection of the Detroit Lions in the 1999 NFL draft. He was the Big Ten Defensive Lineman of the Year as a junior. After overcoming injuries earlier in his professional career, DeVries has become a steady and dependable defensive lineman for the Lions. He started nine games in 2006, recording 10 solo tackles and 23 tackles overall. A year ago he recorded 30 tackles, including 6.5 QB sacks and three forced fumbles. In 2004 he was awarded Detroit's Ed Block Memorial Courage Award.



TIM DWIGHT

Tim Dwight, a fourth round selection in the 1998 NFL draft, played a key role as the Atlanta Falcons advanced to the Super Bowl for the first time in 1999. Dwight scored on a 94-yard kickoff return in the Super Bowl loss to Denver and set a Super Bowl record for kickoff return average. Dwight, in three seasons with the Falcons, totaled over 1,000 receiving yards. Dwight was traded to the San Diego Chargers for the top selection in the NFL draft prior to the 2001 season. In 2002, he had 50 receptions for 623 yards and two TDs with San Diego, along with a 7.7 average on 12 rushing attempts, a 12.2 punt return average and a 20.8 average on kickoff returns. Dwight was hampered by injuries during the 2003 and 2004 seasons before joining New England for the 2005 season. Dwight played in all 16 regular season games, averaging 17.5 yards per catch on 19 receptions. He averaged 25 yards on 10 KO returns and 8.5 yards on 32 punt returns. He signed with the New York Jets for the 2006 season and played in nine games. He averaged 10.4 yards on punt returns and had 16 receptions for 112 yards. A year ago he had six receptions for 98 yards and two scores for the Oakland Raiders, while averaging six yards on punt returns.



ROBERT GALLERY

After earning the Outland Trophy as the top college lineman in the nation as a senior in 2003, Robert Gallery was the second player taken in the NFL Draft. Gallery made an immediate impression with the Oakland Raiders. Gallery saw action in all 16 games for the Raiders in 2004 and started the final 15 games of the season at right tackle. He started all 16 games at right tackle in 2005. He started all 10 games in which he saw action in 2006, but missed six games due to injury. Last season Gallery returned to start all 16 games, increasing his career total to 57 starts in 58 career games played.



MIKE ELGIN

Offensive lineman Mike Elgin played both guard and center during his Hawkeye career. Along with being a three-year starter on the field, Elgin earned first team academic all-America recognition as a senior and was a three-time academic all-district honoree. Elgin was a seventh round selection of the New England Patriots in the 2007 NFL draft. Elgin later spent time as a practice squad member of the New York Jets before signing a free agent contract with the Indianapolis Colts.



MIKE GOFF

One of the reasons Tavian Banks was able to set a single-season rushing record for the Hawkeyes in 1997 was the play of the offensive line, and in particular the play of Mike Goff. For his efforts Goff was selected in the third round of the NFL Draft by the Cincinnati Bengals. Goff was a member of the Bengal offensive line in 2000 that led the way for record-setting RB Corey Dillon as he started every game for the Bengals in both 2000 and 2001. Goff, in both 2002 and 2003, was a mainstay in the offensive line for the Bengals. In March, 2004, he signed a five-year contract with the San Diego Chargers. Goff started all 16 regular season games and the single playoff game in the offensive line. He started all 16 games as well in 2005. He started every game in 2006, helping the Chargers rank as one of the top rushing teams in the NFL. A year ago he started all 16 regular season games and three straight playoff games as the Chargers advanced to the AFC championship. He has started every game over the past five seasons, a streak of 90 straight games, as the Chargers have posted a team-record and current NFL best of six straight years with over 2,000 rushing yards.



CHAD GREENWAY

Linebacker Chad Greenway was the 17th player selected in the 2006 NFL draft, being selected in the first round by the Minnesota Vikings. Greenway made an immediate impact in training camp with the Vikings due to his aggressive style of play. He suffered a knee injury during a pre-season contest and was forced to miss the entire 2006 season. Seeing his first career action a year ago, Greenway recorded 130 total tackles (second on the team), led the team with forced four fumbles and had two interceptions and one touchdown. He tied for the NFL lead with four fumble recoveries.



NATE KAEDING

Rookie PK Nate Kaeding played a key role in the resurgence of the San Diego Chargers during the 2004 season. Kaeding set a team scoring record with 114 kicking points as he connected on 20-25 field goals and 54-55 PATs. Kaeding had a career-best 53-yard field goal while helping the Chargers make a return appearance in the NFL playoffs. Kaeding connected on 21-24 field goal attempts in 2005, with a long of 49 yards. He also connected on all 49 PAT attempts during the year. He made 26-29 field goal attempts (89.7%) and all 58 PAT attempts while earning all-Pro honors in 2006. A year ago he scored 118 points, hitting 24-27 field goals and all 46 PATs as the Chargers advanced to the AFC championship game.



ABDUL HODGE

Linebacker Abdul Hodge was a third round selection of the Green Bay Packers in the 2006 NFL draft. Hodge saw action in eight games and earned one start during his rookie season. Hodge collected a season-high 12 tackles against Seattle in his only start of the season before missing the 2007 season due to injury.



C.J. JONES

WR C.J. Jones will long be remembered for his 100-yard kickoff return for a touchdown on the opening play of the 2003 Orange Bowl. Signed to a free agent contract by Cleveland, Jones made the roster as a return specialist during the 2003 NFL season and was also on the Browns squad in 2004 and 2005. He began the 2006 season on the roster of the Seattle Seahawks and last season was a member of the New England Patriots.

AARON KAMPMAN

After being selected by Green Bay in the fifth round of the 2002 NFL Draft, Aaron Kampman immediately went to work on beginning his NFL career. Kampman's efforts paid off as he enjoyed a productive rookie season with the Packers, starting six games. In 2003 Kampman recorded 53 tackles (35 solo) and three forced fumbles. Playing his best at the end of the year, Kampman recorded 14 solo tackles and one assist in two playoff games at the conclusion of the 2003 season. Kampman played in 16 games in 2004, recording 120 tackles and seven QB sacks. He started all 16 games in 2005. He recorded a career-high 105 tackles (62 solo), the second most ever for a Packer defensive end. He also had 6.5 QB sacks and tied a career-high with three forced fumbles. He led the NFC with 15.5 sacks in 2006, the third best total in Packer history. He recorded 113 tackles (84 solo) to rank third on the team with the most tackles ever recorded by a Green Bay lineman. He twice was named NFC Player of the Week and earned all-Pro recognition. He was selected to the Pro Bowl for a second straight year in 2007 when he recorded 64 total tackles, including 12 sacks, as the Packers advanced to the NFC championship game.

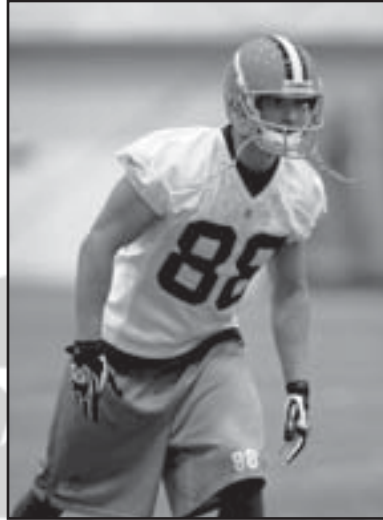




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KEVIN KASPER

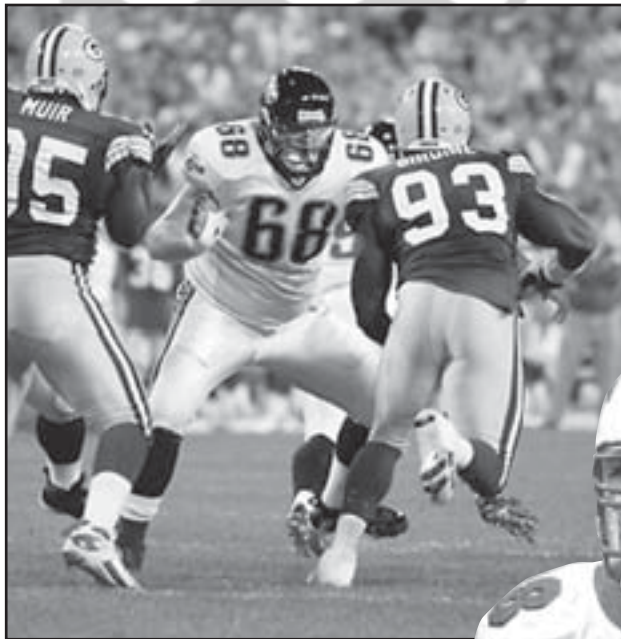
Joining the program as a walk-on, Kevin Kasper during his Iowa career had 82 receptions for 1,010 yards, ranking second in career catches and yards. Following his outstanding college career, Kasper was drafted by the Denver Broncos in the sixth round of the 2001 NFL draft. As a rookie, Kasper had eight receptions for 84 yards. A key player on special teams, Kasper also led the team with a 26.6 yard average on 14 KO returns. In 2002, he averaged 26.2 yards per kickoff return for Denver early in the season, before concluding the year with the Arizona Cardinals. Kasper averaged 22.6 yards on KO returns for Arizona and also had 15 receptions for 180 yards and three touchdowns. He averaged 27.2 yards on kickoff return for the Cardinals in 2003 before joining New England in 2004, where he saw action in the final eight games of the season for the Super Bowl champions. Kasper joined the Detroit Lions prior to the 2006 season and joined the Cleveland Browns prior to the 2008 season.



ED MILES

Linebacker Ed Miles showed his versatility during his Iowa career, moving from outside linebacker as a junior to weak side linebacker as a senior in 2006. Miles ranked eighth in the Big Ten in tackles per game in his final season and started all 25 games over his final two seasons.

A Florida native, Miles signed a free agent contract with the Miami Dolphins following his senior season. Miles made a name for himself with the Dolphins, seeing action in 11 of 16 games as a rookie, recording 17 tackles and a forced fumble.

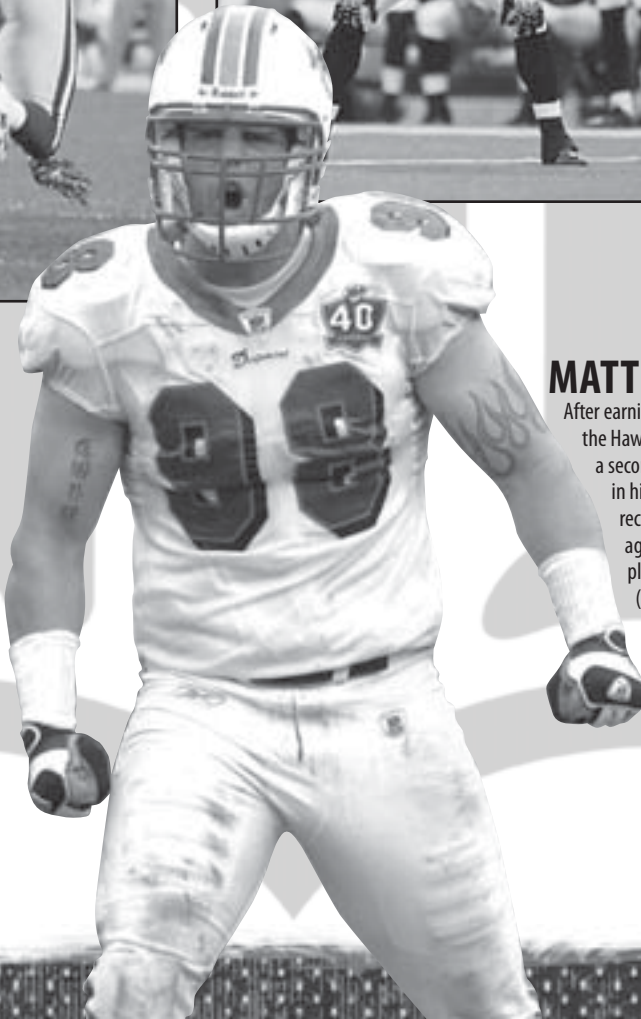


MARCUS PASCHAL

Defensive back Marcus Paschal signed a free agent contract with the Philadelphia Eagles immediately following the 2007 NFL draft. Paschal made a name for himself once reporting to the Eagles and was named to the practice squad at the start of the season. Paschal was signed to the active roster in November and saw action in three games during the second half of the season.

PETE MCMAHON

Pete McMahon worked his way up the Iowa depth chart and played a leading role in Iowa's offensive line in 2004 as the Hawkeyes claimed a share of the Big Ten title. The Hawkeyes closed the regular season with a home win over Wisconsin and then defeated LSU in the 2005 Capital One Bowl. Facing two of the more-highly regarded defensive ends in the nation in those two games, McMahon led by example by controlling his opponents, who were both first round selections in the NFL draft. McMahon's talent was recognized, as he was taken in the NFL draft by the Oakland Raiders. After recovering from a major injury, McMahon is now a member of the Jacksonville Jaguars. McMahon gained professional experience playing in NFL Europe, helping the Hamburg Sea Devils win the 2007 World Bowl while starting all 11 games at left guard.



MATT ROTH

After earning all-America honors as a senior while helping the Hawkeyes win the 2004 Big Ten title, DE Matt Roth was a second round selection of the Miami Dolphins. Roth, in his rookie season in Miami, played in all 16 games, recording 22 tackles and a QB sack. His top game was against Kansas City when he recorded six tackles. He played in 16 games in 2006, contributing 36 tackles (23 solo) and 3.5 QB sacks. Last season he played in 13 games, recording 43 total tackles and three QB sacks.



BOB SANDERS

Bob Sanders continued his impressive professional football career a year ago, being named the NFL's Defensive Player of the Year. Sanders recorded 97 tackles, 3.5 QB sacks and two interceptions while earning the top defensive award. Bob Sanders stepped right in at the professional level as a rookie in 2004. Missing portions of the season due to injuries, Sanders made the most of his opportunity when healthy. Sanders started four of the six games he played, recording 39 tackles and two fumble recoveries. Enjoying a healthy second season in 2005, Sanders was named all-Pro and was selected to the Pro Bowl, the first Colt defensive back to earn that distinction since 1971. He was second on the team with 118 tackles, including 71 solo stops. He recorded 10 or more tackles in five games, with a career-best 20 tackles vs. San Diego. Sanders had one interception during the year and recorded nine tackles vs. Pittsburgh in the playoffs. Sanders was hampered by a knee injury in 2006 and played in just five regular season games before returning for the playoffs. He recorded 22 tackles and two interceptions in four playoff games, helping the Colts win the Super Bowl.



ERIC STEINBACH

OL Eric Steinbach was the first player selected in the second round (by Cincinnati) of the 2003 NFL Draft. He was named Big Ten Lineman of the Year as a senior after helping the 2002 Hawkeyes earn a share of the Big Ten title. Steinbach as a rookie started 15 games for the Bengals, missing one game due to injury. He was named to Pro Football Weekly's all-Rookie team. Steinbach started 14 games for the Bengals in 2004 and saw action in every contest. He started all 16 games during the 2005 regular season and the playoff game vs. Pittsburgh. He played 1,059 of 1,066 offensive snaps in the 17 games. He was named as an all-Pro alternate in 2005 and 2006 while starting every game. Steinbach signed a seven-year multi-million dollar contract with the Cleveland Browns prior to the 2007 season, starting every game for the Browns in his first year in Cleveland. He has started all 16 regular season games in each of the last three seasons.



CASEY WIEGMANN

Center Casey Wiegmann has brought his hard hat to work every day during his NFL career. Wiegmann begins the 2008 season with a new team, as he signed with the Denver Broncos during the off-season. In Wiegmann, the Broncos are getting one of the most dependable offensive linemen in the NFL. Wiegmann begins the 2008 season with 111 consecutive starts over the last seven seasons, having played in 7,062 consecutive offensive plays during his career with the Kansas City Chiefs. His streak ranks as the longest current streak in the NFL by an offensive lineman.

A three-year starter at center for the Hawkeyes who concluded his college career in Iowa's 38-18 Sun Bowl win over Washington, Wiegmann played four seasons with the Chicago Bears. He joined the NFL as a free agent and worked his way into Chicago's starting line-up in 1998 before signing with the Kansas City Chiefs prior to the 2001 season. Wiegmann started all 15 games in which he saw action for the Chiefs in 2001 after an injury forced him to miss the opening game. Since that second game of the 2001 season, Wiegmann has been in the starting line-up for every game.



MARSHAL YANDA

Marshal Yanda started all 25 games during his two-year career with the Hawkeyes, making the most of his opportunity. Yanda stepped right in and showed his versatility, starting at three different positions over the course of his two seasons. Yanda earned second team all-Big Ten honors as a senior. He was rewarded for his hard work on NFL draft day, being selected by Baltimore in the third round. Yanda played in all 16 games for the Ravens in 2007, earning 12 starts.



2008 NFL DRAFT

The University of Iowa has been well represented in the NFL Draft in the past nine seasons, as 29 Hawkeye players have been selected, including 20 picks in the first five rounds. Five Hawkeye players were drafted each year from 2003-05, including OL Robert Gallery as the second player selected in the 2004 draft. Two Iowa players were selected in the first three rounds of the 2006 draft, with four additional Hawkeyes signing free agent contracts. Three Hawkeye players were selected in both the 2007 and 2008 NFL drafts.

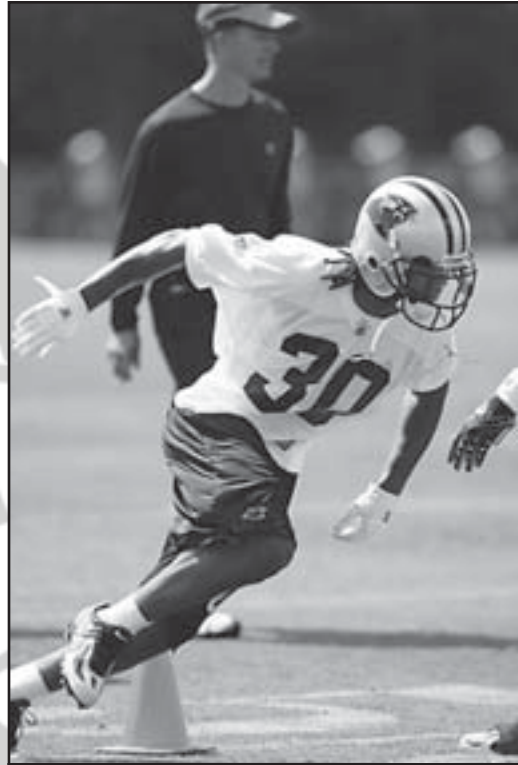
In addition to the number of Hawkeye players selected in the draft, 28 players in the past six seasons have signed NFL free agent contracts. Over the years, at least one Hawkeye player has been selected in the NFL draft in each of the past 31 years.

Defensive back Charles Godfrey was selected by Carolina in the third round of the most recent NFL draft. Defensive end Ken Iwebema was selected in the fourth round (Arizona) and linebacker Mike Humpal was a sixth round selection (Pittsburgh). Following the draft, defensive end Bryan Mattison (NY Jets) and running back Albert Young (Minnesota) signed free agent contracts.

Offensive lineman Marshal Yanda was the first Iowa player selected in the 2007 NFL draft, as he was a third round selection of the Baltimore Ravens. TE Scott Chandler was selected in the fourth round by the San Diego Chargers and the New England Patriots selected offensive lineman Mike Elgin in the seventh round.



DE Ken Iwebema was selected by Arizona in the fourth round of the 2008 draft.



DB Charles Godfrey was selected by Carolina in the third round of the 2008 NFL draft.

Five former Hawkeye players signed NFL free agent contracts following the 2007 draft. LB Ed Miles (Miami) and DB Marcus Paschal (Philadelphia) each made the squad and saw game action in their first professional season.



LB Mike Humpal was a sixth round selection of the Pittsburgh Steelers in the 2008 NFL draft.

In 2006, LB Chad Greenway was a first round selection (17th pick overall) of the Minnesota Vikings and LB Abdul Hodge was selected by Green Bay in the third round. DB Jovon Johnson saw action as a rookie with the Pittsburgh Steelers after signing a free agent contract and later joined the New York Jets. OL Brian Ferentz was a member of the Atlanta Falcons organization throughout his rookie season.

In 2005, DE Matt Roth and DL Jonathan Babineaux were both second round selections. Along with Gallery being selected second in the 2004 Draft, DB Bob Sanders was taken in the second round and PK Nate Kaeding was a third round selection. In 2003, TE Dallas Clark was taken in the first round and OL Eric Steinbach and OL Bruce Nelson in the second round.

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2008 NFL DRAFT



Three former Hawkeyes were able to share the moment after an NFL battle. PK Nate Kaeding (left) and OL Mike Goff (right) of the San Diego Chargers share a post-game chat with Oakland OL Robert Gallery.

Three of the five Hawkeye players selected in the 2003 NFL Draft joined the Iowa program as walk-ons from prep programs within the state of Iowa. This is believed to be the first time in the history of the draft that any one team had three former walk-ons selected in the same year. It was more of the same in the 2005 draft. DB Sean Considine, a fourth round selection, and OL Pete McMahon, taken in the sixth round, also joined the Iowa program as walk-ons before becoming starters on a team that played in three straight January bowl games during their careers.

Two former Hawkeyes, who signed free agent contracts following the 2007 NFL draft, went on to play in the NFL as rookies a year ago.



DE Bryan Mattison, a three-year starter for the Hawkeyes, signed a free agent contract with the New York Jets following the 2008 NFL draft.



The Minnesota Vikings signed former Iowa RB Albert Young to a free agent contract following the 2008 NFL draft. Young rushed for 3,173 yards during his Hawkeye career and ranks third on Iowa's career rushing chart.

NFL CAMP

PLAYERS IN NFL CAMP UNDER KIRK FERENTZ



SAM AIELLO



JONATHAN BABINEAUX



JASON BAKER



BRAD BANKS



FRED BARR



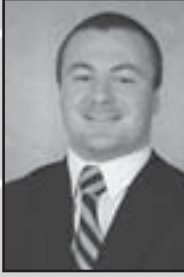
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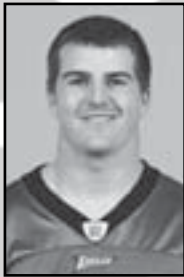
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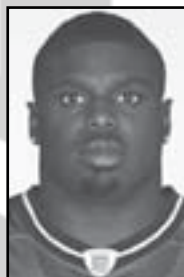
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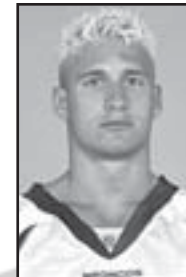
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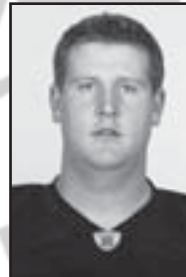
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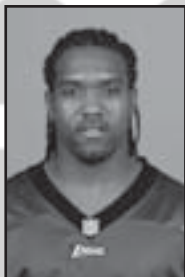
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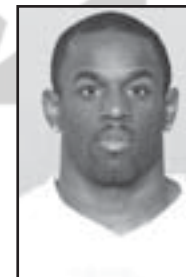
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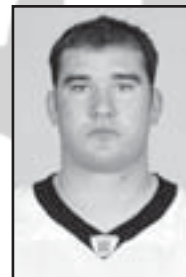
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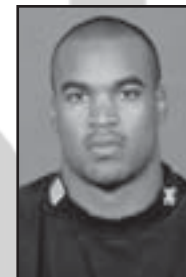
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NFL DRAFT

HAWKEYES SELECTED IN THE NFL DRAFT

NOTE: Players selected in the first round of the NFL Draft have the number of their selection included.

1936 NFL DRAFT POSITION

Rd. 1 Dick Crayne, Brooklyn (4th) FB

1938 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 5 Bob Lawson, Philadelphia

1939 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 16 Frank Balazs, Green Bay B

1940 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2 Nile Kinnick, Brooklyn HB

Rd. 9 Erwin Prasse, Detroit E

Rd. 20 Henry Luebecke, Green Bay OL

1941 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 10 Mike Enich, Green Bay OL

1942 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3 Bill Green, Green Bay FB

Rd. 10 Bill Diehl, Detroit OL

Rd. 20 Al Coupee, Washington B

1943 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2 Tom Farmer, Cleveland RB

Rd. 8 Bill Parker, Cleveland E

Rd. 16 Bill Burkett, Brooklyn E

1945 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2 Stan Mohrbacher, Detroit OL

Rd. 3 Forest Masterson, Chicago Bears C

Rd. 12 Ben Trickey, Detroit

Rd. 14 Chuck Uknes, Cleveland

Rd. 16 Jim Keane, Chicago Bears E

Rd. 17 Dick Hoerner, Cleveland RB

Rd. 17 Bruno Niedziela, Chicago Bears T

Rd. 19 Sam Vacanti, New York Giants

Rd. 21 Ted Curren, Brooklyn HB

1946 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 11 Tom Hand, Green Bay

1947 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 13 Bob Sullivan, Boston HB

Rd. 21 Hal Schoener, N.Y. Giants E

Rd. 22 Jim Smith, Washington QB

Rd. 29 Herb Schoener, Washington FB/E

1947 AAFC DRAFT

Rd. 16 Bruno Niedziela, Chicago Rockets T

Rd. 17 Bob Sullivan, L.A. Dons HB

Rd. 20 Russ Benda, Chicago Rockets OL

Rd. 24 Dave Day, Chicago Rockets OL

Dick Hoerner, Cleveland FB

1948 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 17 Joe Grothus, New York Giants OL

Rd. 21 Dick Woodward, N.Y. Giants C

Rd. 25 Jim Shoat, Boston

1948 AAFC DRAFT

Rd. 9 Lou King, Buffalo QB

1949 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 4 Bill Kay, New York Giants OL

Rd. 11 Jim Cozad, Los Angeles Rams OL

Rd. 18 Webb Halbert, Chicago Cardinals

Rd. 25 Ralph Doran, New York Giants HB

1949 AAFC DRAFT

Rd. 25 Joe Grothus, Baltimore OL

1950 NFL Draft

Rd. 9 Don Winslow, Washington OL

1951 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 25 Glenn Drahn, Philadelphia QB

Rd. 30 Jerry Faske, San Francisco

1952 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 7 Bill Reichardt, Green Bay RB

Rd. 8 Hubert Johnson, Washington

1954 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 4 Jerry Hilgenberg, Cleveland OL

Rd. 12 Don Chelf, Baltimore G

Rd. 14 Jim Head, Cleveland

Rd. 16 Dusty Rice, New York Giants HB

1955 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3 John Hall, Cleveland T

Rd. 16 Don Suchy, Cleveland OL

Rd. 20 Lou Matykiewicz, Pittsburgh LB

Rd. 29 Dick Klein, Chicago Bears T

1956 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 4 Jerry Reichow, Detroit QB

Rd. 5 Jim Freeman, L.A. Rams

Rd. 9 Cal Jones, Detroit OL

Rd. 6 Eddie Vincent, L.A. Rams

Rd. 12 Roger Swedberg, San Francisco

1957 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 7 Frank Gilliam, Green Bay E

Rd. 10 Don Dobrino, Washington HB

Rd. 16 John Nocera, Philadelphia LB

Rd. 19 Ken Ploen, Cleveland QB

1958 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1 Alex Karras, Detroit (10th) DT

Rd. 4 Frank Rigney, Philadelphia T

Rd. 5 Jim Gibbons, Cleveland E

Rd. 14 Bill Lapham, Philadelphia C

Rd. 17 Bill VanBuren, Philadelphia OL

Rd. 18 John Burroughs, Philadelphia T

Rd. 26 Frank Bloomquist, Washington OL

1959 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1 Randy Duncan, Green Bay (1st) QB

Rd. 6 Mac Lewis, Chicago Cardinals OT

Rd. 7 Mitch Ogiego, Washington

Rd. 28 Fred Long, Baltimore

1960 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2 Bob Jeter, Green Bay DB/HB

Rd. 3 Curt Merz, Philadelphia E

Rd. 5 Don Norton, Philadelphia E

Rd. 18 Charley Lee, Pittsburgh T

Rd. 19 Bob Hain, Philadelphia

1960 AFL DRAFT

1st pick Bob Hain, L.A. Chargers

1st pick Don Horn, L.A. Chargers

1st pick Ray Jauch, Buffalo

1st pick Bob Jeter, L.A. Chargers DB/HB

1st pick Curt Merz, New York Titans E

1st pick Don Norton, Minneapolis E

1st pick Olen Treadway, Denver

1961 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 14 Willie Fleming, Philadelphia HB

Rd. 19 Bernie Wyatt, Pittsburgh HB

Exp. Bill Lapham, Minnesota C

1961 AFL DRAFT

Rd. 10 Charley Lee, Houston T

1962 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 4 Larry Ferguson, Detroit RB

Rd. 7 Sherwyn Thorson, L.A. Rams OL

Rd. 9 Wilburn Hollis, St. Louis QB

Rd. 13 Bill Whisler, San Francisco E

1962 AFL DRAFT

Rd. 3 Sherwyn Thorson, Boston OL

Rd. 6 Al Hinton, Dallas Texans T

Rd. 13 Wilburn Hollis, New York Titans QB

Rd. 17 Larry Ferguson, Oakland HB

Rd. 23 Bill VanBuren, Houston C

Rd. 32 Bernie Wyatt, Houston HB

1963 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 10 Earl McQuiston, Green Bay OL

Rd. 12 Bill Perkins, Dallas Cowboys FB/E

Rd. 14 Joe Williams, New York Giants FB

Rd. 15 Matt Szykowny, Pittsburgh QB

1964 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2 Paul Krause, Washington DB

Rd. 4 Mike Reilly, Chicago Bears LB

Rd. 12 Bob Sherman, Pittsburgh B

Rd. 13 Cloyd Webb, Chicago Bears DE

Rd. 17 Gus Kasapis, Chicago Bears T

1964 AFL DRAFT

Rd. 5 Mike Reilly, Buffalo LB

Rd. 8 Wally Hilgenberg, Denver LB

Rd. 11 Cloyd Webb, Buffalo DE

Rd. 12 Paul Krause, Denver DB

1965 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 20 Tony Giacobazzi, St. Louis E

1966 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1 John Niland, Dallas (5th) OG

Rd. 3 Al Randolph, San Francisco DB

Rd. 3 Dave Long, St. Louis DE

Rd. 4 Gary Snook, St. Louis QB

Rd. 5 Bill Briggs, New York Giants DE

Rd. 11 Cliff Wilder, New York Giants E

Exp. Dave Recher, Atlanta C

Exp. Bob Sherman, Atlanta B

1966 AFL DRAFT

Rd. 6 Dave Long, Houston DE

Rd. 13 John Niland, Oakland OG

1966 AFL REDSHIRT DRAFT

Rd. 6 Joe Beauchamp, San Diego

1967 NFL/AFL DRAFT

Rd. 7 Bob Ziolkowski, Green Bay T

Rd. 13 Rich Gibbs, San Francisco DB

1969 NFL/AFL DRAFT

Rd. 2 Ed Podolak, Kansas City RB

Rd. 14 Al Bream, Kansas City WR

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NFL DRAFT

HAWKEYES SELECTED IN THE NFL DRAFT

1970 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 4	Paul Laaveg, Washington	OL
Rd. 6	Mike Cilek, Cleveland	QB
Rd. 13	Rich Stepanek, Atlanta	OL
Rd. 16	Larry Ely, Cincinnati	LB

1971 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 6	Kerry Reardon, Kansas City	DB
Rd. 9	Tim Sullivan, Minnesota	FB
Rd. 10	Layne McDowell, Boston	OL

1972 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	Craig Clemons, Chicago (12th)	DB
Rd. 6	Charles Bolden, Dallas	DB
Rd. 9	Larry Horton, Chicago	DT

1973 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 7	John Muller, Green Bay	OL
Rd. 8	Craig Darling, Minnesota	OL
Rd. 8	Bill Windauer, Baltimore	DT
Rd. 15	Charles Cross, Pittsburgh	DB

1974 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 7	Dan Dickel, Baltimore	LB
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1975 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 7	Earl Douthitt, Chicago	DB
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1976 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	Rod Walters, Kansas City (14th)	OL
Rd. 2	Joe Devlin, Buffalo	OL
Rd. 2	Jim Jensen, Dallas	RB
Rd. 7	Rod Wellington, Kansas City	RB
Rd. 9	Warren Peiffer, New Orleans	DT
Exp.	Earl Douthitt, Tampa Bay	DB
Exp.	Larry Ely, Tampa Bay	LB

1978 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 9	Dean Moore, San Francisco	LB
Rd. 10	Barry Tomasetti, Dallas	DL

1979 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 9	Tom Rusk, New York Giants	LB
Rd. 12	Dave Becker, Chicago	DB

1980 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 9	Dennis Mosley, Minnesota	RB
Rd. 9	Jim Swift, Seattle	TE

1981 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2	John Harty, San Francisco	DL
Rd. 11	Keith Chappelle, Atlanta	WR
Rd. 11	Matt Petrzelka, San Diego	OL

1982 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	Ron Hallstrom, Green Bay (22nd)	OL
Rd. 2	Andre Tippett, New England	LB

1983 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 5	Brett Miller, Atlanta	OL
Rd. 6	Reggie Roby, Miami	P
Rd. 8	Mark Bortz, Chicago	OL

1984 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	John Alt, Kansas City (21st)	OL
Rd. 4	Joel Hilgenberg, New Orleans	OL
Rd. 5	Norm Granger, Dallas	FB
Rd. 6	Joe Levelis, Dallas	OL
Rd. 10	Dave Moritz, San Francisco	SE

1985 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2	Owen Gill, Seattle	FB
Rd. 2	Jon Hayes, Kansas City	TE
Rd. 3	George Little, Miami	DL
Rd. 8	Dave Strobel, Cincinnati	DE

1986 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	Chuck Long, Detroit (12th)	QB
Rd. 1	Ronnie Harmon, Buffalo (16th)	RB
Rd. 1	Mike Haight, New York Jets (22nd)	OL
Rd. 4	Devon Mitchell, Detroit	DB
Rd. 11	Larry Station, Pittsburgh	LB

1987 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3	Dave Croston, Green Bay	OL
Rd. 3	Chris Gambol, Indianapolis	OL
Rd. 4	Mark Vlasic, San Diego	QB
Rd. 8	Jeff Drost, Green Bay	DL

1988 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3	Quinn Early, San Diego	WR
Rd. 4	Kevin Harmon, Seattle	RB
Rd. 5	Herb Wester, Cincinnati	OL
Rd. 10	Joe Schuster, Philadelphia	DL

1989 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3	Marv Cook, New England	TE
Rd. 3	Bob Kratch, New York Giants	OL
Rd. 3	Joe Mott, New York Jets	LB
Rd. 12	Chuck Hartlieb, Houston	QB

1990 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 7	Bill Anderson, Chicago	OL
Rd. 10	Brad Quast, New York Jets	LB

1991 NFL Draft

Rd. 2	Nick Bell, LA Raiders	RB
Rd. 5	Merton Hanks, San Francisco	DB
Rd. 10	Michael Titley, Miami	TE
Rd. 11	Tony Stewart, Seattle	RB

1992 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 7	Ron Geater, Denver	DL
Rd. 8	Mike Saunders, Pittsburgh	RB
Rd. 11	Rob Baxley, Phoenix	OL
Rd. 12	Matt Rodgers, Buffalo	QB

1993 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 5	Mike Devlin, Buffalo	OL
Rd. 6	Scott Davis, New York Giants	OL
Rd. 7	Danan Hughes, Kansas City	WR

1994 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 4	Mike Wells, Minnesota	DL
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1995 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 6	Fritz Fequiere, Denver	OL
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1996 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3	Scott Slutzker, Indianapolis	TE
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1997 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	Tom Knight, Arizona (9th)	DB
Rd. 1	Ross Verba, Green Bay (30th)	OL
Rd. 3	Sedrick Shaw, New England	RB
Rd. 4	Damien Robinson, Philadelphia	DB

1998 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3	Mike Goff, Cincinnati	OL
Rd. 4	Tavian Banks, Jacksonville	RB
Rd. 4	Tim Dwight, Atlanta	WR
Rd. 5	Kerry Cooks, Minnesota	DB

1999 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3	Jared DeVries, Detroit	DL
Rd. 6	Eric Thigpen, Atlanta	DB

2000 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 5	Austin Wheatley, New Orleans	TE
Rd. 6	Matt Bowen, St. Louis	DB

2001 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 6	Kevin Kasper, Denver	WR
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2002 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2	Ladell Betts, Washington	RB
Rd. 5	Aaron Kampman, Green Bay	DL
Rd. 6	Kahlil Hill, Atlanta	WR

2003 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	Dallas Clark, Indianapolis (24th)	TE
Rd. 2	Eric Steinbach, Cincinnati	OL
Rd. 2	Bruce Nelson, Carolina	C
Rd. 5	Derek Pagel, New York Jets	DB
Rd. 5	Ben Sobieski, Buffalo	OL

2004 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	Robert Gallery, Oakland (2nd)	OL
Rd. 2	Bob Sanders, Indianapolis	DB
Rd. 3	Nate Kaeding, San Diego	PK
Rd. 7	Jared Claus, Tennessee	DL
Rd. 7	Erik Jensen, St. Louis	TE

2005 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 2	Matt Roth, Miami	DE
Rd. 2	Jonathan Babineaux, Atlanta	DL
Rd. 4	Sean Considine, Philadelphia	DB
Rd. 6	Tony Jackson, Seattle	TE
Rd. 6	Pete McMahon, Oakland	OL

2006 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 1	Chad Greenway, Minnesota (17th)	LB
Rd. 3	Abdul Hodge, Green Bay	LB

2007 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3	Marshal Yanda, Baltimore	OL
Rd. 4	Scott Chandler, San Diego	TE
Rd. 7	Mike Elgin, New England	OL

2008 NFL DRAFT

Rd. 3	Charles Godfrey, Carolina	DB
Rd. 4	Ken Iwebema, Arizona	DE
Rd. 6	Mike Humpal, Pittsburgh	LB

Exp. -- expansion selections

NFL TIMING DAY

NFL SCOUTS KNOW THE IOWA PROGRAM



The University of Iowa football program has established close ties with National Football League teams, a connection that proves very beneficial to Hawkeye football players as they pursue their dreams of playing professional football in the NFL.

Iowa Coach Kirk Ferentz, who coached in the NFL for six seasons prior to taking his current position as the Iowa head coach, has established close ties with coaches and scouts from around the NFL. Each year, scouts from all NFL teams make it a point to spend time at the Iowa football complex, checking in on the current class of Hawkeye seniors.

Each spring, pro scouts are invited to Iowa City to work out and evaluate Iowa players, giving the players a chance to showcase their talents and improve their opportunity to catch the interest of one or more NFL teams.

Along with the spring visits, NFL personnel are welcomed to the Iowa campus throughout the football season to observe practice and view video of the Hawkeye players in action. The relationships that Coach Ferentz and the Iowa staff have formed with NFL coaches and scouts assure Hawkeye players the chance to be evaluated by NFL personnel.

With 28 Hawkeye players being drafted in the first six rounds of the last nine NFL drafts, including 22 in the last six years, Iowa players are well known to NFL scouts. Even more impressive is the fact that Iowa has had 42 non-drafted players sign NFL contracts in the last nine years.

The Iowa football program, under the direction of Kirk Ferentz for the past nine years, has seen 60 of 70 seniors who were starters, earn their way into an NFL training camp, either by being drafted or signing a free agent contract.

LB LeVar Woods and P Jason Baker are two former Hawkeyes who signed free agent contracts following the 2001 NFL Draft. Both Woods and Baker have spent the last seven seasons in the NFL. Baker handled all punting duties for Kansas City in 2003 and has been Carolina's fulltime punter in each of the last three seasons. Woods played four seasons with the Arizona Cardinals before also playing with the Detroit Lions and Tennessee Titans.

More recently, DL Derrick Robinson was one of just two non-drafted players to make the San Diego Charger roster as a rookie in 2005. His playing time was expanded in 2006 before he joined the Miami Dolphins in 2007. Sean Considine, a former Iowa walk-on, has played the last three seasons with the Philadelphia Eagles after signing as a free agent and Ed Miles made a name for himself last season with the Dolphins after signing as a free agent.

Following the 2003 NFL draft, an unofficial survey of major college football conferences revealed that the Iowa football program is almost certainly the first to have three former walk-on players drafted in the first five rounds of an NFL draft.



With Iowa Strength and Conditioning Coach Chris Doyle supervising the activities, LB Mike Humpal works out for NFL scouts on the University of Iowa campus prior to the 2008 NFL Draft. Humpal, a two-year starter, was drafted by the Pittsburgh Steelers in the most recent NFL draft.



RB Albert Young runs for time for a group of NFL coaches and scouts. More than 40 NFL coaches and scouts, representing 28 NFL teams, were on hand last March when Iowa held its annual pro draft work-out day at the Iowa football complex. Young signed a free agent contract with Minnesota following the 2008 NFL draft.



Iowa Coach Kirk Ferentz, an NFL assistant coach for six seasons, has established many contacts with NFL coaches and college scouts, which assists Iowa players as they prepare for a future in professional football.

IOWA

NFL SCOUTS

NFL SCOUTS KNOW THE IOWA PROGRAM

Following is a list of NFL personnel who visited the University of Iowa football department over the past year in preparation for the 2008 NFL Draft.

TEAM	PERSON	TITLE	TEAM	PERSON	TITLE
Arizona	Malik Boyd	Area Scout	Miami	Tim Davis	Assistant Football Coach
	Lonnie Young	Western Regional College Scout		Jack Glowik	Area Scout
Atlanta	Phil Emery	Director of College Scouting		Chris Grier	Director of College Scouting
	Alex Page	College Scout	Minnesota	Ron LaBadie	National Scout
	Andrew Weidinger	Player Personnel Scout		Frank Acevedo	Area Scout
	Chris Vaszily	Area Scout		Kyle Childress	Scout
Baltimore	Chad Alexander	Area Scout		Brian Eays	Scout
	Eric DeCosta	Director of College Scouting		Paul Roell	Regional Scout
	Milt Hendrickson	Pro Personnel Assistant		Scott Studwell	Director of College Scouting
	Greg Roman	Assistant Offensive Line Coach	New England	Thomas Dimitroff	Director of College Scouting
Buffalo	Brad Forsyth	College Scout		Tim Heffelfinger	Area Scout
	Doug Majeski	Coordinator of College Scouting		Scott Pioli	Vice-President/Player Personnel Director
Carolina	Brian Adams	Area Scout		Monti Ossenfort	Area Scout
	Mike Szabo	Area Scout		Bob Quinn	Regional Scout
Chicago	Harry Hiestand	Offensive Line Coach		Dante Scarnecchia	Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Line
	Jeff Shiver	Area Scout	New Orleans	Dwaune Jones	Area Scout
Cincinnati	Jim Lippincott	Director of Football Operations		Rick Reiprish	Director of College Scouting
Cleveland	Daniel Jeremiah	National Scout		Barrett Wiley	Area Scout
	Kevin Kelly	College Area Scout		Terry Wooden	Area Scout
	Bob Morris	College Area Scout-Southwest	New York Giants	Dave DeGuglielmo	Assistant Coach
Dallas	Drew Fabianich	Area Scout		Steve Devine	Scout
Denver	Scott DiStefano	College Scout		Donnie Etheridge	Scout
	Greg Miller	College Scout		Ryan Jones	Scout
Detroit	Mike Butler	Personnel Scout	New York Jets	Jeff Bauer	Personnel Scout
	Jim Colletto	Offensive Line		Jesse Kaye	Director of College Scouting
	Dennis Gentry	Personnel Scout		Gary Smith	Personnel Scout
	Silas McKinnie	Personnel Scout	Oakland	Calvin Branch	Player Personnel
	Bob Merritt	BLESTO Area Scout	Philadelphia	Jason Licht	VP of Player Personnel
	Dave Sears	Regional Scout		Andy Speyer	Midwest Area Scout
Green Bay	Lenny McGill	College Scout	Pittsburgh	Ron Hughes	College Scouting Coordinator
Houston	Jon Carr	College Scout		Bruce McNorton	College Scout
	Ed Lambert	College Scout	San Diego	Mike Biehl	College Scout
	Bob Merritt	College Scout		Tom Gibbons	College Scout
	Dave Sears	College Scout	San Francisco	Justin Chabot	Regional Scout
Indianapolis	David Caldwell	Western Regional Scout		Kent Kahl	College Scout
	Matt Terpening	Area Scout	St. Louis	Luke Driscoll	Area Scout
Jacksonville	Andy Dengler	Regional Scout		Lawrence McCutcheon	Director of Player Personnel
	Terry McDonough	Executive Scout	Seattle	Scott Fitterer	Western Region Director
	Mike Tice	Assistant Head Coach/Offense		Eric Stokes	Area Scout
Kansas City	Matt Boies	Player Personnel Assistant	Tampa Bay	Jim Abrams	College Scout
	Chuck Cook	Director of College Scouting		Seth Turner	College Scout
	Matt Littlefield	Midwest Area Scout	Tennessee	Mike Ackerley	Director of College Scouting
	John Matsko	Offensive Line Coach		Johnny Meads	Scout
			Washington	Russ Bolinger	National Scout
				Shemy Schembechler	Area Scout

WHY NFL RESPECT

As scouts from around the National Football League search for the top college football players in the nation each year, their visits to Iowa City and the University of Iowa football program are experiences that have resulted in positive results for both sides, the Iowa players looking to continue their playing careers, and the NFL teams who are searching for quality individuals who have grown and matured in one of the most respected programs in the nation.

"The University of Iowa has for years been one of the most respected and well-run college football programs in the country. Coach Ferentz is an outstanding leader of men, a great strategist, and an outstanding gentleman. His teams play hard, they play fast, and the program is run with the utmost class, honor and integrity."

THOMAS DIMITROFF
General Manager
Atlanta Falcons

"Everybody knows the Big Ten Conference is arguably the best football conference in the country. With the University of Iowa having some of the top facilities in the nation, you combine that with Kirk and his staff, with their ability and energy level, they have what it takes to build a championship team."

"Because of those factors, Kirk and his staff, the facilities, the support staff, any player would have the opportunity for success. The atmosphere at Iowa pushes student-athletes to compete at their highest level and to be prepared for the next stage of their career."

Ross Verba, our first round selection in the 1997 NFL Draft who earned a starting position in our offensive line as a rookie, Aaron Kampman, who has twice been all-Pro in his five seasons with us in Green Bay, and more recently Colin Cole, are great examples of how well the Iowa guys are prepared for the future."

JOHN DORSEY
Director of College Scouting
Green Bay Packers

"We really enjoy having Iowa kids with our football team. We find they are exceptionally self-disciplined, they have a tremendous work ethic and they really love the game of football."

In addition, they are tremendously well coached, as well prepared as anyone we get, for life in the NFL, and that is a direct reflection on Coach Ferentz, his staff and the entire Iowa program."

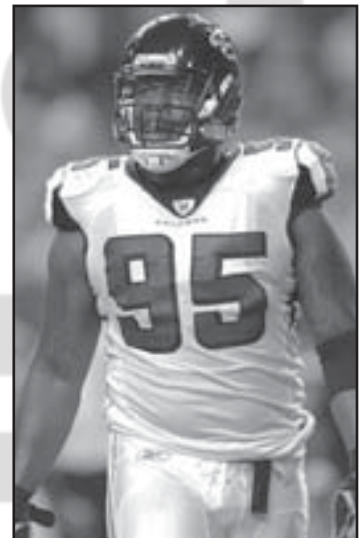
BILL POLIAN
President
Indianapolis Colts



DL Aaron Kampman joined the Green Bay Packers as a rookie in 2002 and started six games in his first season in the NFL. He has earned all-Pro honors in each of the past two years.



TE Dallas Clark (44) and DB Bob Sanders (21) are two former Hawkeyes who are now playing for the Indianapolis Colts. Sanders was an all-Pro selection in 2005 and was the NFL's Defensive Player of the Year last season.



DL Jonathan Babineaux has been a steady performer for the Atlanta Falcons since being drafted in the second round of the 2005 NFL draft.

ALL-STAR GAMES

HAWKEYES MAKE "ALL-STAR" IMPRESSION

Iowa football players have a long tradition of being well prepared for professional football following their college playing careers. This tradition is enhanced by their performances in post-season all-star games, where senior players each year have the chance to shine.

After being selected for any of the all-star contests, college players have the advantage of practicing and playing in front of the watchful eyes of NFL coaches and scouts. Over the past nine years, Hawkeye players coached by Kirk Ferentz, have played well in the post-season games, enhancing their chances at a professional playing career.

Since the end of the 1999 season, 49 Hawkeye players have made 58 appearances in post-season games. RB Fred Russell was named his team's Most Valuable Player in the 2004 Hula Bowl. Seven Hawkeye players were selected to participate in all-star game action following the 2005 season and a year ago three Hawkeyes were selected for post-season all-star games.

"It is a great honor for senior players to be selected for post season all-star contests, a reward for their hard work and a by-product of a good career. These games give players the chance to continue to display their skills and attitude for professional scouts and coaches. It's a great experience to meet and work with other fine players and to work with new coaches.

Our players who have had the opportunity to participate in these events have been able to take advantage of the invitation. They've gone in with good attitudes and a serious approach, treating the experience as a job interview. It's a great stage to enhance their opportunity for a career in professional football."

KIRK FERENTZ
Head Football Coach
University of Iowa

Following is a complete list of players who have been selected to compete in post-season all-star games in the past nine seasons:

BLUE-GRAY

- 1999** Matt Bowen, DB
Zeron Flemister, TE
Tarig Holman, DB
2000 Jason Baker, P
Anthony Herron, DL
Kevin Kasper, WR
LeVar Woods, LB

EAST-WEST SHRINE

- 2000** Jason Baker, P
2002 Kahlil Hill, WR
Aaron Kampman, DL
Brad Banks, QB
2003 Eric Steinbach, OL
2004 Jared Clauss, DT
2005 Pete McMahon, OL
Derreck Robinson, DE
2007 Drew Tate, QB
2008 Ken Iwebema, DE

GRID IRON CLASSIC

- 1999** Zeron Flemister, TE
2003 Fred Barr, LB
C.J. Jones, WR
2004 Maurice Brown, WR
Nathan Chandler, QB
Kevin Worthy, LB
2005 David Bradley, P

HULA BOWL

- 1999** Matt Bowen, DB
Zeron Flemister, TE
Bashir Yamini, WR
2000 Kevin Kasper, WR
2002 Kahlil Hill, WR
Jerry Montgomery, DL
2003 Brad Banks, QB
Derek Pagel, DB
David Porter, OL
2004 Fred Russell, RB
2005 Tony Jackson, TE
2006 Antwan Allen, DB
Brian Ferentz, OL
Ed Hinkel, WR
Jovon Johnson, DB
Clinton Solomon, WR
2007 Mike Elgin, OL
2008 Mike Humpal, LB

LAS VEGAS CLASSIC

- 2004** Grant Steen, LB

SENIOR BOWL

- 2002** Ladell Betts, RB
2003 Eric Steinbach, OL
Bruce Nelson, C
2004 Maurice Brown, WR
Nate Kaeding, PK
Bob Sanders, DB
2005 Jonathan Babineaux, DL
Sean Considine, DB
Matt Roth, DE
2006 Chad Greenway, LB
Abdul Hodge, LB
2007 Scott Chandler, TE
Marshal Yanda, OL
2008 Charles Godfrey, DB



DB Charles Godfrey participated in the Senior Bowl following his senior season. Godfrey was a third round selection of the Carolina Panthers in the 2008 NFL draft.



Scott Chandler, a fourth round selection of the San Diego Chargers in the 2007 NFL draft, participated in the Senior Bowl following his senior season.

ALL-STAR HONORS

Fred Russell
Team MVP | 2004 Hula Bowl



RB Fred Russell was named team MVP while competing in the 2004 Hula Bowl.

HAWKEYES IN THE NFL



Player	Pos.	Current Team	NFL Service
Jonathan Babineaux	DL	Atlanta Falcons	3 years
Jason Baker	P	Carolina Panthers	7 years
Ladell Betts	RB	Washington Redskins	6 years
Scott Chandler	TE	San Diego Chargers	1 year
Dallas Clark	TE	Indianapolis Colts	5 years
Colin Cole	DL	Green Bay Packers	5 years
Sean Considine	DB	Philadelphia Eagles	3 years
Jared DeVries	DL	Detroit Lions	9 years
Mike Elgin	OL	Indianapolis Colts	1 year
Robert Gallery	OL	Oakland Raiders	4 years
Charles Godfrey	DB	Carolina Panthers	1st year
Mike Goff	OL	San Diego Chargers	10 years
Chad Greenway	LB	Minnesota Vikings	2 years
Abdul Hodge	LB	Green Bay Packers	2 years
Mike Humpal	LB	Pittsburgh Steelers	1st year
Ken Iwebema	DL	Arizona Cardinals	1st year
C.J. Jones	WR	New England Patriots	3 years
Mike Jones	OL	Chicago Bears	1 year
Kevin Kasper	WR	Cleveland Browns	6 years
Nate Kaeding	PK	San Diego Chargers	4 years
Aaron Kampman	DL	Green Bay Packers	6 years
Pete McMahon	OL	Jacksonville Jaguars	2 years
Ed Miles	LB	Miami Dolphins	1 year
Marcus Paschal	DB	Philadelphia Eagles	1 year
Derreck Robinson	DL	Miami Dolphins	3 years
Matt Roth	DE	Miami Dolphins	3 years
Bob Sanders	DB	Indianapolis Colts	4 years
Eric Steinbach	OL	Cleveland Browns	5 years
Casey Wiegmann	OL	Denver Broncos	12 years
Marshal Yanda	OL	Baltimore Ravens	1 year

2008 FREE AGENTS

Bryan Mattison	DL	New York Jets	1st year
Albert Young	RB	Minnesota Vikings	1st year

HAWKEYES IN THE CANADIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Player	Pos.	Current Team	CFL Service
Kahlil Hill	WR	Saskatchewan	4 years
Jovon Johnson	DB	Winnipeg	1st year
Drew Tate	QB	Saskatchewan	1 year

HAWKEYES IN THE ARENA FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Player	Pos.	Current Team	AFL Service
Tim Dodge	WR/DB	Iowa	4 years
Jason Manson	QB	St. Louis	1 year
Eric Rothwell	OL/DL	Iowa	2 years
Grant Steen	FB/LB	Arizona	2 years

HAWKEYES IN THE SUPER BOWL

PLAYER	TEAM	SUPER BOWL
Mark Bortz	Chicago	1986
Dallas Clark	Indianapolis	2007
Mike Devlin	Buffalo	1994
Tim Dwight	Atlanta	1999
Melvin Foster	Dallas	1993
Merton Hanks	San Francisco	1995
Ronnie Harmon	San Diego Chargers	1995
John Harty	San Francisco	1982
Jonathan Hayes	Pittsburgh	1996
Jay Hilgenberg	Chicago	1986
Wally Hilgenberg	Minnesota	1970, 1974, 1975, 1977
Erik Jensen	Pittsburgh	2006
Jim Jensen	Denver	1978
Bob Jeter	Green Bay	1967
C.J. Jones	New England	2008
Kevin Kasper	New England	2005
Bob Kratch	Giants/Patriots	1991, 1997
Paul Krause	Minnesota	1970, 74, 75, 77
Curt Merz	Kansas City	1967
Bruce Nelson	Carolina	2004
John Niland	Dallas	1971, 1972
Ed Podolak	Kansas City	1970
Mike Reilly	Minnesota	1970
Reggie Roby	Miami	1985
Matt Rodgers	Buffalo	1993
Bob Sanders	Indianapolis	2007
Andre Tippett	New England	1986
Ross Verba	Green Bay	1997

HAWKEYES IN THE SUPER BOWL

FORMER HAWKEYES MAKE SUPER BOWL IMPRESSION

Not only are Iowa football players annually selected in the NFL draft, those players selected by NFL teams have often helped their team advance to the Super Bowl.

In fact, 16 former Iowa Hawkeyes have competed in 10 Super Bowl games since 1990 and a former Hawkeye has been a member of one of the Super Bowl teams in each of the last five years. And, several times those former Hawkeyes were key players in the game.

Since the inception of the championship game, 27 former Iowa players have competed in the Super Bowl, with four of those players appearing in the game on more than one occasion.

Tight end Dallas Clark and defensive back Bob Sanders played key roles as the Indianapolis Colts defeated Chicago to win the 2007 Super Bowl. Clark contributed four receptions for 36 yards for the Colt offense, while Sanders was a busy man on defense. Sanders recorded three tackles, one forced fumble, one pass break-up and a 38-yard pass interception return as the Colts defeated the Bears.

OL Bruce Nelson, in his rookie season as an offensive lineman with Carolina, appeared in the 2004 Super Bowl. WR Kevin Kasper was a member of the New England Patriot team that won the 2005 Super Bowl and TE Erik Jensen was a member of the winning Pittsburgh Steelers team in 2006. Former wide receiver C.J. Jones was a member of the New England Patriot team that earned a spot in the 2008 Super Bowl.

When San Francisco won the 1995 Super Bowl, a key player was defensive back Merton Hanks, a former Hawkeye all-American. Former Iowa assistant Coach Carl Jackson was also the 49'er offensive backfield coach that season.

In 1997, former Hawkeye all-American offensive lineman Ross Verba became the first rookie to start at left tackle in the history of the Super Bowl.

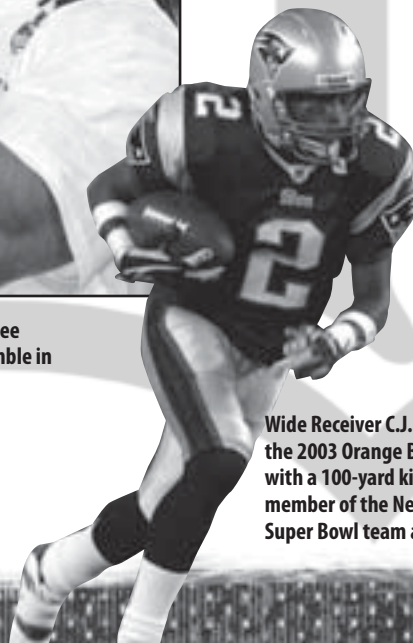


Tight End Dallas Clark had four receptions for 36 yards in the 2007 Super Bowl.



Defensive back Bob Sanders contributed three tackles, a pass interception and a forced fumble in the 2007 Super Bowl.

In 1999, Tim Dwight set a record for kickoff return average in a Super Bowl, electrifying the crowd late in the game with a 94-yard return for a touchdown.



Wide Receiver C.J. Jones, who opened the 2003 Orange Bowl for the Hawkeyes with a 100-yard kickoff return, was a member of the New England Patriots Super Bowl team a year ago.

