

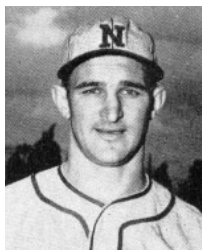
FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICANS

17 HUSKERS HAVE PRODUCED 19 FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICA SEASONS (48 FIRST-TEAM CERTIFICATES)

BOB CERV

1950 • OF

ABCA



A four-year starter from 1947 to 1950, Bob Cerv led NU to a pair of Big Seven titles in his Husker career. The Weston, Neb., native earned first-team All-America honors from the ABCA in 1950 after batting .444 – an average that ranks seventh on NU’s single-season chart – with nine homers and 36 RBIs. He displayed tremendous power, leading the nation with an .878 slugging percentage in 1950, helping the Huskers to a Big Seven Conference title and an appearance in the NCAA playoffs.

DON BROWN

1956 • 3B

ABCA



Don Brown became the second Husker to receive first-team All-America honors from the ABCA, leading the Huskers to a 12-8 record and a second-place finish in the Big Seven Conference. A two-year letterwinner who led the Huskers in hitting in 1955 and 1956, the Omaha, Neb., native batted .446 as a senior, leading NU in RBIs (19), hits (37) and total bases (58). His .446 average ties for fifth-highest in school history. For his efforts, he was a two-time team MVP.

GENE STOHS

1972 • OF

The Sporting News



One of the finest players in Nebraska history, Gene Stohs capped his career by earning first-team All-America honors from The Sporting News in 1972. A four-year letterwinner and an All-Big Eight selection, he batted .369, while leading the Huskers in hits (39), runs scored (22), doubles (7) and stolen bases (12). Stohs struck out just three times in 106 at-bats. Stohs also holds the distinction of being NU baseball’s first two-time CoSIDA Academic All-American, earning second-team honors in 1970 and 1972.

STEVE STANICEK

1982 • 1B

Baseball America



Steve Stanicek had one of the finest seasons in school history in 1982 en route to first-team All-America honors from Baseball America. He hit .449 with 20 home runs and 70 RBIs, while setting a school record with his .930 slugging percentage. His .569 on-base percentage as a junior was the second best in school history. The Park Forest, Ill., native became the first Husker ever drafted in the first round of the MLB Draft, as the No. 11 player selected by the San Francisco Giants.

PAUL MEYERS

1986 • OF

The Sporting News

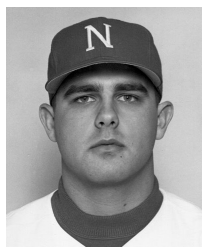


Paul Meyers capped a stellar Husker career by earning All-America honors from The Sporting News in 1986. As a senior, he batted .347 with 85 hits, 20 doubles and 66 RBIs and a .629 slugging percentage. A career .350 hitter, Meyers’ productive career etched his name in the NU record books, as he ranks second with 209 RBIs, seventh with 250 hits and is also in the top 10 in both homers and total bases. Meyers was selected by the San Francisco Giants in the fourth round of the 1986 MLB Draft.

TROY BROHAWN

1993 • LHP

Collegiate Baseball



Troy Brohawn enjoyed the finest season ever by a Husker pitcher en route to first-team All-America honors from Collegiate Baseball. The southpaw from Woolford, Md., went 13-0 with a 3.16 ERA, striking out a then-school record 123 batters in 111.1 innings. He tossed nine complete games and struck out 10 or more hitters in six outings. The second Husker to ever earn first-team All-Big Eight honors at two positions, Brohawn batted .329 with three homers and 34 RBIs while playing first base. He was selected by the San Francisco Giants in the fourth round of the 1994 MLB Draft.

MARC SAGMOEN

1993 • OF

Collegiate Baseball
U.S. Baseball Association
NCBWA
ABCA

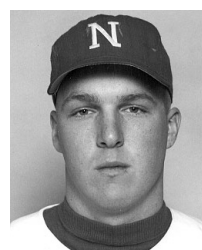


Marc Sagmoen etched his name in the record books at NU, capping his career with first-team All-America accolades in 1993 from Collegiate Baseball, USBA, NCBWA and the ABCA. He set the NU career mark with a .451 average during his two seasons. As a senior, he hit .454 with 18 homers and 79 RBIs, as he ranked fifth nationally in hitting and fourth in slugging percentage (.859). He was a 10th-round selection by the Texas Rangers in the 1994 MLB Draft.

DARIN ERSTAD

1995 • OF

Collegiate Baseball
Baseball America
NCBWA
ABCA



Darin Erstad enjoyed a stellar 1995 season on his way to consensus first-team All-America honors. He hit .410 with 19 homers and 79 RBIs, while setting single-season records in extra-base hits (46) and total bases (194). One of the best hitters in school history, Erstad finished his three-year career as a top-five performer in eight categories and held NU’s career hits record until the 2002 season. The top pick in the 1995 MLB Draft by the Anaheim Angels, Erstad was a two-time MLB All-Star and helped the Angels to their first World Series championship in 2002.

KEN HARVEY

1999 • 1B

Collegiate Baseball
Baseball America
Baseball Weekly
NCBWA
ABCA



First baseman Ken Harvey earned consensus first-team All-America honors in 1999, leading the Huskers to a Big 12 Tournament title and an NCAA appearance. He led the nation with a .478 average, while hitting 23 homers and driving in 86 runs. Although he made his name on offense, Harvey was the Easton Redline Defensive Player of the Year after committing just two errors in 1999. A career .426 hitter, Harvey was selected in the fifth round of the 1999 MLB Draft by the Kansas City Royals and played in the MLB All-Star Game in 2004.

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SHANE KOMINE

2000 & 2001 • RHP

Baseball Weekly
Collegiate Baseball (2)
The Sporting News
NCBWA



The first two-time first-team All-American in school history, Shane Komine was a first-team All-America selection in 2000 and 2001. He posted records of 11-4 as a sophomore and 14-2 in 2001, helping NU to back-to-back 50-win seasons. A two-time Big 12 Pitcher of the Year, Komine struck out a school-record 159 batters in 2000. He holds school records for wins (41), strikeouts (510) and innings pitched (431.0), while his strikeout total ranked fifth in NCAA history. A second-team CoSIDA Academic All-American as a senior, Komine was drafted in the ninth round by the Oakland Athletics in 2002.

JOHN COLE

2001 • OF/2B

ABCA
Baseball America



John Cole helped NU to three straight NCAA tournaments and a Big 12 title in 2001. The 5-11, 185-pounder batted .418 with 11 homers, 61 RBIs and 28 steals in his final season at NU. He finished his career with a .380 average and was in the top 10 in stolen bases (59). A fifth-round selection by the Seattle Mariners in 2001, Cole was a first-team CoSIDA Academic All-American, becoming the first baseball player at NU to capture first-team All-America honors on and off the field in the same year.

MATT HOPPER

2001 • DH

The Sporting News



Matt Hopper capped an amazing sophomore campaign by earning first-team All-America honors from The Sporting News in 2001. The 6-4, 215-pound designated hitter batted .358 with 12 homers and 85 RBIs, a total that ranked third nationally, to help the Huskers to a Big 12 title and a College World Series appearance. A career .350 hitter, Hopper finished his career as the school and Big 12 all-time leader in homers (64), RBIs (271), hits (338) and runs scored (246). The 2003 Big 12 Player of the Year, Hopper was a 10th-round pick by the Philadelphia Phillies in 2003.

DAN JOHNSON

2001 • 1B

Baseball Weekly
NCBWA
The Sporting News

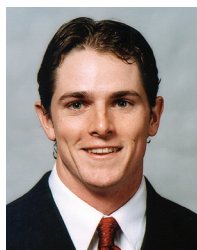


One of the most prolific sluggers in school annals, Dan Johnson earned consensus first-team All-America honors in 2001, leading the Huskers to a Big 12 title and a CWS appearance. As a senior, Johnson batted .361 and led the Big 12 in homers (25) and RBIs (86), totals that ranked in the top five nationally. The Howser Award finalist also led the Big 12 in runs scored (77), walks (63), on-base percentage (.507) and slugging percentage (.762). He was a seventh-round selection by Oakland in the 2001 MLB Draft.

JEFF LEISE

2002 • OF

ABCA



After leading his team to the CWS for the second straight year in 2002, Jeff Leise earned first-team All-America honors from the ABCA. The center fielder from Omaha, Neb., batted .371 with 12 homers, 51 RBIs and led the team with 25 stolen bases. The District VI Player of the Year by the NCBWA, he tied a school record with 109 hits, while his eight triples ranked second on NU's charts. A two-time CoSIDA Academic All-American, Leise was chosen as the Baseball Academic All-American of the Year in both 2002 and 2003.

JED MORRIS

2002 • C

Collegiate Baseball
Baseball Weekly
NCBWA
ABCA

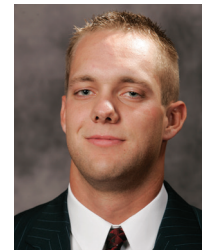


Jed Morris slugged his way to consensus first-team All-America honors in 2002. The catcher from Seabrook, Texas, batted .382 with 23 homers and tied the school mark with 90 RBIs. Morris was the 2002 Big 12 Player of the Year and one of three finalists for the ABCA National Player-of-the-Year Award. A two-time Big 12 Player of the Week, Morris earned national player-of-the-week honors from Collegiate Baseball, when he homered in five consecutive games. Morris finished his career among the top 10 in batting average (.367, ninth) and slugging percentage (.674, sixth).

ALEX GORDON

2004 & 2005 • 3B

Baseball America (2)
Collegiate Baseball (2)
Sports Weekly (2)
NCBWA (2)
ABCA (2)
College Baseball Insider



Alex Gordon was the second Husker to be named a two-time first-team All-American, earning the honor in 2004 and 2005. A two-time Big 12 Player of the Year, Gordon hit .365 with 18 homers and 75 RBIs as a sophomore. He ranked in the top four in the Big 12 in nine offensive categories in 2004, including league highs in slugging percentage, on-base percentage and triples while ranking second in homers and third in RBIs. The most decorated player in Nebraska baseball history, Gordon won the Dick Howser, Brooks Wallace and Golden Spikes Award in 2005, leading the Huskers to a Big 12 title and CWS appearance. He hit .372 with 19 homers and 66 RBIs, ranking in the top 10 in the Big 12 in all 12 offensive categories. He topped the league in six categories, including runs scored, slugging percentage and on-base percentage. Gordon was the No. 2 overall pick in the 2005 MLB First-Year Player Draft by the Kansas City Royals. Gordon retired following the 2020 season, spending all 14 years of his career in Kansas City. Gordon was an eight-time MLB Gold Glove winner, three-time MLB All-Star and 2015 World Series champion.

SPENCER SCHWELLENBACH

2021 • SS/RHP

D1Baseball
ABCA/Rawlings



Tabbd an All-American by five different publications in 2021, including a first-team pick by D1Baseball and ABCA/Rawlings, Schwellenbach ranked in the top 10 in the Big Ten in runs, RBI and walks, while in the field he committed just four errors in 186 chances. He made his debut on the mound in 2021, and led the Big Ten with 10 saves and did not allow a run in 17 of his 18 appearances. He fanned 34 in 31.2 innings and held opposing hitters to a .198 average. His last appearance on the mound was a season-high 4.2-inning shutout relief appearance in the NCAA Tournament over then No. 1 Arkansas.