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25-26	Shoal Creek Intercollegiate	Birmingham, Ala.	Shoal Creek CC			
OCTOBER						
9-10	Jerry Pate Intercollegiate	Birmingham, Ala.	Old Overton Club			
15-17	Oklahoma Intercollegiate	Edmond, Okla.	Oak Tree GC			
FEBRUARY						
10-11	Gator Invitational	Gainesville, Fla.	U. of Florida GC			
18-20	North Florida Collegiate Championship	Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.	Sawgrass CC			
MARCH						
4-6	Seminole Intercollegiate	Tallahassee, Fla.	Golden Eagle CC			
17-18	Schenkel/E-Z-Go Invitational	Statesboro, Ga.	Forest Heights CC			
25-27	Hootie at Bulls Bay Intercollegiate	Awendaw, S.C.	Bulls Bay GC			
APRIL			2.0			
20-22	SEC Championships	St. Simons Island, Ga.	Sea Island GC			
MAY						
<b>MAY</b> 13-14	Linger Longer Invitational	Greensboro, Ga.	Reynolds Plantation			
	Linger Longer Invitational NCAA Regionals	Greensboro, Ga. TBA	Reynolds Plantation TBA			
13-14	<u> </u>					

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# **LSU QUICK FACTS**

### UNIVERSITY

Location: Baton Rouge, La. Founded: 1860 Enrollment: 31,582

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# **Campus Life**

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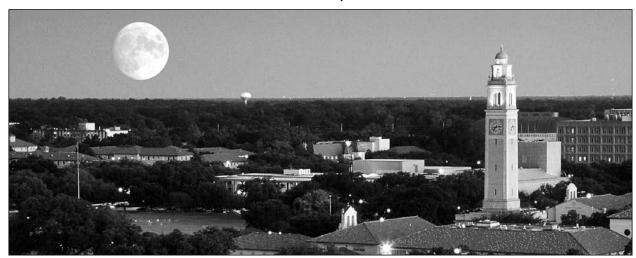
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# LSU's landscaping was called, "a botanical joy," in its listing among the 20 best campuses in America in Thomas Gaines', "The Campus as a Work of Art."



ouisiana State University and Agricultural & Mechanical College has, throughout its 144-year history, served the people of Louisiana, the region, the nation, and the world. LSU is creating a revolution, one of pervasive change and advancement. For the past five years, the focus of the LSU community has been an increased commitment to excellence. Our progress has been dramatic and shows no sign of stopping.

Having witnessed many of yesterday's possibilities become today's tangible realities, the LSU community set forth to capitalize on its success. The goal was to improve our standing as a nationally competitive flagship university. Following intense discussions among the LSU Board of Supervisors, campus administrators, faculty, and student leaders, the objectives required to reach this status crystallized, providing the impetus for LSU's National Flagship Agenda.

# **LSU FACTS**

Location: Baton Rouge, La.
Founded: January 2, 1860
Enrollment: 31,582
President: Dr. William Jenkins
Major Fields for Bachelor's Degrees: 72
Major Fields for Ooctoral Degrees: 54
Major Fields for Doctoral Degrees: 54



History and tradition began with LSU's founding in 1853 by the General Assembly of Louisiana as the Louisiana State Seminary of Learning and Military Academy near Pineville, Louisiana. The institution opened January 2, 1860. When the Civil War began, the school's first superintendent, William Tecumseh Sherman, resigned to assume a command in the Union Army. The seminary reopened in 1869, but was soon destroyed by fire. The institution moved to Baton Rouge, opening on Nov. 1, 1869.

# "THE MOST DIVERSE SCHOOL IN THE NATION."

Newsweek magazine named Louisiana State University the "Most Diverse" school in the nation in the Sept. 3, 2003 issue. The enrollment consists of 24 percent minority students.





he LSU Honors College provides intellectual opportunity and challenge for academically able and intellectually motivated undergraduate students. Honors students pursue a rigorous academic program, which satisfies all requirements of their academic departments and colleges and goes beyond those requirements to provide the basis for outstanding achievement and appropriate recognition for that achievement. From small enrollment interdisciplinary seminars in the freshman year to independent research activities in the senior honors thesis, honors students work closely with selected members of the faculty.

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# "LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

HAS A TRADITION OF GRATITUDE

EXPRESSED IN SERVICE

TO COMMUNITY AND COUNTRY."



President George W. Bush 2004 LSU Spring Commencement

# WHY LSU?

"As far back as I can remember (riding bicycles, playing little league baseball), I have literally bled purple and gold. It never crossed my mind that there was anywhere else to go other than LSU. The experiences and relationships that I developed at LSU have been an integral part of my life. No other colleges existed in my mind. I am fortunate to have attended a place that I considered a dream and look forward to my association with the university until the day I die."



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DAVID TOMS 2001 PGA CHAMPION AND LSU GRADUATE

# **NOTABLE ALUMNI**

# **JAMES CARVILLE**

Received both a Bachelor's degree and Law degree from LSU. Carville gained fame in the 1990's as the chief campaign strategist for Bill Clinton and Al Gore. Carville also penned a best-selling m e m o i r

titled All's Fair: Love, War and Running for President.



# **EDDIE J. JONES**

President of the NFL's Miami Dolphins franchise. The 36-year veteran of the NFL currently serves on the NFL's Employee Benefits Committee.



# **MARY L. LANDRIEU**

Became the first woman from Louisiana elected to a full term in the United States Senate in 1997.



# **REINOSUKE HARA**

A researcher at LSU in the 1950s, that later received the honorary Doctorate of Science degree from LSU in 1992. Currently serves as the Vice-Chairman of Seiko Instruments.



# **CAMPUS APARTMENT - THE TIGERS' HOME AWAY FROM HOME**

SU has 18 residence halls with architectural styles ranging from a Renaissance style typical of the older core of the campus to modern high-rise buildings. Below is the newest addition, the highly popular East Campus and West Campus apartments, a co-ed dormitory that includes furnished rooms with connecting suites and e-mail workstations in the lobby, all within a short walk from the dining hall.





# **DID YOU KNOW?**

- With more than 195,000 alumni worldwide, LSU ranks in the top 10 percent in the nation in the number of graduates.
- U.S. News&World Report ranks the LSU petroleum-engineering program fifth in the nation.
- Mary Mannhein and the LSU FACES Lab have been featured numerous times in the national media and at Scotland Yard.
- LSU is currently ranked 11th in the Director's Cup standing for the best athletic program in the country.

# **University Club**

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he University Club, which is the home of the LSU men's golf team, received the honor of being ranked the 13th best home for college golf in the country according to a survey published in the September 2005 issue of Golf Digest. The evaluation by Golf Digest ranked the Top 15 home courses in college golf and included such criteria as shot values, resistance to scoring, course layout and design, memorability and conditioning.

"Being included in such a list is a nice honor," said LSU head coach Chuck Winstead. "Jim Lipe, the designer of the University Club, is an LSU alum and is a proven and terrific architect. He's been Jack Nicklaus' right-hand man on his design team for years. It's certainly a great honor to be included on the list."

The course opened in 1998 under the design of Lipe and is a par-72 course that plays with a championship yardage of 7,274 yards. It is carved into nearly 300 acres of land just seven miles south of the LSU campus on Nicholson Drive.

It also boasts one of the nation's finest practice facilities in The LSU Golf House, which opened to rave reviews in the fall of 2002. The Golf House includes a lavish meeting room, office space for the coaching staff and an area devoted to equipment repair and storage. It also includes an indoor driving range and a learning center where each

player can utilize video analysis to benefit his development in a classroom setting.

The course was built on land donated to the Tiger Athletic Foundation and subsequently leased to the University Club. The original vision that drove University Club's development was having a premier course that would provide a place for TAF member to convene and play, as well as a home for the men's and women's golf teams at LSU.

The course opened for members on Oct. 22, 1998. The swimming and tennis facility adjacent to the course opened in the summer of 2000. The surrounding housing development continues to grow as homes continue to spring up, adding to the beauty of the area surrounding the golf course.

Membership in The University Club was offered first to members of the TAF and then extended to the general public, who first must become members of the TAF. Memberships are available not only in local categories, but state, regional and national categories as well.

The Tiger Athletic Foundation is a private, non-profit corporation that serves as the fund-raising and development arm of the LSU athletics department. Each year, the TAF underwrites scholarship and academics awards, as well as capital development projects for LSU athletics.

# **Baton Rouge Area Golf Courses**

# **The Bluffs on Thompson Creek**

St. Francisville, La., is home to one of the state's premier golf courses in The Bluffs on Thompson Creek. This picturesque Arnold Palmer design is described by Ron Whitten of Golf Digest as "a collection of gorgeous, challenging golf holes, perhaps the best of any Palmer design. If any Louisiana course comes close to the ambiance and appeal of a laid-back resort like North Carolina's Pinehurst, it's The Bluffs." This par-72 gem is ranked as the fifth-best course in Louisiana and 96th on Golf Digest's list of "America's 100 Greatest Public Courses."

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# **Carter Plantation**

Carter Plantation, which opened in October 2003, is the first signature design of LSU alum and 2001 PGA Champion David Toms. The par-72 masterpiece plays to a championship yardage of more than 7,000 yards and winds through Louisiana's signature live oak flats, cypress wetlands and upland pine forests. Located in Springfield, La., Carter Plantation was named to Golf Magazine's list of "Top 10 Courses You Can Play" in February 2004 and is ranked as the ninth-best course in the state of Louisiana by Golf Digest.



# **Country Club of Louisiana**

The Country Club of Louisiana located in Baton Rouge is a challenging par-72 Jack Nicklaus signature design that plays to a championship yardage of more than 7,100 yards. Rated as the eighth-best course in the state by Golf Digest, the CCLA is carved into an undulating landscape that meanders through pockets of beautiful magnolia trees. It features a putting green that measures 5,000 square feet, finely manicured chipping and pitching greens, practice bunkers and a 300 yard driving range with 80,000 square feet of tee surface. The CCLA served as the host to LSU's Country Club of Louisiana Intercollegiate for 12 years from 1992-2003.

# **LSU Golf House**

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he LSU Golf House opened in the fall of 2002 to rave reviews from players, coaches and members of the athletic administration alike. This \$850,000 facility funded by the Tiger Athletic Foundation functions primarily as a golf-learning center for the LSU men's and women's teams where student-athletes are able to improve their skills at one of the premier practice facilities in the nation.

The Golf House features a lavish meeting room, office space for the coaching staff and an area devoted to equipment repair and storage. It also includes a player's locker room, an indoor driving range and a learning center which can utilize video analysis to benefit each player's development in a classroom setting.

Outside the facility is a practice tee box that measures 100 yards in length and a 10,000 square-foot putting and pitching green surrounded by practice bunkers where players are able to practice in a spacious environment.

Chuck Winstead, who is the head coach of the men's golf team and a Top 100 Teacher according to Golf Magazine, believes that having such a facility is essential in the development of his players and is evidence that

LSU is committed to running a first-class program.

"The facility offers our student-athletes an environment second to none to excel and reach their potential," Winstead said. "The combination of state-of-the-art technology to work on their game combined with our indoor putting area to fine-tune their stroke enables our players to maximize their ability. We are able to utilize the tools we have to get the best out of each player and teach them in a comfortable setting."

LSU women's head coach Karen Bahnsen echoed Winstead's sentiments, saying that she enjoys having the opportunity to utilize the facility's many features to teach her players in a productive atmosphere.

"There's no question that the LSU Golf House offers our student-athletes state-of-the-art instructional technology to take their game to another level," Bahnsen said. "Our two indoor hitting bays, club repair room with a lie and loft machine and video center allows each coach to teach the players in the most effective way possible. We also have a large meeting room that allows us to meet as a team and discuss course strategy and work with our team on all mental aspects of the game."



# **Locker Room**

The new Tiger locker room includes space for all the players to dress and store their equipment.

# **Hitting Bay**

The new practice facility at the University Club includes an indoor hitting bay.



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# **Conference Room**

The lavish conference room at the U-Club enables the LSU coaching staff and players to meet in a quiet, spacious area.





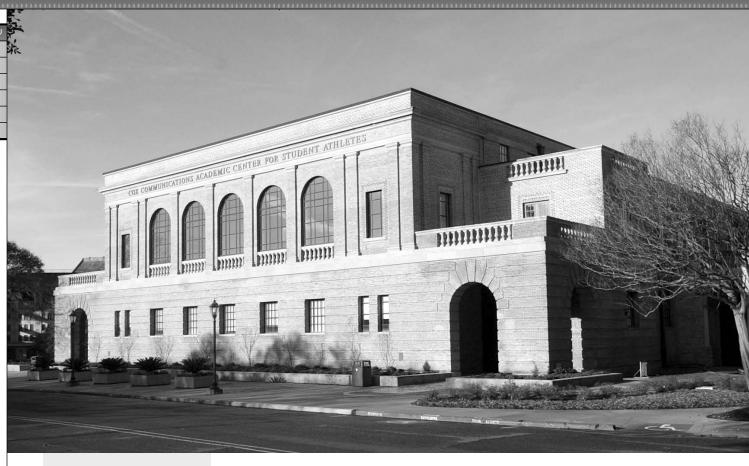
An inside view of the luxurious meeting and conference room.



LSU head coach Chuck Winstead helps a player using state-of-the-art video technology.

# **Cox Communications Academic Center**

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# **Amenities**

- 54,000 square feet of working space
- 75 computer workstations
- 14 private computer rooms in a stateof-the-art computer lab
- Additional study rooms and classrooms for private or group study
- Electronic scheduling of tutoring sessions
- A 1,000-seat auditorium for classes and lectures



aramount to the success of the "student" half of the term student-athlete is providing LSU athletes with the best possible resources to excel in the classroom. For more than 20 years, the LSU Academic Center for Student-Athletes has helped to build well-rounded student-athletes. But as times change and technology advances, the need for further improvements still exists. As a result, the Cox Communications Academic Center for Student-Athletes opened its doors in November of 2002. A \$15 million renovation to the Gym Armory not only made it among the nation's premier centers, but put it at the forefront. Improvements to the existing center give LSU student-athletes the best opportunity for success by providing access to the latest technology, as well as an array of expanded services.



# **Computer Stations**

Throughout the Academic Center are 75 computer stations, providing student-athletes with a quiet working environment for research, writing and studying.



# The Library

The library provides a perfect setting for individual study, or with a tutor as group.



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# Bo Campbell Auditorium

The 1,000-seat auditorium is used throughout the year as a classroom and lecture hall. Each seat in the auditorium has space for a laptop and a modem hookup, providing each student unlimited learning opportunities. The auditorium also contains a movie theatre size screen to aid professors with lectures and classroom activities.

# **Study Area**

Included in the 54,000 square feet of the Academic Center are individual study areas as well as 14 private computer rooms for student-athletes to work one-on-one with tutors or by themselves.



# SEC Academic Honor Roll EMCHONOR ROLL

# 1988

Greg Lesher Frederik Lindgren

# 1989

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> **1990** Rett Crowder Greg Lesher

# 1991

Rett Crowder Jason Larson

# 1992

Rett Crowder Jason Larson Craig Webb Jeff Wolff

# 1993

Herman Crowder Craig Webb

# 1994

Brian Bateman Maxwell McDonald Julio Nutt

## 1995

Brian Bateman Chad Harris Chip McDonald

# 1996

Brian Bateman Chad Harris Chip McDonald Philip Schmitt Parker Smith

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Ben Garner Chad Harris Chip McDonald

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Chris Loupe Henry Wieniewitz Jeremy Wilkinson

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John Humphries Michael Vallillo Jeremy Wilkinson

# 2001

Michael Beckers John Humphries Damon Julian Chip Lee

# 2002

Chip Lee Garrett Prather

# 2003

Brandon Aydlett Jason Horrell Chip Lee Jeff Riemann

# 2004

Brandon Aydlett Jason Horrell David Pollet Garrett Prather Jeff Riemann Aaron Smith

### 2005

Brandon Aydlett Andrew Lanahan Jeff Riemann Aaron Smith Brent Struthers Beck Troutman Chris Wells

# 2006

Andrew Lanahan Brian Noonan Garrett Runion Aaron Smith Brent Struthers Beck Troutman Chris Wells

# **Dr. Martin J. Broussard Center for Athletic Training**

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SU boasts the largest and most complete athletic training facility in all of collegiate athletics. Focused on aggressive rehabilitation, the Broussard Center for Athletic Training is furnished with the latest in technology and equipment. Some of the features of the 23,000-square foot facility include an on-site x-ray room, an in-house pharmacy, as well as state of the art hydrotherapy pools. The Broussard Center for Athletic Training is equipped with the largest hydrotherapy pools in both collegiate and professional sports and is one of the few collegiate training centers with a full-service pharmacy, as well as on-site x-ray room. LSU is also the only school in college athletics with a training room equipped with a full-service vision center. The facility is named in honor of legendary trainer Dr. Martin J. Broussard, who served as LSU's athletic trainer for over 40 years.

FACILITY BUILT BY THE TIGER ATHLETIC FOUNDATION



# **Amenities**

- 23,000 square foot athletic training facility
- On-site x-ray room
- In-house full-service pharmacy
- In-house dental and vision centers
- A Hydrotherapy pool



# **Strength and Conditioning**



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# **Amenities**

- 28 multi-purpose power stations
- 36 assorted selectorized machines
- 10 dumbbell stations with 2 sets of 5-180 pound free weights
- Custom made equipment by Body



he LSU strength and conditioning facility was built in 1997 and features the latest in both strength training and cardiovascular training equipment. Measuring 10,000-square feet, LSU has one of the finest strength and conditioning facilities in the nation. LSU strength and conditioning team has taken a new direction under strength coach Tommy Moffitt. Moffitt, who was named the 1999 and 2003 Strength and Conditioning Coach of the Year, is in charge of the LSU strength and conditioning facilities, located in Tiger Stadium and the new football operations building at the McClendon practice facility.

Strength and conditioning can be the heart and soul of an athletic program's success, and LSU has taken great strides to improve its strength program and facilities.

# A Champions



The 2005-06 athletics year was another wonderful one for LSU. The Tigers and Lady Tigers enjoyed success from the fields and courts to the classroom. All in all, it was an exciting year for LSU's student-athletes, coaches and fans.

# **Postseason Presence**

Of LSU's 20 sports, 12 teams advanced to postseason play. Among the highlights: Both of LSU's basketball teams advanced to the NCAA Final Four, the football team defeated Miami in the Chick-Fil-A Peach Bowl, the men's track and field team finished second at both the indoor and outdoor NCAA Championship meets, while the women placed seventh at both meets. The gymnastics team finished the season ranked eighth in the nation and softball was 15th.



# In the Classroom

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Nine of LSU's sports posted a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or better during 2005-06.

**50%** 

50 percent of student-athletes (207 of 314) recorded a grade point average of 3.0 of higher. 79 of those student-athletes recorded at least a 3.5 GPA and 28 finished with a perfect 4.0 GPA.

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One Tiger - Rudy Niswanger in football - was named SEC Scholar-Athlete of the Year. Niswanger also earned the 2005-06 H. Boyd McWhorter SEC Male Scholar-Athlete of the Year honor.

141

LSU had a total of 141 student-athletes named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll in 2005-06. To receive the recognition, each student-athlete must maintain a 3.0 grade point average for the previous year.



XAVIER CARTER



APRIL BURKHOLDER

# X Factor

Track spinter Xavier Carter sprinted his way into the record books in 2006. Carter won six NCAA titles and became the first athlete in NCAA history to ever win both the 100 and 400 meters at the championship meet and was the first male to win four titles in one meet since Jesse Owens in 1936. Carter was named the NCAA Indoor and Outdoor Track Athlete of the Year.

# **Augustus Again**

Seimone Augustus earned women's basketball's National Player of the Year honors for the second straight season. She received the Wade, the Naismith and the John R. Wooden Awards and was named the Associated Press' Player of the Year. Augustus, a Kodak All-American, also led the nation in scoring averaging 22.7 points per game.

# **National Champions**

Gymnast April Burkholder earned the individual NCAA title on the balance beam. Track star Xavier Carter was a six-time NCAA champion in 2006, winning the 100m and 400m races at the NCAA Outdoor Championships and the 400m race at the NCAA Indoor Championships. He also led the 4x100m relay to an outdoor 4x400m relays to titles. The LSU women's 4x400m relay to laimed the NCAA indoor and outdoor title and outdoor title as well.





SEC MEN'S PLAYER OF THE YEAR , GLEN DAVIS

2005 PEACH BOWL CHAMPIONS, LSU FOOTBALL

**Hoops Sweep** LSU's duo of Glen Davis and Seimone Augustus were named the Southeastern Conference Men's and Women's Players of the Year, respectively. Davis helped lead the men's program to its first SEC title since 2000, while Augustus guided the Lady Tigers to a second straight league title. Tyrus Thomas was crowned the SEC's Freshman of the Year as well.

# Tops in the League

Xavier Carter and Seimone Augustus swept the SEC Male and Female Athlete of the Year honors. Carter, the NCAA Indoor and Outdoor Track Athlete of the Year, was a three-time individual NCAA champion, winning the outdoor 100 and 400 meter races and the 400m indoors. Augustus led the SEC in scoring and help guide the Lady Tigers to a second straight conference title.

# Rare Feat

ISU joined North Carolina as the only schools in NCAA history to have its football team and men's and women's basketball teams finish their seasons ranked in the top 5 in the nation during the same athletic year. LSU's football team finished fifth in the nation after a solid victory over Miami in the Peach Bowl. The men's basketball team finished third in the polls after advancing to the NCAA Final Four, while the women's basketball team completed the season ranked fourth after a third straight trip to the NCAA Final Four.



# **National Team Championships (43)**

Men's Basketball (1)	1935
Boxing (1)	1949
Football (2)	1958, 2003
Men's Golf (4)	1940, 1942, 1947, 1955
Men's Indoor Track (2)	2001, 2004
Women's Indoor Track (11)	1987, 1989, 1991, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 2002, 2003, 2004
Men's Outdoor Track (4)	1933, 1989, 1990, 2002
Women's Outdoor Track (13)	1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 2000, 2003
Baseball (5)	1991, 1993, 1996, 1997, 2000

# **SEC Team Championships (108)**

Softball (5) Volleyball (4)

Baseball (13)	1939, 1943, 1946, 1961, 1975, 1986, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1996, 1997, 2003
Men's Basketball (9)	1935, 1953, 1954, 1979, 1981, 1985, 1991, 2000, 2006
Women's Basketball (2)	2005, 2006
Football (9)	1935, 1936, 1958, 1961, 1970, 1986, 1988, 2001, 2003
Men's Golf (15)	1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1942, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1953, 1954, 1960, 1966, 1967, 1986, 1987
Women's Golf (1)	1992
Gymnastics (1)	1981
Men's Swimming (1)	1988
Men's Tennis (4)	1976, 1985, 1998, 1999
Men's Indoor Track (4)	1957, 1963, 1989, 1990
Women's Indoor Track (10)	1985, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1991, 1993, 1995, 1996, 1998, 1999
Men's Outdoor Track (22)	1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1951, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1963, 198
Women's Outdoor Track (8)	1985 1987 1988 1989 1990 1991 1993 1996

1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004

1986, 1989, 1990, 1991

OVERALL NEAR CHAMIFIONSHIPS		
1. UCLA	99	
2. Stanford	92	
3. USC	84	
4. Abilene Christian	50	
4. Kenyon	50	
6. Oklahoma State	48	
7. LSU	43	

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# **OVERALL WOMEN'S NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS** 1. Stanford

8, 1989, 1990

2. College of New Jersey	31
3. UCLA	29
4. LSU	24
5. Kenyon	23

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