

Student Earns Microsoft Internship

This summer, student Savannah Bice will be working as a finance intern in the Treasury Controller Group at Microsoft. Microsoft receives over 40,000 intern applications for the summer; of these 1,500 are selected for a three-month internship in Redmond, Washington. For 12 weeks, Microsoft interns will put classroom theory to the test by working on real business issues.



Belleville Communications Graduate Lands Job Before Graduation

Belleville alumna Kasey Washausen landed a job with 96.3 Now-FM in St. Louis before she even completed her degree program. She attributes her success to the great experience and knowledge she gained from working with seasoned industry professionals as her instructors.

ATHLETICS



Three Players Receive All-Conference Honors

Three women's water polo [players received All-Conference honors](#) from the Collegiate Water Polo Association. Michal Andreatta and Abby VerMeer were both named to the Midwest Division First Team and captain Abby Conner was one of seven named a member of the Second Team.



Women's Rugby Scrimmages against USA Eagles; Prepares for Sevens Championship

The women's rugby sevens post-season squad had the unique opportunity to [scrimmage against some of the top players in the country](#) and meet several national team coaches at the Elite Athlete Training Center in Chula Vista, CA.



Women's Rugby Completes One of Team's Best 15's Seasons

While the last match of the season ended in a heartbreaking three-point loss to Penn State in the finals at the USA Rugby D1 Elite Playoffs, [women's rugby still completed one of its best seasons in program history](#).



Women's Rugby Wins National Sevens Title

The Lady Lions [won the 2017 USA Rugby Collegiate Sevens National Championship](#) with a 31-12 victory over rival Life University at Infinity Park in Glendale, CO. It's the first national title of any kind for the women's rugby program.



Student-Athletes Connected to St. Louis Royals

The St. Louis Royals RFC recently played in the quarterfinals of the USA Rugby Men's Division III Club and the [team took the field with several current and former Lindenwood student-athletes](#).



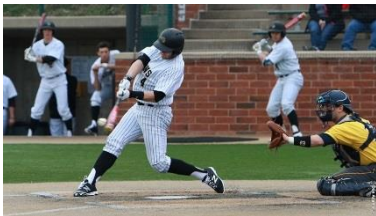
Men's Rugby Captures Sevens Championship

The Lions captured the [USA Rugby Men's Collegiate Sevens National Championship](#) with a 26-5 win against St. Mary's College at Infinity Park in Glendale, CO. It was the second sevens title at the event in the last three years for the program.



Junior All-American Qualifier Squad Full of Lindenwood Flavor

The [Junior All-American Eagles squad](#) for the Junior World Rugby Qualifier against Canada was recently announced, and it includes several players and coaches with Lindenwood connections.



Four Baseball Players Named to All-Region Teams

Four baseball players were named to the [National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association \(NCBWA\) NCAA Division II All-Central Region team](#). Drew Quinones was a first-team selection as a utility player, and honorable mention honors went to pitcher Connor Law, catcher Ryan Sosnowski, and outfielder Wes Degener.



Baseball Players Receive MIAA Academic Award

Twenty-three baseball players were [named to the MIAA Academic Honor Roll](#). Kyle Teter and Andrew Eilers were also named MIAA Scholar-Athletes.



Baseball Advances to Central Regional Championship Game

The [magic continued for the baseball team](#) after it scored three runs in the final inning to defeat St. Cloud State 10-8 in Emporia, KS to advance to the Central Regional Championship Game.



Baseball Advances to National Championships

The baseball team [won the 2017 NCAA Division II Central Regional Championship](#) in Emporia, KS, with an 8-4 victory over Central Oklahoma. The team advances to the eight-team NCAA Division II National Championships. [Fox 2 Sports](#) and the [Post-Dispatch](#) covered the team.



Baseball Falls At National Championships

The baseball team [fell in its second contest at the 2017 NCAA Division II National Championships](#). The Lions lost to West Chester by a score of 5-2. The contest was a pitcher's duel throughout, with the starters working at least seven innings before the game turned into a battle of the closers.



Degener Claims All-Region Award

Outfielder Wes Degener was named a [second-team all-region pick](#) by the American Baseball Coaches Association (ABCA).



Women's Lacrosse Comes Up One Goal Short In NCAA Semifinals

The No. 3 Lindenwood [women's lacrosse team fell in the NCAA Semifinals](#) in Bloomsburg, PA. The Lady Lions lost to No. 4 Florida Southern by a 13-12 margin.



Women's Lacrosse Judd Receives Elite 90 Award

For the second straight season, [Morgan Judd of the Lindenwood women's lacrosse team was selected as the winner of the NCAA Elite 90 award](#). The Elite 90 award is presented to the student-athlete with the highest cumulative grade-point average competing at the finals site for each of the NCAA's 90 championships.



Four From Women's Lacrosse Earn All-American Honors

The women's lacrosse team had [four players receive IWILCA All-American selections](#). Erin Abbott, Rachel Benzing, and Sophie Buelow were named as first-team All-Americans, while Rachel Ortell was tabbed as a third-team All-American.



Men's Lacrosse Players on All-Star Team

Men's lacrosse players Connor Laird and David Corazalla earned spots in the [Division I/II USILA/Nike North South game](#) - both players competed on the South team. Laird was also rewarded for his performance on defense, gaining an honorable mention on the 2017 USILA/Nike Division II All American team.



Men's Golf Concludes Record-Breaking Season

The men's golf team recently concluded its first ever trip to the NCAA National Tournament. The [Lions completed the tournament in 17th place](#) with a three-round score of 899. Lindenwood ends its 14-tournament season with a program-record scoring average of 293.7 strokes per round.



Van Doren Earns All-Region Selection

Yente Van Doren of the men's golf team was selected to the [Division II PING All-Region team](#). The Golf Coaches Association of America chose 108 players stretching across eight regions to receive the honor.



Men's Golfer Ryan Dyck Wins Elite 90 Award

Ryan Dyck was named the [recipient of the NCAA Elite 90 award](#) for NCAA Division II men's golf. The award is presented to the student-athlete with the highest cumulative grade-point average competing at the finals site for each of the NCAA's 90 championships.



Golfers Honored For Academic Achievements

Fifteen [golfers were named to the MIAA Academic Honor Roll](#) and four golfers were named MIAA Scholar-Athletes. The MIAA Scholar-Athlete award goes to players with a 3.50 GPA or higher, who were also named to one of the all-conference teams.



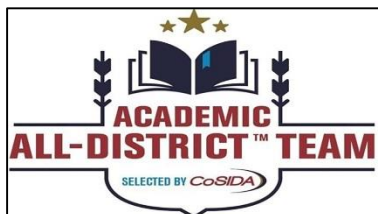
Track and Field Has Four Entries At National Meet

Four members of the Lindenwood track and field program [earned a spot today in the 2017 NCAA Division II Outdoor Track and Field Championships](#). The student-athletes advancing are Xavier Boland, Omar Es Salmouny, Kendra Smith, and Anna Tyan.



Track and Field Has Two Top-Five Finishes At National Championships

The Lindenwood track and field program had [two top-five finishes](#) at the 2017 NCAA Division II Outdoor Track and Field Championships. Omar Es Salmouny was runner-up in the men's 3,000m steeplechase, and Kendra Smith was fifth in the women's triple jump.



CoSIDA Academic All-District Honors

Two track and field athletes were named to one of the [CoSIDA Academic All-District teams](#).



Five Track and Field Athletes Earn All-Region Honors

Five Lindenwood track and field athletes earned [outdoor all-region honors](#) for being among the top individuals in the region in their respective events. The athletes earning the honor were Xavier Boland, Omar Es Salmouny, Michael Mlambo, Michelle Kyle, and Kendra Smith.



Track and Field/Cross Country Student-Athletes Earn MIAA Academic Award

Twenty-two track and field and cross country athletes were named to the [MIAA Academic Honor Roll](#). Ero Doce and Kendra Smith were additionally honored as MIAA Scholar-Athletes.



NCRHA Championship Teams Announced

Five Lions were selected to the [Division I National Championship All-Tournament Team](#) and eight different Lindenwood players were selected for Division III by the National Collegiate Roller Hockey Association (NCRHA). The D1 All-Tournament First Team honorees included Jalen Krogman and Trenton Matteson.

FACULTY



ESL Instructors Attend Session in Panama

Two instructors from the English as the Second Language (ESL) Program participated in the first [“Congreso de Panama Bilingüe - Let's Talk About English Language Learning”](#) in Panama City, Panama. At the congress, Panamanian President Juan Carlos Varela sanctioned a law to continue the program aimed at increasing bilingualism in the country. Over 3,500 educators from Panama attended the congress.

IN OTHER NEWS



Commencement Reported in Post-Dispatch

The St. Charles Graduate Commencement was [reported in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch](#). One of our 450 graduate students, Maggie Mathus, was featured in the photo along with Dr. John Long and Dr. Terry Stewart.



Baseball Players Visit with President Shonrock

Several Baseball players and Coach Tom Waggener visited with President Shonrock after they returned from the NCAA Division II National Championships in Grand Prairie, TX. The student-athletes presented President Shonrock with an autographed game ball, spoke highly of their experience in the Big Show and shared their plans for the future.

Table Top Exercise – Public Safety and Security

Public Safety & Security led its annual Tabletop Exercise to help prepare for a large-scale emergency on campus. The exercise, which in the past has involved occurrences such as an active shooter situation, focused this year on a hypothetical natural disaster, specifically a tornado touching down on campus. Representatives of departments across the campus as well as the St. Charles Police Department discussed what their roles and actions would be at various junctures in the situation. The exercise is designed to expose any gaps in preparation for various emergency situations to ensure campus readiness in the event of an actual emergency.

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