



ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA® TEAM

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FOUR TALENTED STUDENT-ATHLETES HIGHLIGHT 2023-2024 WOMEN'S SWIMMING & DIVING ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA® TEAMS

AUSTIN, Texas – Four standouts in the pool and in the classroom – Indiana University's **Ching Hwee Gan**, **Benedict Nagy** of Colorado Mesa University, **Alex Turvey** of Pomona Pitzer Colleges, Milligan University's **Hanne te Velthuis** – highlight the 2023-24 Academic All-America® women's swimming & diving teams selected by the College Sports Communicators announced today.

Hwee Gan (Division I), Nagy (Division II), Turvey (Division III) and te Velthuis (NAIA) have each been named the Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year for their respective divisions. For te Velthuis it is her second straight year as the NAIA Team Member of the Year. She earned the honor in 2022-23 while competing for the University of the Cumberland and now this year at Milligan.

Division I

Gan is a Nutrition Science major with a 4.00 GPA. The junior helped Indiana University to a program-best seventh-place finish for the second year in a row at the NCAA Division I National Championships. She repeated as a medalist in the 1,650-yard freestyle following her 2023 silver with a bronze in 2024 with a season-best time of 15:46.90.

The native of Singapore was a two-time All-American in 2024, adding a fifth-place showing in the 800-yard freestyle relay. She also won the 1,650-yard freestyle at the Big Ten Championships as the Hoosiers came away with the conference title.

Gan was a three-time All-American at the 2023 National Championships. In addition to finishing second in the 1,650 freestyle she was an All-American in the 500-freestyle and 800-freestyle relay. As a freshman she was an honorable mention All-American in the 1,650-freestyle, coming in tenth.

She had represented Singapore at each of the last three World Championships, finishing 14th in the 1,500-meter freestyle at all three. At the 2023 World Aquatics Championships, Gan bested her own Singaporean national record with a time of 16:20.88.

Eleven of the 32 members of the Academic All-America® Division I women's swimming & diving teams boast a perfect 4.0 GPA in their undergraduate work or graduate school. The 11 members of the first team have an average GPA of 3.85.

In addition to Gan, ten other student-athletes are repeat selections on the Academic All-America® Division I women's team – **Anna Bradescu** (Georgia Tech), **Kaitlyn Dobler** (University of Southern California), **Brooklyn Douthwright** (University of Tennessee), **Anne Fowler** (Indiana University), **Josephine Fuller** (University of Tennessee), **Amy Fulmer** (The Ohio State University), **Anna Havens Rice** (University of Kentucky), **Mona McSharry** (University of Tennessee), **Emma Sticklen** (University of Texas), and **Gretchen Walsh** (University of Virginia). Dobler is now a three-time honoree, earning first team honors last year and second team in 2021-22.

Division II

Nagy, a graduate student from Reno, Nevada, competed at the University of Nevada as an undergraduate student before helping Colorado Mesa to its sixth Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference championship followed by a second-place showing at the NCAA Division II National Championships. That is the highest in school history.

She earned All-American honors in five events in 2024, including winning national championships in the 200-yard IM (1:58.63) and 400-yard IM (4:10.40). She also placed second with the 800 freestyle relay team, and fourth in the 200-yard breaststroke and fourth in the 200-yard butterfly. She scored 70 points at the NCAA Championships, tied for the second-most of any women's athlete.

Nagy ranks second in Division II history in the 400 IM (4:10.40) and ninth in the 200 IM (1:58.63). She set school records in the 200 IM, 400 IM & 200 butterfly (1:58.63) at the NCAA Championships. In addition to the national championships, she won four events at the RMAC Championships, set championships records in the 400 IM (4:16.00) and 800-freestyle relay (7:19.44). She also won the 200 IM and 200 butterfly events along with a second-place showing in the 200-breaststroke. Nagy tied for the high-point award (77).

While at Nevada, Nagy was a three-time Mountain West Conference 400 IM champion & 2023 Division I NCAA qualifier.

Nine of the 33 members of the Academic All-America® Division II women's swimming & diving teams boast a perfect 4.0 GPA in their undergraduate work or graduate school. The 10 members of the first team have an average GPA of 3.89.

There are ten repeat selections on the Academic All-America® Division II women's swimming & diving teams – **Brooklyn Dressel** (Cal State East Bay), **Jordan Fox** (Wayne State University), **Zara Konstapel** (University of Missouri-St. Louis), **Stefanie Markwardt** (University of Indianapolis), **Luna Mertins** (Lynn University), **Victoria Murillo** (University of Mary), **Jorie Selig** (Colorado School of Mines), **Mikaela Senkus** (Wayne State University), **Lauren White** (Colorado Mesa University), and **Montana White** (Azusa Pacific University). Lauren White is a three-time selection.

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Division III

A Biology major with a 4.00 GPA, Turvey capped an outstanding career with six All-American certificates at the 2024 NCAA Division III National Championships. She helped Pomona-Pitzer to the national championship in two relays, the 200-yard freestyle relay (1:31.54) and the 400-yard freestyle relay (3:20.59). The last time the school had finished as the national champion in an event was 1983-84.

In addition, the native of Vancouver, Canada was the national runner-up in three events – the 50-yard freestyle, the 100-yard freestyle, and the 100-yard butterfly. Finally, she was part of a sixth-place squad in the 800-yard freestyle relay. The showing helped the Sagehens finish seventh at the National Championships.

Turvey was a seven-time All-American while competing at the 2023 NCAA Division III National Championships. Her highest finish came in the 100-yard butterfly, finishing second. In addition, she was fourth in the 200-yard freestyle relay, fifth in the 200-yard medley relay, sixth in the 400-yard freestyle relay, seventh in the 400-yard medley relay, eighth in the 100-yard freestyle, and tenth in the 50-yard freestyle. In addition, she was the 2023 Elite 90 Award recipient.

Nine of the 31 members of the Academic All-America® Division III women's swimming & diving teams boast a perfect 4.0 GPA in their undergraduate work or graduate school. The 11 members of the first team have an average GPA of 3.92.

Including Turvey, six student-athletes are repeat selections on the Academic All-America® Division III women's swimming & diving teams – **Kate Augustyn** (MIT), **Sloane Donovan** (Emory University), **Sarah Dougherty** (Fairleigh Dickinson University – Florham), **Kerstyn Johnson** (Denison University) and **Sydney McCallie** (Kenyon College).

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NAIA

Te Velthuis is now a three-time Academic All-America® team member and was previously named the NAIA Team Member of the Year in 2022-23 while competing at the University of the Cumberland. She competed as a graduate student this past year for Milligan University, showing a 3.77 GPA in Occupational Therapy.

The native of Beerzerveld, Netherlands helped Milligan to a third-place finish at the 2024 NAIA National Championships. All told she was a eight-time All-American, topped by third-place showings in the 200-yard medley relay and 800-yard freestyle relay. In addition, she touched fourth in three events – the 200-yard freestyle, 200-yard freestyle relay, and 400-yard medley relay, along with a fifth-place finish in the 50-yard freestyle. Finally, she was part of the sixth-place 400-yard freestyle relay and came in seventh in the 100-yard freestyle.

Te Velthuis helped Milligan to a third straight Appalachian Athletic Conference (AAC) championship.

A year ago, she led Cumberland to a fourth-place finish at the NAIA National Championships, earning All-American honors five times while competing in the 200 and 400 medley relays, and 200, 400 and 800 freestyle relay.

Two of the ten members of the Academic All-America® NAIA women's swimming & diving teams boast a perfect 4.0 GPA. The ten members of the first team have an average GPA of 3.85. Te Velthuis is one of four repeat performers on the NAIA team. In addition, **Leyre Antonanzas** (St. Ambrose University) and **Erica Samuel** (Indiana Wesleyan University) were on the 2022-23 team, and **Gabby MacPherson** (Milligan University) was on the 2021-22 at-large team.

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For more information regarding the Academic All-America® program, visit <https://academicallamerica.com/>.

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2023-24 Academic All-America[®] Women's Swimming & Diving Team NCAA Division I

FIRST TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Kaitlyn Dobler (1) (5)	University of Southern California	Sr.	3.62	Astronautical Engineering
Brooklyn Douthwright (3)	University of Tennessee	Jr.	3.82	Biomedical Engineering
Anne Fowler (1)	Indiana University	Sr.	3.99	Health Care Management & Policy
Josephine Fuller (3)	University of Tennessee	Jr.	3.93	Psychology
Amy Fulmer (3)	The Ohio State University	Gr.	4.00/3.95	Clinical Research
Ching Hwee Gan (3)	Indiana University	Jr.	4.00	Nutrition Science
Abby McCulloh	University of Georgia	Jr.	4.00	Journalism
Mona McSharry (1)	University of Tennessee	Sr.	3.57	Kinesiology
Chloe Stepanek	Texas A&M	Sr.	4.00	Biomedical Science
Alex Walsh	University of Virginia	Sr.	3.54	Computer Science
Gretchen Walsh (2)	University of Virginia	Jr.	3.84	Commerce

SECOND TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Gabi Albiero	University of Louisville	Sr.	3.94	Marketing
Anna Bradescu (3)	Georgia Tech	Sr.	4.00	Mathematics
McKenzie Campbell	Georgia Tech	Gr.	4.00	Analytic (G)
Hailey Hernandez	University of Texas	Jr.	3.60	Exercise Science
Frederica Kizek	University of Nevada	Gr.	4.00	Biotechnology & Natural Resources
Meghan Lee	Auburn University	Sr.	3.75	Civil Engineering
Maxine Parker	University of Virginia	Sr.	3.63	Applied Statistics
Emma Sticklen (3)	University of Texas	Sr.	3.73	Exercise Science
Emma Weyant	University of Florida	Jr.	3.60	Political Science

THIRD TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Gabi Baldwin	U.S. Naval Academy	Sr.	3.83	Political Science
Grace Cooper	University of Texas	Sr.	3.61	Advertising
Vivi Del Angel	University of Minnesota	So.	3.51	Business & Marketing Education
Sianne Downes	South Dakota State University	Sr.	3.85/4.00	Mechanical Engineering
Ela Freiman	San José State University	Jr.	3.75	Biomedical Engineering
Maya Geringer	The Ohio State University	Sr.	3.92	Environmental Policy & Decision Making
Madison Giglio	University of Toledo	Sr.	3.91	Civil Engineering
Anna Havens Rice (3)	University of Kentucky	Sr.	4.00	Chemistry
Lauren Kilgore	University of Toledo	Gr.	3.75/3.91	Pharmacy (G)
Emily Lundgren	Washington State	So.	4.00	Digital Technology & Culture
Kensley Merritt	Auburn University	Sr.	4.00	Supply Chain Management
Bridget O'Neil	University of Texas	Sr.	3.98	Speech & Language Pathology

CSC Academic All-America[®] Team Member of the Year: Ching Hwee Gan, Indiana University

(1) = 1st team Academic All-America[®] in 2022-23

(2) = 2nd team Academic All-America[®] in 2022-23

(3) = 3rd team Academic All-America[®] in 2022-23

(5) = 2nd team Academic All-America[®] At-Large in 2021-22

(NOTE: Swimming & Diving was part of the At-Large program until 2022-23)



2023-24 Academic All-America® Women's Swimming & Diving Team NCAA Division II

FIRST TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Kiara Borhardt	Colorado Mesa University	So.	4.00	Kinesiology & Exercise Science
Jordan Fox (3)	Wayne State University	Gr.	3.79/4.00	Accounting
Bryn Greenwaldt	Augustana University	So.	3.85	Accounting
Stefanie Markwardt (1)	University of Indianapolis	Gr.	4.00/4.00	Exercise Science
Benedict Nagy	Colorado Mesa University	Gr.	3.85	Animation, Film, Photography, & Motion Design
Mikaela Senkus (1)	Wayne State University	Sr.	3.92	Civil Engineering
Emily Trieschmann	Nova Southeastern University	Jr.	3.84	Property Management & Real Estate
Lauren White (1) (5)	Colorado Mesa University	Gr.	3.84	Business
Montana White (2)	Azusa Pacific University	Jr.	4.00	Mathematics
Mellie Wijk	Drury University	Jr.	3.76	Communications

SECOND TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Camilla Carbone	Northern Michigan University	Jr.	3.98	Marketing
Brooklyn Dressel (3)	Cal State East Bay	Jr.	3.99	Computer Science
Zara Konstapel (2)	University of Missouri-St. Louis	Gr.	3.94	English & French
Luna Mertins (1)	Lynn University	Sr.	3.84/3.92	Clinical Mental Health Counseling
Victoria Murillo (2)	University of Mary	Gr.	3.65/4.00	Business Administration
Annie Osmun	Colorado School of Mines	Sr.	3.53	Civil Engineering
Ada Qunell	Colorado Mesa University	So.	3.84	Kinesiology & Exercise Science
Celina Schmidt	University of Indianapolis	So.	3.82	Business Administration & Management
Jorie Selig (3)	Colorado School of Mines	Sr.	3.60	Electrical Engineering
Katie Susi	University of Findlay	So.	4.00	Exercise Science

THIRD TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Amanda Anderson	Azusa Pacific University	Sr.	3.75/3.69	Business Administration (G)
Kyla Blakemore	Carson-Newman	Sr.	3.83	Communications
Emma Bowling	Carson-Newman	So.	4.00	Interior Design
Allie Brinton	Florida Southern College	Sr.	3.82	Graphic Design
Zoe DeKievit	Northern Michigan University	Jr.	4.00	Secondary Education & Health & Fitness
Lilly Grebner	Northern State University	So.	3.87	Biology
Hana Kubalova	Wingate University	Sr.	3.90	Marketing
Farida Maher	Concordia-St. Paul	Jr.	3.73	Marketing
Emily Mears-Bentley	University of Findlay	So.	3.92	Psychology
Malaika Schneider	Lynn University	So.	3.73	Environmental Science & Policy
Jordan Tierney	Colorado School of Mines	So.	3.73	Computational & Applied Mathematics
Alli Vassilakos	Wayne State University	Jr.	3.71	Management
Hailey Williams	Nova Southeastern University	So.	4.00	Psychology

CSC Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year: Benedict Nagy, Colorado Mesa University

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2023-24 Academic All-America® Women's Swimming & Diving Team NCAA Division III

FIRST TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Sloane Donovan (1)	Emory University	Sr.	3.98	Biology
Sydney Geboy	Kenyon College	Jr.	3.85	Psychology & Sociology
Penelope Helm	Emory University	Sr.	3.93	Environmental Sciences
Kerstyn Johnson (2)	Denison University	Jr.	3.80	Health, Exercise, & Sports Studies & Theatre
Samantha Kilcoyne	Williams College	Sr.	3.98	Computer Science & Statistics
Tess Klugherz	Emory University	Sr.	3.98	Biology
Kaley McIntyre	New York University	So.	3.97	History
Alex Turvey (1)	Pomona-Pitzer	Sr.	4.00	Biology
Sophia Verkleeren	Williams College	Jr.	3.95	Chemistry
Abigail Wilkov	Case Western Reserve University	Jr.	4.00	Neuroscience
Esme Wright	Denison University	Sr.	3.72	Biology & German

SECOND TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Kate Augustyn (3)	MIT	Jr.	3.76	Biological Engineering
Greta Gidley	Hope College	Jr.	3.85	Elementary Education
Makenzie Higgins	Johns Hopkins University	Sr.	3.96	Biomedical Engineering
Caitlin Marshall	New York University	Jr.	3.57	Math & Data Science
Sydney McCallie (3)	Kenyon College	Sr.	3.86	Biology & Studio Art
Eleanor McGrath	Colby College	Sr.	4.00	Environmental Science
Annika Naveen	MIT	So.	4.00	Bioengineering
Taylor Rohovit	Johns Hopkins University	Jr.	3.87	Computer Science
Melody Wen	MIT	Sr.	4.00	Computer Science, Data Science, & Economics
Grace Wenger	Bates College	Sr.	3.87	Biochemistry
Natalie Young	Bates College	Sr.	3.92	Neuroscience

THIRD TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Emmie Appl	Pomona-Pitzer	Jr.	4.00	Molecular Biology
Sydney Bluestein	Amherst College	Jr.	3.93	Mathematics
Sarah Dougherty (2)	Fairleigh Dickinson University-Florham	Gr.	4.00/4.00	Biology
Hannah Fathman	Albion College	Jr.	3.98	Political Science
Emma Hagan	Trinity University	Sr.	3.90	Psychology
Isabel Huang	Emory University	So.	3.83	Economics
Rin Iimi	Washington University in St. Louis	So.	4.00	Biomedical Engineering
Chloe Katz	Middlebury College	Jr.	3.85	Economics & Computer Science
Claire Kozma	Case Western Reserve University	So.	4.00	Nutrition

CSC Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year: Alex Turvey, Pomona Pitzer Colleges

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2023-24 Academic All-America® Women's Swimming & Diving Team NAIA

FIRST TEAM

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Leyre Antonanzas (1)	St. Ambrose University	Jr.	3.89	Psychology
Aubrey Bach	Keiser University	Jr.	3.92	Business Administration
Nikoline Biltoft-Jensen	Keiser University	Jr.	4.00	Psychology
Halle Briner	Olivet Nazarene University	Jr.	3.89	Business Administration
Maaike Broersma	Lindsey Wilson College	Sr.	3.77	Psychology
Nikki Hahn	SCAD Savannah	So.	4.00	User Experience Design
Marine Lecomte	Keiser University	Jr.	3.89	Applied Engineering
Gabby MacPherson (5)	Milligan University	Sr.	3.79	Nursing
Erica Samuel (1)	Indiana Wesleyan University	Sr.	3.75	Psychology & Pre-Occupational Therapy
Hanne te Velthuis (1) (5)	Milligan University	Gr.	3.60/3.77	Occupational Therapy (G)

**CSC Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year:
Hanne te Velthuis, Milligan University**

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