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2009 NAIA Women's Outdoor Track & Field All-America Team Announced **Awards Presented at 29th Annual Women's Outdoor National Championship**

ST. LOUIS, Mo. – The National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) is proud to announce the 2009 NAIA Women's Outdoor Track Field All-America Team. All-America honors are awarded to the top six individuals in each event and all four runners in the top six relay teams. These awards were given out at the 29th Annual NAIA Women's Outdoor Track & Field Championships at Ralph Korte Stadium in Edwardsville, Ill.

2009 NAIA Women's All-American Outdoor Track & Field All-Americans

Women's 100-Meter Dash

Kimberly Smith, Wayland Baptist University (Texas)
Shelinda Brackett, McKendree University (Ill.)
Lanece Clarke, McKendree University (Ill.)
Francine Simpson, Lindenwood University (Mo.)
K'lanca Dupree, Shorter College (Ga.)
Kimberly Spencer, McKendree University (Ill.)

Women's 200-Meter Dash

Kimberly Smith, Wayland Baptist University (Texas)
Lanece Clarke, McKendree University (Ill.)
Shelinda Brackett, McKendree University (Ill.)
K'lanca Dupree, Shorter College (Ga.)
DeeJay Silcott, Doane College (Neb.)
Charlesha Lightbourne, Langston University (Okla.)

Women's 400-Meter Dash

Marissa Moseley, Oklahoma Baptist University
Ashlie Stewartson, Shorter College (Ga.)
Amanda Davis, King College (Tenn.)
Brandee Means, Langston University (Okla.)
Ashley Hanna, Florida Memorial University
Sarah Laine, Point Loma Nazarene University (Calif.)

Women's 800-Meter Run

Purity Biwott, Wayland Baptist University (Texas)
Jessica Smith, Simon Fraser University (B.C.)
Helen Crofts, Simon Fraser University (B.C.)
Lauren Davenport, Huntington University (Ind.)
Beth McCubbin, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Fla.)
Brianna Kane, Simon Fraser University (B.C.)

Women's 1,500-Meter Run

Purity Biwott, Wayland Baptist University (Texas)
Lydia Wang, Cedarville University (Ohio)
Andria Scheese, Concordia University (Ore.)
Jaime Canterbury, Azusa Pacific University (Calif.)
Alyssa Johnson, Taylor University (Ind.)
Megan Moyer, Point Loma Nazarene University (Calif.)

Women's 5,000-Meter Run

Jacky Kipwambok, Azusa Pacific University (Calif.)



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Caroline Karunde, Wayland Baptist University (Texas)
Francine Nzilampa, Lindenwood University (Mo.)
Nicole Santos, Cedarville University (Ohio)
Jaime Canterbury, Azusa Pacific University (Calif.)
Caitlin Villarreal, California State University-San Marcos

Women's 10,000-Meter Run

Jacky Kipwambok, Azusa Pacific University (Calif.)
Caroline Karunde, Wayland Baptist University (Texas)
Nicole Santos, Cedarville University (Ohio)
Morgan Sjogren, California State University-San Marcos
Rebecca Sopp, Vanguard University (Calif.)
Obsie Birru, Grand View University (Iowa)

Women's Marathon

Wendy O'Lexey, Black Hills State University (S.D.)
Nicole Lair, Oklahoma Christian University
Kaili Zink, Fresno Pacific University (Calif.)
Nicole Akeroyd, University of British Columbia
Meredith Gardner, Oklahoma Baptist University
Nicki Erler, Cornerstone University (Mich.)

Women's 100-Meter Hurdles

Tiffany Parker, Azusa Pacific University (Calif.)
Latanya Nation, Wayland Baptist University (Texas)
Natasha Miller, Biola University (Calif.)
Tiffany Tucker, Notre Dame College (Ohio)
Shagayla Petty, Huston-Tillotson University (Texas)
Jalienteria Holmes, Doane College (Neb.)

Women's 400-Meter Hurdles

Verone Chambers, Oklahoma Baptist University
Lindsay Reinhardt, University of Sioux Falls (S.D.)
Traci Boss, Simon Fraser University (B.C.)
Emily Walters, Concordia University (Neb.)
Claudia Richard, University of British Columbia
Abri Houser, Goshen College (Ind.)

Women's 3,000-Meter Steeplechase

Justyna Mudy, Shorter College (Ga.)
Dallon Williams, California State University-San Marcos
Meagan Hudson, Missouri Baptist University
Ericka Joiner, Southwestern College (Kan.)
Natalie Pedersen, Oklahoma Baptist University
Aybuke Keehne, Concordia University (Cal.)

Women's 3,000-Meter Race Walk

Nicola Evangelista, University of British Columbia
Tina Peters, Goshen College (Ind.)
Tessa Horst, Goshen College (Ind.)
Amanda Johnson, Lindsey Wilson College (Ky.)
Katie Burnett, William Penn University (Iowa)
Katie Malinowski, Cornerstone University (Mich.)

Women's 4x100-Meter Relay

Wayland Baptist University (Texas) (Latanya Nation, Kimberly Smith, Bianca Grant, Keleisha Ross)
McKendree University (Ill.) (Shilpa Hamilton, Kimberly Spencer, Bianca Grant, Keleisha Ross)
Shorter College (Ga.) (Chamila McIntosh, Ashlie Stewartson, Britany Sewell, K'lanca Dupree)
Oklahoma Baptist University (Marissa Mosely, Shondia Drew, Nicole Cummings, Verone Chambers)



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Aquinas College (Mich.) (Nicole Parker, Joordn Hail, Samantha DeStefano, Alison Strouse)
Lindenwood University (Mo.) (Teneignue Coulibaly, Francine Simpson, Ashlee Dorsett, Keith Kotan)

Women's 4x400-Meter Relay

Oklahoma Baptist University (Marissa Moseley, Sarah Patterson, Yesenia Avila, Verone Chambers)
Wayland Baptist University (Texas) (Keleisha Ross, Kimberly Smith, Leandria Lee, Purity Biwott)
Shorter College (Ga.) (Mia Jones, Ashlie Stewartson, Tia Moreland, K'lanca Dupree)
Point Loma Nazarene University (Calif.) (Victoria Anderson, Joran Turner, Kelsey Sutherland, Sarah Laine)
Concordia University (Neb.) (Emily Wolters, Katie Swanson, Charista Zehnder, Bethany Sutton)
Lindenwood University (Mo.) (Keith Kotan, Zhulieta Mechkarska, Jan Bennett, Teneignue Coulibaly)

Women's 4x800-Meter Relay

Simon Fraser University (B.C.) (Ali Hudson, Heather Mancall, Helen Crofts, Jessica Smith)
Malone College (Ohio) (Ashton Avery, Kayleigh Bildstein, Kim Winton, Emily Grad)
Point Loma Nazarene University (Calif.) (Kristen McGregor, Elise Manley, Angie Afman, Megan Moyer)
Oklahoma Baptist University (Yesenia Avila, Andrea Mellontrea, Optimum Baker, Alyssa Montegut)
Hastings College (Neb.) (Kay Broekmeier, Alyssa Farmer, Audry Curtis, Scottie Shaw)
Indiana Wesleyan University (Angi Wolgemuth, Cassidy Wagner, Kailee Whitaker, Lindsey Waggoner)

Women's High Jump

Natasha Miller, Biola University (Calif.)
Courtne Merritt, Cedarville University (Ohio)
Krystal Jackson, Briar Cliff University (Iowa)
Gretchen Clark, Doane College (Neb.)
Kelsey Wood, Concordia University (Calif.)
Erika Schmid, Concordia University (Ore.)
Kelsie Davis, Vanguard University (Calif.)

Women's Pole Vault

Kelsey Aide, Dickinson State University (N.D.)
Brianna Shippy, Oklahoma Baptist University
Dina Petridis, Indiana Institute of Technology
Rebecca Duckworth, Point Loma Nazarene University (Calif.)
Chelsey Ombum, Baker University (Kan.)
Ashley Fozkos, Olivet Nazarene University (Ill.)

Women's Long Jump

Francine Simpson, Lindenwood University (Mo.)
Charista Zehnder, Concordia University (Neb.)
Ashlee Miller, Baker University
Jasmine Coleman, Morris College (S.C.)
Joyce Oriah, Concordia University (Ore.)
Tasia Johnson, Tabor College

Women's Triple Jump

Cecilia Mboua, Lindenwood University (Mo.)
Zhulieta Mechkarska, Lindenwood University (Mo.)
Latanya Nation, Wayland Baptist University (Texas)
Kasey Kearin, Westmont College (Calif.)
Natasha Miller, Biola (Calif.)
Tiffeny Parker, Azusa Pacific University (Calif.)

Women's Shot Put

Jessica Becker, Bethany College (Kan.)
Aubrey Baxter, Black Hills State University (S.D.)
Katherine Tripp, Concordia University (Ore.)
Amber Brodersen, Black Hills State University (S.D.)
Lisa Hughes, Lindenwood University (Mo.)



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Denise Mattoon, Oklahoma Christian University

Women's Discus Throw

Annie Hase, Concordia University (Ore.)
Laura Wortmann, Mounty Marty College (S.D.)
Amber Brodersen, Black Hills State University (S.D.)
Nichole Arnold, Bethel College (Ind.)
Kristine Leonard, Concordia University (Ore.)
Emily Redmayne-Titley, Concordia University (Ore.)

Women's Hammer Throw

Aubrey Baxter, Black Hills State University (S.D.)
Jean Marqueling, University of St. Francis (Ind.)
Emily Brown, Clarke College (Iowa)
Denise Mattoon, Oklahoma Christian University
Charista Hofland, Dickinson State University (N.D.)
Lara Ter Laak, University of British Columbia

Women's Javelin Throw

Liz Gleadle, University of British Columbia
Ali Super, Lewis-Clark State College (Idaho)
Aria Nojima, Concordia University (Ore.)
Lauren Sexton, Concordia University (Ore.)
Tiffany Marinos, Fresno Pacific University (Calif.)
Vanessa Warzecha, Morningside College (Iowa)

Women's Heptathlon

Natasha Miller, Biola University (Calif.)
Rebecca Gustafson, Point Loma Nazarene University (Calif.)
Tiffany Patrick, Notre Dame College (Ohio)
Tiffany Parker, Azusa Pacific University (Calif.)
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Emily Holding, Point Loma Nazarene University (Calif.)

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Today, the NAIA strengthens its commitment to student-athletes and strives to enrich their college experience by supporting academic achievement and character development. NAIA *Champions of Character* is the association's innovative flagship program designed to instill character values in student-athletes, coaches and youth in the communities it serves.