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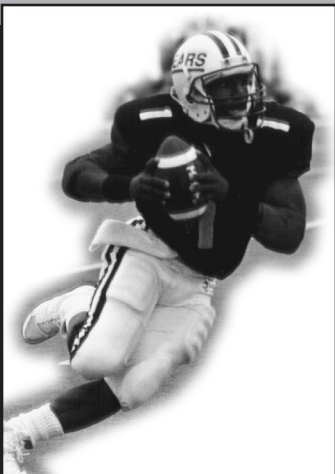


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OFFENSIVE PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

- 1985 Mike Smith, QB, UNI
- 1986 Sean Payton, QB, E. Illinois
- 1987 Carl Boyd, RB, UNI
- 1988 Paul Singer, QB, W. Illinois
- 1989 DeAndre Smith, QB, MSU
- 1990 DeAndre Smith, QB, MSU
- 1991 Derrick Franklin, RB, INS
- 1992 Toby Davis, RB, Illinois St.
- 1993 Kurt Warner, QB, UNI
- 1994 Rob St. Sauver, QB, W. Illinois
- 1995 Dedric Ward, WR, UNI
- 1996 Dedric Ward, WR, UNI
- 1997 Aaron Stecker, RB, W. Illinois
- 1998 Karlton Carpenter, RB, SIU
- 1999 Cornell Craig, WR, SIU
- 2000 Charles Tharp, RB, W. Illinois
- 2001 P.J. Mays, RB, YSU
- 2002 Russ Michna, QB, W. Illinois
- 2003 Russ Michna, QB, W. Illinois
- 2004 Joel Sambursky, QB, SIU
- 2005 Laurént Robinson, WR, ILS
- 2006 Marcus Mason, RB, YSU
- 2007 Eric Sanders, QB, UNI
- 2008 Herb Donaldson, RB, WIU
- 2009 Deji Karim, RB, S. Illinois
- 2010 Matt Barr, QB, W. Illinois
- 2011 Shakir Bell, RB, Indiana State
- 2012 Matt Brown, QB, Illinois State
- 2013 Brock Jensen, QB, NDSU
- 2014 Marshaun Coprich, RB, ILS
- 2015 Marshaun Coprich, RB, ILS
- 2016 Taryn Christian, QB, SDSU
- 2017 Chris Streveler, QB, USD
- 2018 Easton Stick, QB, NDSU
- 2019 Trey Lance, QB, NDSU
- 20-21 Mark Gronowski, QB, SDSU
- 2021 Jason Shelley, QB, MoState



DeAndre Smith of Missouri State was a two-time Offensive Player of the Year - winning in 1989 and in 1990.

1985

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Sean Payton, Eastern Illinois
- RB-- Keith Williams, Missouri State
Byron Mitchell, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Roy Banks, Eastern Illinois
Calvin Pierce, Eastern Illinois
- WR-- Dave Wilson, Illinois State
- OC-- David Heim, Missouri State
- OT-- Jim Meyer, Illinois State
Brad Sellenriek, Missouri State
- OG-- Kevin Bor, Missouri State
Mike Beneturski, Illinois State
- PK-- Paul Politi, Illinois State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Tom Moskal, Eastern Illinois
Ed Grimes, UNI
Terry Orth, UNI
Preston Estes, Missouri State
- LB-- James Houston, Missouri State
Mark Farley, UNI
Rich Spielman, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Joe Fuller, UNI
Moses Aimable, UNI
John Field, Southern Illinois
Jeff Smith, Illinois State
- P-- Barry Woodruff, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Mike Smith, UNI
- RB-- Carl Boyd, UNI
DuWayne Pitts, Eastern Illinois
- WR-- B.J. Torbert, Missouri State
Scott Francke, UNI
Ken Huddleston, Western Illinois
- OC-- Tom Baugh, Southern Illinois
- OT-- Al Speicher, UNI
Bill Bealles, UNI
- OG-- Frank Ori, UNI
Mark Caballero, UNI
- PK-- Danny Gasser, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Greg Lunak, Illinois State
Bob Kampf, Illinois State
Todd Auer, Western Illinois
Jeff Bealles, UNI
- LB-- Henry Saxon, UNI
Brian Gant, Illinois State
Mike Hryn, Western Illinois
- DB-- Mike Chatman, Missouri State
Marcus Ballard, Western Illinois
Bruce McCray, Western Illinois
Bob Bronaugh, Eastern Illinois
- P-- Mike Atzen, Missouri State

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

QB Mike Smith, UNI

DEFENSIVE PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

- LB James Houston, Missouri State
- LB Mark Farley, UNI

COACH OF THE YEAR

Darrell Mudra, UNI

1986

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Sean Payton, Eastern Illinois
- RB-- Carl Boyd, UNI
Mel Kirksy, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Roy Banks, Eastern Illinois
Calvin Pierce, Eastern Illinois

- TE-- Brian Baker, UNI
- OC-- Frank Winters, Western Illinois
- OT-- Mike Simmonds, Indiana State
Ralph Van Dyke, S. Illinois
- OG-- Chris Tayrien, Missouri State
Keith Blue, Western Illinois
- PK-- Paul Politi, Illinois State
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Todd Auer, Western Illinois
John Kropke, Illinois State
Jeff Bealles, UNI
John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Brian Gant, Illinois State
Mark Farley, UNI
Mike Hryn, Western Illinois
- DB-- Jeff Smith, Illinois State
Marcus Ballard, Western Illinois
Ira Davis, Southern Illinois
Steve McKeel, Indiana State
- P-- Clay Netusil, UNI

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Mike Smith, UNI
- RB-- James Marable, Eastern Illinois
Tony Gilbert, Missouri State
- WR-- Albert Brown, Western Illinois
Scott Francke, UNI
- TE-- Bruce Hipples, Southern Illinois
- OC-- Mark Hanssen, UNI
- OT-- Steve Bonnes, Eastern Illinois
David Smith, Southern Illinois
- OG-- Mark Banbury, Southern Illinois
Brent Westemeyer, W. Illinois
- PK-- Rich Ehmke, Eastern Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Preston Estes, Missouri State
Terry Orth, UNI
Shannon Berry, Western Illinois
Brad Crouse, Southern Illinois
Aaron Thomas, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- John Edwards, Southern Illinois
Tim Cunningham, Indiana State
Troy Johnson, Indiana State
- DB-- Bob Bronaugh, Eastern Illinois
Tom Blumenshine, Illinois State
R.L. Reynolds, Eastern Illinois
Dave McCorvey, UNI
- P-- Chuck Standiford, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

- RB-- Marty Casper, Illinois State
- WR-- Tim Turner, Illinois State
- OC-- Sean O'Brien, Eastern Illinois
- OG-- Jim Miteff, Eastern Illinois
Charles Calhoun, Illinois State
Louis Cox, UNI
- DL-- Art Stelken, UNI
John Juhler, Illinois State
- LB-- Ken Braden, Missouri State
Spencer Cowan, UNI
- DB-- Bruce McCray, Western Illinois
Willie Davis, Southern Illinois
Gary Conley, Illinois State
Chris Klieman, UNI

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

QB Sean Payton, Eastern Illinois

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Brian Gant, Illinois State

COACH OF THE YEAR

Al Molde, Eastern Illinois

1987

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Mike Smith, UNI
- RB-- Carl Boyd, UNI
DuWayne Pitts, Eastern Illinois
- WR-- Ralph Stewart, Eastern Illinois
Don Beebe, Western Illinois
Gary Cannon, Indiana State
- TE-- Sherrod Howard, UNI
- OC-- Mark Hanssen, UNI
- OT-- David Smith, Southern Illinois
Pete Endre, Indiana State
- OG-- Keith Blue, Western Illinois
Louis Cox, UNI
- PK-- Rich Ehmke, Eastern Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Jeff Bealles, UNI
John Kropke, Illinois State
Brad Crouse, Southern Illinois
Preston Estes, Missouri State
- LB-- Matt Soraghan, Missouri State
Marty Lomelino, Western Illinois
Ken Braden, Missouri State
- DB-- Daryl Holcomb, Eastern Illinois
Jeff Smith, Illinois State
Steve McKeel, Indiana State
Kevin Anderson, UNI
- P-- Mike Krause, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Paul Singer, Western Illinois
- RB-- Ron Westmoreland, Illinois State
Brett Grimshaw, Western Illinois
Byron Mitchell, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Wes Anderson, UNI
Billy Garrett, Illinois State
- TE-- Rodney Porter, Indiana State
Tom Bragg, Western Illinois
- OC-- Sean O'Brien, Eastern Illinois
- OT-- Ken Kolthoff, UNI
Doug Gardner, Missouri State
- OG-- Charles Calhoun, Illinois State
Mark Christensen, MSU
- PK-- Chris Potthast, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Jeff Rolson, Eastern Illinois
Bryan Cox, Western Illinois
Mark Bertram, Indiana State
Martin Williams, Western Illinois
Carl Parker, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Mike Carbonaro, S. Illinois
Bryce Paup, UNI
Ezell Shelton, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Jay Hurdle, Southern Illinois
Maurice Smith, Western Illinois
Jay Wade, Western Illinois
Craig Phillips, Missouri State
R.L. Reynolds, Eastern Illinois
- P-- Steve Tillotson, Eastern Illinois

Honorable Mention

- OT-- Dave Popp, Eastern Illinois
- OG-- Jim Miteff, Eastern Illinois
Layne Bennett, Western Illinois
- DL-- Rick Renner, Western Illinois
John Juhler, Illinois State
- LB-- John Hill, UNI
Antoine Liddell, Indiana State
- DB-- Chris Klieman, UNI
- P-- Jon Frangoulis, Missouri State

The all-league teams are selected by a panel consisting of league coaches, sports information directors and media. The conference Coach of the Year Honor is named in honor of the late Bruce Craddock, who died of liver cancer at the age of 46 in February of 1990. Craddock was at Western Illinois for seven years, compiling a 41-35-1 mark.

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

RB Carl Boyd, UNI

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Matt Soraghan, Missouri State

CO-COACHES OF THE YEAR

Darrell Mudra, UNI

Bruce Craddock, Western Illinois

1988

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Paul Singer, Western Illinois
- RB-- Vic Northern, Illinois State
- Tori Vactor, Indiana State
- WR-- Steve Elmlinger, Indiana State
- Steve Williams, Western Illinois
- TE-- Sherrod Howard, UNI
- OC-- Doug Gardner, Missouri State
- OT-- Rob Mason, Southern Illinois
- Dave Popp, Eastern Illinois
- OG-- Mark Christensen, MSU
- Ron Nesbitt, Western Illinois
- PK-- Doug Jackson, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Brad Crouse, Southern Illinois
- Vander Harris, Illinois State
- John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois
- Jeff Rolson, Eastern Illinois
- Marlin Williams, Western Illinois
- LB-- Armie Gasbarro, Western Illinois
- Ken Hopp, Indiana State
- James Turnage, Missouri State
- DB-- Scott Johnson, Eastern Illinois
- Troy Mickens, Indiana State
- Jay Wade, Western Illinois
- Emrick Wilcox, Western Illinois
- Mike McCabe, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- John Sahn, Indiana State
- RB-- Brett Grimshaw, Western Illinois
- Chuck Harmke, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Mike Borich, Western Illinois
- Ralph Stewart, Eastern Illinois
- TE-- Rodney Porter, Indiana State
- OC-- George Crouch, UNI
- OT-- Mark Botkin, UNI
- Brian Eddy, Missouri State
- OG-- Russ Rubie, UNI
- Dave Schumer, Illinois State
- PK-- Layne Bennett, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- James Bowens, Missouri State
- Demetrius Davis, Western Illinois
- Tim Peterson, UNI
- Rhett Schmidt, Indiana State
- LB-- Mike Kolpin, UNI
- Antoine Liddell, Indiana State
- Jeff Mills, Eastern Illinois
- DB-- Lavent Blaylock, Indiana State
- Mark Hein, UNI
- Daryl Holcombe, Eastern Illinois
- Craig Phillips, Missouri State
- Lorenzo Taylor, Western Illinois
- P-- Mike Krause, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

- RB-- Errol Peebles, UNI
- Rodney McConico, MSU
- WR-- Wes Anderson, UNI
- Bill Miller, Illinois State
- OC-- Dan Hackman, Illinois State
- Sean O'Brien, Eastern Illinois
- DL-- Ron Kirk, Southern Illinois
- Rick Ruether, Western Illinois
- James Jones, UNI
- Mike Campbell, UNI
- LB-- Bryce Paup, UNI
- Presley White, Western Illinois

DB-- Bill Hunter, Western Illinois

Antoine Worthman, Illinois State

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

QB Paul Singer, Western Illinois

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

DT John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois

COACH OF THE YEAR

Bruce Craddock, Western Illinois

1989

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- DeAndre Smith, Missouri State
- RB-- Phillip Collins, Missouri State
- Tony Gilbert, Missouri State
- TE-- Rodney Porter, Indiana State
- WR-- Milo Popovic, UNI
- Steve Williams, Western Illinois
- OC-- Greg Bolda, Missouri State
- OT-- Brian Eddy, Missouri State
- Brent Fischer, Eastern Illinois
- Dave Schumer, Illinois State
- OG-- Mark Christensen, MSU
- Eric Thorsen, Eastern Illinois
- PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Mark Bertram, Indiana State
- Michael Fox, Missouri State
- James Jones, UNI
- John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois
- Scott Underwood, Illinois State
- LB-- Armie Gasbarro, Western Illinois
- Kevin Kilgallon, Southern Illinois
- Jeff Mills, Eastern Illinois
- Bryce Paup, UNI
- James Turnage, Missouri State
- DB-- David Calhoun, Illinois State
- Bryan Cox, Western Illinois
- Daryl Holcombe, Eastern Illinois
- Tim Lance, Eastern Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- P-- Mike Krause, Western Illinois
- QB-- Eric Arnold, Eastern Illinois
- RB-- Jamie Jones, Eastern Illinois
- Shawn Young, Indiana State
- TE-- Tim Moore, Eastern Illinois
- WR-- Bill Miller, Illinois State
- Wesley Yates, Southern Illinois
- OC-- Dan Hackman, Illinois State
- OT-- John Douglass, Missouri State
- OG-- David Campbell, UNI
- Chris Reed, Missouri State
- PK-- Layne Bennett, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Shannon Ferbrache, S. Illinois
- Randy Walker, Illinois State
- Bill Walter, Missouri State
- LB-- Wilbert Brown, Illinois State
- DB-- Willie Davis, Southern Illinois
- Mark Hein, UNI
- R.L. Reynolds, Eastern Illinois
- Lorenzo Taylor, Western Illinois
- P-- Rob Hufty, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

- RB-- Ritchie Thompson, Illinois State
- WR-- Jason Cook, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Darren Neputy, Illinois State
- OG-- John Binkowski, Western Illinois
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- QB DeAndre Smith, Missouri State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- DT John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
- Jesse Branch, Missouri State

1990

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- DeAndre Smith, Missouri State
- RB-- Derrick Franklin, Indiana State
- Eric Jenkins, Missouri State
- TE-- Ken Kelly, Missouri State
- WR-- John Roots, Southern Illinois
- Charles Swann, Indiana State
- OC-- Mike Fontana, UNI
- John Wilcox, Missouri State
- OT-- Chris Kapilovic, Missouri State
- Mark Kropke, Illinois State
- OG-- John Binkowski, W. Illinois
- Chris Reed, Missouri State
- PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Michael Fox, Missouri State
- Tony Jones, Illinois State
- Darren Neputy, Illinois State
- Bill Walter, Missouri State
- LB-- Eric Christensen, Indiana State
- James Jones, UNI
- Kevin Kilgallon, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Willie Beamon, UNI
- Bryan Cox, Western Illinois
- Tim Lance, Eastern Illinois
- Marcus Shipp, Missouri State
- P-- Brian Pindar, Eastern Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Jay Johnson, UNI
- RB-- Mike Cox, Western Illinois
- Jamie Jones, Eastern Illinois
- TE-- Chris Nuss, UNI
- WR-- Larry Dickinson, Illinois State
- Kenny Shedd, UNI
- OC-- Brad Wagner, Western Illinois
- OT-- Kip Beach, Indiana State
- Seth Bonnette, UNI
- OG-- Brad Fichtel, Eastern Illinois
- Matt Irvin, Missouri State
- PK-- Richard Grote, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Doug Dutton, Indiana State
- Todd Eagen, UNI
- Pete Georges, Indiana State
- Kent McIntyre, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Matt Brinkman, UNI
- Wilbert Brown, Illinois State
- Robert Harbolt, Missouri State
- DB-- Anthony Burton, Illinois State
- Chris Klieman, UNI
- Jeff Long, Southern Illinois
- Lamar McGriggs, W. Illinois
- P-- David Peters, Southern Illinois

Honorable Mention

- QB-- John Stites, Indiana State
- RB-- Toby Davis, Illinois State
- Bernard Holloway, W. Illinois
- Vic Northern, Illinois State
- TE-- Yogi Henderson, S. Illinois
- WR-- Rory Feddersen, UNI
- OC-- Mark Francis, Southern Illinois
- Todd Schwager, Eastern Illinois
- OT-- Tim McDuffey, Missouri State
- Paul Weltha, Western Illinois
- OG-- Jason Jakovich, Southern Illinois
- DL-- Jeff Oetting, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- William Freeney, UNI
- Bryan McGrone, Indiana State
- John Noll, Eastern Illinois
- Sean Richardson, Missouri State
- DB-- Darren Washington, Illinois State
- Joe Allen, Western Illinois
- Tim Wells, Southern Illinois



Illinois State's Boomer Grigsby is the only league player to earn Defensive Player of the Year honors three times.

DEFENSIVE PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

- 1985 James Houston, LB, MSU
- Mark Farley, LB, UNI
- 1986 Brian Gant, LB, Illinois St.
- 1987 Matt Soraghan, LB, MSU
- 1988 John Jurkovic, DT, EIU
- 1989 John Jurkovic, DT, EIU
- 1990 Tim Lance, DB, E. Illinois
- 1991 William Freeney, LB, UNI
- 1992 William Freeney, LB, UNI
- 1993 Andre Allen, LB, UNI
- 1994 Andre Allen, LB, UNI
- 1995 Tim Carver, LB, E. Illinois
- 1996 Mike Miano, DL, MSU
- 1997 Harry Deligianis, DT, YSU
- 1998 James Milton, LB, W. Illinois
- 1999 Edgerton Hartwell, LB, WIU
- 2000 Edgerton Hartwell, LB, WIU
- 2001 Adam Vogt, LB, UNI
- 2002 Boomer Grigsby, LB, ILS
- 2003 Boomer Grigsby, LB, ILS
- 2004 Boomer Grigsby, LB, ILS
- 2005 Brent Hawkins, DE, ILS
- 2006 Cameron Siskowic, LB, ILS
- 2007 Brannon Carter, LB, UNI
- 2008 James Ruffin, DL, UNI
- 2009 James Ruffin, DL, UNI
- Danny Batten, DE, SDSU
- 2010 Kyle Glazier, LB, W. Illinois
- 2011 L.J. Fort, LB, UNI
- 2012 Marcus Williams, DB, NDSU
- 2013 Tyler Starr, LB, South Dakota
- 2014 Kyle Emanuel, DE, NDSU
- 2015 Deiondre' Hall, DB, UNI
- 2016 Karter Schultz, DE, UNI
- 2017 Brett Taylor, LB, W. Illinois
- 2018 Jabril Cox, LB, N. Dakota State
- 2019 Derrek Tuszka, DE, NDSU
- 20-21 Jared Brinkman, DL, UNI
- 2021 Jared Brinkman, DL, UNI



Craig Bohl was league Coach of the Year in 2011, 2012 and 2013, leading NDSU to a national title each time.

'BRUCE CRADDOCK' COACHES OF THE YEAR

- 1985 Darrell Mudra, UNI
- 1986 Al Molde, Eastern Illinois
- 1987 Darrell Mudra, UNI
- 1988 Bruce Craddock, W. Illinois
- 1989 Jesse Branch, MSU
- 1990 Jesse Branch, MSU
- 1991 Terry Allen, UNI
- 1992 Terry Allen, UNI
- 1993 Terry Allen, UNI
- 1994 Terry Allen, UNI
- 1995 Bob Spoo, Eastern Illinois
- 1996 Terry Allen, UNI
- 1997 Randy Ball, Western Illinois
- 1998 Todd Berry, Illinois State
- 1999 Todd Berry, Illinois State
- 2000 Don Patterson, W. Illinois
- 2001 Mark Farley, UNI
- 2002 Don Patterson, W. Illinois
- 2003 Jerry Kill, Southern Illinois
- 2004 Jerry Kill, Southern Illinois
- 2005 Jon Heacock, Youngstown St.
- 2006 Jon Heacock, Youngstown St.
- 2007 Mark Farley, UNI
- 2008 Dale Lennon, Southern Illinois
- 2009 Dale Lennon, Southern Illinois
- 2010 Trent Miles, Indiana State
- 2011 Craig Bohl, North Dakota State
- 2012 Craig Bohl, North Dakota State
- 2013 Craig Bohl, North Dakota State
- 2014 Brock Spack, Illinois State
- 2015 Bob Nielson, Western Illinois
- 2016 John Stiegelmeier, SDSU
- 2017 Chris Kiemann, NDSU
- 2018 Curt Mallory, Indiana State
- 2019 Matt Entz, North Dakota State
- 20-21 Bobby Petrino, Missouri State
- 2021 Matt Entz, North Dakota State

- P-- Brett Von Willer, Missouri State
- Dan Rush, UNI
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- QB DeAndre Smith, Missouri State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- DB Tim Lance, Eastern Illinois
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
- Jesse Branch, Missouri State

1991

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Jay Johnson, UNI
- RB-- Derrick Franklin, Indiana State
- Jamie Jones, Eastern Illinois
- TE-- Chris Nuss, UNI
- WR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
- Charles Swann, Indiana State
- OC-- Mark Francis, Southern Illinois
- OT-- Steve Dhaemers, UNI
- Tim McDuffey, Missouri State
- OG-- Tim Gleason, Eastern Illinois
- Matt Irvin, Missouri State
- PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Maxie Graham, Western Illinois
- Tony Jones, Illinois State
- Kent McIntyre, Eastern Illinois
- Bill Walter, Missouri State
- LB-- Wilbert Brown, Illinois State
- Eric Christensen, Indiana State
- William Freeney, UNI
- DB-- Tony Farrell, Eastern Illinois
- Marcus Shipp, Missouri State
- Adrian Smith, Missouri State
- Joe Woods, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- P-- Brian Pindar, Eastern Illinois
- QB-- Jeff Thorne, Eastern Illinois
- RB-- Toby Davis, Illinois State
- Kevin Hart, Western Illinois
- Yonel Jourdain, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Doug Amaya, Southern Illinois
- Brian Brown, Illinois State
- Tim Moore, Eastern Illinois
- WR-- Clarence Miller, Illinois State
- Justin Roebuck, Southern Illinois
- OC-- George Fitzsimmons, Indiana St.
- OT-- Tom Roth, Southern Illinois
- Paul Weltha, Western Illinois
- OG-- Fernando Peters, Illinois State
- Pat Williams, UNI
- PK-- Cameron Bair, Illinois State
- Matt Seman, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Doug Dutton, Indiana State
- Jon Manley, Southern Illinois
- Joe Remke, Eastern Illinois
- Dwayne Summers, S. Illinois
- LB-- Kevin Keith, UNI
- Ken McMillan, Western Illinois
- Tom Newberry, Illinois State
- Sean Richardson, MSU
- DB-- Elzie Barnett, Western Illinois
- Jeff Miles, Eastern Illinois
- Duane Peterson, UNI
- Steve Turzynski, Western Illinois
- P-- Steve Krieger, Indiana State
- Tim Mosley, UNI

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Paul Carney, Missouri State
- Brian Downey, Southern Illinois
- Adrian Wilson, Illinois State
- RB-- Hale Hitchcock, Missouri State
- Charles Lister, UNI

- Anthony Pegues, Missouri State
- Anthony Perry, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Demetrius Dowler, Indiana State
- Lance Earl, Western Illinois
- OC-- Brad Fichtel, Eastern Illinois
- OT-- Brian Callahan, Eastern Illinois
- Eric Liddell, Illinois State
- OG-- Mike Strickland, Southern Illinois
- DL-- Leo Brown, Western Illinois
- Dyrrah Christon, Indiana State
- Clint Cullen, Illinois State
- Dan Dee, Eastern Illinois
- Max Ford, Western Illinois
- Casey Smith, UNI
- LB-- Rob Moran, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Von Ganaway, Indiana State
- Simon Nelson, UNI
- Clint Smothers, Southern Illinois

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

RB Derrick Franklin, Indiana State

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB William Freeney, UNI

COACH OF THE YEAR

Terry Allen, UNI

1992

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Donny Simmons, Western Illinois
- RB-- Toby Davis, Illinois State
- David Wright, Indiana State
- TE-- Chris Nuss, UNI
- WR-- Demeris Johnson, W. Illinois
- Kenny Shedd, UNI
- OC-- Brad Fichtel, Eastern Illinois
- OT-- John Herrin, UNI
- Chuck Neitzel, Southern Illinois
- OG-- Jim Hansen, Western Illinois
- Matt Irvin, Missouri State
- PK-- Scott Obermeier, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Dyrrah Christon, Indiana State
- Clint Cullen, Illinois State
- Dan Dee, Eastern Illinois
- Casey Smith, UNI
- LB-- Peter Burns, UNI
- William Freeney, UNI
- Kenneth McMillan, W. Illinois
- DB-- Willie Beamon, UNI
- Rodney Harrison, W. Illinois
- Ray McElroy, Eastern Illinois
- Adrian Smith, Missouri State
- P-- Tim Mosley, UNI

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Jay Johnson, UNI
- RB-- Tank Corner, UNI
- Anthony Perry, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Brian Brown, Illinois State
- WR-- Steve Decker, Western Illinois
- Justin Roebuck, S. Illinois
- OC-- David Sharbaugh, Indiana State
- OT-- Elbert Betts, Illinois State
- Will LaClear, Missouri State
- OG-- Shawn Moore, Indiana State
- Mike Strickland, Southern Illinois
- PK-- Richard Grote, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Joe Belcher, Western Illinois
- Wayne Manu, Southern Illinois
- Rick Perry, Missouri State
- John Vakos, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Bill Dulin, Missouri State
- Shavez Hawkins, Eastern Illinois
- Chris Stevens, Illinois State
- DB-- Shumone Burnett, MSU

- Jason McCleary, UNI
- Clint Smothers, Southern Illinois
- Joseph Wallace, UNI
- P-- Steve Krieger, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Scott Gabbert, Southern Illinois
- Jeff Thorne, Eastern Illinois
- RB-- Yonel Jourdain, Southern Illinois
- David Nicol, Indiana State
- Anthony Pegues, Missouri State
- RB-- Jonah White, Missouri State
- WR-- Demetrius Dowler, Indiana State
- Steve Ross, Western Illinois
- Mike Rummell, Eastern Illinois
- OC-- Brent Haar, Illinois State
- Donald Mumma, UNI
- OG-- Richard Huddleston, W. Illinois
- Jason Jakovich, Southern Illinois
- PK/P-- Cameron Bair, Illinois State
- DT-- Tony Monroe, UNI
- LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
- Damon Frost, Missouri State
- DB-- Von Ganaway, Indiana State
- Franky West, Illinois State
- P-- Jason Caldwell, Eastern Illinois
- Ross Schulte, Western Illinois

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

RB Toby Davis, Illinois State

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB William Freeney, UNI

COACH OF THE YEAR

Terry Allen, UNI

1993

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Kurt Warner, UNI
- RB-- Willie High, Eastern Illinois
- David Wright, Indiana State
- TE-- Matt Harken, UNI
- WR-- Tim Mosley, UNI
- Billy Swain, Southern Illinois
- OC-- Donald Mumma, UNI
- OT-- Tim Giebels, Indiana State
- John Herrin, UNI
- OG-- Shawn Moore, Indiana State
- Mike Strickland, Southern Illinois
- PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana State
- Clint Cullen, Illinois State
- Demetrius Lane, Eastern Illinois
- Tony Monroe, UNI
- LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
- Cameron Flemming, MSU
- Chris Stevens, Illinois State
- DB-- Von Ganaway, Indiana State
- Rodney Harrison, W. Illinois
- Ray McElroy, Eastern Illinois
- Adrian Smith, Missouri State
- P-- Tim Mosley, UNI

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Danny Barnett, Illinois State
- RB-- Cameron Smith, Illinois State
- Jeff Stovall, UNI
- TE-- Gunnard Twyner, W. Illinois
- WR-- Chuck Calhoun, Missouri State
- Kevin Dixson, Illinois State
- OC-- Luke Hake, Missouri State
- OT-- David Dow, Missouri State
- Corey Mackey, Illinois State
- OG-- Richard Huddleston, W. Illinois
- Michael Hudnutt, UNI
- PK-- Steve Largent, Eastern Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Shane Brinton, Western Illinois
- Bobby Godwin, Missouri State
- Danny Magalei, Western Illinois
- Kevin Zeng, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
- Ken McMillan, Western Illinois
- Paul Wolf, UNI
- DB-- Jim Cravens, Southern Illinois
- Myron Glass, UNI
- Jason McCleary, UNI
- Joseph Wallace, UNI
- P-- Jay Gerth, Indiana State
- Honorable Mention**
- QB-- Kip Hennelly, Indiana State
- RB-- Anthony Pegues, Missouri State
- TE-- Dave Smith, Southern Illinois
- WR-- LaVance Banks, Southern Illinois
- Kevin Glenn, Illinois State
- Greg Jensik, Eastern Illinois
- OC-- John Bock, Indiana State
- Duane Conway, Eastern Illinois
- OT-- Jim Remsey, Southern Illinois
- OG-- Jason Jakovich, Southern Illinois
- Don Mensik, Eastern Illinois
- Brian Tierney, Western Illinois
- DL-- Dustin Rusch, Indiana State
- Casey Smith, UNI
- LB-- DeLaun Fowler, Missouri State
- Darnell Minniweather, UNI
- Clint Smothers, Southern Illinois
- Mike Strickland, Missouri State
- DB-- Todd Harrington, UNI
- Addison Morgan, Western Illinois
- Bill Randles, Illinois State
- Franky West, Illinois State
- P-- Ross Schulte, Western Illinois
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- QB Kurt Warner, UNI
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- LB Andre Allen, UNI
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
- Terry Allen, UNI

1994

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Rob St. Sauver, Western Illinois
- RB-- Willie High, Eastern Illinois
- Kendall McDonald, W. Illinois
- TE-- Matt Harken, UNI
- WR-- Gunnard Twyner, W. Illinois
- Dedric Ward, UNI
- OL-- Dan Bower, UNI
- Jeff Gill, Southern Illinois
- Richard Huddleston, W. Illinois
- Donald Mumma, UNI
- Andy Ziebarth, Illinois State
- PK-- Matt Waller, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana State
- Brian Moretz, UNI
- Dustin Rusch, Indiana State
- Kevin Zeng, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
- Jason Vasconez, Western Illinois
- DB-- Duane Butler, Illinois State
- Myron Glass, UNI
- Jason McCleary, UNI
- Ray McElroy, Eastern Illinois
- P-- Ross Schulte, Western Illinois
- RS-- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois
- SECOND TEAM OFFENSE**
- QB-- Brett O'Donnell, UNI

- RB-- Jeff Stovall, UNI
- David Wright, Indiana State
- TE-- Damon Jones, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Kevin Dixon, Illinois State
- Greg Jensik, Eastern Illinois
- OL-- Dave Connell, Illinois State
- Luke Hake, Missouri State
- Brad Kubik, Missouri State
- Adam Love, Western Illinois
- Mike Richart, Eastern Illinois
- PK-- Keith Jones, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Matt Egluff, Indiana State
- Armandos Fisher, Illinois State
- Tom Procter, Missouri State
- Damon Turner, Illinois State
- LB-- Scott Durlinger, UNI
- DeLaun Fowler, Missouri State
- Paul Wolf, UNI
- DB-- Todd Harrington, UNI
- Willie Parks, Missouri State
- Frank Spraggins, Western Illinois
- Franky West, Illinois State
- P-- Mark Gagliano, Southern Illinois
- RS-- Deon McDaniel, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Pete Mauch, Eastern Illinois
- RB-- Dee Debro, Missouri State
- TE-- Tim Achterberg, Illinois State
- Larry Gauer, Indiana State
- WR-- Fabien Bownes, Western Illinois
- Reggie Fowler, Southern Illinois
- Jake Kothe, UNI
- Kyle Robinson, Illinois State
- OL-- Tim Herrin, Indiana State
- Gil Plasencia, Western Illinois
- PK-- Wayne Boyer, Missouri State
- DL-- Ryan Behr, UNI
- Harvie Herrington, W. Illinois
- Chris Wikerson, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Tommy Anderson, S. Illinois
- Kevin Hammond, UNI
- Mike Miller, Eastern Illinois
- Mike Nelson, Indiana State
- Chris Stevens, Illinois State
- DB-- Darnell Hendricks, S. Illinois
- P-- Chris Hurst, Missouri State
- RS-- Jason McCleary, UNI

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

QB Rob St. Sauver, Western Illinois

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Andre Allen, UNI

COACH OF THE YEAR

Terry Allen, UNI

1995

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Chris Berg, UNI
- RB-- Willie High, Eastern Illinois
- David Wright, Indiana State
- TE-- Damon Jones, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Gunnard Twyner, Western Illinois
- Dedric Ward, UNI
- OL-- Chris Anderson, Eastern Illinois
- Dan Bower, UNI
- Luke Hake, Missouri State
- David Papp, Indiana State
- Willie Ross, Illinois State
- PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Marc Afoa, Western Illinois
- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana State
- Eric Johnson, Illinois State
- Brian Moretz, UNI

- LB-- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
- DeLaun Fowler, Missouri State
- Chris Stevens, Illinois State
- DB-- Darnell Hendricks, S. Illinois
- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois
- Bill Randles, Illinois State
- Tyree Talton, UNI

P-- Chris Hurst, Missouri State

RS-- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Pete Mauch, Eastern Illinois
- RB-- Keith Goodnight, Illinois State
- Jeff Stovall, UNI
- TE-- Tim Achterberg, Illinois State
- WR-- Jason Cannon, Missouri State
- Kyle Robinson, Illinois State
- OL-- Brad Kubik, Missouri State
- Bob Mehorczyk, Western Illinois
- Jon Pilcher, UNI
- Gil Plasencia, Western Illinois
- Andy Ziebarth, Illinois State

PK-- Tom Allison, Indiana State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Ryan Behr, UNI
- Larry Langlois, Illinois State
- Brian McGavock, Eastern Illinois
- Mike Miano, Missouri State
- LB-- Kevin Hammond, UNI
- Chris Libaire, Indiana State
- Tim Miller, UNI
- DB-- Duane Butler, Illinois State
- James Dorsey, Eastern Illinois
- Willie Parks, Missouri State
- Frank Spraggins, Western Illinois

P-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State

RS-- Karlton Carpenter, S. Illinois

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Jeff Hecklinski, Western Illinois
- RB-- Chris Hicks, Eastern Illinois
- Brian Knuckles, Western Illinois
- WR-- Jarrett Jackson, Illinois State
- Phil Perkins, Missouri State
- Chris Sabino, Western Illinois
- TE-- Matt Harken, UNI
- Charlie Roche, Eastern Illinois
- OL-- Larry Mullins, Southern Illinois
- PK-- Steve Largent, Eastern Illinois
- DL-- Ryan Culver, Western Illinois
- Mike Likens, Indiana State
- Curtis Price, Eastern Illinois
- LB-- Bennie McLin, Missouri State
- Don Martin, Illinois State
- Dannie Spann, UNI
- Brian Tranchitella, S. Illinois
- DB-- Jerry Creer, Illinois State
- Branyon Davis, Missouri State
- Robert High, Indiana State
- Dre' Knox, Indiana State

P-- Mark Gagliano, Southern Illinois

RS-- Anthony Taylor, UNI

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

WR Dedric Ward, UNI

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois

COACH OF THE YEAR

Bob Spoo, Eastern Illinois

1996

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Steve Beard, UNI
- RB-- Coe Bonner, Southern Illinois
- Michael Cosey, Missouri State
- TE-- Damon Jones, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Alonzo Clayton, UNI

NEWCOMERS OF THE YEAR

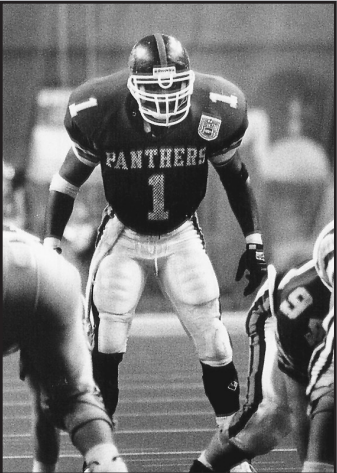
- 1994 Buck Phillips, CB, W. Illinois
- 1995 Jason Cannon, WR, MSU
- 1996 Vince Bruno, LB, W. Illinois
- 1997 Aaron Stecker, RB, W. Illinois
- 1998 David Bowens, DE, W. Illinois
- 1999 Charles Tharp, RB, W. Illinois
- 2000 Teddy Sims, LB, SIU
- 2001 Julian Reese, QB, INS
- 2002 Muhammad Abdulqaadir, RB, SIU
- 2003 Terrance Freeney, RB, UNI
- 2004 Brandon Jacobs, RB, SIU
- 2005 Marcus Mason, RB, YSU
- 2006 Darian Williams, RB, UNI
- 2007 Ferlando Williams, WR, YSU
- 2008 Brandon Summers, QB, YSU
- 2009 Antoine Wilkinson, LB, MSU
- 2010 Tirrell Rennie, QB, UNI
- 2011 Jewel Hampton, RB, S. Illinois
- 2012 Sawyer Kollmorgen, QB, UNI
- 2013 Martin Ruiz, RB, YSU
- 2014 Tre Roberson, QB, ILS
- 2015 Aaron Bailey, QB, UNI
- 2016 Chris Streveler, QB, USD
- 2017 Jabril Cox, LB, NDSU
- 2018 Ryan Boyle, QB, Indiana St.
- 2019 Trey Lance, QB, N. Dakota St.
- 20-21 Mark Gronowski, QB, SDSU
- 2021 Jason Shelley, QB, MoState

FRESHMEN OF THE YEAR

- 1999 Dusty Burk, QB, Illinois State
- 2000 Lee Russell, LB, W. Illinois
- 2001 Tom Petrie, QB, UNI
- 2002 Joel Sambursky, QB, SIU
- 2003 Justin Haddix, QB, WKU
- 2004 Eric Sanders, QB, UNI
- 2005 Tom Nelson, DB, Illinois State
- 2006 Brandin Jordan, LB, S. Illinois
- 2007 Cody Kirby, QB, Missouri St.
- 2008 Kamryn Keys, RB, YSU
- 2009 Matt Brown, QB, Illinois State
- 2010 Kurt Hess, QB, YSU
- 2011 Austin Sumner, QB, SDSU
- 2012 Sawyer Kollmorgen, QB, UNI
- 2013 Martin Ruiz, RB, YSU
- 2014 Jake Wieneke, WR, SDSU
- 2015 Andrew Van Ginkel, DE, USD
- 2016 Christian Rozeboom, LB, SDSU
- 2017 Jabril Cox, LB, NDSU
- 2018 Pierre Strong Jr., RB, SDSU
- 2019 Trey Lance, QB, N. Dakota St.
- 20-21 Mark Gronowski, QB, SDSU
- 2021 Demeatric Crenshaw, QB, YSU



Despite playing for a fifth-place team, RB Derrick Franklin was voted the league's Offensive MVP in 1991.



Andre Allen of UNI took Defensive Player of the Year honors in back-to-back seasons in 1993 and in 1994.

- Dedric Ward, UNI
- OL-- Steve Jones, Southern Illinois
- Brad Kubik, Missouri State
- Chip McPheeters, W. Illinois
- Andy Pattee, UNI
- Andy Ziebarth, Illinois State
- PK-- Wayne Boyer, Missouri State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Ryan Culver, Western Illinois
- Earenest Grayson, MSU
- Eric Johnson, Illinois State
- Mike Miano, Missouri State
- LB-- Bennie McLin, Missouri State
- Tim Miller, UNI
- Richard Moss, Indiana State
- DB-- Duane Butler, Illinois State
- Dre' Knox, Indiana State
- Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois
- Tyree Talton, UNI
- P-- Mark Gagliano, Southern Illinois
- RS-- Tyree Talton, UNI

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Jeff Hecklinski, Western Illinois
- RB-- Brian Knuckles, Western Illinois
- Jeff Stovall, UNI
- TE-- Lincoln Sharar, UNI
- WR-- Jason Cannon, Missouri State
- Reggie Fowler, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Chris Clapp, UNI
- Jason Grott, Western Illinois
- Brad Meester, UNI
- Paxton Parker, Missouri State
- Brad Schwing, Indiana State
- PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- T.C. Barney, UNI
- Larry Fitzpatrick, Illinois State
- Mike Likens, Indiana State
- Wayne Stewart, Western Illinois
- LB-- Vince Bruno, Western Illinois
- Ty Locatelli, Western Illinois
- Dannie Spann, UNI
- DB-- Jerry Creer, Illinois State
- Mickey Dalton, UNI
- Lamont Nicholson, W. Illinois
- Travis Richardson, MSU
- P-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State
- RS-- Larry Scally, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Jeremy Hoog, Missouri State
- RB-- Ben Wolfe, Indiana State
- WR-- Jon Moffitt, Western Illinois
- TE-- Dave Smith, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Eric Delaere, Illinois State
- Bob Dymont, Western Illinois
- Lawrence Watkins, S. Illinois
- Jason Whittle, Missouri State
- PK-- Matt Waller, UNI
- DL-- Andy Edmondson, W. Illinois
- Shannon Jackson, Indiana State
- Travis Niekamp, Illinois State
- Tom Procter, Missouri State
- LB-- Tim Angsten, Illinois State
- DB-- Marcus Easter, UNI
- Robert High, Indiana State
- C.J. McDavid, Southern Illinois
- Terrance Malone, UNI
- P-- Wayne Boyer, Missouri State
- RS-- Jamaine Blalock, Western Illinois

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

WR Dedric Ward, UNI

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

DT Mike Miano, Missouri State

COACH OF THE YEAR

Terry Allen, UNI

1997

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Jeff Hecklinski, Western Illinois
- RB-- Jake Andreadis, Youngstown St.
- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois
- TE-- Brad St. Louis, Missouri State
- WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI
- Marquis Mosely, Illinois State
- OL-- Matt Hogg, Youngstown State
- Todd Kollar, Youngstown State
- Brad Kubik, Missouri State
- Chip McPheeters, W. Illinois
- Andy Pattee, UNI

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Cyron Brown, Western Illinois
- Harry Deligianis, Youngstown St.
- Shannon Jackson, Indiana State
- Erik Nelson, UNI
- LB-- Corky Martin, Missouri State
- Tom Paolucci, Youngstown State
- Matt Pedersen, UNI
- DB-- Robert High, Indiana State
- Frank Spraggins, Western Illinois
- Tyree Talton, UNI
- Dwylte Smiley, Youngstown State
- P-- John Amitrano, Southern Illinois
- RS-- Jamaine Blalock, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Shane Fortney, UNI
- RB-- Maurice Daniels, Missouri State
- Terry Hollimon, UNI
- TE-- Chad Ames, Indiana State
- WR-- Alonzo Clayton, UNI
- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Chris Clapp, UNI
- Jason Grott, Western Illinois
- Brad Meester, UNI
- Corey Olson, Western Illinois
- Jason Whittle, Missouri State
- PK-- Keith Jones, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Corey Brunsvold, Missouri State
- Larry Fitzpatrick, Illinois State
- Travis Niekamp, Illinois State
- Dave Watson, Western Illinois
- LB-- Tim Angsten, Illinois State
- James Milton, Western Illinois
- Percy Scott, Illinois State
- DB-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State
- Kyle Bibbs, Indiana State
- Kernard Killingsworth, Illinois St.
- Freddie Taylor, Southern Illinois
- P-- Jake Strader, Illinois State
- RS-- Marquis Mosely, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Kevin Glenn, Illinois State
- Jeremy Hoog, Missouri State
- Demond Tidwell, Youngstown
- RB-- Adrian Brown, Youngstown
- Ed Josephs, Western Illinois
- WR-- Eddie Berlin, UNI
- Jamaine Blalock, Western Illinois
- Jason Cannon, Missouri State
- Jim Farrell, Western Illinois
- Rick Garrett, Illinois State
- Theodo Griffin, Western Illinois
- Anthony Williams, Indiana State
- OL-- Matt Beals, UNI
- Jason Krivis, Southern Illinois
- Walter Skeate, Southern Illinois
- DL-- David Hunter, Indiana State
- Mitch Minick, Missouri State
- Tavita Tovia, Southern Illinois

- LB-- Joe Dunn, Indiana State
- Travis Schipper, UNI
- Galen Scott, Illinois State
- Mike Stanec, Youngstown State
- P-- Jeff Baker, Western Illinois
- Travis Brawner, Missouri State
- RS-- Tyree Talton, UNI

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

RB Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

DT Harry Deligianis, Youngstown St.

COACH OF THE YEAR

Randy Ball, Western Illinois

1998

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Kevin Glenn, Illinois State
- RB-- Karlton Carpenter, S. Illinois
- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois
- TE-- Brad St. Louis, Missouri State
- WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI
- Rickey Garrett, Illinois State
- OL-- Matt Beals, UNI
- Steve Farmer, Illinois State
- Brad Meester, UNI
- Ian Shirey, Youngstown State
- Walter Skeate, Southern Illinois

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- David Bowens, Western Illinois
- Troy Lefevra, Indiana State
- Chad Pegues, Illinois State
- Dave Watson, Western Illinois
- LB-- James Milton, Western Illinois
- Matt Pedersen, UNI
- Galen Scott, Illinois State
- DB-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State
- Donnie Caldwell, Western Illinois
- Tyree Talton, UNI
- Dwylte Smiley, Youngstown St.

P-- Jeff Baker, Western Illinois

RS-- Donnie Caldwell, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Derek Jensen, Missouri State
- RB-- Aveion Cason, Illinois State
- Maurice Daniels, Missouri State
- TE-- Derrick Roy, UNI
- WR-- Eddie Berlin, UNI
- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Tony Flint, Missouri State
- Casey Honkomp, W. Illinois
- Jim Lawhorn, Southern Illinois
- Eric Martin, Indiana State
- Mike Rodbro, Illinois State
- PK-- Joe Lopez, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Frank Emeterio, Missouri State
- Shannon Jackson, Indiana State
- Scott Meredith, UNI
- Erik Nelson, UNI
- LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
- Corky Martin, Missouri State
- Tony Pryor, Indiana State
- DB-- Mike Carter, Western Illinois
- Isaac Harvin, Missouri State
- Terrance Malone, UNI
- Anthony Pannunzio, YSU
- P-- John Amitrano, Southern Illinois
- RS-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Ryan Helming, UNI
- Kent Skornia, Southern Illinois
- Mark Zanders, Western Illinois
- RB-- Adrian Brown, Youngstown State

Steve Jenkins, UNI
 Matt Nelson, Indiana State
 TE-- Scott Preusker, Illinois State
 Rich Seubert, Western Illinois
 WR-- Jeff Hewitt, Missouri State
 OL-- Brian Billick, UNI
 Tony Knutson, Illinois State
 Frank Rutherford, YSU
 PK-- Mark Griffith, Youngstown State
 DL-- Jerry Arnold, Missouri State
 Tavita Tovio, Southern Illinois
 LB-- Matt Graham, Indiana State
 Bart Scott, Southern Illinois
 Mike Stanec, Youngstown State
 DB-- Mike Gailey, Missouri State
 Derrick Varnado, Western Illinois
 P-- Jake Strader, Illinois State
 RS-- Tyree Talton, UNI
OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 RB Karlton Carpenter, S. Illinois
DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 LB James Milton, Western Illinois
COACH OF THE YEAR
 Todd Berry, Illinois State

1999

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

QB-- Ryan Helming, UNI
 RB-- Adrian Brown, Youngstown State
 Charles Tharp, Western Illinois
 TE-- Brad St. Louis, Missouri State
 WR-- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
 Mike Furrey, UNI
 OL-- Matt Beals, UNI
 Casey Honkomp, Western Illinois
 Brad Meester, UNI
 Mike Rodbro, Illinois State
 Ian Shirey, Youngstown State
 PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

DL-- Damian Gregory, Illinois State
 Shannon Jackson, Indiana State
 Troy Lefevra, Indiana State
 Dave Watson, Western Illinois
 LB-- Ian Dominelli, Youngstown State
 Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
 Matt Pedersen, UNI
 DB-- DeJuan Alfonso, Indiana State
 Dwyte Smiley, Youngstown St.
 Derrick Varnado, Western Illinois
 Sam Young, Illinois State
 P-- Anthony Rozzo, Youngstown St.
 RS-- Aveion Cason, Illinois State
SECOND TEAM OFFENSE
 QB-- Sherard Poteete, Southern Illinois
 RB-- Adam Bengé, UNI
 Jason Ringena, Missouri State
 TE-- Scott Preusker, Illinois State
 WR-- Eddie Berlin, UNI
 Rickey Garrett, Illinois State
 OL-- Dan Hama, Illinois State
 Jim Lawhorn, Southern Illinois
 Eric Martin, Indiana State
 Jason Stealy, Missouri State
 Ted Wulf, Illinois State
 PK-- Jake Strader, Illinois State
SECOND TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Devon Finn, Illinois State
 Frank Kaydo, Youngstown State
 Jack Mitchell, UNI
 Tavita Tovio, Southern Illinois
 LB-- Tim Johnson, Youngstown State
 Corky Martin, Missouri State
 Galen Scott, Illinois State

DB-- Ryan Doak, UNI
 Jeff Killeen, Missouri State
 Jerome Peterson, UNI
 Ryan Szokola, Illinois State
 P-- Jake Strader, Illinois State
 RS-- DeJuan Alfonso, Indiana State
Honorable Mention
 QB-- Jay Rodgers, Missouri State
 Jeff Ryan, Youngstown State
 RB-- Walter James, Illinois State
 Tom Koutsos, Southern Illinois
 Matt Nelson, Indiana State
 Willie Watts, Illinois State
 TE-- J.R. Niklos, Western Illinois
 WR-- Elliott Giles, Youngstown State
 OL-- Brandon Frick, Southern Illinois
 Eric Owens, Missouri State
 Rich Seubert, Western Illinois
 PK-- Scott Everhart, Southern Illinois
 DL-- Luis Almanzar, Missouri State
 Matt Peterson, UNI
 LB-- Mike Bandy, Indiana State
 Scott Cook, Illinois State
 Kawonza Swan, Youngstown St.
 DB-- Michael Brooks, Indiana State
 David Gunn, UNI
 Brandon Rutledge, UNI
 P-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State
 RS-- Ashlee Frazier, Western Illinois
OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 WR Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 LB Edgerton Hartwell, Western Illinois
COACH OF THE YEAR
 Todd Berry, Illinois State

2000

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

QB-- Ryan Helming, UNI
 RB-- Tom Koutsos, Southern Illinois
 Charles Tharp, Western Illinois
 TE-- J.R. Niklos, Western Illinois
 WR-- Eddie Berlin, UNI
 Jeff Hewitt, Missouri State
 OL-- Aaron Buss, UNI
 Pat Crummey, Youngstown State
 Dan Hama, Illinois State
 Brad Harms, UNI
 Rich Seubert, Western Illinois
 PK-- Jake Strader, Illinois State
FIRST TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Luis Almanzar, Missouri State
 Devon Finn, Illinois State
 Matt Mechling, Youngstown St.
 Tavita Tovio, Southern Illinois
 LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
 Tim Johnson, Youngstown State
 Galen Scott, Illinois State
 DB-- Ryan Doak, UNI
 Will Peterson, Western Illinois
 Ryan Szokola, Illinois State
 Sam Young, Illinois State
 P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois
 RS-- David Gunn, UNI

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

QB-- Jeff Ryan, Youngstown State
 RB-- Jason Ringena, Missouri State
 Willie Watts, Illinois State
 TE-- Justin Nofal, UNI
 WR-- Jake Soliday, UNI
 Bobby Starks, Western Illinois
 OL-- Jake Harriger, Missouri State
 Eric Martin, Indiana State
 Andy King, Illinois State

Eric Owens, Missouri State
 Chad Setterstrom, UNI
 PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
SECOND TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Bryan Archibald, S. Illinois
 David Bull, Illinois State
 Robert Hamre, UNI
 Mario Turner, Missouri State
 LB-- Corky Martin, Missouri State
 Lee Russell, Western Illinois
 Teddy Sims, Southern Illinois
 DB-- Ed Blizzard, Youngstown State
 David Gunn, UNI
 Bruce Hightower, Youngstown
 Reggie Waddell, Western Illinois
 P-- Jake Strader, Illinois State
 RS-- Ryan Szokola, Illinois State
Honorable Mention
 QB-- Sam Clemons, Western Illinois
 Kevin Glenn, Illinois State
 RB-- Michael Gerrell, UNI
 Walter James, Illinois State
 TE-- Ryan Hannam, UNI
 WR-- Vito Golson, Illinois State
 OL-- James Broyles, Missouri State
 Dave Tesniarz, Youngstown St.
 PK-- Brian Long, Missouri State
 DL-- Brian Broussard, Southern Illinois
 Matt Mitchell, UNI
 LaMarcus Spillers, S. Illinois
 Montrial Thomas, Youngstown St.
 LB-- Dietrich Lapsley, Indiana State
 Junior Robinson, Western Illinois
 Adam Vogt, UNI
 DB-- Brent Browner, UNI
 Donte King, Missouri State
 Terrance Miles, Indiana State
 Dante Stovall, Southern Illinois
 Damon Williams, Western Illinois
 Brent Withers, Missouri State
 P-- Troy Lefever, Youngstown State
 RS-- Keith Herron, Indiana State
OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 RB Charles Tharp, Western Illinois
DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 LB Edgerton Hartwell, Western Illinois
COACH OF THE YEAR
 Don Patterson, Western Illinois

2001

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

QB-- Sam Clemons, Western Illinois
 RB-- Tom Koutsos, Southern Illinois
 P.J. Mays, Youngstown State
 TE-- J.R. Niklos, Western Illinois
 WR-- Frisman Jackson, W. Illinois
 Jake Soliday, UNI
 OL-- Pat Crummey, Youngstown State
 Jake Harriger, Missouri State
 Andy King, Illinois State
 Chris Price, Western Kentucky
 Chad Setterstrom, UNI
 PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
FIRST TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Bryan Archibald, S. Illinois
 Richard Harris, Indiana State
 Patrick Reynolds, Western Ky.
 Enoch Smith, Missouri State
 LB-- Sherrod Coates, Western Ky.
 Erik Dandy, Western Kentucky
 Bart Scott, Southern Illinois
 Adam Vogt, UNI
 DB-- LeVar Greene, Youngstown St.
 Bruce Hightower, YSU

Best of the Best

Forty-seven players have earned first-team all-conference honors three or more seasons, and only three have earned first-team all-conference honors all four years.

Four-Time First-Teamers (3)

DB Ty Talton, UNI (1995-96-97-98)
 LB Christian Rozeboom, SDSU (2016-17-18-19)
 WR Jake Wieneke, SDSU (2014-15-16-17)

Three-Time First-Teamers (44)

OL Buster Ashley, WKU (2002-03-04)
 DE Dan Brandenburg, INS (1993-94-95)
 PK Travis Brawner, MSU (1997-98-99)
 PK Matthew Cook, UNI (2019-20-21)
 WR Mike Furrey, UNI (1997-98-99)
 TE Dallas Goedert, SDSU (2015-16-17)
 LB Boomer Grigsby, ILS (2002-03-04)
 DB Robbie Grimsley, NDSU (2016-17-18)
 TE Clay Harbor, MSU (2007-08-09)
 RS Deion Holliman, MSU (2015-16-17)
 RB Willie High, E. Illinois (1993-94-95)
 DE John Jurkovic, E. Illinois (1986, 88-89)
 OL Fred Layne, W. Illinois (2002-03-04)
 DB Ray McElroy, E. Illinois (1992-93-94)
 DL Greg Menard, NDSU (2015-16-18)
 PK Brian Mitchell, UNI (1989-90-91)
 DL Kyle Mitchell, INS (2003-04-05)
 DB Alexis Moreland, SIU (2002-03-04)
 DE Ben Obaseki, INS (2010-11-12)
 LB Matt Pedersen, UNI (1997-98-99)
 TE MyCole Pruitt, SIU (2012-13-14)
 P Scott Ravanasi, SIU (2007-08-09)
 OL Chad Rinehart, UNI (2005-06-07)
 DL Derek Rivers, YSU (2014-15-16)
 RB James Robinson, ILS (2017-18-19)
 DL James Ruffin, UNI (2007-08-09)
 DL Mychal Savage, YSU (2006-07-09)
 TE Brad St. Louis, MSU (1997-98-99)
 DB Caleb Schaffitzel, MSU (2012-13-14)
 P Mike Scifres, WIU (2000-01-02)
 CB Dwyte Smiley, YSU (1997-98-99)
 DB Adrion Smith, MSU (1991-92-93)
 DB Jeff Smith, Illinois State (1985-86-87)
 RB Pierre Strong Jr., SDSU (2019-20-21)
 DB Patrick Stoudamire, WIU (2007-08-09)
 DB Ty Talton, UNI (1995-96-97-98)
 LB James Terry, YSU (2005-06-07)
 RS Craig Turner, SIU (2005-06-07)
 OL Cordell Volson, NDSU (2019-20-21)
 WR Detric Ward, UNI (1993-94-95)
 WR Jake Wieneke, SDSU (2014-15-16-17)
 DB Marcus Williams, NDSU (2011-12-13)
 RB David Wright, INS (1992-93, 95)
 RB Zach Zenner, SDSU (2012-13-14)



Western Illinois QB Russ Michna is one of four players to earn Offensive MVP honors twice (2002, 2003).



MSU's Brad St. Louis was a three-time all-league pick and was a long snapper for the NFL's Bengals.

- Joseph Jefferson, Western Ky.
- Mel Mitchell, Western Kentucky
- P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois
- RS-- Jerald Burley, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Jeff Ryan, Youngstown State
- RB-- Adam Bengé, UNI
- Willie Watts, Illinois State
- TE-- Ryan Hannam, UNI
- WR-- Vito Golson, Illinois State
- Mark Marcos, Missouri State
- OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.
- Gabe Dunkmann, W. Illinois
- Eric Owens, Missouri State
- David Tesniarz, Youngstown St.
- Daniel Withrow, Western Ky.
- Teddy Wulf, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- David Bull, Illinois State
- Robert Hamre, UNI
- Terrell Morgan, UNI
- Mike O'Brien, Western Illinois
- LB-- P.J. Jones, Missouri State
- Lee Russell, Western Illinois
- Russell Stuvaints, YSU
- DB-- Brent Browner, UNI
- Daryon Brutley, UNI
- Terrance Miles, Indiana State
- Kyle Moffatt, Western Kentucky
- P-- Brian Claybourn, Western Ky.
- RS-- Jake Soliday, UNI

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Austin Moherman, Missouri State
- Donte Pimpleton, Western Ky.
- RB-- DeWayne Gallishaw, WKU
- TE-- Mark Schaeve, Illinois State
- WR-- Kevin Dean, Indiana State
- OL-- Sid Swartzendruber, Indiana St.
- Ben Deike, UNI
- Chad Graefen, Southern Illinois
- Mike Fritzlér, Southern Illinois
- Jeff Bristol, Missouri State
- PK-- Jake Stewart, Youngstown State
- DL-- Jonathan Friend, Illinois State
- Chad Daun, Western Illinois
- LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
- Chris Sapp, Indiana State
- Carlos Dallis, UNI
- Jason McWilliams, W. Illinois
- Jon Drummond, Western Ky.
- Bob Sivik, Youngstown State
- DB-- Chris Stimmel, UNI
- Jon Pendergrass, S. Illinois
- Damon Williams, Western Illinois
- Antulio Aroche, Youngstown St.
- P-- Eddie Pena, Missouri State
- RS-- Joseph Jefferson, Western Ky.

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

RB P.J. Mays, Youngstown State

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Adam Vogt, UNI

COACH OF THE YEAR

Mark Farley, UNI

2002

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Russ Michna, Western Illinois
- RB-- Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
- P.J. Mays, Youngstown State
- TE-- R.J. Luke, Western Illinois
- WR-- Stacy Coleman, Western Illinois
- Marlus Mays, UNI
- OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

- Crockett Ladd, Missouri State
- Fred Layne, Western Illinois
- Chris Price, Western Kentucky
- Chad Setterstrom, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
- DL-- Jonathan Friend, Illinois State
- Richard Harris, Indiana State
- Mike O'Brien, Western Illinois
- Patrick Reynolds, Western Ky.
- LB-- Sherrod Coates, Western Ky.
- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
- Dietrich Lapsley, Indiana State
- Lee Russell, Western Illinois
- DB-- Victor Campbell, Western Illinois
- Jeremy Chandler, Western Ky.
- Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois
- Antonio Veals, Western Ky.

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois
- RS-- Soso Dede, Indiana State
- QB-- Julian Reese, Indiana State
- RB-- Adam Bengé, UNI
- Jon Frazier, Western Kentucky
- TE-- Ryan King, Indiana State
- WR-- Vito Golson, Illinois State
- Mark Marcos, Missouri State
- OL-- Eric Bowman, Indiana State
- Stafford Davis, Illinois State
- Mike Fritzlér, Southern Illinois
- Nick Roberts, Youngstown State
- Daniel Withrow, Western Ky.

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Brian Ceaser, Western Illinois
- Guy Mazard, Youngstown State
- Matt Mitchell, UNI
- Ray Robinson, Illinois State
- LB-- Erik Dandy, Western Kentucky
- Jonathan Harrell, UNI
- Darryl Robinson, Missouri State
- Jon Tekak, Youngstown State
- DB-- Anthony Barone, Youngstown St.
- Justin Sandy, UNI
- Darryl Warren, Missouri State
- Travis Washington, W. Illinois
- Derrick Frost, UNI

Honorable Mention

- RS-- Reggie Gray, Western Illinois
- QB-- Jason Michael, Western Ky.
- Joel Sambursky, Southern Illinois
- RB-- Eddie Linscomb, Missouri State
- Nate Schurman, Missouri State
- Quincy Washington, Illinois State
- TE-- John Schumacher, Youngstown
- WR-- Courtney Abbott, Southern Illinois
- Jerald Burley, Youngstown State
- OL-- Brian Akins, Southern Illinois
- Mark Phillips, Indiana State
- James Rennick, Western Illinois
- PK-- Stephen Carroll, Illinois State
- Peter Martinez, Western Ky.
- DL-- Robert Hamre, UNI
- Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State
- LB-- Jon Drummond, Western Ky.
- Jason McWilliams, W. Illinois
- Cornell Middlebrook, W. Illinois
- DB-- Clythel Branson, Indiana State
- Dennis Butler, Illinois State
- Colin Johnson, Missouri State
- Jarvis Phillips, UNI
- Russell Stuvaints, Youngstown
- P-- Brian Claybourn, Western Ky.
- RS-- Jerald Burley, Youngstown State

- Dennis Butler, Illinois State
- Ben Sanderson, UNI
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- QB Russ Michna, Western Illinois
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- LB Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
- Don Patterson, Western Illinois

2003

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Russ Michna, Western Illinois
- RB-- Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
- Sha-Ron Edwards, Illinois State
- Terrance Freeney, UNI
- FB-- Brandon Robinson, S. Illinois
- TE-- Ryan King, Indiana State
- WR-- Casey Rooney, Western Ky.
- Dwayne Smith, Illinois State
- OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.
- Ben Deike, UNI
- Fred Layne, Western Illinois
- Elmer McDaniel, S. Illinois
- Daniel Withrow, Western Ky.

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- PK-- Matt Lange, Western Kentucky
- DL-- Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State
- Matt Mitchell, UNI
- Mike O'Brien, Western Illinois
- Ray Robinson, Illinois State
- LB-- Erik Dandy, Western Kentucky
- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
- Karl Maslowski, Western Ky.
- Lee Russell, Western Illinois
- DB-- Jeremy Chandler, Western Ky.
- Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois
- Justin Sandy, UNI
- Benny Sapp, UNI

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- P-- Brian Claybourn, Western Ky.
- RS-- Antonio Veals, Western Ky.
- QB-- Joel Sambursky, S. Illinois
- RB-- Travis Glasford, Western Illinois
- Tom Koutsos, Southern Illinois
- FB-- Nate Schurman, Missouri State
- TE-- Mike Roberts, Youngstown State
- WR-- Eddie Galles, UNI
- Reggie Gray, Western Illinois
- OL-- Josh Davis, Youngstown State
- Stafford Davis, Illinois State
- Brad Durham, Missouri State
- Anthony Oakley, Western Ky.
- Wes Proctor, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- PK-- Stephen Carroll, Illinois State
- DL-- Billy Beard, Southern Illinois
- Chad Kincaid, Western Kentucky
- Jon Kowalyshen, W. Illinois
- Steve Watson, Missouri State
- LB-- Phil Archer, Western Illinois
- Jonathan Harrell, UNI
- Charles Thompson, Western Ky.
- Royal Whitaker, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Mike Bracken, Youngstown State
- Vinceson Campbell, W. Illinois
- Dre Dokes, UNI
- Andrew Pappocia, Illinois State
- Travis Washington, W. Illinois

Honorable Mention

- P-- Ryan Hoffman, Illinois State
- RS-- James Norris, Western Illinois
- QB-- Tom Petrie, UNI
- RB-- Lerron Moore, Western Kentucky
- FB-- Mike Larson, Illinois State

- WR-- Marlus Mays, UNI
 Brent Little, Southern Illinois
 Steven Rush, Missouri State
 Terrence Hall, Western Illinois
 Shannon Hayes, Western Ky.
- TE-- Matt Beste, Indiana State
 Andy Thorn, UNI
- OL-- Jeremy Melville, Illinois State
 Mike Stegeman, Illinois State
 Stuart Williams, Indiana State
 Jon Zwegardt, Missouri State
 Will Sanders, Youngstown State
- PK-- Justin Langan, Western Illinois
 Nick Terracina, Youngstown State
- DL-- Linton Brown, Southern Illinois
 Joe Taylor, Missouri State
 Chad Daun, Western Illinois
- LB-- Gene Gilot, Illinois State
- DB-- Frank Johnson, Southern Illinois
 Torre Endsley, Missouri State
 Carl Birts, Western Kentucky
 Waymann Peters, Youngstown St.
- P-- Pat Jordan, Indiana State
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
 QB Russ Michna, Western Illinois
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
 LB Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
 Jerry Kill, Southern Illinois

2004

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Joel Sambursky, S. Illinois
 RB-- Terrance Freeney, UNI
 Travis Glasford, Western Illinois
 FB-- Demetrius Ison, Youngstown St.
 TE-- Mike Roberts, Youngstown State
 WR-- Steven Rush, Missouri State
 Brent Little, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.
 Stafford Davis, Illinois State
 Fred Layne, Western Illinois
 Elmer McDaniel, S. Illinois
 Luke Stigler, UNI
- PK-- Jon Scifres, Missouri State
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Ryan Arnold, UNI
 Linton Brown, Southern Illinois
 Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State
 Steve Watson, Missouri State
- LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
 Charles Thompson, Western Ky.
 Deonte' Smith, Western Ky.
 Royal Whitaker, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Darren Barnett, Missouri State
 Mike Bracken, Youngstown State
 Dre Dokes, UNI
 Antonio Thomas, Western Ky.
- P-- Brian Claybourn, Western Ky.
- RS-- James Norris, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Justin Haddix, Western Ky.
 RB-- Brandon Jacobs, S. Illinois
 Lerron Moore, Western Kentucky
 Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
- FB-- Preston Portee, Missouri State
- TE-- Chris Kupec, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Justin Surrency, UNI
 Sam Logan, Indiana State
- OL-- Brian Akins, Southern Illinois
 Brad Durham, Missouri State
 Fred Freitag, Indiana State
 Erik Losey, Western Kentucky
 Matt Miller, Southern Illinois

- PK-- Craig Coffin, Southern Illinois
- SECOND TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Billy Beard, Southern Illinois
 Josh Chrestman, Illinois State
 Jeff Jones, Southern Illinois
 Joe Woolridge, Western Ky.
- LB-- Orlando "Doc" Gooden, INS
 Wyatt Green, Western Illinois
 Brett Koebecke, UNI
 Jeremiah Wright, Youngstown St.
- DB-- Jamarquis Jordan, S. Illinois
 Frank Johnson, Southern Illinois
 Jovon Lewis, Missouri State
 Michael Woods, Western Illinois
- P-- Ryan Hoffman, Illinois State
- RS-- Steven Rush, Missouri State

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Yance Vaughan, Illinois State
 Phillip Johnson, Indiana State
- RB-- Cody Pratt, Missouri State
- FB-- Mike Larson, Illinois State
 Reggie Brown, UNI
- WR-- Reggie Gray, Western Illinois
 James Norris, Western Illinois
 Kyle Smith, Youngstown State
- TE-- Andy Thorn, UNI
 Matt Buchholz, Missouri State
- OL-- Jeremy Melville, Illinois State
 Travis Brown, Missouri State
 Ryan Thomas, Western Kentucky
- PK-- Kyle Hooper, Indiana State
 Justin Langan, Western Illinois
- DL-- Andrew Franklin, Southern Illinois
 Pat Ryan, Western Illinois
 Brandon Brown, Youngstown St.
- LB-- LaDrelle Bryant, Indiana State
 Brandon Smith, Western Ky.
- DB-- Yemi Akisanya, Southern Illinois
 Brandon Bruner, Southern Illinois
 Torre Endsley, Missouri State
 Marion Rumph, Western Ky.
 Jason Perry, Youngstown State
- P-- Cory Henke, UNI
 Jon Scifres, Missouri State
- RS-- Dennis Mitchell, Western Ky.
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
 QB Joel Sambursky, Southern Illinois
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
 LB Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
 Jerry Kill, Southern Illinois

2005

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Joel Sambursky, S. Illinois
 RB-- Lerron Moore, Western Kentucky
 Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
- FB-- Demetrius Ison, Youngstown St.
- TE-- Jamie Petrowski, Indiana State
- WR-- Sam Logan, Indiana State
 Laurént Robinson, Illinois State
- OL-- Stafford Davis, Illinois State
 Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
 Will Justice, Southern Illinois
 Chad Rinehart, UNI
- PK-- Chris James, Western Kentucky
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Linton Brown, Southern Illinois
 Brent Hawkins, Illinois State
 John Hermann, UNI
 Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State
 Justin Scholes, Youngstown State
- LB-- Darin Heideman, UNI
 Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State

- James Terry, Youngstown State
 Royal Whitaker, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Codera Jackson, Youngstown St.
 Jamarquis Jordan, S. Illinois
 Marion Rumph, Western Kentucky
 Antonio Thomas, Western Ky.
- P-- Ryan Hoffman, Illinois State
- RS-- Craig Turner, Southern Illinois
- SECOND TEAM OFFENSE**
- QB-- Eric Sanders, UNI
- RB-- Travis Glasford, Western Illinois
 Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
- FB-- J.T. Wise, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Chris Kupec, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Reggie Gray, Western Illinois
 Brent Little, Southern Illinois
 Michael Sparks, Missouri State
- OL-- Jared Green, Southern Illinois
 Mike Stegeman, Illinois State
 Mike Thorpe, Indiana State
 Chad Walker, Western Illinois
 Justin Williamson, Missouri State
- PK-- Jon Scifres, Missouri State
- SECOND TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Brandon Brown, Youngstown State
 Piana Lukabu, Western Illinois
 Daniel Williams, Western Kentucky
 Lionel Williams, Southern Illinois
- LB-- Orlando "Doc" Gooden, INS
 Wyatt Green, Western Illinois
 Deion Holts, Western Kentucky
 Brett Koebecke, UNI
- DB-- Dre Dokes, UNI
 Frank Johnson, Southern Illinois
 Jason Perry, Youngstown State
 Tanner Varner, UNI
- P-- Joe Bishop, Youngstown State
- RS-- Dennis Mitchell, Western Kentucky

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Blayne Baggett, Indiana State
 Luke Drone, Illinois State
 Justin Haddix, Western Kentucky
 Steve LaFalce, Western Illinois
- RB-- Lee Baker, Missouri State
 Andre Forte, Indiana State
- WR-- Kellen Allen, Southern Illinois
 Kyle Smith, Youngstown State
 Marco Thomas, Western Illinois
- TE-- Brian Cutright, UNI
 Jonathan Denley, Illinois State
- OL-- John Bartos, Youngstown State
 Steve Kohenskey, Missouri State
 Joe Lobdell, UNI
 Greg Ryan, Western Kentucky
- PK-- Kyle Hooper, Indiana State
- DL-- Deyontae Batiste, Missouri State
 Mark Phillip, Southern Illinois
 Charlie Phillips, Western Kentucky
- LB-- Mike Andrews, Youngstown State
 Phillip Doyle, Southern Illinois
- DB-- James Temple, Illinois State
 Milan Woodard, Western Illinois
- P-- Adam Kos, UNI
- RS-- Jamie Goodwin, UNI
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
 WR Laurént Robinson, Illinois State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
 DE Brent Hawkins, Illinois State
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
 Jon Heacock, Youngstown State



Western Illinois RB Aaron Stecker helped the Leathernecks to back-to-back NCAA berths in 1997 and 1998.



In 2002, SIU's Muhammad Abdulqaadir reached 1,000 rush yards faster than any other in league history -- 5 games.

2006

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Luke Drone, Illinois State
- RB-- Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
- FB-- J.T. Wise, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Braden Jones, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Curtis Hamilton, Western Ky.
- Marco Thomas, Western Illinois
- OL-- Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
- Will Justice, Southern Illinois
- Chad Rinehart, UNI
- Patrick Walker, Youngstown State
- Isaiah Wiggins, Illinois State
- PK-- Brian Wingert, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Justin Martindale, Illinois State
- Jim Phelan, Youngstown State
- Mychal Savage, Youngstown State
- Lorenzo Wims, Southern Illinois
- LB-- Marty Hutchinson, Youngstown St.
- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State
- Kye Stewart, Illinois State
- James Terry, Youngstown State
- DB-- Dre Dokes, UNI
- Codera Jackson, Youngstown St.
- Jason Perry, Youngstown State
- Marion Rumph, Western Kentucky
- P-- Joe Bishop, Youngstown State
- RS-- Craig Turner, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Eric Sanders, UNI
- RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
- Pierre Rembert, Illinois State
- FB-- Dave Mordis, Illinois State
- TE-- Derrick Bush, Youngstown State
- WR-- Pierre Jackson, Illinois State
- Laurent Robinson, Illinois State
- OL-- Joe Loddell, UNI
- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
- Fred Staugh, Indiana State
- Chris Sullivan, Western Kentucky
- Chad Walker, Western Illinois
- PK-- Craig Coffin, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Dusty Bear, Western Kentucky
- Mark Huygens, UNI
- Jordan Lacy, UNI
- Chris Wash, Missouri State
- LB-- Jerome Bennett, Western Illinois
- Blake Boyd, Western Kentucky
- Micah King, Southern Illinois
- Andre Lewis, Western Kentucky
- DB-- Brandon Bruner, Southern Illinois
- Fu'ad Khaleel, Western Illinois
- Tom Nelson, Illinois State
- Chris Parsons, UNI

- P-- Nathan Stokes, Missouri State
- RS-- Eric Davis, Missouri State
- Honorable Mention**
- QB-- Justin Haddix, Western Kentucky
- Tom Zetts, Youngstown State
- RB-- Lerron Moore, Western Kentucky
- WR-- Carl Berman, Indiana State
- Johnny Gray, UNI
- James Lindgren, UNI
- Sam Logan, Indiana State
- T.J. Peterson, Youngstown State
- Carl Sims, Western Illinois
- TE-- Payne Hall, Missouri State
- OL-- Janiah Downing, Illinois State
- Aaron Lockwood, Southern Illinois
- Darren Marquez, Southern Illinois

- Justin Williamson, Missouri State
- PK-- Chris James, Western Kentucky
- DL-- Darron Boone, Western Illinois
- LB-- Derrick Byrd, Missouri State
- Niall Campbell, Illinois State
- Brannon Carter, UNI
- Andy Jones, Indiana State
- Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois
- Jeff Koval, Youngstown State
- Jason Williams, Western Illinois
- DB-- Scooter Archie, Indiana State
- James Temple, Illinois State
- RS-- Johnny Gray, UNI
- Dennis Mitchell, Western Ky.

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

RB Marcus Mason, Youngstown St.

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State

COACH OF THE YEAR

Jon Heacock, Youngstown State

2007

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Nick Hill, Southern Illinois
- Eric Sanders, UNI
- RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
- Corey Lewis, UNI
- FB-- Javid Milton, Western Illinois
- TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
- WR-- Johnny Gray, UNI
- Ferlando Williams, Youngstown St.
- OL-- Barret Anderson, UNI
- Brandon Keith, UNI
- Darren Marquez, Southern Illinois
- Chad Rinehart, UNI
- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
- Isaiah Wiggins, Illinois State
- PK-- Taylor Rowan, Western Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- James Cloud, Southern Illinois
- Josh Galloway, Western Illinois
- James Ruffin, UNI
- Mychal Savage, Youngstown St.
- LB-- Brannon Carter, UNI
- Kye Stewart, Illinois State
- James Terry, Youngstown State
- Jason Williams, Western Illinois
- DB-- Jesse Caesar, Illinois State
- Clayton Johnson, Southern Illinois
- Patrick Stoudamire, W. Illinois
- Clifford Waters, UNI

- P-- Scott Ravanasi, Southern Illinois
- RS-- Craig Turner, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Tom Zetts, Youngstown State
- RB-- John Randle, Southern Illinois
- Rafael Rice, Illinois State
- FB-- Rick Burgess, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Derrick Bush, Youngstown State
- WR-- Justin Allen, Southern Illinois
- Jason Horton, Illinois State
- OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State
- Eric Hoffman, UNI
- Aaron Lockwood, Southern Illinois
- Drew Sweeney, Western Illinois
- Josh Tanner, Youngstown State

- PK-- Brian Palmer, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Myles Banford, Youngstown State
- Mark Huygens, UNI
- Larry Luster, Southern Illinois
- Victor Visoky, Western Illinois
- LB-- Shonda Faulkner, Indiana State
- De'Veon Harris, UNI

- Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois
- Chauncey Mixon, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Vince Gliatta, Youngstown State
- Robert Hodges, Western Illinois
- Darrell Lloyd, UNI
- Tom Nelson, Illinois State
- P-- Nathan Stokes, Missouri State
- RS-- Johnny Gray, UNI

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Luke Drone, Illinois State
- RB-- Geno Blow, Illinois State
- Gerald Davis, Missouri State
- FB-- Ryan Mahaffey, UNI
- WR-- Carl Sims, Western Illinois
- Alan Turner, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Ryan Kernes, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Jack Byrne, Indiana State
- Zach Odle, Indiana State
- Shawn Smith, Southern Illinois
- PK-- Nathan Stokes, Missouri State
- DL-- Jordan Lacy, UNI
- Torrance Nicholson, Youngstown
- LB-- Jerome Bennett, Western Illinois
- Travis Cherry, Western Illinois
- Bill Hronec, Illinois State
- Trevor Moe, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Marcus Colbert, Missouri State
- Adam Roberts, UNI
- Jeremiah Wright, Youngstown St.
- Roger Wright, Missouri State
- RS-- Jason Horton, Illinois State
- P-- Chris Johansen, Indiana State
- Ben Nowicki, Youngstown State

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

QB Eric Sanders, UNI

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Brannon Carter, UNI

COACH OF THE YEAR

Mark Farley, UNI

2008

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Ryan Berry, South Dakota State
- RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
- Larry Warner, Southern Illinois
- FB-- Dre Gibbs, Western Illinois
- TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
- WR-- JaRon Harris, South Dakota State
- Eyad Salem, Illinois State
- OL-- Zach Harrington, N. Dakota State
- Reshad Jones, Western Illinois
- Aaron Lockwood, Southern Illinois
- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
- Austin Steichen, UNI

- PK-- Taylor Rowan, Western Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Danny Batten, South Dakota State
- Josh Galloway, Western Illinois
- Everette Pedescleaux, UNI
- James Ruffin, UNI
- LB-- Ramon Humber, N. Dakota State
- Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois
- Josh Mahoney, UNI
- Jason Williams, Western Illinois
- DB-- Korey Lindsey, Southern Illinois
- Darrell Lloyd, UNI
- Nick Schommer, N. Dakota State
- Patrick Stoudamire, W. Illinois

- P-- Scott Ravanasi, Southern Illinois
- RS-- Larry Warner, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Pat Grace, UNI
- Cody Kirby, Missouri State
- RB-- Corey Lewis, UNI



RB Lerron Moore was a four-time all-conference honoree for the Hilltoppers from 2003-06.



Illinois State's Cameron Siskowic earned the league's top defensive honor in 2006.

- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
 FB-- Ryan Mahaffey, UNI
 TE-- Jeremiah Wurzbacher, NDSU
 WR-- Glen Fox, South Dakota State
 Kole Heckendorf, N. Dakota State
 OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State
 Mike Farrell, Southern Illinois
 Austin Howard, UNI
 Kevin Robling, South Dakota State
 Jonathan St-Pierre, Illinois State
 PK-- Peter Reifenrath, South Dakota St.
SECOND TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Crispin Fernandez, Youngstown
 Joe Lardinois, North Dakota State
 Jeremy Robertson, UNI
 Eric Schroeder, South Dakota St.
 LB-- James Cloud, Southern Illinois
 De'Veon Harris, UNI
 Chauncey Mixon, Southern Illinois
 Jimmy Rogers, South Dakota St.
 DB-- Mike McEachern, Western Illinois
 Terrell McMoore, UNI
 Marty Rodgers, Southern Illinois
 Roger Wright, Missouri State
 P-- Bobby Kelsey, Illinois State
 RS-- Tom Nelson, Illinois State
Honorable Mention
 QB-- Chris Dieker, Southern Illinois
 Brandon Summers, Youngstown
 RB-- Tyler Roehl, North Dakota State
 FB-- John Goode, Southern Illinois
 TE-- Colin Cochart, South Dakota State
 Ryan Kernes, Southern Illinois
 WR-- Marc Cheatham, Southern Illinois
 Chris Geisz, Missouri State
 OL-- Keith Buckman, N. Dakota State
 Nick Flesner, South Dakota State
 Joe Niklasch, Illinois State
 Bob Swift, UNI
 PK-- Kyle Dougherty, Southern Illinois
 DL-- Chris Arthurs, Southern Illinois
 Adam Blankenship, Illinois State
 Victor Visoky, Western Illinois
 LB-- Travis Cherry, Western Illinois
 Jayden Everett, Indiana State
 Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
 Chris Johnson, South Dakota St.
 Mike Maresh, North Dakota State
 Jamar Thompson, UNI
 DB-- Cedric Alvis, Missouri State
 Kelyvn Hemphill, Illinois State
 Donye McCleskey, Indiana State
 Brandian Ross, Youngstown State
 Alex Sewall, Indiana State
 Skylar Smith, Missouri State
 P-- Ben Nowicki, Youngstown State
 RS-- Jarred Herring, UNI
OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 RB Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 DL James Ruffin, UNI
COACH OF THE YEAR
 Dale Lennon, Southern Illinois

2009

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Pat Grace, UNI
 RB-- Deji Karim, Southern Illinois
 Pat Paschall, North Dakota State
 FB-- John Goode, Southern Illinois
 TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
 WR-- Donald Jones, Youngstown State
 Eyad Salem, Illinois State
 OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State

- Keith Buckman, North Dakota St.
 Ryan McKnight, South Dakota St.
 David Pickard, Southern Illinois
 Austin Steichen, UNI
 PK-- Zach Kutch, Illinois State
FIRST TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Chris Arthurs, Southern Illinois
 Danny Batten, South Dakota State
 James Ruffin, UNI
 Mychal Savage, Youngstown State
 LB-- Derek Domino, South Dakota St.
 Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois
 Josh Mahoney, UNI
 Antoine Wilkinson, Missouri State
 DB-- Korey Lindsey, Southern Illinois
 Mike McElroy, Southern Illinois
 Quentin Scott, UNI
 Patrick Stoudamire, W. Illinois
 P-- Scott Ravanese, Southern Illinois
 RS-- Todd Speight, Western Illinois
SECOND TEAM OFFENSE
 QB-- Matt Brown, Illinois State
 RB-- Dre Gibbs, Western Illinois
 Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
 FB-- Ryan Mahaffey, UNI
 TE-- Schuyler Oordt, UNI
 WR-- Joe Allaria, Southern Illinois
 Glen Fox, South Dakota State
 OL-- Nick Bledsoe, Illinois State
 Bryan Boemer, Southern Illinois
 Austin Howard, UNI
 Casey Knips, South Dakota State
 Eric Rodemoyer, Youngstown St.
 PK-- Kyle Dougherty, Southern Illinois
SECOND TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Eric Brunner, Illinois State
 Matthew Gratzek, N. Dakota State
 Wes Lane, UNI
 Waylon Richardet, Missouri State
 LB-- Aaron Archie, Indiana State
 Preston Evans, North Dakota St.
 Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
 Chauncey Mixon, Southern Illinois
 DB-- Kelyvn Hemphill, Illinois State
 Conrad Kjerstad, S. Dakota State
 Skylar Smith, Missouri State
 Lenny Wicks, Youngstown State
 P-- Dean Priddy, South Dakota State
 RS-- Deji Karim, Southern Illinois
Honorable Mention
 QB-- Chris Dieker, Southern Illinois
 Cody Kirby, Missouri State
 Brandon Summers, Youngstown
 RB-- Carlos Anderson, UNI
 FB-- Josh Gabelmann, Western Illinois
 TE-- Colin Cochart, South Dakota State
 Ryan Kernes, Southern Illinois
 WR-- Dominique Barnes, Youngstown St.
 Jared Emery, Missouri State
 D.J. Hord, UNI
 Lilo Senatus, Western Illinois
 OL-- Ryan Foster, North Dakota State
 Austin Richard, North Dakota St.
 PK-- Billy Hallgren, UNI
 DL-- Rod Hardy, Indiana State
 Doni Phelps, Illinois State
 LB-- Buddy Dudczak, Western Illinois
 Chris Johnson, South Dakota St.
 E.J. Jones, Illinois State
 Jimmy Rogers, South Dakota St.
 Jamar Thompson, UNI
 DB-- Andre Elliott, Youngstown State
 Chris Garrett, Illinois State
 Donye McCleskey, Indiana State

- Marty Rodgers, Southern Illinois
 P-- Jordan Chiles, Missouri State
 RS-- Darrius Gates, Indiana State
OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 RB Deji Karim, Southern Illinois
DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
 DL James Ruffin, UNI
 DE Danny Batten, South Dakota St.
COACH OF THE YEAR
 Dale Lennon, Southern Illinois

2010

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Matt Barr, Western Illinois
 RB-- Darrius Gates, Indiana State
 Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
 FB-- Brock Lough, Indiana State
 TE-- Colin Cochart, South Dakota State
 WR-- Dominique Barnes, Youngstown St.
 Lilo Senatus, Western Illinois
 OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State
 Bryan Boemer, Southern Illinois
 Mike Lamphear, Western Illinois
 Ryan McKnight, South Dakota St.
 Austin Zlab, UNI
 PK-- Billy Hallgren, UNI
FIRST TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Ben Boothby, UNI
 Eric Brunner, Illinois State
 Matthew Gratzek, N. Dakota State
 Ben Obaseki, Indiana State
 LB-- Derek Domino, South Dakota St.
 Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
 Antoine Wilkinson, Missouri State
 Jamar Thompson, UNI
 DB-- Cole Brodie, South Dakota State
 E.J. Jones, Illinois State
 Korey Lindsey, Southern Illinois
 Alex Sewall, Indiana State
 P-- John Prelvitz, North Dakota State
 RS-- Carlos Anderson, UNI

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Tirrell Rennie, UNI
 RB-- Jamaine Cook, Youngstown State
 D.J. McNorton, North Dakota State
 FB-- John Goode, Southern Illinois
 TE-- Alex Jones, Indiana State
 WR-- Jermaine Saffold, Missouri State
 Tyrone Walker, Illinois State
 OL-- Pat Burke, Indiana State
 Bobby Coates, Youngstown State
 Paul Cornick, North Dakota State
 Cal McCarthy, Illinois State
 David Pickard, Southern Illinois
 PK-- Stephen Blose, Youngstown State
SECOND TEAM DEFENSE
 DL-- Colter Boyer, North Dakota State
 Chance Coda, Southern Illinois
 Torrance Nicholson, Youngstown St.
 Mike Stieren, Western Illinois
 LB-- L.J. Fort, UNI
 Stephen Franklin, Southern Illinois
 Josh Howe, Illinois State
 Jacolby Washington, Indiana State
 DB-- Corey Jeske, South Dakota State
 Brandian Ross, Youngstown State
 Skylar Smith, Missouri State
 J.J. Swain, UNI
 P-- Dean Priddy, South Dakota State
 RS-- Cole Brodie, South Dakota State
Honorable Mention
 QB-- Matt Brown, Illinois State
 Ronnie Fouch, Indiana State
 Cody Kirby, Missouri State



Mark Farley of UNI earned the league's top honor as a player (1985) and as a coach (2001 & 2007).



Kurt Warner, a UNI grad, was a three-time Pro Bowl pick with the St. Louis Rams and Arizona Cardinals.



RB Herb Donaldson led the nation in rushing yards per game in 2008, averaging 162.2 in 11 contests.



In 2008, Dale Lennon became just the third to win Coach of the Year in his first year in the conference.

- RB-- Carlos Anderson, UNI
Chris Douglas, Missouri State
- FB-- Alex Beyer, South Dakota State
Josh Gabelmann, Western Illinois
- TE-- Drew Helt, Western Illinois
Schuyler Oordt, UNI
- WR-- Joe Allaria, Southern Illinois
Justin Hilton, Indiana State
Warren Holloway, North Dakota St.
Tyrel Kool, South Dakota State
Marvon Sanders, Illinois State
- OL-- Eric Rodemoyer, Youngstown St.
- PK-- Kyle Dougherty, Southern Illinois
Stephen Fetzer, Illinois State
- DL-- Darren Branch, UNI
- LB-- Aaron Archie, Indiana State
James Conley, UNI
Jayson DiManche, S. Illinois
Brandon Kreczmer, W. Illinois
Mike Lien, South Dakota State
John Sasson, Youngstown State
Terian Washington, Missouri State
- DB-- Calvin Burnett, Indiana State
Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.
- P-- Kyle Bernard, UNI
Nick Liste, Youngstown State
- RS-- Darius Gates, Indiana State
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
QB Matt Barr, Western Illinois
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
LB Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
Trent Miles, Indiana State

2011

- FIRST TEAM OFFENSE**
- QB-- Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
Tirrell Rennie, UNI
- RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
Jamaine Cook, Youngstown State
- FB-- Brock Lough, Indiana State
- TE-- Alex Jones, Indiana State
- WR-- Terriun Crump, Western Illinois
Jermaine Saffold, Missouri State
- OL-- Bryan Boemer, Southern Illinois
Paul Cornick, North Dakota State
FN Lutz, Indiana State
Cal McCarthy, Illinois State
Jay Teply, UNI
- PK-- Tyler Sievertsen, UNI
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Ben Boothby, UNI
Coulter Boyer, North Dakota State
Eric Brunner, Illinois State
Ben Obaseki, Indiana State
- LB-- Aaron Archie, Indiana State
L.J. Fort, UNI
Evan Frierson, Illinois State
Chad Willson, North Dakota State
- DB-- Mike McElroy, Southern Illinois
Alex Sewall, Indiana State
Varmah Sonie, UNI
Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State
- P-- Jason Schlautman, S. Dakota St.
- RS-- Steve Strother, Southern Illinois
- SECOND TEAM OFFENSE**
- QB-- Matt Brown, Illinois State
- RB-- Jewel Hampton, Southern Illinois
Ashton Leggett, Illinois State
- FB-- Jordan Neukirch, Illinois State
- TE-- Matt Veldman, North Dakota State
- WR-- Dale Moss, South Dakota State
Tyrone Walker, Illinois State
- OL-- Nick Bledsoe, Illinois State
Ben Geffert, Indiana State

- David Pickard, Southern Illinois
Mark Pratt, Youngstown State
Austin Richard, North Dakota St.
- PK-- Ryan Jastram, North Dakota State
- SECOND TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Nate Palmer, Illinois State
Mikel Ruder, Missouri State
Kayon Swanson, Southern Illinois
Andrew Johnson, Youngstown St.
- LB-- Mike Lien, South Dakota State
Kevin Palermo, Western Illinois
Jordan Smith, UNI
Jacolby Washington, Indiana State
- DB-- Colten Heagle, North Dakota State
Otis Merrill, Illinois State
Jimmie Strong, Missouri State
Winston Wright, South Dakota St.
- P-- Lucas Hileman, Indiana State
- RS-- Ryan Smith, North Dakota State
- Honorable Mention**
- QB-- Ronnie Fouch, Indiana State
Brock Jensen, N. Dakota State
Trevor Wooden, Missouri State
- RB-- David Johnson, UNI
- FB-- Kyle Sheehan, South Dakota St.
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
Matt Thayer, Missouri State
- WR-- Christian Bryan, Youngstown State
Warren Holloway, N. Dakota State
Aaron Rollin, South Dakota State
- OL-- Chris Elkins, Youngstown State
Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
Cody White, Illinois State
Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
- PK-- Jackson MacLachlan, S. Illinois
- DL-- Kenneth Boatright, S. Illinois
Darren Branch, UNI
Rod Hardy, Indiana State
Dwight Harris, Western Illinois
Colton Underwood, Illinois State
- LB-- Josh Howe, Illinois State
Ryan Roberts, Indiana State
Teven Williams, Youngstown State
- DB-- Kieron James, Western Illinois
- P-- Jordan Chiles, Missouri State
Matt Voigtlander, N. Dakota State
- RS-- Jarred Herring, UNI
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
RB Shakir Bell, Indiana State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
LB L.J. Fort, UNI
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
Craig Bohl, North Dakota State

2012

- FIRST TEAM OFFENSE**
- QB-- Matt Brown, Illinois State
- RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
Zach Zenner, S. Dakota State
- FB-- Jordan Neukirch, Illinois State
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Dorian Buford, Missouri State
Tyrone Walker, Illinois State
- OL-- Pete Cary, Illinois State
Chris Elkins, Youngstown State
Joe Lund, North Dakota State
Billy Turner, North Dakota State
Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
- PK-- Adam Keller, North Dakota State
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Ken Boatright, Southern Illinois
Shelby Harris, Illinois State
Ben Obaseki, Indiana State
Colton Underwood, Illinois State
- LB-- Aaron Archie, Indiana State
Grant Olson, North Dakota State

- Ross Shafrath, S. Dakota State
Mike Zimmer, Illinois State
- DB-- Ben Erickson, Illinois State
Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
Johnny Towalid, Indiana State
Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State
- P-- Lucas Hileman, Indiana State
- RS-- Carlos Anderson, UNI
- SECOND TEAM OFFENSE**
- QB-- Brock Jensen, North Dakota State
- RB-- Jamaine Cook, Youngstown State
David Johnson, UNI
- FB-- Austen Wozniak, Indiana State
- TE-- Will Shaw, Youngstown State
- WR-- Will Powell, South Dakota
- OL-- Evan Borchers, Indiana State
Will Castle, South Dakota State
Dan Kruger, UNI
Casey Paswater, Indiana State
Randy Richards, Missouri State
- PK-- Tanner Fritschle, Indiana State
- SECOND TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Cole Jirik, North Dakota State
Nate Palmer, Illinois State
Doug Peete, South Dakota State
Leevon Perry, North Dakota State
- LB-- Jayson DiManche, S. Illinois
T.J. Lally, South Dakota State
Tyler Starr, South Dakota
Jacolby Washington, Indiana State
- DB-- Calvin Burnett, Indiana State
Martinez Davis, Western Illinois
Skyler Luxa, South Dakota State
Varmah Sonie, UNI
- P-- Kyle Bernard, UNI
- RS-- Ryan Smith, North Dakota State
- Honorable Mention**
- QB-- Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
- RB-- Darrelynn Dunn, Illinois State
- TE-- Seth Daughters, S. Dakota State
Michael Mardis, Indiana State
Matt Thayer, Missouri State
- WR-- LaSteven McKinney, S. Illinois
Terrance Terry, South Dakota
- OL-- Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
Matt Huffer, South Dakota
Lamar Mady, Youngstown State
Tim Sauer, UNI
Richard Wilson, Southern Illinois
- PK-- Tyler Sievertsen, UNI
- DL-- Justin Syrovatka, S. Dakota State
- DL-- Ryan Demming, Western Illinois
Kyle Emanuel, N. Dakota State
Anthony Grady, Missouri State
Andy Mink, South Dakota State
Aronde Stanton, Youngstown State
Connor Underwood, Indiana State
- LB-- Travis Beck, North Dakota State
Nate Davis, Missouri State
Evan Frierson, Illinois State
J.J. Raffelson, Western Illinois
- DB-- Mike Banks, Illinois State
Christian Dudzik, N. Dakota State
Larry King, Indiana State
Jonathon Rollins, Western Illinois
Garrett Scott, UNI
Aaron Swift, South Dakota
- P-- Austin Pucylowski, S. Illinois
- RS-- LaSteven McKinney, S. Illinois
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
QB Matt Brown, Illinois State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
DB Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
Craig Bohl, North Dakota State

2013

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Brock Jensen, North Dakota State
- RB-- David Johnson, UNI
Zach Zenner, S. Dakota State
- FB-- Andrew Grothmann, NDSU
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Jason Schneider, S. Dakota State
Zach Vraa, North Dakota State
- OL-- Robert Booker, Missouri State
Chris Elkins, Youngstown State
Jack Rummells, UNI
Billy Turner, North Dakota State
Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
- PK-- Tyler Sievertsen, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Ryan Drevlow, North Dakota State
Colton Underwood, Illinois State
Connor Underwood, Indiana State
Xavier Williams, UNI
- LB-- R.C. Kilgore, South Dakota State
Grant Olson, North Dakota State
Bryan Presume, Southern Illinois
Tyler Starr, South Dakota
- DB-- Colton Heagle, North Dakota State
Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State
Winston Wright, S. Dakota State
- P-- Nick Liste, Youngstown State
- RS-- Andre Stubbs, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
- RB-- Sam Ojuri, North Dakota State
Martin Ruiz, Youngstown State
- FB-- Vince Benedetto, S. Dakota State
- TE-- Kevin Vaadeland, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Ryan Smith, North Dakota State
Kevin Vereen, Jr., UNI
- OL-- Josh Aladenoye, Illinois State
Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
Dan Kruger, UNI
FN Lutz, Indiana State
- PK-- Thomas Kinney, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Collin Albrecht, UNI
Chase Douglas, South Dakota St.
Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
Anthony Grady, Missouri State
- LB-- Nick Canavan, Missouri State
Jordan Gacke, UNI
Pat Meehan, Illinois State
Teven Williams, Youngstown St.
- DB-- Sybhrian Berry, Missouri State
Martinez Davis, Western Illinois
Makinton Dorleant, UNI
Howard Scarborough, Missouri St.
- P-- Ben LeCompte, North Dakota St.
- RS-- Ryan Smith, North Dakota State

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Austin Sumner, South Dakota St.
- RB-- J.C. Baker, Western Illinois
Jordan Neukirch, Illinois State
Carson Sharbaugh, YSU
- TE-- Nate Adams, Youngstown State
Tyler Wilhelm, South Dakota
- WR-- John Lantz, Southern Illinois
Chad Owens, UNI
Tanner Riley, Indiana State
- OL-- Zach Cooley, Missouri State
Richard Galbierz, Missouri State
Tyler Gimmedstad, N. Dakota State
Cody O'Neill, South Dakota
- PK-- Nick Aussieker, Illinois State

- DL-- Ryan Demming, Western Illinois
Russell Jones, Indiana State
Doug Peete, South Dakota State
Leevon Perry, North Dakota State
Kyle Sirl, Youngstown State
- LB-- Andrew Beisel, Missouri State
Austin Johnson, South Dakota
- DB-- Deiondre' Hall, UNI
Kevin Kintzel, Western Illinois
Dontae McCoy, Illinois State
Ray Mitchell, UNI
Mark Sewall, Indiana State
C.J. Smith, North Dakota State
- P-- Austin Pucylowski, S. Illinois
- RS-- Je Ryan Butler, S. Dakota State
Antoine Ford, Western Illinois
LaSteven McKinney, S. Illinois

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

QB Brock Jensen, N. Dakota State

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Tyler Starr, South Dakota

COACH OF THE YEAR

Craig Bohl, North Dakota State

2014

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Tre Roberson, Illinois State
- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
David Johnson, UNI
Zach Zenner, S. Dakota State
- FB-- Andrew Bonnet, N. Dakota State
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Lance Lenoir, Jr., Western Illinois
Jake Wieneke, S. Dakota State
- OL-- Jermaine Barton, Illinois State
Trevor Greger, S. Dakota State
Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
Jesse Hinz, North Dakota State
Jack Rummells, UNI
- PK-- Michael Schmadeke, UNI
- LS-- Chris Highland, Illinois State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Teddy Corwin, Illinois State
Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
Derek Rivers, Youngstown State
Xavier Williams, UNI
- LB-- Jake Farley, UNI
Carlton Littlejohn, N. Dakota State
Pat Meehan, Illinois State
Connor Underwood, Indiana State
- DB-- Christian Dudzik, N. Dakota State
Colton Heagle, North Dakota State
Tim Kilfoy, UNI
Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
- P-- Ben LeCompte, N. Dakota State
- RS-- Tay Willis, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Mike Perish, Indiana State
- RB-- John Crockett, North Dakota State
Martin Ruiz, Youngstown State
- FB-- Bryce Holm, Illinois State
- TE-- James O'Shaughnessy, Illinois St.
- WR-- Lechein Neblett, Illinois State
Jason Schneider, S. Dakota State
- OL-- Rocco Ammons, Illinois State
Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois
Robert Booker, Missouri State
Richard Galbierz, Missouri State
Aaron Jelovic, Indiana State
- PK-- Justin Syrovatka, S. Dakota State
- LS-- Thor Hadfield, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Isaac Ales, UNI
Cole Langer, South Dakota State

- Bradon Prate, Illinois State
Terrell Williams, Youngstown State
- LB-- Travis Beck, North Dakota State
Kevin Kintzel, Western Illinois
T.J. Lally, South Dakota State
Brett McMakin, UNI
- DB-- Mike Banks, Illinois State
Deiondre' Hall, UNI
Mark Sewall, Indiana State
Travis Starks, Indiana State
- P-- CJ Laros, Illinois State
- RS-- Chad Owens, UNI

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Trenton Norvell, Western Illinois
Austin Sumner, S. Dakota State
Carson Wentz, N. Dakota State
- RB-- J.C. Baker, Western Illinois
Hans Carmien, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Gannon Sinclair, Missouri State
- WR-- Gary Owens, Indiana State
Eric Shufford, South Dakota
Zach Vraa, North Dakota State
Andrew Williams, Youngstown St.
- OL-- Ryan Bingaman, UNI
Mike Liedtke, Illinois State
Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota St.
Matt Zobrist, Western Illinois
- PK-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota
Adam Keller, North Dakota State
- LS-- Josh Appel, Indiana State
Nathan Gibbs, Youngstown State
- DL-- Mac O'Brien, UNI
David Perkins, Illinois State
- LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
Dubem Nwadiogbu, Youngstown
Kendall Walker, Indiana State
John Wessel, South Dakota
Tyler Williamson, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Donald D'Alesio, Youngstown St.
Makinton Dorleant, UNI
Jimmie Forsythe, S. Dakota State
Dontae McCoy, Illinois State
- P-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota
Chris Sullens, Missouri State
- RS-- Tevin Allen, Illinois State
LaSteven McKinney, S. Illinois

2015

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Mark Iannotti, Southern Illinois
Tre Roberson, Illinois State
- RB -- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
Nikko Watson, Western Illinois
- FB -- Andrew Bonnet, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Anthony Warrum, Illinois State
Jake Wieneke, S. Dakota State
- TE -- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
- OL -- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
Zack Johnson, N. Dakota State
Jacob Rathmacher, UNI
Mark Spelman, Illinois State
Ethan Wirth, Southern Illinois
- PK -- Zak Kennedy, Youngstown State
- LS -- Joshua Appel, Indiana State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
Derek Rivers, Youngstown State



QB Matt Brown of Illinois State was a first-team all-MVFC pick in 2012 and threw for 10,591 yards in his career.



UNI's Tyler Sievertsen was one of the most accurate kickers in league history, converting 114-straight PATs.



NFL pro-bowler Bart Scott was a first-team all-league pick for Southern Illinois in 2001.



LB Erik Dandy of Western Kentucky was a three-time all-league pick for the Hilltoppers (2001-02-03).

- Karter Schult, UNI
- Andrew Van Ginkel, South Dakota
- LB -- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
- Nick DeLuca, North Dakota State
- Brett McMakin, UNI
- Pat Meehan, Illinois State
- DB-- LeRoy Alexander, Youngstown St.
- Deiondre' Hall, UNI
- Tim Kilfoy, UNI
- CJ Smith, North Dakota State
- P -- Ben LeCompte, N. Dakota State
- RS -- Deion Holliman, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Aaron Bailey, UNI
- RB -- King Frazier, North Dakota State
- Jody Webb, Youngstown State
- FB -- Brady Tibbits, Illinois State
- WR-- Lance Lenoir, Jr., Western Illinois
- Billy Reed, Southern Illinois
- TE -- Luke Albers, North Dakota State
- Adam Fuehne, Southern Illinois
- OL -- Kyle Avaloy, Illinois State
- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
- Jeremy Kelly, North Dakota State
- Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota State
- Robert Rathje, UNI
- PK -- Miles Bergner, South Dakota
- LS -- James Fisher, North Dakota State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Isaac Ales, UNI
- Teddy Corwin, Illinois State
- Cole Langer, South Dakota State
- David Perkins, Illinois State
- LB -- Chase Allen, Southern Illinois
- T.J. Lally, South Dakota State
- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
- Lee Wright, Youngstown State
- DB -- Makinton Dorleant, UNI
- Jimmie Forsythe, S. Dakota State
- Kenny James, Southern Illinois
- Travis Starks, Indiana State
- P -- Sam Kuhter, UNI
- RS -- Daquan Isom, Southern Illinois

Honorable Mention

- QB -- Trenton Norvell, Western Illinois
- Carson Wentz, N. Dakota State
- RB-- Tyvis Smith, UNI
- FB-- Shane Kuhn, Youngstown State
- WR-- Robert Tonyan, Jr., Indiana State
- RJ Urzendowski, N. Dakota State
- TE-- Cam Jones, South Dakota State
- Braden Lehman, UNI
- OL-- Derek Chancellor, South Dakota
- Jake Notario, Southern Illinois
- Riley Shantz, Missouri State
- Justin Spencer, Youngstown State
- Dakota Vermillion, Indiana State
- PK-- Michael Schmadede, UNI
- LS-- Trent Simpson, UNI
- DL-- James Barnes, Missouri State
- Kris Harley, Western Illinois
- Eddy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
- Dalton Keene, Illinois State
- Nate Tanguay, N. Dakota State
- LB-- Jesse Bobbit, S. Dakota State
- Armand Dellovade, Youngstown St.
- Alex Donnelly, Illinois State
- Keyen Lage, South Dakota
- Kendall Walker, Indiana State
- Brandon Williams, S. Illinois
- DB-- Je Ryan Butler, S. Dakota State
- Tyson Graham, South Dakota
- Alec Kocour, Illinois State
- P-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota

- Derek Mathewson, S. Illinois
- Chris Sullens, Missouri State
- RS-- Makinton Dorleant, UNI
- Lance Lenoir, Jr., Western Illinois
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- RB Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- DB Deiondre' Hall, UNI
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
- Bob Nielson, Western Illinois

2016

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Taryn Christian, South Dakota St.
- RB -- King Frazier, North Dakota State
- Martin Ruiz, Youngstown State
- FB -- Chase Morlock, North Dakota St.
- WR-- Lance Lenoir, Western Illinois
- Jake Wieneke, S. Dakota State
- TE -- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
- OL -- Brock Eisenhuth, Youngstown St.
- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
- Landon Lechler, North Dakota St.
- Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota St.
- Mark Spelman, Illinois State
- PK -- Miles Bergner, South Dakota
- LS -- Joshua Appel, Indiana State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
- Avery Moss, Youngstown State
- Derek Rivers, Youngstown State
- Karter Schult, UNI
- LB -- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
- MJ Stumpf, North Dakota State
- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
- DB-- LeRoy Alexander, Youngstown St.
- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State
- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State
- Davontae Harris, Illinois State
- P -- Miles Bergner, South Dakota
- RS -- Deion Holliman, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Chris Streveler, South Dakota
- RB -- Steve McShane, Western Illinois
- Brady Mengarelli, S. Dakota State
- FB -- Kane Louscher, South Dakota St.
- WR-- Robert Tonyan Jr., Indiana State
- Anthony Warrum, Illinois State
- TE -- Erik Furmanek, Missouri State
- Jeff Illies, North Dakota State
- OL -- Trevor Hanson, UNI
- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
- Jack Plankers, North Dakota State
- Robert Rathje, UNI
- Justin Spencer, Youngstown State
- PK -- Jerry Nunez, Indiana State
- LS -- James Fisher, North Dakota State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Colby Isbell, Missouri State
- Dalton Keene, Illinois State
- Kellen Soulek, South Dakota State
- Nate Tanguay, North Dakota State
- LB -- Jesse Bobbit, South Dakota State
- Armand Dellovade, Youngstown St.
- Jared Farley, UNI
- Jet Moreland, South Dakota
- Jameer Thurman, Indiana State
- DB -- Elijah Campbell, UNI
- Alec Kocour, Illinois State
- Jameel Smith, Youngstown State
- Malcolm Washington, UNI
- P -- Mark Schuler, Youngstown State
- RS -- Darien Townsend, Youngstown St.

Honorable Mention

- QB -- Isaac Harker, Indiana State
- Sean McGuire, Western Illinois
- Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- RB-- Trevor Bouma, South Dakota
- Roland Genesy, Indiana State
- Michael Malloy, UNI
- Jody Webb, Youngstown State
- FB-- Drew Potter, South Dakota
- WR-- Malik Earl, Missouri State
- Zac Hoover, Missouri State
- OL-- Dylan Colucci, Youngstown State
- Charlie Harmon, South Dakota St.
- Cameron Lee, Illinois State
- Austin Olsen, Southern Illinois
- Dakota Vermillion, Indiana State
- PK-- Sean Slattery, Illinois State
- LS-- Thayer Trenhaile, S. Dakota State
- DL-- Cole Langer, South Dakota State
- Khalen Saunders, Western Illinois
- LB-- Chase Allen, Southern Illinois
- D'Shawn Dexter, UNI
- McNeece Egbim, Missouri State
- Pierre Gee-Tucker, N. Dakota St.
- Quentin Moon, Western Illinois
- Alejandro Rivera, Illinois State
- DB-- Jalen Allison, North Dakota State
- Kenny Bishop, Youngstown State
- Danny Rambo, South Dakota
- P-- Sam Kuhter, UNI
- RS-- D.J. Davis, Southern Illinois

- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- QB Taryn Christian, South Dakota St.
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
- DE Karter Schult, UNI
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
- John Stiegelmeier, South Dakota St.

2017

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Chris Streveler, South Dakota
- RB -- Tevin McCaster, Youngstown State
- James Robinson, Illinois State
- FB -- Connor Wentz, North Dakota State
- WR-- Jaelon Acklin, Western Illinois
- Daurice Fountain, UNI
- Jake Wieneke, S. Dakota State
- TE -- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
- OL -- Stetson Dagele, South Dakota
- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
- Austin Kuhnert, N. Dakota State
- Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota State
- Justin Spencer, Youngstown State
- PK -- Sean Slattery, Illinois State
- LS -- James Fisher, North Dakota State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Darin Greenfield, South Dakota
- Dalton Keene, Illinois State
- Adam Reth, UNI
- Khalen Saunders, Western Illinois
- LB -- Nick DeLuca, North Dakota State
- Jared Farley, UNI
- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
- DB-- Jordan Brown, South Dakota State
- Elijah Campbell, UNI
- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State
- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State
- Davontae Harris, Illinois State
- P -- Lane Reazin, Southern Illinois
- RS -- Deion Holliman, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Taryn Christian, S. Dakota State
- RB -- Bruce Anderson, N. Dakota State
Steve McShane, Western Illinois
- FB -- Kane Louscher, S. Dakota State
- WR-- Malik Earl, Missouri State
Spencer Schnell, Illinois State
RJ Urzendowski, N. Dakota State
- TE -- Jacquet McClendon, Indiana State
- OL -- Lee Carhart, UNI
Vitas Hrynkiwicz, Youngstown St.
Austin Olsen, Southern Illinois
Tanner Volson, North Dakota State
Gavin Wiggins, Youngstown State
- PK -- Chase Vinatieri, S. Dakota State
- LS -- Brandon Godsey, South Dakota

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Colby Isbell, Missouri State
Rickey Neal, UNI
Kellen Soulek, South Dakota State
Aaron Steidl, North Dakota State
- LB -- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
Armand Dellovade, Youngstown St.
Angelo Garbutt, Missouri State
Jonas Griffith, Indiana State
- DB -- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
Justin Fitzpatrick, Western Illinois
Andrew Gray, South Dakota
Billy Nicoe Hurst, Youngstown St.
Alec Kocour, Illinois State

- P -- Sam Kuhter, UNI
- RS-- Steve McShane, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

- QB -- Peyton Huslig, Missouri State
Sean McGuire, Western Illinois
Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- RB -- LeMonte Booker, Indiana State
Brady Mengarelli, S. Dakota State
Max Norris, Western Illinois
Marcus Weymiller, UNI
- FB-- Hans Carmien, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Josh Baldus, Western Illinois
Charlie Harmon, S. Dakota State
Dean Helt, Illinois State
Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
Marquis Prophete, Missouri State
- TE -- Briley Moore, UNI
Tylor Petkovich, Illinois State
Kevin Rader, Youngstown State
- WR-- Shamar Jackson, South Dakota
Darrell James, Southern Illinois
Brandt Van Roekel, South Dakota
- PK -- Cam Pedersen, N. Dakota State
- LS-- Steven Wethli, Youngstown State
- DL -- Adam Conley, Illinois State
Anthony Knighton, S. Illinois
Nate Tanguay, North Dakota State
- LB -- Jim Litrenta, South Dakota
Quentin Moon, Western Illinois
Katrell Moss, Indiana State
Lee Wright, Youngstown State
- DB-- Chris Balster, South Dakota State
Darius Joseph, Missouri State
Ryan Neal, Southern Illinois
Jalyn Powell, Youngstown State
Malcolm Washington, UNI

- P -- Thomas Bouldin, Indiana State
- RS-- D.J. Davis, Southern Illinois

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

QB Chris Streveler, South Dakota

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

LB Brett Taylor, Western Illinois

COACH OF THE YEAR

Chris Klieman, North Dakota State

2018

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Taryn Christian, S. Dakota State
Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- RB -- Ja'Quan Keys, Indiana State
Tevin McCaster, Youngstown State
James Robinson, Illinois State
- FB -- Clint Ratkovich, Western Illinois
- WR-- Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
Spencer Schnell, Illinois State
Darius Shepherd, N. Dakota State
- TE -- Briley Moore, UNI
- OL -- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
Tiano Pupungatoa, S. Dakota St.
Cal Twait, UNI
Tanner Volson, N. Dakota State
Gavin Wiggins, Youngstown State
- PK -- Austin Errthum, UNI
- LS -- Steven Wethli, Youngstown State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Darin Greenfield, South Dakota
Greg Menard, North Dakota State
Rickey Neal Jr., UNI
Khalen Saunders, Western Illinois
- LB -- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
Jonas Griffith, Indiana State
Christian Rozeboom, SDSU
Pete Swenson, Western Illinois
- DB-- Jordan Brown, South Dakota State
Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State
Luther Kirk, Illinois State
Xavior Williams, UNI

- P -- Garret Wegner, N. Dakota State
- RS -- Darius Shepherd, N. Dakota State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Ryan Boyle, Indiana State
- RB -- Bruce Anderson, N. Dakota State
D.J. Davis, Southern Illinois
Lance Dunn, North Dakota State
- FB -- Brock Robbins, North Dakota St.
- WR-- Dakarai Allen, South Dakota
Raphael Leonard, Southern Illinois
Isaiah LeSure, Western Illinois
- TE -- Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
- OL -- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
Vitas Hrynkiwicz, Youngstown St.
Marquis Prophete, Missouri State
Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State
Wyatt Wozniak, Indiana State
- PK -- Jerry Nunez, Indiana State
- LS -- Bradey Sorenson, S. Dakota State

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Bryce Douglas, UNI
Ryan Earith, South Dakota State
Anthony Knighton, S. Illinois
Savon Smith, Youngstown State
- LB -- Armand Dellovade, YSU
Duncan Ferch, UNI
Quentin Moon, Western Illinois
Katrell Moss, Indiana State
- DB -- Justin Fitzpatrick, Western Illinois
Andrew Gray, South Dakota
Rondell Green, Indiana State
James Hendricks, N. Dakota State
Devin Taylor, Illinois State

- P -- Brady Hale, South Dakota State
- RS -- Steve McShane, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

- QB-- Sean McGuire, Western Illinois
Austin Simmons, South Dakota
- RB -- Steve McShane, Western Illinois
Marcus Weymiller, UNI
- FB -- Luke Sellers, South Dakota State

- WR-- Adam Anderson, S. Dakota State
Tyler Currie, Missouri State
Dante Hendrix, Indiana State
Landon Lenoir, Southern Illinois
- TE -- Miles Joiner, Youngstown State
Nigel Kilby, Southern Illinois
Jordan Murray, Missouri State
Elias Nissen, UNI
- OL -- Isaiah Edwards, Indiana State
Evan Greeneway, S. Dakota State
Cody Jennings, South Dakota
Tate Leavitt, Indiana State
Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota
Jackson Scott-Brown, UNI

- PK -- Cam Pedersen, N. Dakota State
- LS -- Paul Monaco, Illinois State
- DL -- Shereif Bynum, Youngstown State
Cole Karcz, North Dakota State
Derrek Tuszka, N. Dakota State
- LB -- McNeece Egbim, Missouri State
Angelo Garbutt, Missouri State
Bryce Notree, Southern Illinois
- DB -- Jalen Allison, North Dakota State
Chrispin Lee, Youngstown State
Xavier Rowe, Western Illinois
- P -- JT Bohlken, Illinois State
- RS -- Christian Uphoff, Illinois State

- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
QB Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
LB Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
Curt Mallory, Indiana State

2019

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
- RB -- James Robinson, Illinois State
Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- FB -- Clint Ratkovich, Western Illinois
- WR-- Dante Hendrix, Indiana State
Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
Isaiah Weston, UNI
- TE -- Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
- OL -- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State
Jackson Scott-Brown, UNI
Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- PK -- Matthew Cook, UNI
- LS -- Chandler Collins, Missouri State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Romeo McKnight, Illinois State
Justus Reed, Youngstown State
Elerson Smith, UNI
Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State
- LB -- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
McNeece Egbim, Missouri State
Jonas Griffith, Indiana State
Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
- DB-- Omar Brown, UNI
Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
James Hendricks, N. Dakota State
Luther Kirk, Illinois State
Devin Taylor, Illinois State

- P -- Brady Schutt, South Dakota
- RS -- Dakota Caton, Indiana State

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Austin Simmons, South Dakota
- RB -- D.J. Davis, Southern Illinois
Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois
- FB -- Dominique Dafney, Indiana State
Luke Sellers, South Dakota State



In 2017, QB Chris Streveler of South Dakota set an MVFC record with 4,854 yards of total offense.



The MVFC's all-time leading receiver, Jake Wieneke of South Dakota State notched 60 TDs in his four years.



WIU's Lee Russell was a four-time all-conference honoree (2000-03) and Freshman of the Year in 2000.



In 2019, LB Christian Rozeboom of South Dakota State became the third player in MVFC history to earn first-team all-MVFC all four seasons.

- WR -- Avante Cox, Southern Illinois
Caleb Vander Esch, South Dakota
Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- TE -- Brett Samson, South Dakota
- OL -- Spencer Brown, UNI
Matt Clark, South Dakota State
Ernest Dye Jr., Southern Illinois
Zeveyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
Wyatt Wozniak, Indiana State
- PK -- Jerry Nunez, Indiana State
- LS -- Jared Drake, Western Illinois
- SECOND TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL -- Jared Brinkman, UNI
Ryan Earith, South Dakota State
Darin Greenfield, South Dakota
Ma'Lik Richmond, Youngstown St.
- LB -- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
Cody Crider, Southern Illinois
Ty DeForest, Illinois State
Chris Kolarevic, UNI
- DB -- Marquise Bridges, N. Dakota St.
Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
Don Gardner, South Dakota State
Josh Hayes, North Dakota State
Xavior Williams, UNI
- P -- Brendan Withrow, Missouri State
- RS -- Jake Coates, Youngstown State
- Honorable Mention**
- QB -- Peyton Huslig, Missouri State
Will McElvain, UNI
- RB -- Ty Brooks, North Dakota State
Adam Cofield, North Dakota State
- FB -- Hunter Luepke, N. Dakota State
Garrett Malstrom, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Adam Anderson, S. Dakota State
Jermiah Braswell, Youngstown St.
Tyler Currie, Missouri State
Landon Lenoir, Southern Illinois
- TE -- Kallan Hart, South Dakota State
Miles Joiner, Youngstown State
- OL -- Dan Becker, Youngstown State
Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota
Karson Schoening, N. Dakota St.
Adam Solomon, Illinois State
- PK -- Sam Fenlason, Illinois State
Mason Lorber, South Dakota
- LS -- Paul Monaco, Illinois State
- DL -- Malik Haynes, Southern Illinois
LaCale London, Western Illinois
Matt McClellan, Missouri State
Inoke Moala, Indiana State
John Ridgeway, Illinois State
Spencer Waege, N. Dakota State
- LB -- Logan Backhaus, S. Dakota State
Clayton Glasco, Indiana State
Zach Glisan, Western Illinois
- DB -- Madre Harper, Southern Illinois
Christian Jegen, UNI
Roosevelt Lawrence, UNI
Elijah Reed, South Dakota
Michael Thomas, Indiana State
Michael Tutsie, North Dakota State
- P -- Adam Fellner, Western Illinois
- RS -- Justin Hall, Western Illinois
Trevor Heit, North Dakota State
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
QB Trey Lance, North Dakota State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
DL Derrek Tuszka, N. Dakota State
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
Matt Entz, North Dakota State

2020-21 (Spring 2021)

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Mark Gronowski, S. Dakota State
RB -- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
Otis Weah, North Dakota
- FB -- Hunter Luepke, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Avante Cox, Southern Illinois
Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- TE -- Zach Heins, South Dakota State
- OL -- Zeveyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
Garret Greenfield, S. Dakota State
Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
Nathan Nguon, North Dakota
Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- PK -- Matthew Cook, UNI
- LS -- Ross Kennelly, North Dakota State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Jared Brinkman, UNI
John Ridgeway, Illinois State
Caleb Sanders, S. Dakota State
Spencer Waege, N. Dakota State
- LB -- Logan Backhaus, S. Dakota State
Spencer Cuvelier, UNI
Grant Dixon, Youngstown State
James Kaczor, North Dakota State
- DB-- Montrae Braswell, Missouri State
Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
James Ceasar, Southern Illinois
Don Gardner, South Dakota State
Josh Hayes, North Dakota State

- P -- Garret Wegner, N. Dakota State
- RS-- Tony Tate, Western Illinois
- SECOND TEAM OFFENSE**

- QB -- Connor Sampson, Western Illinois
Tommy Schuster, North Dakota
- RB-- Jaleel McLaughlin, Youngstown St.
Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois
- FB -- Jacob Garrett, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Jaxon Janke, South Dakota State
Tony Tate, Western Illinois
Caleb Vander Esch, South Dakota
- TE -- Noah Gindorff, North Dakota State
- OL -- Landon Bebee, Missouri State
Dan Becker, Youngstown State
Cody Mauch, North Dakota State
Mason McCormick, S. Dakota St.
Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
- PK -- Jose Pizano, Missouri State
- LS -- Dalton Godfrey, South Dakota

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Jordan Berner, Southern Illinois
Kevin Ellis, Missouri State
Eric Johnson, Missouri State
Brantae Wells, UNI
- LB -- Devon Krzanowski, North Dakota
Brock Mogensen, South Dakota
Bryson Strong, Southern Illinois
Tyler Wiltz, Missouri State
- DB-- Austin Evans, UNI
Evan Holm, North Dakota
Zaire Jones, Youngstown State
Kyriq McDonald, Missouri State
Michael Tutsie, North Dakota State
- P -- Brady Schutt, South Dakota
- RS -- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- Honorable Mention**
- RB-- Isaiah Davis, South Dakota State
Celdon Manning, Missouri State
Luke Skokna, North Dakota
- FB -- Tim McCloyn, Illinois State
- WR-- Quan Hampton, UNI
Garett Maag, North Dakota
Damoriea Vick, Missouri State

- TE-- Josh Babicz, North Dakota State
Brett Samson, South Dakota
- OL-- Wes Genant, South Dakota State
Trevor Penning, UNI
Ryan Tobin, North Dakota
Will Waddell, Western Illinois
- PK-- Cole Frahm, South Dakota State
- LS-- Dan Heilbron, Southern Illinois
- DL-- James Jackson, Youngstown State
Jacob Matthew, South Dakota
Eli Mostaert, North Dakota State
Eryk Preston, Western Illinois
Lane Tucker, North Dakota State
- LB -- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
Bryce Notree, Southern Illinois
Shanon Reid, Illinois State
Brandon Simon, Illinois State
- DB-- Omar Brown, UNI
Myles Harden, South Dakota
Michael Lawson, Western Illinois
Keyon Martin, Youngstown State
- P-- Grant Burkett, Missouri State
Jack Colquhoun, Southern Illinois
- RS-- Jake Coates, Youngstown State
- OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
QB Mark Gronowski, S. Dakota State
- DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR**
DL Jared Brinkman, UNI
- COACH OF THE YEAR**
Bobby Petrino, Missouri State

2021

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Jason Shelley, Missouri State
- RB -- Jaleel McLaughlin, Youngstown St.
Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- FB -- Hunter Luepke, N. Dakota State
- TE -- Tucker Kraft, South Dakota State
- WR-- Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
Tyrone Scott, Missouri State
Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- OL -- Zeveyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
Cody Mauch, North Dakota State
Trevor Penning, UNI
Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
- FIRST TEAM SPECIALISTS**
- P -- Grant Burkett, Missouri State
- PK -- Matthew Cook, UNI
- RS -- Montrae Braswell, Missouri State
- DS -- Dalton Godfrey, South Dakota
- AP -- Christian Watson, North Dakota

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Jared Brinkman, UNI
Kevin Ellis, Missouri State
Inoke Moala, Indiana State
Brayden Thomas, N. Dakota State
- LB -- Logan Backhaus, S. Dakota State
Adam Bock, South Dakota State
Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
Spencer Cuvelier, UNI
- DB -- Montrae Braswell, Missouri State
Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
Darius Joiner, Western Illinois
Benny Sapp III, UNI
Michael Tutsie, North Dakota State
- SECOND TEAM OFFENSE**

- QB -- Connor Sampson, Western Illinois
- RB -- Otis Weah, North Dakota
Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois
- FB -- Tim McCloyn, Illinois State
- TE -- Josh Babicz, North Dakota State

WR-- Jaxon Janke, South Dakota State
Landon Lenoir, Southern Illinois
Isaiah Weston, UNI

OL -- Landon Bebee, Missouri State
Wes Genant, South Dakota State
Alex Jensen, South Dakota
Aron Johnson, S. Dakota State
Mason McCormick, S. Dakota St.

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

DL-- Eric Johnson, Missouri State
Anthony Knighton, S. Illinois
Caleb Sanders, S. Dakota State
Reece Winkelman, S. Dakota St.

LB -- Jasir Cox, North Dakota State
Jackson Hankey, N. Dakota State
Bryce Notree, Southern Illinois
Tylar Wiltz, Missouri State

DB -- Don Gardner, South Dakota State
Evan Holm, North Dakota
Clayton Isbell, Illinois State
Michael Lawson, Western Illinois
Elijah Reed, South Dakota

SECOND TEAM SPECIALISTS

P -- Brady Schutt, South Dakota
PK -- Jose Pizano, Missouri State
RS -- Jayden Price, North Dakota State
DS -- Bradey Sorenson, S. Dakota State
AP -- Isaiah Weston, UNI

Honorable Mention

QB -- Nic Baker, Southern Illinois
Chris Oladokun, S. Dakota State

RB -- Cole Mueller, Illinois State
Bradrick Shaw, UNI
Travis Theis, South Dakota

WR-- Avante Cox, Southern Illinois
Dante Hendrix, Indiana State
Xavier Lane, Missouri State
Deion McShane, UNI
Tony Tate, Western Illinois

TE -- Noah Gindorff, North Dakota State
Zach Heins, South Dakota State
Brett Samson, South Dakota

OL -- Trey Georgie, Illinois State
Jaison Williams, Youngstown State

LB -- Greg Benton Jr., Western Illinois
Grant Dixon, Youngstown State
Devon Krzanowski, North Dakota
Jaxson Turner, North Dakota
Zeke Vandenburg, Illinois State

DL -- Hunter Mason, Western Illinois
Jacob Matthew, South Dakota
Eli Mostaert, North Dakota State
Lane Tucker, North Dakota State

DB -- Omar Brown, UNI
Jordan Canady, North Dakota
JJ Henderson, Indiana State
PJ Jules, Southern Illinois
Kyriq McDonald, Missouri State
Titus Wall, Missouri State

P -- J.T. Bohlken, Illinois State
PK -- Cole Frahm, South Dakota State
Colt McFadden, Youngstown State

RS -- Wesley Eliodor, South Dakota
DS -- Wyatt Harwood, Indiana State
AP -- Carter Bell, South Dakota

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
QB Jason Shelley, Missouri State

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
DL Jared Brinkman, UNI

COACH OF THE YEAR
Matt Entz, North Dakota State



In 2021, Jared Brinkman of UNI was named Defensive Player of the Year for the second-straight season.



NDSU's Hunter Luepke was named the Most Outstanding Player of the 2021 NCAA Title Game.

Quarterbacks

Eric Arnold, Eastern Illinois (89-2nd)
 Blayne Baggett, Indiana State (05-HM)
 Aaron Bailey, UNI (15-2nd)
 Nic Baker, Southern Illinois (21-HM)
 Danny Barnett, Illinois State (93-2nd)
 Matt Barr, Western Illinois (10-1st)
 Steve Beard, UNI (96-1st)
 Chris Berg, UNI (95-1st)
 Ryan Berry, South Dakota State (08-1st)
 Ryan Boyle, Indiana State (18-2nd)
 Matt Brown, ILS (09, 11-2nd) (10-HM) (12-1st)
 Paul Carney, Missouri State (91-HM)
 Taryn Christian, SDSU (16-1st, 18-1st) (17-2nd)
 Sam Clemons, W. Illinois (01-1st) (00-HM)
 Chris Dieker, S. Illinois (09-HM) (08-HM)
 Brian Downey, Southern Illinois (91-HM)
 Luke Drone, ILS (06-1st) (05-HM) (07-HM)
 Shane Fortney, UNI (97-2nd)
 Ronnie Fouch, INS (10-HM) (11-HM)
 Scott Gabbert, Southern Illinois (92-HM)
 Kevin Glenn, ILS (00-HM) (98-1st) (97-HM)
 Pat Grace, UNI (09-1st) (08-2nd)
 Mark Gronowski, SDSU (20-1st)
 Justin Haddix, WKU (05, 06-HM) (04-2nd)
 Isaac Harker, Indiana State (16-HM)
 Jeff Hecklinski, WIU (97-1st) (96-2nd) (95-HM)
 Ryan Helming, UNI (00-1st) (99-1st) (98-HM)
 Kip Hennelly, Indiana State (93-HM)
 Kurt Hess, YSU (11-1st) (12-HM) (13-2nd)
 Nick Hill, Southern Illinois (07-1st)
 Jeremy Hoog, MSU (97-HM) (96-HM)
 Peyton Huslig, MSU (17-HM) (19-HM)
 Brock Jensen, NDSU (11-HM) (12-2nd) (13-1st)
 Derek Jensen, Missouri State (98-2nd)
 Jay Johnson, UNI (90, 92-2nd) (91-1st)
 Phillip Johnson, Indiana State (04-HM)
 Mark Iannotti, Southern Illinois (15-1st)
 Cody Kirby, MSU (09, 10-HM) (08-2nd)
 Steve LaFalce, Western Illinois (05-HM)
 Trey Lance, NDSU (19-1st)
 Pete Mauch, E. Illinois (95-2nd) (94-HM)
 Will McElvain, UNI (19-HM)
 Sean McGuire, WIU (16, 17, 18-HM)
 Jason Michael, Western Kentucky (02-HM)
 Russ Michna, W. Illinois (03-1st) (02-1st)
 Austin Moherman, Missouri State (01-HM)
 Trenton Norvell, WIU (14-HM) (15-HM)
 Brett O'Donnell, UNI (94-2nd)
 Chris Oladokun, S. Dakota State (21-HM)
 Sean Payton, E. Illinois (86-1st) (85-1st)
 Mike Perish, Indiana State (14-2nd)
 Tom Petrie, UNI (03-HM)
 Donte Pimpleton, Western Ky. (01-HM)
 Sherard Poteete, Southern Illinois (99-2nd)
 Julian Reese, Indiana State (02-1st)
 Tirrell Rennie, UNI (10-2nd) (11-1st)
 Tre Roberson, Illinois St. (14-1st) (15-1st)

Jay Rodgers, Missouri State (99-HM)
 Jeff Ryan, YSU (01-2nd) (00-2nd) (99-HM)
 Rob St. Sauver, Western Illinois (94-1st)
 John Sahn, Indiana State (88-2nd)
 Joel Sambursky, SIU (04, 05-1st) (03-2nd) (02-HM)
 Connor Sampson, WIU (20-2nd) (21-2nd)
 Eric Sanders, UNI (05, 06-2nd) (07-1st)
 Tommy Schuster, UND (20-2nd)
 Jason Shelley, Missouri State (21-1st)
 Austin Simmons, USD (18-HM) (19-2nd)
 Donny Simmons, Western Illinois (92-1st)
 Paul Singer, W. Illinois (88-1st) (87-2nd)
 Kent Skornia, Southern Illinois (98-HM)
 DeAndre Smith, MSU (90-1st) (89-1st)
 Mike Smith, UNI (87-1st) (86-2nd) (85-2nd)
 Easton Stick, NDSU (16-HM) (17-HM) (18-1st)
 John Stites, Indiana State (90-HM)
 Steve Streveler, US (16-2nd) (17-1st)
 Brandon Summers, YSU (09-HM) (08-HM)
 Austin Sumner, SDSU (13-HM) (14-HM)
 Jeff Thorne, E. Illinois (92-HM) (91-2nd)
 Demond Tidwell, Youngstown (97-HM)
 Yance Vaughan, Illinois State (04-HM)
 Kurt Warner, UNI (93-1st)
 Carson Wentz, NDSU (14-HM) (15-HM)
 Adrian Wilson, Illinois State (91-HM)
 Trevor Wooden, Missouri State (11-HM)
 Mark Zanders, Western Illinois (98-HM)
 Tom Zetts, YSU (06-HM) (07-2nd)

Runningbacks / Fullbacks

Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU (03, 02-1st)
 Bruce Anderson, NDSU (17-2nd) (18-2nd)
 Carlos Anderson, UNI (10-HM) (09-HM)
 Jake Andreadis, Youngstown State (97-1st)
 J.C. Baker, W. Illinois (13-HM) (14-HM)
 Lee Baker, Missouri State (05-HM)
 Shakir Bell, Indiana State (11-1st) (12-1st)
 Vince Benedetto, S. Dakota State (13-1st)
 Adam Bengel, UNI (99, 01, 02-2nd)
 Alex Beyer, South Dakota State (10-HM)
 Geno Blow, Illinois State (07-HM)
 Coe Bonner, Southern Illinois (96-1st)
 Andrew Bonnet, NDSU (14-1st) (15-1st)
 LeMonte Booker, INS (17-HM)
 Trevor Bouma, South Dakota (16-HM)
 Carl Boyd, UNI (87-1st) (86-1st) (85-2nd)
 Ty Brooks, North Dakota St. (19-HM)
 Adrian Brown, YSU (99-1st) (97, 98-HM)
 Reggie Brown, UNI (04-HM)
 Rick Burgess, Southern Illinois (07-2nd)
 Hans Carmien, S. Illinois (14-HM) (17-HM)
 Karlton Carpenter, Southern Illinois (98-1st)
 Aveion Cason, Illinois State (98-2nd)
 Marty Casper, Illinois State (86-HM)
 Adam Cofield, North Dakota St. (19-HM)
 Phillip Collins, Missouri State (89-1st)
 Jamaine Cook, YSU (10, 12-2nd) (11-1st)

Marshaun Coprich, ILS (14-1st) (15-1st)
 Tank Corner, UNI (92-2nd)
 Michael Cosey, Missouri State (96-1st)
 Mike Cox, Western Illinois (90-2nd)
 John Crockett, North Dakota St. (14-2nd)
 Dominique Dafney, Indiana State (19-2nd)
 Maurice Daniels, MSU (98-2nd) (97-2nd)
 D.J. Davis, S. Illinois (18-2nd) (19-2nd)
 Gerald Davis, Missouri State (07-HM)
 Isaiah Davis, SDSU (20-HM)
 Toby Davis, ILS (92-1st) (91-2nd) (90-HM)
 Dee Debro, Missouri State (94-HM)
 Herb Donaldson, WIU (06-2nd) (07, 08-1st)
 Chris Douglas, Missouri State (10-HM)
 Darrelynn Dunn, Illinois State (12-HM)
 Lance Dunn, NDSU (18-2nd)
 Sha-Ron Edwards, Illinois State (03-1st)
 Andre Forte, Indiana State (05-HM)
 Derrick Franklin, INS (91-1st) (90-1st)
 Jon Frazier, Western Kentucky (02-2nd)
 King Frazier, NDSU (15-2nd) (16-1st)
 Terrance Freaney, UNI (04-1st) (03-1st)
 Josh Gabelmann, WIU (10-HM) (09-HM)
 DeWayne Gallishaw, Western Ky. (01-HM)
 Jacob Garrett, Southern Illinois (20-2nd)
 Darrius Gates, Indiana State (10-1st)
 Roland Genesy, Indiana State (16-HM)
 Michael Gerrell, UNI (00-HM)
 Dre Gibbs, W. Illinois (09-2nd) (08-1st)
 Tony Gilbert, Missouri St. (89-1st) (86-2nd)
 Travis Glasford, WIU (03, 05-2nd) (04-1st)
 John Goode, SIU (10-2nd) (09-1st) (08-HM)
 Keith Goodnight, Illinois State (95-2nd)
 Brett Grimshaw, W. Illinois (87, 88-2nd)
 Andrew Grothmann, NDSU (13-1st)
 Jewel Hampton, Southern Illinois (11-1st)
 Chuck Harmke, Southern Illinois (88-2nd)
 Kevin Hart, Western Illinois (91-2nd)
 Chris Hicks, Eastern Illinois (95-HM)
 Willie High, EIU (95-1st) (94-1st) (93-1st)
 Hale Hitchcock, Missouri State (91-HM)
 Terry Hollimon, UNI (97-2nd)
 Bernard Holloway, Western Illinois (90-HM)
 Bryce Holm, Illinois State (14-2nd)
 Demetrius Ison, YSU (05-1st) (04-1st)
 Brandon Jacobs, Southern Illinois (04-2nd)
 Walter James, Illinois St. (00-HM) (99-HM)
 Eric Jenkins, Missouri State (90-1st)
 Steve Jenkins, UNI (98-HM)
 David Johnson, UNI (11-HM) (12-2nd) (13, 14-1st)
 Jamie Jones, EIU (91-1st) (89, 90-2nd)
 Ed Josephs, Western Illinois (97-HM)
 Yonel Jourdain, S. Illinois (92-HM) (91-2nd)
 Deji Karim, Southern Illinois (09-1st)
 Ja'Quan Keys, Indiana State (18-1st)
 Mel Kirksy, Southern Illinois (86-1st)
 Brian Knuckles, WIU (96-2nd) (95-HM)
 Tom Koutsos, SIU (03-2nd) (01, 00-1st) (99-HM)

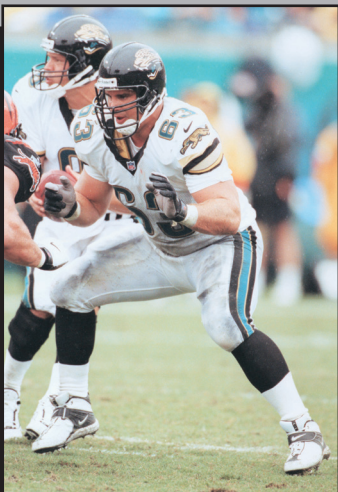
The following pages are a list of all-conference honorees, alphabetically, by position. The numbers in parentheses indicate what year a player earned all-conference honors and to which team that player was selected.



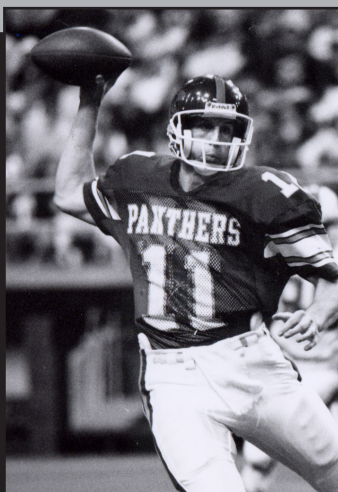
NDSU's Trey Lance became the first freshman to win the league's Offensive Player of the Year award in 2019.



RB James Robinson of Illinois State was a three-time first-team all-MVFC selection (2017, 2018, 2019).



Before joining the NFL's Jacksonville Jaguars, Brad Meester was a four-time all-league pick at UNI (1996-99).



Jay Johnson earned all-league honors three-straight years and led UNI to playoff berths in 1990-91-92.

Shane Kuhn, Youngstown State (15-HM)
 Mike Larson, Illinois St. (04-HM) (03-HM)
 Ashton Leggett, Illinois State (11-2nd)
 Corey Lewis, UNI (07-1st) (08-2nd)
 Eddie Linscomb, Missouri State (02-HM)
 Charles Lister, UNI (91-HM)
 Brock Lough, Indiana St. (10-1st) (11-1st)
 Kane Louscher, SDSU (16-2nd) (17-2nd)
 Hunter Luepke, NDSU (19-HM) (20, 21-1st)
 Celdon Manning, Missouri State (20-HM)
 Tevin McCaster, YSU (17-1st) (18-1st)
 Rodney McConico, Missouri State (88-HM)
 Tim McCloyn, Illinois St. (20-HM) (21-2nd)
 Kendall McDonald, Western Illinois (94-1st)
 Jaleel McLaughlin, YSU (20-2nd) (21-1st)
 D.J. McNorton, N. Dakota State (10-2nd)
 Steve McShane, WIU (16, 17-2nd) (18-HM)
 Ryan Mahaffey, UNI (08, 09-2nd) (07-HM)
 Michael Malloy, UNI (16-HM)
 Garrett Malstrom, N. Dakota State (19-HM)
 James Marable, Eastern Illinois (86-2nd)
 Marcus Mason, YSU (06-1st) (05-2nd)
 P.J. Mays, Youngstown St. (02-1st) (01-1st)
 Brady Mengarelli, SDSU (16-2nd) (17-HM)
 Javid Milton, Western Illinois (07-1st)
 Kyle Minett, SDSU (10-1st) (08, 09-2nd)
 Byron Mitchell, S. Illinois (87-2nd) (85-1st)
 Lerron Moore, WKU (03, 06-HM) (05-1st) (04-2nd)
 Dave Mordis, Illinois State (06-2nd)
 Chase Morlock, N. Dakota State (16-1st)
 Cole Mueller, Illinois State (21-HM)
 Matt Nelson, Indiana St. (99-HM) (98-HM)
 Jordan Neukirch, ILS (11-2nd) (12-1st) (13-HM)
 David Nicol, Indiana State (92-HM)
 Max Norris, Western Illinois (17-HM)
 Vic Northern, Illinois State (90-HM) (88-1st)
 Sam Ojuri, North Dakota State (13-2nd)
 Pat Paschall, N. Dakota State (09-1st)
 Errol Peebles, UNI (88-HM)
 Anthony Pegues, MSU (91, 92, 93-HM)
 Anthony Perry, S. Illinois (92-2nd) (91-HM)
 DuWayne Pitts, E. Illinois (87-1st) (85-2nd)
 Preston Portee, Missouri State (04-2nd)
 Drew Potter, South Dakota (16-HM)
 Cody Pratt, Missouri State (04-HM)
 John Randle, Southern Illinois (07-2nd)
 Clint Ratkovich, W. Illinois (18-1st) (19-1st)
 Pierre Rembert, Illinois State (06-2nd)
 Rafael Rice, Illinois State (07-2nd)
 Jason Ringena, MSU (00-2nd) (99-2nd)
 Brock Robbins, NDSU (18-2nd)
 James Robinson, ILS (17, 18, 19-1st)
 Brandon Robinson, S. Illinois (03-1st)
 Tyler Roehl, North Dakota State (08-HM)
 Martin Ruiz, YSU (13, 14-2nd) (16-1st)
 Nate Schurman, MSU (03-2nd) (02-HM)
 Luke Sellers, SDSU (18-HM) (19-2nd)
 Carson Sharbaugh, YSU (13-HM)

Bradrick Shaw, UNI (21-HM)
 Kyle Sheehan, S. Dakota State (11-HM)
 Luke Skokna, UND (20-HM)
 Cameron Smith, Illinois State (93-2nd)
 Tyvis Smith, UNI (15-HM)
 Aaron Stecker, W. Illinois (98-1st) (97-1st)
 Jeff Stovall, UNI (96, 95, 94, 93-2nd)
 Pierre Strong Jr., SDSU (19, 20, 21-1st)
 Charles Tharp, W. Illinois (00-1st) (99-1st)
 Travis Theis, South Dakota (21-HM)
 Brady Tibbits, Illinois State (15-2nd)
 Ritchie Thompson, Illinois State (89-HM)
 Tori Vactor, Indiana State (88-1st)
 Nikko Watson, Western Illinois (15-1st)
 Willie Watts, ILS (01-2nd) (00-2nd) (99-HM)
 Larry Warner, Southern Illinois (08-1st)
 Quincy Washington, Illinois State (02-HM)
 Otis Weah, UND (20-1st) (20-2nd)
 Jody Webb, YSU (15-2nd) (16-HM)
 Connor Wentz, NDSU (17-1st)
 Ron Westmoreland, Illinois State (87-2nd)
 Marcus Weymiller, UNI (17-HM) (18-HM)
 Jonah White, Missouri State (92-HM)
 Arkee Whitlock, SIU (05, 06-1st) (04-2nd)
 Javon Williams Jr., SIU (19, 20, 21-2nd)
 Keith Williams, Missouri State (85-1st)
 J.T. Wise, S. Illinois (06-1st) (05-2nd)
 Ben Wolfe, Indiana State (96-HM)
 Austin Wozniak, Indiana State (12-2nd)
 David Wright, INS (92, 93, 95-1st) (94-2nd)
 Shawn Young, Indiana State (89-2nd)
 Zach Zenner, SDSU (12, 13, 14-1st)

Tight Ends

Tim Achterberg, Illinois St. (95-2nd) (94-HM)
 Nate Adams, Youngstown State (13-HM)
 Luke Albers, N. Dakota State (15-2nd)
 Doug Amaya, Southern Illinois (91-2nd)
 Chad Ames, Indiana State (97-2nd)
 Josh Babicz, NDSU (20-HM) (21-2nd)
 Brian Baker, UNI (86-1st)
 Matt Beste, Indiana State (03-HM)
 Tom Bragg, Western Illinois (87-2nd)
 Brian Brown, Illinois St. (92-2nd) (91-2nd)
 Matt Buchholz, Missouri State (04-HM)
 Derrick Bush, YSU (06-2nd) (07-2nd)
 Colin Cochart, SDSU (10-1st) (08, 09-HM)
 Brian Cutright, UNI (05-HM)
 Seth Daughters, S. Dakota State (12-HM)
 Jonathan Denley, Illinois State (05-HM)
 Ben Ellefson, N. Dakota St. (18-2nd) (19-1st)
 Adam Fuehne, Southern Illinois (15-2nd)
 Erik Furmanek, Missouri State (16-2nd)
 Larry Gauer, Indiana State (94-HM)
 Noah Gindorff, NDSU (20-2nd) (21-HM)
 Dallas Goedert, SDSU (15, 16, 17-1st)
 Payne Hall, Missouri State (06-HM)
 Ryan Hannam, UNI (01-2nd) (00-HM)

Clay Harbor, MSU (07-1st) (08-1st) (09-1st)
 Matt Harken, UNI (95-HM) (94-1st) (93-1st)
 Kallan Hart, South Dakota State (19-HM)
 Zach Heins, S. Dakota State (20-1st) (21-HM)
 Drew Helt, Western Illinois (10-HM)
 Yogi Henderson, Southern Illinois (90-HM)
 Sherrod Howard, UNI (88-1st) (87-1st)
 Jeff Illies, North Dakota State (16-2nd)
 Miles Joiner, Youngstown St. (18, 19-HM)
 Alex Jones, Indiana State (10-2nd) (11-1st)
 Braden Jones, Southern Illinois (06-1st)
 Cam Jones, South Dakota State (15-HM)
 Damon Jones, SIU (96-1st) (95-1st) (94-2nd)
 Ken Kelly, Missouri State (90-1st)
 Ryan Kernes, SIU (07-HM) (08-HM) (09-HM)
 Nigel Kilby, Southern Illinois (18-HM)
 Ryan King, Indiana State (03-1st) (02-2nd)
 Tucker Kraft, S. Dakota State (21-1st)
 Chris Kupec, S. Illinois (05-2nd) (04-2nd)
 Braden Lehman, UNI (15-HM)
 R.J. Luke, Western Illinois (02-1st)
 Michael Mardis, Indiana State (12-HM)
 Jacquet McClendon, INS (17-2nd)
 Briley Moore, UNI (17-HM) (18-1st)
 Tim Moore, E. Illinois (91-2nd) (89-2nd)
 Jordan Murray, Missouri State (18-HM)
 J.R. Niklos, W. Illinois (00, 01-1st) (99-HM)
 Elias Nissen, UNI (18-HM)
 Justin Nofal, UNI (00-2nd)
 Chris Nuss, UNI (92-1st) (91-1st) (90-2nd)
 James O'Shaughnessy, Illinois St. (14-2nd)
 Schuyler Oordt, UNI (10-HM) (09-2nd)
 Tylor Petkovich, ILS (17-HM)
 Jamie Petrowski, Indiana State (05-1st)
 Bruce Phipps, Southern Illinois (86-2nd)
 Rodney Porter, INS (89-1st) (87, 88-2nd)
 MyCole Pruitt, SIU (11-HM) (12, 13, 14-1st)
 Scott Preusker, Illinois St. (99-2nd) (98-HM)
 Kevin Rader, Youngstown State (17-HM)
 Mike Roberts, YSU (04-1st) (03-2nd)
 Charlie Roche, Eastern Illinois (95-HM)
 Dorrack Roy, UNI (98-2nd)
 Brett Samson, USD (19-2nd) (20, 21-HM)
 Brad St. Louis, MSU (99-1st) (98-1st) (97-1st)
 Mark Schaeve, Illinois State (01-HM)
 John Schumacher, YSU (02-HM)
 Rich Seubert, Western Illinois (98-HM)
 Lincoln Sharar, UNI (96-2nd)
 Will Shaw, Youngstown State (12-2nd)
 Gannon Sinclair, Missouri State (14-HM)
 Dave Smith, S. Illinois (96-HM) (93-HM)
 Matt Thayer, Missouri St. (11-HM) (12-HM)
 Andy Thorn, UNI (04-HM) (03-HM)
 Gunnard Twyner, WIU (93-2nd) - see WR
 Kevin Vaadeland, N. Dakota State (13-2nd)
 Matt Veldman, North Dakota State (11-2nd)
 Tyler Wilhelm, South Dakota (13-HM)
 Jerimiah Wurzbacher, NDSU (08-2nd)

Wide Receivers

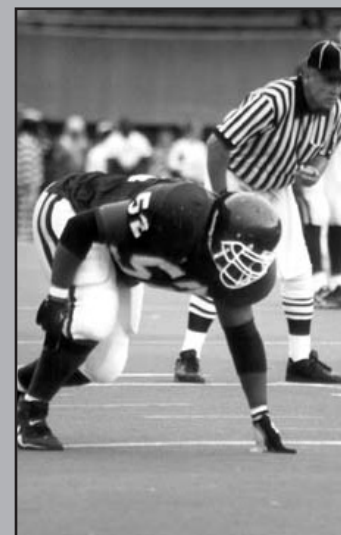
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 Jaelin Acklin, Western Illinois (17-1st)
 Joe Allaria, S. Illinois (10-HM) (09-2nd)
 Dakarai Allen, South Dakota (18-2nd)
 Justin Allen, Southern Illinois (07-2nd)
 Kellen Allen, Southern Illinois (05-HM)
 Adam Anderson, SDSU (18-HM) (19-HM)
 Wes Anderson, UNI (88-HM) (87-2nd)
 LaVance Banks, Southern Illinois (93-HM)
 Roy Banks, E. Illinois (86-1st) (85-1st)
 Dominique Barnes, YSU (10-1st) (09-HM)
 Don Beebe, Western Illinois (87-1st)
 Eddie Berlin, UNI (00-1st) (99, 98-2nd) (97-HM)
 Carl Berman, Indiana State (06-HM)
 Jamaine Blalock, Western Illinois (97-HM)
 Mike Borich, Western Illinois (88-2nd)
 Fabien Bownes, Western Illinois (94-HM)
 Jermiah Braswell, Youngstown St. (19-HM)
 Albert Brown, Western Illinois (86-2nd)
 Christian Bryan, Youngstown St. (11-HM)
 Dorian Buford, Missouri State (12-1st)
 Jerald Burley, YSU (02-HM) - see RS
 Chuck Calhoun, Missouri State (93-2nd)
 Gary Cannon, Indiana State (87-1st)
 Jason Cannon, MSU (97-HM) (95, 96-2nd)
 Marc Cheatham, Southern Illinois (08-HM)
 Alonzo Clayton, UNI (97-2nd) (96-1st)
 Stacey Coleman, Western Illinois (02-1st)
 Jason Cook, Eastern Illinois (89-HM)
 Avante Cox, SIU (19-2nd) (20-1st) (21-HM)
 Cornell Craig, SIU (99-1st) (97, 98-2nd)
 Terriun Crump, Western Illinois (11-1st)
 Tyler Currie, Missouri St. (18-HM) (19-HM)
 Kevin Dean, Indiana State (01-HM)
 Steve Decker, Western Illinois (92-2nd)
 Larry Dickinson, Illinois State (90-2nd)
 Kevin Dixson, Illinois St. (94-2nd) (93-2nd)
 Demetrius Dowler, INS (92-HM) (91-HM)
 Lance Earl, Western Illinois (91-HM)
 Malik Earl, Missouri St. (16-HM) (17-2nd)
 Steve Elmlinger, Indiana State (88-1st)
 Jared Emery, Missouri State (09-HM)
 Jim Farrell, Western Illinois (97-HM)
 Rory Fedderson, UNI (90-HM)
 Daurice Fountain, UNI (17-1st)
 Glen Fox, S. Dakota St. (08-2nd) (09-2nd)
 Reggie Fowler, SIU (96-2nd) (94-HM)
 Scott Francke, UNI (86-2nd) (85-2nd)
 Mike Furrey, UNI (99-1st) (98-1st) (97-1st)
 Eddie Galles, UNI (03-2nd)
 Billy Garrett, Illinois State (87-2nd)
 Rickey Garrett, ILS (99-2nd) (98-1st) (97-HM)
 Chris Geisz, Missouri State (08-HM)
 Elliott Giles, Youngstown State (99-HM)
 Kevin Glenn, Illinois State (93-HM)
 Vito Golson, ILS (01, 02-2nd) (00-HM)
 Johnny Gray, UNI (06-HM) (07-1st) - see RS

Reggie Gray, WIU (03, 05-2nd) (04-HM)
 Thedo Griffin, Western Illinois (97-HM)
 Terrence Hall, Western Illinois (03-HM)
 Curtis Hamilton, Western Ky. (06-1st)
 Quan Hampton, UNI (20-HM)
 JaRon Harris, South Dakota State (08-1st)
 Shannon Hayes, Western Ky. (03-HM)
 Kole Heckendorf, N. Dakota State (08-2nd)
 Dante Hendrix, INS (18-HM) (19-1st) (21-HM)
 Jeff Hewitt, Missouri State (00-1st) (98-HM)
 Justin Hilton, Indiana State (10-HM)
 Warren Holloway, NDSU (10-HM) (11-HM)
 Zac Hoover, Missouri State (16-HM)
 D.J. Hord, UNI (09-HM)
 Jason Horton, Illinois State (07-2nd)
 Dennis Houston, W. Illinois (20, 21-1st)
 Ken Huddleston, Western Illinois (85-2nd)
 Frisman Jackson, Western Illinois (01-1st)
 Jarrett Jackson, Illinois State (95-HM)
 Pierre Jackson, Illinois State (06-2nd)
 Shamar Jackson, South Dakota (17-HM)
 Darrell James, Southern Illinois (17-HM)
 Jaxon Janke, SDSU (20-2nd) (21-2nd)
 Greg Jensik, E. Illinois (94-2nd) (93-HM)
 Cade Johnson, S. Dakota St. (18, 19-1st)
 Demeris Johnson, Western Illinois (92-1st)
 Donald Jones, Youngstown State (09-1st)
 Tyrel Kool, South Dakota State (10-HM)
 Jake Kothe, UNI (94-HM)
 Xavier Lane, Missouri State (21-HM)
 Raphael Leonard, S. Illinois (18-2nd)
 Lance Lenoir Jr., WIU (14, 16-1st) (15-2nd) - see RS
 Landon Lenoir, SIU (18-HM) (19-HM) (21-2nd)
 Isaiah LeSure, Western Illinois (18-2nd)
 James Lindgren, UNI (06-HM)
 Brent Little, SIU (05-2nd) (04-1st) (03-HM)
 Sam Logan, INS (06-HM) (05-1st) (04-2nd)
 LaSteven McKinney, S. Illinois (12-HM)
 Deion McShane, UNI (21-HM)
 Garrett Maag, North Dakota (20-HM)
 Mark Marcos, Missouri St. (01, 02-2nd)
 Marius Mays, UNI (03-HM) (02-1st)
 Bill Miller, Illinois State (89-2nd) (88-HM)
 Clarence Miller, Illinois State (91-2nd)
 Jon Moffitt, Western Illinois (96-HM)
 Marquis Mosely, Illinois State (97-1st)
 Tim Mosley, UNI (93-1st)
 Dale Moss, South Dakota State (11-2nd)
 Lechein Neblett, Illinois State (14-2nd)
 James Norris, Western Illinois (04-HM)
 Gary Owens, Indiana State (14-HM)
 T.J. Peterson, Youngstown State (06-HM)
 Phil Perkins, Missouri State (95-HM)
 Calvin Pierce, E. Illinois (86-1st) (85-1st)
 Milo Popovic, UNI (89-1st)
 Will Powell, South Dakota (12-2nd)
 Billy Reed, Southern Illinois (15-2nd)
 Kyle Robinson, ILS (95-2nd) (94-HM)

Laurént Robinson, ILS (06-2nd) (05-1st)
 Justin Roebuck, SIU (92-2nd) (91-2nd)
 Aaron Rollin, South Dakota St. (11-HM)
 Casey Rooney, Western Kentucky (03-1st)
 John Roots, Southern Illinois (90-1st)
 Steve Ross, Western Illinois (92-HM)
 Mike Rummell, Eastern Illinois (92-HM)
 Steven Rush, MSU (04-1st) (03-HM) - see RS
 Chris Sabino, Western Illinois (95-HM)
 Jermaine Saffold, MSU (10-2nd) (11-1st)
 Eyad Salem, Illinois State (08-1st) (09-1st)
 Marvon Sanders, Illinois State (10-HM)
 Jason Schneider, SDSU (13-1st) (14-2nd)
 Spencer Schnell, ILS (17-2nd) (18-1st)
 Tyrone Scott, Missouri State (21-1st)
 Lilo Senatus, W. Illinois (10-1st) (09-HM)
 Kenny Shedd, UNI (91, 92-1st) (90-2nd)
 Darrius Shepherd, NDSU (18-1st)
 Eric Shufford, South Dakota (14-HM)
 Carl Sims, W. Illinois (06-HM) (07-HM)
 Dwayne Smith, Illinois State (03-1st)
 Kyle Smith, YSU (05-HM) (04-HM)
 Ryan Smith, NDSU (12, 13-2nd) - see RS
 Jake Soliday, UNI (01-1st) (00-2nd)
 Michael Sparks, Missouri State (05-2nd)
 Bobby Starks, Western Illinois (00-2nd)
 Ralph Stewart, E. Illinois (88-2nd) (87-1st)
 Justin Surrency, UNI (04-2nd)
 Billy Swain, Southern Illinois (93-1st)
 Charles Swann, INS (91-1st) (90-1st)
 Tony Tate, W. Illinois (20-2nd) (21-HM)
 Terrance Terry, South Dakota (12-HM)
 Marco Thomas, W. Illinois (06-1st) (05-HM)
 Robert Tonyan Jr., INS (15-HM) (16-2nd)
 B.J. Torbert, Missouri State (85-2nd)
 Alan Turner, Southern Illinois (07-HM)
 Tim Turner, Illinois State (86-HM)
 Gunnard Twyner, WIU (94, 95-1st) - see TE
 R.J. Urzendowski, NDSU (15-HM) (17-2nd)
 Brandt Van Roekel, South Dakota (17-HM)
 Caleb Vander Esch, USD (19, 20-2nd)
 Kevin Vereen, Jr., UNI (13-2nd)
 Damoriea Vick, Missouri State (20-HM)
 Zach Vraa, NDSU (13-1st) (14-HM)
 Tyrone Walker, ILS (10, 11-2nd) (12-1st)
 Dedric Ward, UNI (96-1st) (95-1st) (94-1st)
 Anthony Warrum, ILS (15-1st) (16-2nd)
 Christian Watson, NDSU (19-2nd) (20, 21-1st)
 Isaiah Weston, UNI (19-1st) (21-2nd)
 Jake Wieneke, SDSU (14, 15, 16, 17-1st)
 Ferlando Williams, Youngstown St. (07-1st)
 Andrew Williams, Youngstown St. (14-HM)
 Anthony Williams, Indiana State (97-HM)
 Steve Williams, W. Illinois (89-1st) (88-1st)
 Dave Wilson, Illinois State (85-1st)
 Wesley Yates, Southern Illinois (89-2nd)



Before reaching the NFL ranks, Illinois State's Laurént Robinson earned all-league honors twice (2005, 2006).



Indiana State's Shannon Jackson (1996-99) was a four-year all-league performer for the Sycamores.

Offensive Linemen

Brian Akins, S. Illinois (04-2nd) (02-HM)
 Josh Aladenoye, Illinois State (13-2nd)
 Rocco Ammons, Illinois State (14-2nd)
 Barret Anderson, UNI (07-1st)
 Chris Anderson, Eastern Illinois (95-1st)
 David Arkin, MSU (07, 08-2nd) (09, 10-1st)
 Buster Ashley, WKU (04, 03, 02-1st) (01-2nd)
 Kyle Avaloy, Illinois State (15-2nd)
 Josh Baldus, Western Illinois (17-HM)
 Mark Banbury, Southern Illinois (86-2nd)
 Jermaine Barton, Illinois State (14-1st)
 John Bartos, Youngstown State (05-HM)
 Tom Baugh, Southern Illinois (85-2nd)
 Kip Beach, Indiana State (90-2nd)
 Bill Bealles, UNI (85-2nd)
 Matt Beals, UNI (99-1st) (98-1st) (97-HM)
 Landon Bebee, MoState (20-2nd) (21-2nd)
 Dan Becker, YSU (19-HM, 20-2nd)
 Mike Beneturski, Illinois State (85-1st)
 Elbert Betts, Illinois State (92-2nd)
 Brian Billick, UNI (98-HM)
 Ryan Bingaman, UNI (14-HM)
 John Binkowski, WIU (90-1st) (89-HM)
 Nick Bledsoe, Illinois St. (09-2nd) (11-2nd)
 Keith Blue, W. Illinois (87-1st) (86-1st)
 John Bock, Indiana State (93-HM)
 Bryan Boemer, SIU (09-2nd) (10, 11-1st)
 Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois (14-2nd)
 Greg Bolda, Missouri State (89-1st)
 Steve Bonnes, Eastern Illinois (86-2nd)
 Seth Bonnette, UNI (90-2nd)
 Robert Booker, MSU (13-1st) (14-2nd)
 Kevin Bor, Missouri State (85-1st)
 Evan Borchers, Indiana State (12-2nd)
 Mark Botkin, UNI (88-2nd)
 Dan Bower, UNI (95-1st) (94-1st)
 Eric Bowman, Indiana State (02-2nd)
 Jeff Bristol, Missouri State (01-HM)
 Spencer Brown, UNI (19-2nd)
 Travis Brown, Missouri State (04-HM)
 James Broyles, Missouri State (00-HM)
 Keith Buckman, NDSU (08-HM) (09-1st)
 Pat Burke, Indiana State (10-2nd)
 Aaron Buss, UNI (00-1st)
 Jack Byrne, Indiana State (07-HM)
 Mark Caballero, UNI (85-2nd)
 Charles Calhoun, ILS (87-2nd) (86-HM)
 Brian Callahan, Eastern Illinois (91-HM)
 David Campbell, UNI (89-2nd)
 Lee Carhart, UNI (17-2nd)
 Pete Cary, Illinois State (12-1st)
 Will Castle, South Dakota State (12-2nd)
 Derek Chancellor, South Dakota (15-HM)
 Mark Christensen, MSU (88, 89-1st) (87-2nd)
 Chris Clapp, UNI (97-2nd) (96-2nd)
 Matt Clark, South Dakota State (19-2nd)
 Bobby Coates, Youngstown State (10-2nd)
 Dylan Colucci, Youngstown State (16-HM)

Dave Connell, Illinois State (94-2nd)
 Duane Conway, Eastern Illinois (93-HM)
 Zach Cooley, Missouri State (13-HM)
 Paul Cornick, NDSU (10-2nd) (11-1st)
 Louis Cox, UNI (87-1st) (86-HM)
 George Crouch, UNI (88-2nd)
 Pat Crummey, YSU (01-1st) (00-1st)
 Spencer Dagel, South Dakota (17-1st)
 Josh Davis, Youngstown State (03-2nd)
 Stafford Davis, ILS (05, 04-1st) (03, 02-2nd)
 Ben Deike, UNI (03-1st) (01-HM)
 Eric Delaere, Illinois State (96-HM)
 Steve Dhaemers, UNI (91-1st)
 John Douglass, Missouri State (89-2nd)
 David Dow, Missouri State (93-2nd)
 Janiah Downing, Illinois State (06-HM)
 Gabe Dunkmann, Western Illinois (01-2nd)
 Brad Durham, MSU (04-2nd) (03-2nd)
 Ernest Dye Jr., Southern Illinois (19-2nd)
 Bob Dymont, Western Illinois (96-HM)
 Brian Eddy, MSU (89-1st) (88-2nd)
 Isaiah Edwards, Indiana State (18-HM)
 Chris Elkins, YSU (11-HM) (12-1st) (13-1st)
 Brock Eisenhuth, YSU (16-1st)
 Pete Endre, Indiana State (87-1st)
 Steve Farmer, Illinois State (98-1st)
 Mike Farrell, Southern Illinois (08-2nd)
 Brad Fichtel, EIU (92-1st) (91-HM) (90-2nd)
 Brent Fischer, Eastern Illinois (89-1st)
 George Fitzsimmons, Indiana St. (91-2nd)
 Nick Flesner, S. Dakota State (08-HM)
 Tony Flint, Missouri State (98-2nd)
 Mike Fontana, UNI (90-1st)
 Ryan Foster, N. Dakota State (09-HM)
 Mark Francis, S. Illinois (91-1st) (90-HM)
 Fred Freitag, Indiana State (04-2nd)
 Brandon Frick, Southern Illinois (99-HM)
 Mike Fritzler, S. Illinois (02-2nd) (01-HM)
 Zeveyon Furcron, SIU (19-2nd) (20, 21-1st)
 Richard Galbierz, MSU (13-HM) (14-2nd)
 Doug Gardner, MSU (88-1st) (87-2nd)
 Ben Geffert, Indiana State (11-2nd)
 Wes Genant, SDSU (20-HM) (21-2nd)
 Trey Georgie, Illinois State (21-HM)
 Tim Giebels, Indiana State (93-1st)
 Jeff Gill, Southern Illinois (94-1st)
 Tyler Gimmestad, N. Dakota State (13-HM)
 Tim Gleason, Eastern Illinois (91-1st)
 Chad Graefen, Southern Illinois (01-HM)
 Jared Green, Southern Illinois (05-2nd)
 Evan Greeneway, S. Dakota State (18-HM)
 Garret Greenfield, S. Dakota State (20-1st)
 Trevor Greger, S. Dakota State (14-1st)
 Jason Grott, W. Illinois (97-2nd) (96-2nd)
 Brent Haar, Illinois State (92-HM)
 Dan Hackman, Illinois St. (89-2nd) (88-HM)
 Joe Haeg, N. Dakota State (14-1st) (15-1st)
 Luke Hake, MSU (95-1st) (94-2nd) (93-2nd)
 Dan Hama, Illinois State (00-1st) (99-2nd)
 Jim Hansen, Western Illinois (92-1st)

Trevor Hanson, UNI (16-2nd)
 Mark Hanssen, UNI (87-1st) (86-2nd)
 Charlie Harmon, SDSU (16-HM) (17-HM)
 Brad Harms, UNI (00-1st)
 Jake Harriger, MSU (01-1st) (00-2nd)
 Zach Harrington, N. Dakota State (08-1st)
 David Heim, Missouri State (85-1st)
 Dean Helt, Illinois State (17-HM)
 John Herrin, UNI (93-1st) (92-1st)
 Tim Herrin, Indiana State (94-HM)
 Drew Himmelman, ILS (18-2nd) (19, 20-1st)
 Jesse Hinz, North Dakota State (14-1st)
 Eric Hoffman, UNI (07-2nd)
 Matt Hogg, Youngstown State (97-1st)
 Jimmy Holtschlag, WIU (11, 12-HM) (13-2nd)
 Casey Honkomp, WIU (99-1st) (98-2nd)
 Austin Howard, UNI (09-2nd)
 Richard Huddleston, WIU (94-1st) (93-2nd) (92-HM)
 Michael Hudnutt, UNI (93-2nd)
 Matt Huffer, South Dakota (12-HM)
 Vitas Hryniewicz, YSU (17-2nd) (18-2nd)
 Matt Irvin, MSU (92-1st) (91-1st) (90-2nd)
 Jason Jakovich, SIU (90, 92, 93-HM)
 Aaron Jelovic, Indiana State (14-2nd)
 Cody Jennings, South Dakota (18-HM)
 Alex Jensen, South Dakota (21-2nd)
 Ryan Jewell, YSU (06-1st) (05-1st)
 Aron Johnson, SDSU (21-2nd)
 Zack Johnson, NDSU (13-2nd) (15, 16-1st)
 Zack Johnson, NDSU (17-HM) (18, 19-1st)
 Reshad Jones, Western Illinois (08-1st)
 Steve Jones, Southern Illinois (96-1st)
 Jacob Judd, WIU (15-2nd) (16-2nd) (17-1st)
 Will Justice, S. Illinois (06-1st) (05-1st)
 Chris Kapilovic, Missouri State (90-1st)
 Brandon Keith, UNI (07-1st)
 Jeremy Kelly, North Dakota State (15-2nd)
 Andy King, Illinois State (01-1st) (00-2nd)
 Casey Knips, South Dakota State (09-2nd)
 Tony Knutson, Illinois State (98-HM)
 Steve Kohenskey, Missouri State (05-HM)
 Todd Kollar, Youngstown State (97-1st)
 Ken Kolthoff, UNI (87-2nd)
 Jason Kravis, Southern Illinois (97-HM)
 Mark Kropke, Illinois State (90-1st)
 Dan Kruger, UNI (12-2nd) (13-2nd)
 Brad Kubik, MSU (97, 96-1st) (95, 94-2nd)
 Austin Kuhnert, NDSU (17-1st)
 Will LaClear, Missouri State (92-2nd)
 Crockett Ladd, Missouri State (02-1st)
 Mike Lamphear, Western Illinois (10-1st)
 Jim Lawhorn, S. Illinois (99-2nd) (98-2nd)
 Fred Layne, WIU (04-1st) (03-1st) (02-1st)
 Tate Leavitt, Indiana State (18-HM)
 Landon Lechler, North Dakota St. (16-1st)
 Cameron Lee, Illinois State (16-HM)
 Eric Liddell, Illinois State (91-HM)
 Mike Liedtke, Illinois State (14-HM)
 Joe Lobdell, UNI (06-2nd) (05-HM)
 Aaron Lockwood, SIU (06-HM) (07-2nd) (08-1st)



Illinois State LB Kye Stewart earned All-America honors and was a first-team all-league pick in 2006 and 2007.



LB James Terry of Youngstown State earned first-team all-league honors three-straight years (2005-06-07).

Erik Losey, Western Ky. (05-1st) (04-2nd)
 Adam Love, Western Illinois (94-2nd)
 Joe Lund, N. Dakota State (12-1st)
 FN Lutz, Indiana State (11-1st) (13-2nd)
 Cal McCarthy, Illinois St. (10-2nd) (11-1st)
 Mason McCormick, SDSU (20-2nd) (21-2nd)
 Elmer McDaniel, S. Illinois (04-1st) (03-1st)
 Tim McDuffey, MSU (91-1st) (90-HM)
 Ryan McKnight, SDSU (10-1st) (09-1st)
 Chip McPheeters, WIU (97-1st) (96-1st)
 Corey Mackey, Illinois State (93-2nd)
 Lamar Mady, Youngstown State (12-HM)
 Darren Marquez, SIU (06-HM) (07-1st)
 Eric Martin, INS (00-2nd) (99-2nd) (98-2nd)
 Rob Mason, Southern Illinois (88-1st)
 Cody Mauch, NDSU (20-2nd) (21-1st)
 Brad Meester, UNI (99, 98-1st) (97, 96-2nd)
 Bob Mehoczky, Western Illinois (95-2nd)
 Jeremy Melville, ILS (04-HM) (03-HM)
 Don Mensik, Eastern Illinois (93-HM)
 Jim Meyer, Illinois State (85-1st)
 Matt Miller, Southern Illinois (04-2nd)
 Jim Miteff, Eastern Illinois (87-HM) (86-HM)
 Shawn Moore, INS (93-1st) (92-2nd)
 Larry Mullins, Southern Illinois (95-HM)
 Donald Mumma, UNI (93, 94-1st) (92-HM)
 Chuck Neitzel, Southern Illinois (92-1st)
 Ron Nesbitt, Western Illinois (88-1st)
 Nathan Nguon, North Dakota (20-1st)
 Joe Niklasch, Illinois State (08-HM)
 Jake Notario, Southern Illinois (15-HM)
 Sean O'Brien, EIU (86, 88-HM) (87-2nd)
 Cody O'Neill, South Dakota (13-HM)
 Anthony Oakley, WKU (03-2nd)
 Zach Odle, Indiana State (07-HM)
 Jacob Ohnesorge, SDSU (14-HM) (15-2nd) (16, 17-1st)
 Austin Olsen, S. Illinois (16-HM) (17-2nd)
 Corey Olson, Western Illinois (97-2nd)
 Frank Ori, UNI (85-2nd)
 Chris Owens, Missouri State (01-2nd)
 Eric Owens, MSU (00-2nd) (99-HM)
 David Papp, Indiana State (95-1st)
 Paxton Parker, Missouri State (96-2nd)
 Casey Paswater, Indiana State (12-2nd)
 Andy Pattee, UNI (97-1st) (96-1st)
 Trevor Penning, UNI (20-HM) (21-1st)
 Fernando Peters, Illinois State (91-2nd)
 Mark Phillips, Indiana State (02-HM)
 David Pickard, SIU (09-1st) (10-2nd) (11-2nd)
 Jon Pilcher, UNI (95-2nd)
 Jack Plankers, NDSU (16-2nd)
 Gil Plasencia, WIU (95-2nd) (94-HM)
 Dave Popp, E. Illinois (88-1st) (87-HM)
 Mark Pratt, Youngstown State (11-2nd)
 Chris Price, Western Ky. (02-1st) (01-1st)
 Wes Proctor, Southern Illinois (03-2nd)
 Marquis Prophete, MSU (17-HM) (18-2nd)
 Tiano Pupungata, SDSU (18-1st)
 Dillon Radunz, NDSU (18-2nd) (19-1st)
 Robert Rathje, UNI (15-2nd) (16-2nd)

Jacob Rathmacher, UNI (15-1st)
 Chris Reed, Missouri St. (90-1st) (89-2nd)
 Jim Remsey, Southern Illinois (93-HM)
 James Rennick, Western Illinois (02-HM)
 Austin Richard, NDSU (09-HM) (11-2nd)
 Randy Richards, Missouri State (12-2nd)
 Mike Richart, Eastern Illinois (94-2nd)
 Chad Rinehart, UNI (05, 06, 07-1st)
 Nick Roberts, Youngstown State (02-2nd)
 Kevin Robling, S. Dakota State (08-2nd)
 Mike Rodbro, Illinois St. (99-1st) (98-2nd)
 Eric Rodemoyer, YSU (10-HM) (09-2nd)
 Willie Ross, Illinois State (95-1st)
 Tom Roth, Southern Illinois (91-2nd)
 Russ Rubie, UNI (88-2nd)
 Jack Rummells, UNI (13-1st) (14-1st)
 Frank Rutherford, Youngstown (98-HM)
 Greg Ryan, Western Kentucky (05-HM)
 Brad Samsa, YSU (06-2nd) (07-1st) (08-1st)
 Will Sanders, Youngstown State (03-HM)
 Tim Sauer, UNI (12-HM)
 Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota (19-HM)
 Karson Schoening, N. Dakota St. (19-HM)
 Dave Schumer, Illinois St. (89-1st) (88-2nd)
 Todd Schwager, Eastern Illinois (90-HM)
 Brad Schwing, Indiana State (96-2nd)
 Jackson Scott-Brown, UNI (18-HM) (19-1st)
 Brad Sellenriek, Missouri State (85-1st)
 Chad Setterstrom, UNI (02, 01-1st) (00-2nd)
 Rich Seubert, WIU (00-1st) (99-HM)
 Riley Shantz, Missouri State (15-HM)
 David Sharbaugh, Indiana State (92-2nd)
 Ian Shirey, YSU (99-1st) (98-1st)
 Mike Simmonds, Indiana State (86-1st)
 Walter Skeate, S. Illinois (98-1st) (97-HM)
 David Smith, S. Illinois (87-1st) (86-2nd)
 Shawn Smith, Southern Illinois (07-HM)
 Adam Solomon, Illinois State (19-HM)
 Al Speicher, UNI (85-2nd)
 Mark Spelman, Illinois St. (15-1st) (16-1st)
 Justin Spencer, YSU (15-HM) (16-2nd) (17-1st)
 Jonathan St-Pierre, Illinois State (08-2nd)
 Fred Staugh, Indiana State (06-2nd)
 Jason Stealy, Missouri State (99-2nd)
 Mike Stegeman, ILS (05-2nd) (03-HM)
 Austin Steichen, UNI (08-1st) (09-1st)
 Luke Stigler, UNI (04-1st)
 Mike Strickland, SIU (93-1st) (92-2nd) (91-HM)
 Chris Sullivan, Western Kentucky (06-2nd)
 Sid Swartzendruber, Indiana State (01-HM)
 Drew Sweeney, Western Illinois (07-2nd)
 Bob Swift, UNI (08-HM)
 Josh Tanner, Youngstown State (07-2nd)
 Chris Tayrien, Missouri State (86-1st)
 Jay Teply, UNI (11-1st)
 Dave Tesniarz, YSU (01-2nd) (00-HM)
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 Mike Thorpe, Indiana State (05-2nd)
 Eric Thorsen, Eastern Illinois (89-1st)
 Brian Tierney, Western Illinois (93-HM)

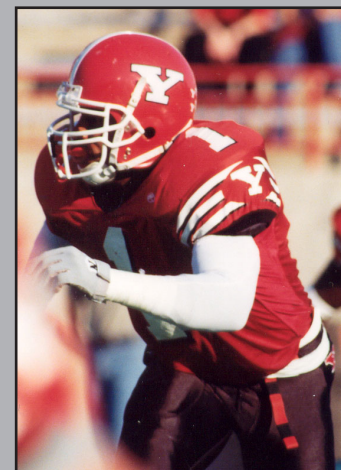
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 Dakota Vermillion, INS (15-HM) (16-HM)
 Cordell Volson, NDSU (19, 20, 21-1st)
 Tanner Volson, NDSU (17-2nd) (18-1st)
 Will Waddell, Western Illinois (20-HM)
 Brad Wagner, Western Illinois (90-2nd)
 Matt Waletzko, UND (20-2nd) (21-1st)
 Chad Walker, W. Illinois (06-2nd) (05-2nd)
 Patrick Walker, Youngstown State (06-1st)
 Lawrence Watkins, S. Illinois (96-HM)
 Paul Weltha, W. Illinois (91-2nd) (90-HM)
 Brent Westemeyer, W. Illinois (86-2nd)
 Cody White, Illinois State (11-HM)
 Jason Whittle, MSU (97-2nd) (96-HM)
 Gavin Wiggins, YSU (17-2nd) (18-1st)
 Isaiah Wiggins, Illinois St. (06-1st) (07-1st)
 John Wilcox, Missouri State (90-1st)
 Richard Wilson, Southern Illinois (12-HM)
 Jaison Williams, Youngstown St. (21-HM)
 Pat Williams, UNI (91-2nd)
 Stuart Williams, Indiana State (03-HM)
 Justin Williamson, MSU (06-HM) (05-2nd)
 Frank Winters, Western Illinois (86-1st)
 Ethan Wirth, Southern Illinois (15-1st)
 Daniel Withrow, WKU (03-1st) (02, 01-2nd)
 Bryan Witzmann, SDSU (11-HM) (12, 13-1st)
 Wyatt Wozniak, Indiana St. (18, 19-2nd)
 Ted Wulf, Illinois State (01-2nd) (99-2nd)
 Andy Ziebarth, ILS (94, 96-1st) (95-2nd)
 Austin Zlab, UNI (10-1st)
 Matt Zobrist, Western Illinois (14-HM)
 Jon Zweygardt, Missouri State (03-HM)

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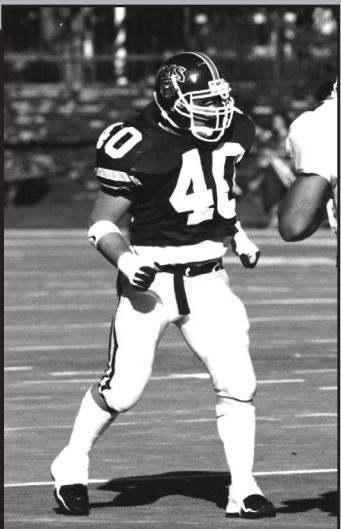
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 Cameron Bair, ILS (92-HM) (91-2nd)
 Layne Bennett, WIU (88, 89-2nd) (87-HM)
 Miles Bergner, USD (14-HM) (15-2nd) (16-1st) - see P
 Stephen Blose, Youngstown State (10-2nd)
 Wayne Boyer, MSU (96-1st) (94-HM)
 Travis Brawner, MSU (97, 98, 99-1st)
 Stephen Carroll, ILS (03-2nd) (02-HM)
 Craig Coffin, S. Illinois (06-2nd) (04-2nd)
 Matthew Cook, UNI (19, 20, 21-1st)
 Kyle Dougherty, SIU (08, 10-HM) (09-2nd)
 Rich Ehmke, E. Illinois (87-1st) (86-2nd)
 Austin Errthum, UNI (18-1st)
 Scott Everhart, Southern Illinois (99-HM)
 Sam Fenlason, Illinois State (19-HM)
 Stephen Fetzer, Illinois State (10-HM)
 Cole Frahm, SDSU (20-HM) (21-HM)
 Tanner Fritschle, Indiana State (12-2nd)
 Danny Gasser, Missouri State (85-2nd)
 Mark Griffith, Youngstown State (98-HM)
 Richard Grote, MSU (92-2nd) (90-2nd)
 Billy Hallgren, UNI (10-1st) (09-HM)



QB Paul Singer led the Leathernecks to the 1988 playoffs while earning league MVP honors that season.



CB Dwyte Smiley of Youngstown State was a three-time first-team all-conference pick from 1997-99.



Missouri State LB Corky Martin had 487 career tackles for the Bears (1997-2000).



Southern Illinois' return specialist Craig Turner was a three-time all-league first-team pick (2005-06-07).

Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI (02, 01-1st) (00-2nd)
 Kyle Hooper, INS (05-HM) (04-HM)
 Doug Jackson, UNI (88-1st)
 Chris James, Western Ky. (06-HM) (05-1st)
 Ryan Jastram, North Dakota State (11-2nd)
 Keith Jones, W. Illinois (97-2nd) (94-2nd)
 Adam Keller, NDSU (12-1st) (14-HM)
 Zak Kennedy, Youngstown State (15-1st)
 Thomas Kinney, Southern Illinois (13-2nd)
 Todd Kurz, ILS (96-2nd) (95-1st) (93-1st)
 Zach Kutch, Illinois State (09-1st)
 Justin Langan, WIU (03, 04-HM) (02-2nd)
 Matt Lange, Western Kentucky (03-1st)
 Steve Largent, E. Illinois (95-HM) (93-2nd)
 Brian Long, Missouri State (00-HM)
 Joe Lopez, Western Illinois (98-2nd)
 Mason Lorber, South Dakota (19-HM)
 Colt McFadden, Youngstown St. (21-HM)
 Jackson MacLachlan, S. Illinois (11-HM)
 Peter Martinez, WKU (02-HM) (01-2nd)
 Brian Mitchell, UNI (89, 90, 91-1st)
 Jerry Nunez, Indiana St. (16, 18, 19-2nd)
 Scott Obermeier, UNI (92-1st)
 Brian Palmer, Youngstown State (07-2nd)
 Cam Pedersen, NDSU (17-HM) (18-HM)
 Jose Pizano, MoState (20-HM) (21-2nd)
 Paul Politi, Illinois State (86-1st) (85-1st)
 Chris Potthast, Missouri State (87-2nd)
 Peter Reifenrath, S. Dakota State (08-2nd)
 Taylor Rowan, W. Illinois (07-1st) (08-1st)
 Jon Scifres, Missouri St. (05-2nd) (04-1st)
 Michael Schmadeke, UNI (14-1st) (15-HM)
 Matt Seman, Western Illinois (91-2nd)
 Tyler Sievertsen, UNI (11, 13-1st) (12-HM)
 Sean Slattery, Illinois St. (16-HM) (17-1st)
 Jake Stewart, Youngstown State (01-HM)
 Jake Strader, ILS (00-2nd) (99-2nd)
 Nathan Stokes, MSU (07-HM) - see P
 Justin Syrovatka, SDSU (12-HM) (14-2nd)
 Nick Terracina, Youngstown State (03-HM)
 Chase Vinatieri, S. Dakota State (17-2nd)
 Matt Waller, UNI (96-HM) (94-1st)
 Brian Wingert, UNI (06-1st)

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Josh Appel, INS (14-HM) (15-1st) (16-1st)
 Chandler Collins, Missouri State (19-1st)
 Jared Drake, Western Illinois (19-2nd)
 James Fisher, NDSU (15, 16-2nd) (17-1st)
 Nathan Gibbs, Youngstown State (14-HM)
 Dalton Godfrey, USD (20-2nd) (21-1st)
 Brandon Godsey, South Dakota (17-2nd)
 Thor Hadfield, Southern Illinois (14-2nd)
 Wyatt Harwood, Indiana State (21-HM)
 Dan Heilbron, Southern Illinois (20-HM)
 Chris Highland, Illinois State (14-1st)
 Ross Kennelly, North Dakota State (20-1st)
 Paul Monaco, Illinois State (18, 19-HM)

Trent Simpson, UNI (15-HM)
 Brady Sorenson, SDSU (18-2nd) (21-2nd)
 Thayer Trenhaile, SDSU (16-HM)
 Steven Wethli, YSU (17-HM) (18-1st)

Defensive Linemen

Marc Afoa, Western Illinois (95-1st)
 Collin Albrecht, UNI (13-2nd)
 Isaac Ales, UNI (14-2nd) (15-2nd)
 Luis Almanzar, MSU (00-1st) (99-HM)
 Bryan Archibald, SIU (01-1st) (00-2nd)
 Jerry Arnold, Missouri State (98-HM)
 Ryan Arnold, UNI (04-1st)
 Chris Arthurs, S. Illinois (08-HM) (09-1st)
 Todd Auer, W. Illinois (86-1st) (85-2nd)
 Myles Banford, Youngstown State (07-2nd)
 T.C. Barney, UNI (96-2nd)
 James Barnes, Missouri State (15-HM)
 Deyontae Batiste, MSU (05-HM)
 Danny Batten, SDSU (08-1st) (09-1st)
 Jeff Bealles, UNI (87-1st) (86-1st) (85-2nd)
 Dusty Bear, Western Kentucky (06-2nd)
 Billy Beard, S. Illinois (04-2nd) (03-2nd)
 Ryan Behr, UNI (95-2nd) (94-HM)
 Joe Belcher, Western Illinois (92-2nd)
 Jordan Berner, Southern Illinois (20-2nd)
 Shannon Berry, Western Illinois (86-2nd)
 Mark Bertram, INS (89-1st) (87-2nd)
 Adam Blankenship, Illinois State (08-HM)
 Ken Boatright, S. Illinois (11-HM) (12-1st)
 Darren Boone, Western Illinois (06-HM)
 Ben Boothby, UNI (10-1st) (11-1st)
 David Bowens, Western Illinois (98-1st)
 James Bowens, Missouri State (88-2nd)
 Colter Boyer, NDSU (10-2nd) (11-1st)
 Darren Branch, UNI (10-HM) (11-HM)
 Dan Brandenburg, INS (93, 94, 95-1st)
 Jared Brinkman, UNI (19-2nd) (20, 21-1st)
 Shane Brinton, Western Illinois (93-2nd)
 Brian Broussard, Southern Illinois (00-HM)
 Brandon Brown, YSU (05-2nd) (04-HM)
 Cyron Brown, Western Illinois (97-1st)
 Leo Brown, Western Illinois (91-HM)
 Linton Brown, SIU (04, 05-1st) (03-HM)
 Eric Brunner, ILS (09-2nd) (10-1st) (11-1st)
 Corey Brunsvold, Missouri State (97-2nd)
 David Bull, Illinois State (01-2nd) (00-2nd)
 Shereif Bynum, Youngstown State (18-HM)
 Mike Campbell, UNI (88-HM)
 Brian Ceaser, Western Illinois (02-2nd)
 Josh Chrestman, Illinois State (04-2nd)
 Dyrrah Christon, INS (92-1st) (91-HM)
 James Cloud, Southern Illinois (07-1st)
 Chance Coda, Southern Illinois (10-2nd)
 Adam Conley, Illinois State (17-HM)
 Teddy Corwin, Illinois St. (14-1st) (15-2nd)
 Bryan Cox, W. Illinois (87-2nd) -see DB
 Brad Crouse, SIU (87, 88-1st) (86-2nd)

Clint Cullen, ILS (93-1st) (92-1st) (91-HM)
 Ryan Culver, W. Illinois (96-1st) (95-HM)
 Chad Daun, W. Illinois (03-HM) (01-HM)
 Demetrius Davis, Western Illinois (88-2nd)
 Dan Dee, Eastern Illinois (92-1st) (91-HM)
 Harry Deligianis, Youngstown St. (97-1st)
 Ryan Demming, WIU (12-HM) (13-HM)
 Bryce Douglas, UNI (18-2nd)
 Chase Douglas, South Dakota St. (13-2nd)
 Ryan Drevlow, North Dakota State (13-1st)
 Doug Dutton, Indiana St. (91-2nd) (90-2nd)
 Todd Eagen, UNI (90-2nd)
 Ryan Earith, S. Dakota State (18, 19-2nd)
 Andy Edmondson, Western Illinois (96-HM)
 Matt Egloff, Indiana State (94-2nd)
 Kevin Ellis, Missouri State (20-2nd) (21-1st)
 Kyle Emanuel, NDSU (12-HM) (13-2nd) (14-1st)
 Frank Emeterio, Missouri State (98-2nd)
 Preston Estes, MSU (85, 87-1st) (86-2nd)
 Shannon Ferbrache, S. Illinois (89-2nd)
 Crispin Fernandez, Youngstown (08-2nd)
 Devon Finn, Illinois State (00-1st) (99-2nd)
 Armandos Fisher, Illinois State (94-2nd)
 Larry Fitzpatrick, ILS (97-2nd) (96-2nd)
 Max Ford, Western Illinois (91-HM)
 Michael Fox, Missouri St. (90-1st) (89-1st)
 Andrew Franklin, Southern Illinois (04-HM)
 Jonathan Friend, ILS (02-1st) (01-HM)
 Josh Galloway, W. Illinois (07-1st) (08-1st)
 Pete Georges, Indiana State (90-2nd)
 Bobby Godwin, Missouri State (93-2nd)
 Anthony Grady, MSU (12-HM) (13-2nd)
 Maxie Graham, Western Illinois (91-1st)
 Matthew Gratzek, NDSU (10-1st) (09-2nd)
 Earenest Grayson, Missouri State (96-1st)
 Darin Greenfield, USD (17, 18-1st) (19-2nd)
 Damian Gregory, Illinois State (99-1st)
 Ed Grimes, UNI (85-1st)
 Robert Hamre, UNI (02-HM) (00, 01-2nd)
 Rod Hardy, Indiana State (09-HM) (11-HM)
 Kris Harley, Western Illinois (15-HM)
 Dwight Harris, Western Illinois (11-HM)
 Richard Harris, INS (02-1st) (01-1st)
 Shelby Harris, ILS (12-1st)
 Vander Harris, Illinois State (88-1st)
 Brent Hawkins, Illinois State (05-1st)
 Malik Haynes, Southern Illinois (19-HM)
 John Hermann, UNI (05-1st)
 Harvie Herrington, Western Illinois (94-HM)
 Eddy Holtschlag, Western Illinois (15-HM)
 David Hunter, Indiana State (97-HM)
 Mark Huygens, UNI (06-2nd) (07-2nd)
 Colby Isbell, Missouri St. (16-2nd) (17-2nd)
 James Jackson, Youngstown St. (20-HM)
 Shannon Jackson, INS (99, 97-1st) (98-2nd) (96-HM)
 Cole Jirik, North Dakota State (12-2nd)
 Andrew Johnson, Youngstown St (11-2nd)
 Eric Johnson, Illinois State (96-1st) (95-1st)

Eric Johnson, MoState (20-2nd) (21-2nd)
 James Jones, UNI (89-1st) (88-HM) - see LB
 Jeff Jones, Southern Illinois (04-2nd)
 Russell Jones, Indiana State (13-HM)
 Tony Jones, Illinois State (91-1st) (90-1st)
 John Juhler, Illinois State (87-HM) (86-HM)
 John Jurkovic, EIU (86, 88, 89-1st)
 Bob Kampf, Illinois State (85-2nd)
 Cole Karcz, North Dakota State (18-HM)
 Frank Kaydo, Youngstown State (99-2nd)
 Dalton Keene, ILS (15-HM) (16-2nd) (17-1st)
 Chad Kincaid, Western Kentucky (03-2nd)
 Ron Kirk, Southern Illinois (88-HM)
 Anthony Knighton, SIU (17-HM) (18, 21-2nd)
 Jon Kowalysen, Western Illinois (03-2nd)
 John Kropke, Illinois State (87-1st) (86-1st)
 Jordan Lacy, UNI (06-2nd) (07-HM)
 Demetrius Lane, Eastern Illinois (93-1st)
 Wes Lane, UNI (09-2nd)
 Cole Langer, SDSU (14, 15-2nd) (16-HM)
 Larry Langlois, Illinois State (95-2nd)
 Joe Lardino, N. Dakota State (08-2nd)
 Troy Lefevra, INS (99-1st) (98-1st)
 Mike Likens, INS (96-2nd) (95-HM)
 LaCale London, Western Illinois (19-HM)
 Piana Lukabu, Western Illinois (05-2nd)
 Greg Lunak, Illinois State (85-2nd)
 Larry Luster, Southern Illinois (07-2nd)
 Matt McClellan, Missouri State (19-HM)
 Brian McGavock, Eastern Illinois (95-2nd)
 Kent McIntyre, EIU (91-1st) (90-2nd)
 Romeo McKnight, Illinois State (19-1st)
 Danny Magalei, Western Illinois (93-2nd)
 Jon Manley, Southern Illinois (91-2nd)
 Wayne Manu, Southern Illinois (92-2nd)
 Justin Martindale, Illinois State (06-1st)
 Hunter Mason, Western Illinois (21-HM)
 Jacob Matthew, USD (20-HM) (21-HM)
 Guy Mazard, Youngstown State (02-2nd)
 Matt Mechling, Youngstown State (00-1st)
 Greg Menard, NDSU (15, 16, 18-1st)
 Scott Meredith, UNI (98-2nd)
 Mike Miano, MSU (96-1st) (95-2nd)
 Andy Mink, South Dakota State (12-HM)
 Mitch Minick, Missouri State (97-HM)
 Jack Mitchell, UNI (99-2nd)
 Kyle Mitchell, INS (05, 04, 03-1st) (02-HM)
 Matt Mitchell, UNI (03-1st) (02-2nd) (00-HM)
 Inoke Moala, Indiana St. (19-HM) (21-1st)
 Tony Monroe, UNI (93-1st) (92-HM)
 Brian Moretz, UNI (95-1st) (94-1st)
 Terrell Morgan, UNI (01-2nd)
 Tom Moskal, Eastern Illinois (85-1st)
 Avery Moss, Youngstown State (16-1st)
 Eli Mostaert, NDSU (20-HM) (21-HM)
 Rickey Neal, UNI (17-2nd) (18-1st)
 Erik Nelson, UNI (98-2nd) (97-1st)
 Darren Neputy, Illinois State (90-1st)

Torrance Nicholson, YSU (10-2nd) (07-HM)
 Travis Niekamp, ILS (97-2nd) (96-HM)
 Mac O'Brien, UNI (14-HM)
 Mike O'Brien, WIU (02, 03-1st) (01-2nd)
 Ben Obaseki, INS (10-1st) (11-1st) (12-1st)
 Jeff Oetting, Eastern Illinois (90-HM)
 Terry Orth, UNI (86-2nd) (85-1st)
 Nate Palmer, Illinois St. (11-2nd) (12-2nd)
 Carl Parker, Eastern Illinois (87-2nd)
 Everette Pedescleaux, UNI (08-1st)
 Doug Peete, SDSU (12-2nd) (13-HM)
 Chad Pegues, Illinois State (98-1st)
 David Perkins, Illinois St. (14-HM) (15-2nd)
 Leevon Perry, NDSU (12-2nd) (13-HM)
 Rick Perry, Missouri State (92-2nd)
 Matt Peterson, UNI (99-HM)
 Tim Peterson, UNI (88-2nd)
 Jim Phelan, Youngstown State (06-1st)
 Doni Phelps, Illinois State (09-HM)
 Mark Phillip, Southern Illinois (05-HM)
 Charlie Phillips, Western Kentucky (05-HM)
 Bradon Prate, Illinois State (14-2nd)
 Eryk Preston, Western Illinois (20-HM)
 Curtis Price, Eastern Illinois (95-HM)
 Tom Procter, MSU (96-HM) (94-2nd)
 Justus Reed, Youngstown State (19-1st)
 Joe Remke, Eastern Illinois (91-2nd)
 Rick Renner, Western Illinois (87-HM)
 Adam Reth, UNI (17-1st)
 Patrick Reynolds, WKU (02-1st) (01-1st)
 Waylon Richardet, MSU (09-2nd)
 Ma'Lik Richmond, Youngstown St. (19-2nd)
 John Ridgeway, ILS (19-HM) (20-1st)
 Derek Rivers, YSU (14, 15, 16-1st)
 Jeremy Robertson, UNI (08-2nd)
 Ray Robinson, ILS (03-1st) (02-2nd)
 Jeff Rolson, E. Illinois (88-1st) (87-2nd)
 Mikel Ruder, Missouri State (11-2nd)
 Rick Ruether, Western Illinois (88-HM)
 James Ruffin, UNI (07, 08, 09-1st)
 Dustin Rusch, Indiana St. (94-1st) (93-HM)
 Pat Ryan, Western Illinois (04-HM)
 Caleb Sanders, SDSU (20-1st) (21-2nd)
 Khalen Saunders, WIU (16-HM) (17, 18-1st)
 Mychal Savage, YSU (06, 07, 09-1st)
 Rhett Schmidt, Indiana State (88-2nd)
 Justin Scholes, Youngstown State (05-1st)
 Eric Schroeder, South Dakota St. (08-2nd)
 Karter Schult, UNI (15-1st) (16-1st)
 Kyle Sirl, Youngstown State (13-HM)
 Casey Smith, UNI (91, 93-HM) (92-1st)
 Elerson Smith, UNI (19-1st)
 Enoch Smith, Missouri State (01-1st)
 Savon Smith, Youngstown State (18-2nd)
 Kellen Soulek, SDSU (16-2nd) (17-2nd)
 LaMarcus Spillers, SIU (00-HM)
 Aronde Stanton, Youngstown St. (12-HM)
 Aaron Steidl, North Dakota State (17-2nd)

Art Stelken, UNI (86-HM)
 Wayne Stewart, Western Illinois (96-2nd)
 Mike Stieren, Western Illinois (10-2nd)
 Dwayne Summers, S. Illinois (91-2nd)
 Kayon Swanson, Southern Illinois (11-2nd)
 Nate Tanguay, NDSU (15, 17-HM) (16-2nd)
 Joe Taylor, Missouri State (03-HM)
 Aaron Thomas, Eastern Illinois (86-2nd)
 Brayden Thomas, NDSU (21-1st)
 Montrial Thomas, Youngstown St. (00-HM)
 Tavita Tovio, SIU (00-1st) (99-2nd) (98, 97-HM)
 Lane Tucker, NDSU (20-HM) (21-HM)
 Damon Turner, Illinois State (94-2nd)
 Mario Turner, Missouri State (00-2nd)
 Derrek Tuszka, NDSU (18-HM) (19-1st)
 Colton Underwood, ILS (11-HM) (12, 13-1st)
 Connor Underwood, INS (12-HM) (13-1st) - see LB
 Scott Underwood, Illinois State (89-1st)
 John Vakos, Eastern Illinois (92-2nd)
 Andrew Van Ginkel, South Dakota (15-1st)
 Victor Visoky, W. Illinois (07-2nd) (08-HM)
 Spencer Waege, NDSU (19-HM) (20-1st)
 Randy Walker, Illinois State (89-2nd)
 Bill Walter, MSU (91-1st) (90-1st) (89-2nd)
 Chris Wash, Missouri State (06-2nd)
 Dave Watson, WIU (98, 99-1st) (97-2nd)
 Steve Watson, MSU (04-1st) (03-2nd)
 Brantae Wells, UNI (20-2nd)
 Chris Wilkerson, Eastern Illinois (94-HM)
 Daniel Williams, Western Ky. (05-2nd)
 Lionel Williams, Southern Illinois (05-2nd)
 Marlin Williams, WIU (88-1st) (87-2nd)
 Terrell Williams, Youngstown St. (14-2nd)
 Xavier Williams, UNI (13-1st) (14-1st)
 Lorenzo Wims, Southern Illinois (06-1st)
 Reece Winkelman, SDSU (21-2nd)
 Joe Woolridge, Western Kentucky (04-2nd)
 Kevin Zeng, E. Illinois (94-1st) (93-2nd)

Linebackers

Andre Allen, UNI (94-1st) (93-1st) (92-HM)
 Chase Allen, S. Illinois (15-2nd) (16-HM)
 Tommy Anderson, S. Illinois (94-HM)
 Mike Andrews, Youngstown State (05-HM)
 Tim Angsten, ILS (97-2nd) (96-HM)
 Phil Archer, Western Illinois (03-2nd)
 Aaron Archie, INS (09-2nd) (10-HM) (11, 12-1st)
 Logan Backhaus, SDSU (19-HM) (20, 21-1st)
 Mike Bandy, Indiana State (99-HM)
 Travis Beck, NDSU (12-HM) (14-2nd)
 Andrew Beisel, Missouri State (13-HM)
 Jerome Bennett, WIU (06-2nd) (07-HM)
 Greg Benton Jr., Western Illinois (21-HM)
 Jesse Bobbit, SDSU (15-HM) (16-2nd)
 Adam Bock, S. Dakota State (21-1st)
 Blake Boyd, Western Kentucky (06-2nd)
 Ken Braden, MSU (87-1st) (86-HM)
 Matt Brinkman, UNI (90-2nd)



DE Greg Menard of North Dakota State earned first-team all-MVFC honors in 2015, 2016 and 2018.



LB Armand Dellovade of Youngstown State was a four-time all-league pick, earning 2nd-team accolades three times.



WKU's Joseph Jefferson was all-conference at both DB and RS in his lone season in the league in 2001.



Youngstown State's Ferlando Williams earned league Newcomer of the Year honors in 2007.

- Wilbert Brown, ILS (91-1st) (89, 90-2nd)
 Vince Bruno, Western Illinois (96-2nd)
 LaDrelle Bryant, Indiana State (04-HM)
 Peter Burns, UNI (92-1st)
 Derrick Byrd, Missouri State (06-HM)
 Niall Campbell, Illinois State (06-HM)
 Nick Canavan, Missouri State (13-2nd)
 Mike Carbonaro, Southern Illinois (87-2nd)
 Brannon Carter, UNI (06-HM) (07-1st)
 Tim Carver, EIU (95-1st) (94-1st) (93-2nd)
 Travis Cherry, W. Illinois (07-HM) (08-HM)
 Eric Christensen, INS (91-1st) (90-1st)
 James Cloud, Southern Illinois (08-2nd)
 Sherrod Coates, WKU (02-1st) (01-1st)
 Jack Cochrane, USD (19-2nd) (20-HM) (21-1st)
 Dylan Cole, MSU (14-HM) (15-1st) (16-1st)
 James Conley, UNI (10-HM)
 Scott Cook, Illinois State (99-HM)
 Spencer Cowan, UNI (86-HM)
 Jabril Cox, NDSU (17-2nd) (18-1st) (19-1st)
 Jasir Cox, NDSU (21-2nd)
 Cody Crider, Southern Illinois (19-2nd)
 Tim Cunningham, Indiana State (86-2nd)
 Spencer Cuvelier, UNI (20-1st) (21-1st)
 Carlos Dallis, UNI (01-HM)
 Erik Dandy, WKU (03-1st) (02-2nd) (01-1st)
 Nate Davis, Missouri State (12-HM)
 Ty DeForest, Illinois State (19-2nd)
 Amand Dellovade, YSU (15-HM) (16, 17, 18-2nd)
 Nick DeLuca, NDSU (15-1st) (17-1st)
 D'Shawn Dexter, UNI (16-HM)
 Jayson DiManche, SIU (10-2nd) (12-2nd)
 Grant Dixon, YSU (20-1st) (21-HM)
 Ian Dominelli, Youngstown State (99-1st)
 Derek Domino, SDSU (10-1st) (09-1st)
 Alex Donnelly, Illinois State (15-HM)
 Phillip Doyle, Southern Illinois (05-HM)
 Jon Drummond, WKU (02-HM) (01-HM)
 Buddy Dudczak, Western Illinois (09-HM)
 Bill Dulin, Missouri State (92-2nd)
 Joe Dunn, Indiana State (97-HM)
 Scott Durrflinger, UNI (94-2nd)
 John Edwards, Southern Illinois (86-2nd)
 McNeece Egbim, MSU (16, 18-HM) (19-1st)
 Preston Evans, N. Dakota State (09-2nd)
 Jayden Everett, Indiana State (08-HM)
 Jake Farley, UNI (14-1st)
 Jared Farley, UNI (16-2nd) (17-1st)
 Mark Farley, UNI (86-1st) (85-1st)
 Shonda Faulkner, Indiana State (07-2nd)
 Duncan Ferch, UNI (18-2nd)
 Cameron Flemming, MSU (93-1st)
 L.J. Fort, UNI (10-2nd) (11-1st)
 DeLaun Fowler, MSU (95-1st) (94-2nd) (93-HM)
 Stephen Franklin, S. Illinois (10-2nd)
 William Freaney, UNI (92, 91-1st) (90-HM)
 Evan Frierson, Illinois St. (11-1st) (12-HM)
 Damon Frost, Missouri State (92-HM)
 Jordan Gacke, UNI (13-2nd)
- Brian Gant, Illinois State (86-1st) (85-2nd)
 Angelo Garbutt, MSU (17-2nd) (18-HM)
 Armie Gasbarro, WIU (89-1st) (88-1st)
 Pierre Gee-Tucker, NDSU (16-HM)
 Gene Gilot, Illinois State (03-HM)
 Clayton Glasco, Indiana State (19-HM)
 Kyle Glazier, WIU (08-HM) (09-2nd) (10-1st)
 Zach Glisan, Western Illinois (19-HM)
 Orlando "Doc" Gooden, INS (04, 05-2nd)
 Matt Graham, Indiana State (98-HM)
 Wyatt Green, W. Illinois (05-2nd) (04-2nd)
 Boomer Grigsby, ILS (04, 03, 02-1st) (01-HM)
 Jonas Griffith, INS (17-2nd) (18, 19-1st)
 Kevin Hammond, UNI (95-2nd) (94-HM)
 Jackson Hankey, NDSU (21-2nd)
 Robert Harbolt, Missouri State (90-2nd)
 Jonathan Harrell, UNI (03-2nd) (02-2nd)
 De'Veon Harris, UNI (07-2nd) (08-2nd)
 Edgerton Hartwell, WIU (00, 99-1st) (98-2nd)
 Shavez Hawkins, Eastern Illinois (92-2nd)
 Darin Heideman, UNI (05-1st)
 John Hill, UNI (87-HM)
 Deion Holts, Western Kentucky (05-2nd)
 Ken Hopp, Indiana State (88-1st)
 James Houston, Missouri State (85-1st)
 Josh Howe, Illinois State (10-2nd) (11-HM)
 Bill Hronec, Illinois State (07-HM)
 Ramon Humber, N. Dakota State (08-1st)
 Marty Hutchinson, Youngstown St. (06-1st)
 Mike Hym, W. Illinois (86-1st) (85-2nd)
 Auston Johnson, South Dakota (13-HM)
 Chris Johnson, SDSU (08-HM) (09-HM)
 Tim Johnson, YSU (00-1st) (99-2nd)
 Troy Johnson, Indiana State (86-2nd)
 Andy Jones, Indiana State (06-HM)
 E.J. Jones, Illinois State (09-HM)
 James Jones, UNI (90-1st) - see DL
 P.J. Jones, Missouri State (01-2nd)
 Brandin Jordan, SIU (06-HM) (07-2nd) (08, 09-1st)
 James Kaczor, North Dakota State (20-1st)
 Kevin Keith, UNI (91-2nd)
 Micah King, Southern Illinois (06-2nd)
 Kevin Kilgallon, S. Illinois (90-1st) (89-1st)
 R.C. Kilgore, South Dakota State (13-1st)
 Kevin Kintzel, W. Illinois (14-2nd) - see DB
 Brett Koebecke, UNI (05-2nd) (04-2nd)
 Chris Kolarevic, UNI (19-2nd)
 Mike Kolpin, UNI (88-2nd)
 Jeff Koval, Youngstown State (06-HM)
 Devon Krzanowski, UND (20-2nd) (21-HM)
 Branden Kreczmer, WIU (10-HM)
 Keyen Lage, South Dakota (15-HM)
 T.J. Lally, SDSU (12, 13, 15-2nd)
 Dietrich Lapsley, INS (02-1st) (00-HM)
 Andre Lewis, Western Kentucky (06-2nd)
 Chris Libaire, Indiana State (95-2nd)
 Antoine Liddell, INS (88-2nd) (87-HM)
 Mike Lien, S. Dakota St. (10-HM) (11-2nd)
 Carlton Littlejohn, NDSU (14-1st)
- Jim Litrenta, South Dakota (17-HM)
 Ty Locatelli, Western Illinois (96-2nd)
 Marty Lomelino, Western Illinois (87-1st)
 Bryan McGrone, Indiana State (90-HM)
 Bennie McLin, MSU (96-1st) (95-HM)
 Brett McMakin, UNI (14-2nd) (15-1st)
 Ken McMillan, WIU (91, 93-2nd) (92-1st)
 Jason McWilliams, WIU (02-HM) (01-HM)
 Josh Mahoney, UNI (08-1st) (09-1st)
 Mike Maresh, N. Dakota State (08-HM)
 Corky Martin, MSU (00, 99, 98-2nd) (97-1st)
 Don Martin, Illinois State (95-HM)
 Karl Maslowski, Western Kentucky (03-1st)
 Pat Meehan, ILS (13-2nd) (14-1st) (15-1st)
 Cornell Middlebrook, W. Illinois (02-HM)
 Mike Miller, Eastern Illinois (94-HM)
 Tim Miller, UNI (96-1st) (95-2nd)
 Jeff Mills, Eastern Illinois (89-1st) (88-2nd)
 James Milton, W. Illinois (98-1st) (97-2nd)
 Darnell Minnieweather, UNI (93-HM)
 Chauncey Mixon, SIU (07, 08, 09-2nd)
 Trevor Moe, Southern Illinois (07-HM)
 Brock Mogensen, South Dakota (20-2nd)
 Quentin Moon, WIU (16, 17-HM) (18-2nd)
 Rob Moran, Southern Illinois (91-HM)
 Jet Moreland, South Dakota (16-2nd)
 Katrell Moss, INS (17-HM) (18-2nd)
 Richard Moss, Indiana State (96-1st)
 Mike Nelson, Indiana State (94-HM)
 Darren Neputy, Illinois State (89-HM)
 Tom Newberry, Illinois State (91-2nd)
 John Noll, Eastern Illinois (90-HM)
 Bryce Notree, SIU (18, 20-HM) (21-2nd)
 Dubem Nwadiogbu, YSU (14-HM)
 Grant Olson, NDSU (12-1st) (13-1st)
 Kevin Palermo, Western Illinois (11-2nd)
 Tom Paolucci, Youngstown State (97-1st)
 Bryce Paup, UNI (89-1st) (88-HM) (87-2nd)
 Matt Pedersen, UNI (97, 98, 99-1st)
 Bryan Presume, Southern Illinois (13-1st)
 Tony Pryor, Indiana State (98-2nd)
 J.J. Raffelson, Western Illinois (12-HM)
 Shanon Reid, Illinois State (20-HM)
 Sean Richardson, MSU (91-2nd) (90-HM)
 Alejandro Rivera, Illinois State (16-HM)
 Ryan Roberts, Indiana State (11-HM)
 Darryl Robinson, Missouri State (02-2nd)
 Junior Robinson, Western Illinois (00-HM)
 Jimmy Rogers, SDSU (08-2nd) (09-HM)
 Christian Rozeboom, SDSU (16, 17, 18, 19-1st)
 Lee Russell, WIU (03, 02-1st) (01, 00-2nd)
 Brandon Rutledge, UNI (99-HM)
 Chris Sapp, Indiana State (01-HM)
 John Sasson, Youngstown State (10-HM)
 Henry Saxon, UNI (85-2nd)
 Travis Schipper, UNI (97-HM)
 Bart Scott, S. Illinois (01-1st) (98-HM)
 Galen Scott, ILS (98, 00-1st) (99-2nd) (97-HM)
 Percy Scott, Illinois State (97-2nd)

Ross Shafrath, South Dakota St. (12-1st)
 Ezell Shelton, Southern Illinois (87-2nd)
 Brandon Simon, Illinois State (20-HM)
 Teddy Sims, Southern Illinois (00-2nd)
 Cameron Siskowic, ILS (06-1st) (05-1st)
 Bob Sivik, Youngstown State (01-HM)
 Brandon Smith, Western Kentucky (04-HM)
 Deonte' Smith, Western Kentucky (04-1st)
 Jordan Smith, UNI (11-2nd)
 Clint Smothers, Southern Illinois (93-HM)
 Matt Soraghan, Missouri State (87-1st)
 Dannie Spann, UNI (96-2nd) (95-HM)
 Rich Spielman, Southern Illinois (85-1st)
 Mike Stanec, YSU (98-HM) (97-HM)
 Tyler Starr, South Dakota (12-2nd) (13-1st)
 Chris Stevens, ILS (93, 95-1st) (94-HM) (92-2nd)
 Kye Stewart, Illinois State (06-1st) (07-1st)
 Donte Stovall, Southern Illinois (00-HM)
 Mike Strickland, Missouri State (93-HM)
 Bryson Strong, Southern Illinois (20-2nd)
 MJ Stumpf, North Dakota State (16-1st)
 Russell Stuvaints, YSU (01-2nd)
 Kawonza Swan, YSU (99-HM)
 Pete Swenson, Western Illinois (18-1st)
 Brett Taylor, WIU (15-2nd) (16-1st) (17-1st)
 Jon Tekac, Youngstown State (02-2nd)
 James Terry, YSU (06-1st) (05-1st) (07-1st)
 Jamar Thompson, UNI (08, 09-HM) (10-1st)
 Charles Thompson, WKU (04-1st) (03-2nd)
 Jameer Thurman, Indiana State (16-2nd)
 Brian Tranchitella, S. Illinois (95-HM)
 James Turnage, MSU (89-1st) (88-1st)
 Jaxson Turner, North Dakota (21-HM)
 Connor Underwood, INS (14-1st) - see DL
 Zeke Vandenburg, Illinois State (21-HM)
 Jason Vasconez, Western Illinois (94-1st)
 Adam Vogt, UNI (01-1st) (00-HM)
 Kendall Walker, INS (14-HM) (15-HM)
 Jacolby Washington, INS (10, 11, 12-2nd)
 Terian Washington, Missouri St. (10-HM)
 John Wessel, South Dakota (14-HM)
 Royal Whitaker, SIU (04, 05-1st) (03-2nd)
 Presley White, Western Illinois (88-HM)
 Antoine Wilkinson, MSU (10-1st) (09-1st)
 Brandon Williams, S. Illinois (15-HM)
 Jason Williams, WIU (06-HM) (07, 08-1st)
 Teven Williams, YSU (11-HM) (13-2nd)
 Tyler Williamson, S. Illinois (14-HM)
 Chad Willson, North Dakota State (11-1st)
 Tylar Wiltz, MoState (20-2nd) (21-2nd)
 Paul Wolf, UNI (94-2nd) (93-2nd)
 Jeremiah Wright, YSU (04-2nd) (07-HM)
 Lee Wright, YSU (15-2nd) (17-HM)
 Mike Zimmer, Illinois State (12-1st)

Defensive Backs

Moses Aimable, UNI (85-1st)
 Yemi Akisanya, Southern Illinois (04-HM)
 LeRoy Alexander, YSU (15-1st) (16-1st)

DeJuan Alfonzo, INS (98, 99-1st) (97-2nd)
 Joe Allen, Western Illinois (90-HM)
 Jalen Allison, NDSU (16-HM) (18-HM)
 Cedric Alvis, Missouri State (08-HM)
 Kevin Anderson, UNI (87-1st)
 Scooter Archie, Indiana State (06-HM)
 Antulio Aroche, Youngstown State (01-HM)
 Marcus Ballard, WIU (86-1st) (85-2nd)
 Chris Balster, S. Dakota State (17-HM)
 Mike Banks, Illinois State (12-HM) (14-2nd)
 Darren Barnett, Missouri State (04-1st)
 Elzie Barnett, Western Illinois (91-2nd)
 Anthony Barone, Youngstown St. (02-2nd)
 Willie Beamon, UNI (92-1st) (90-1st)
 Sybhrian Berry, Missouri State (13-2nd)
 Kyle Bibbs, Indiana State (97-2nd)
 Carl Birts, Western Kentucky (03-HM)
 Kenny Bishop, Youngstown State (16-HM)
 Lavent Blaylock, Indiana State (88-2nd)
 Ed Blizzard, Youngstown State (00-2nd)
 Tom Blumenshine, Illinois State (86-2nd)
 Mike Bracken, YSU (04-1st) (03-2nd)
 Clythel Branson, Indiana State (02-HM)
 Montrae Braswell, Mo State (20, 21-1st)
 Marquise Bridges, N. Dakota St. (19-2nd)
 Cole Brodie, South Dakota State (10-1st)
 Bob Bronaugh, E. Illinois (86-2nd) (85-2nd)
 Michael Brooks, Indiana State (99-HM)
 Jordan Brown, SDSU (17-1st) (18-1st)
 Omar Brown, UNI (19-1st) (20, 21-HM)
 Qua Brown, S. Illinois (19-2nd) (20, 21-1st)
 Brent Browner, UNI (01-2nd) (00-HM)
 Brandon Bruner, SIU (06-2nd) (04-HM)
 Daryon Brutley, UNI (01-2nd)
 Calvin Burnett, INS (10-HM) (12-2nd)
 Shumone Burnett, Missouri State (92-2nd)
 Anthony Burton, Illinois State (90-2nd)
 Dennis Butler, ILS (02-HM) - see RS
 Duane Butler, ILS (94, 96-1st) (95-2nd)
 Je Ryan Butler, SDSU (15-HM) - see RS
 James Caesar, Southern Illinois (20-1st)
 Jesse Caesar, Illinois State (07-1st)
 Donnie Caldwell, Western Illinois (98-1st)
 David Calhoun, Illinois State (89-1st)
 Elijah Campbell, UNI (16-2nd) (17-1st)
 Victor Campbell, Western Illinois (02-1st)
 Vinceson Campbell, W. Illinois (03-2nd)
 Jordan Canady, North Dakota (21-HM)
 Mike Carter, Western Illinois (98-2nd)
 Jeremy Chandler, WKU (03-1st) (02-1st)
 Mike Chatman, Missouri State (85-2nd)
 Jeremy Chinn, SIU (17-2nd) (18, 19-1st)
 Marcus Colbert, Missouri State (07-HM)
 Gary Conley, Illinois State (86-HM)
 Bryan Cox, WIU (90-1st) (89-1st) - see DL
 Jim Cravens, Southern Illinois (93-2nd)
 Jerry Creer, Illinois State (96-2nd) (95-HM)
 Donald D'Alesio, Youngstown St. (14-HM)
 Mickey Dalton, UNI (96-2nd)

Branyon Davis, Missouri State (95-HM)
 Ira Davis, Southern Illinois (86-1st)
 Martinez Davis, WIU (12-2nd) (13-2nd)
 Willie Davis, S. Illinois (89-2nd) (86-HM)
 Tre Dempsey, NDSU (16-1st) (17-1st)
 Ryan Doak, UNI (00-1st) (99-2nd)
 Dre' Dokes, UNI (04, 06-1st) (03, 05-2nd)
 Makinton Dorleant, UNI (13-2nd) (14-HM) (15-2nd)
 James Dorsey, Eastern Illinois (95-2nd)
 Christian Dudzik, NDSU (12-HM) (14-1st)
 Marcus Easter, UNI (96-HM)
 Andre Elliott, Youngstown State (09-HM)
 Torre Endsley, MSU (04-HM) (03-HM)
 Ben Ericksen, Illinois State (12-1st)
 Austin Evans, UNI (20-2nd)
 Tony Farrell, Eastern Illinois (91-1st)
 John Field, Southern Illinois (85-1st)
 Justin Fitzpatrick, WIU (17-2nd) (18-2nd)
 Jimmie Forsythe, SDSU (14-HM) (15-2nd)
 Joe Fuller, UNI (85-1st)
 Mike Gailey, Missouri State (98-HM)
 Von Ganaway, INS (93-1st) (91, 92-HM)
 Don Gardner, SDSU (19-2nd) (20-1st) (21-2nd)
 Chris Garrett, Illinois State (09-HM)
 Myron Glass, UNI (94-1st) (93-2nd)
 Vince Gliatta, Youngstown State (07-2nd)
 Tyson Graham, South Dakota (15-HM)
 Andrew Gray, USD (17-2nd) (18-2nd)
 Rondell Green, Indiana State (18-2nd)
 LeVar Greene, Youngstown State (01-1st)
 Robbie Grimsley, NDSU (16, 17, 18-1st)
 David Gunn, UNI (00-2nd) (99-HM)
 Deiondre' Hall, UNI (13-HM) (14-2nd) (15-1st)
 Myles Harden, South Dakota (20-HM)
 Madre Harper, Southern Illinois (19-HM)
 Todd Harrington, UNI (94-2nd) (93-HM)
 Davontae Harris, ILS (16-1st) (17-1st)
 Rodney Harrison, WIU (93-1st) (92-1st)
 Isaac Harvin, Missouri State (98-2nd)
 Josh Hayes, NDSU (19-2nd) (20-1st)
 Colten Heagle, NDSU (11-2nd) (13, 14-1st)
 Mark Hein, UNI (89-2nd) (88-2nd)
 Kelvyn Hemphill, ILS (08-HM) (09-2nd)
 JJ Henderson, Indiana State (21-HM)
 Darnell Hendricks, SIU (95-1st) (94-HM)
 James Hendricks, NDSU (18-2nd) (19-1st)
 Robert High, INS (97-1st) (96-HM) (95-HM)
 Bruce Hightower, YSU (01-1st) (00-2nd)
 Robert Hodges, Western Illinois (07-2nd)
 Daryl Holcombe, EIU (87, 89-1st) (88-2nd)
 Evan Holm, UND (20-2nd) (21-2nd)
 Bill Hunter, Western Illinois (88-HM)
 Jay Hurdle, Southern Illinois (87-2nd)
 Billy Nicoe Hurst, YSU (17-2nd)
 Clayton Isbell, Illinois State (21-2nd)
 Codera Jackson, YSU (06-1st) (05-1st)
 Kenny James, Southern Illinois (15-2nd)
 Kieron James, Western Illinois (11-HM)
 Joseph Jefferson, WKU (01-1st)



South Dakota State's JaRon Harris earned first-team all-league honors in his only season in the MVFC (2008).



DE James Ruffin of UNI earned the league's Defensive Player of the Year in back-to-back seasons (2008, 2009).



TE Dallas Goedert of South Dakota State was the highest MVFC player taken in the 2018 NFL Draft.



North Dakota State's Austin Kuhnert was voted FCS ADA Offensive Line-man of the Year in 2017.

- Christian Jegen, UNI (19-HM)
 Corey Jeske, South Dakota State (10-2nd)
 Clayton Johnson, Southern Illinois (07-1st)
 Colin Johnson, Missouri State (02-HM)
 Frank Johnson, SIU (04, 05-2nd) (03-HM)
 Scott Johnson, Eastern Illinois (88-1st)
 Darius Joiner, Western Illinois (21-1st)
 E.J. Jones (10-1st) - see LB
 Zaire Jones, Youngstown State (20-2nd)
 Jamarquis Jordan, SIU (05-1st) (04-2nd)
 Darius Joseph, Missouri State (17-HM)
 PJ Jules, Southern Illinois (21-HM)
 Fu'ad Khaleel, Western Illinois (06-2nd)
 Tim Kilfoy, UNI (14-1st, 15-1st)
 Jeff Killeen, Missouri State (99-2nd)
 Kernard Killingsworth, ILS (97-2nd)
 Donte King, Missouri State (00-HM)
 Larry King, Indiana State (12-HM)
 Kevin Kintzel, W. Illinois (13-HM) - see LB
 Luther Kirk, Illinois State (18-1st) (19-1st)
 Conrad Kjerstad, S. Dakota State (09-2nd)
 Chris Klieman, UNI (90-2nd) (86, 87-HM)
 Dre' Knox, Indiana State (96-1st) (95-HM)
 Alec Kocour, ILS (15-HM) (16, 17-2nd)
 Tim Lance, Eastern Illinois (90-1st) (89-1st)
 Roosevelt Lawrence, UNI (19-HM)
 Michael Lawson, WIU (20-HM) (21-2nd)
 Chrispin Lee, Youngstown State (18-HM)
 Jovon Lewis, Missouri State (04-2nd)
 Korey Lindsey, SIU (08-1st) (09, 10-1st)
 Darrell Lloyd, UNI (07-2nd) (08-1st)
 Jeff Long, Southern Illinois (90-2nd)
 Skyler Luxa, South Dakota State (12-2nd)
 Jason McCleary, UNI (94-1st) (92, 93-2nd)
 Donye McCleskey, INS (08-HM) (09-HM)
 Dontae McCoy, ILS (13-HM) (14-HM)
 Bruce McCray, WIU (86-HM) (85-2nd)
 C.J. McDavid, Southern Illinois (96-HM)
 Kyriq McDonald, Missouri State (21-HM)
 Mike McEachern, Western Illinois (08-2nd)
 Mike McElroy, S. Illinois (09-1st) (11-1st)
 Ray McElroy, EIU (94-1st) (93-1st) (92-1st)
 Lamar McGriggs, Western Illinois (90-2nd)
 Steve McKeel, INS (87-1st) (86-1st)
 Dave McCorvey, UNI (86-2nd)
 Terrell McMoore, UNI (08-2nd)
 Terrance Malone, UNI (98-2nd) (96-HM)
 Keyon Martin, Youngstown State (20-HM)
 Otis Merrill, Illinois State (11-2nd)
 Troy Mickens, Indiana State (88-1st)
 Jeff Miles, Eastern Illinois (91-2nd)
 Terrance Miles, INS (01-2nd) (00-HM)
 Mel Mitchell, Western Kentucky (01-1st)
 Ray Mitchell, UNI (13-HM)
 Kyle Moffatt, Western Kentucky (01-2nd)
 Alexis Moreland, SIU (02, 03, 04-1st)
 Addison Morgan, Western Illinois (93-HM)
 Ryan Neal, Southern Illinois (17-HM)
 Simon Nelson, UNI (91-HM)
 Tom Nelson, Illinois St. (06-2nd) (07-2nd)
 Lamont Nicholson, WIU (96-2nd)
 Anthony Pannunzio, YSU (98-2nd)
 Andrew Papoccia, Illinois State (03-2nd)
 Willie Parks, Missouri St. (95-2nd) (94-2nd)
 Chris Parsons, UNI (06-2nd)
 Jon Pendergrass, Southern Illinois (01-HM)
 Jason Perry, YSU (06-1st) (05-2nd) (04-HM)
 Waymann Peters, YSU (03-HM)
 Duane Peterson, UNI (91-2nd)
 Jerome Peterson, UNI (99-2nd)
 Will Peterson, Western Illinois (00-1st)
 Buck Phillips, Western Illinois (95-1st)
 Craig Phillips, MSU (88-2nd) (87-2nd)
 Jarvis Phillips, UNI (02-HM)
 Jalyn Powell, Youngstown State (17-HM)
 Danny Rambo, South Dakota (16-HM)
 Bill Randles, Illinois State (95-1st) (93-HM)
 Elijah Reed, USD (19-HM) (21-2nd)
 R.L. Reynolds, EIU (86, 87, 89-2nd)
 Travis Richardson, Missouri State (96-2nd)
 Adam Roberts, UNI (07-HM)
 Marty Rodgers, SIU (08-2nd) (09-HM)
 Jonathon Rollins, Western Illinois (12-HM)
 Brandian Ross, YSU (08-HM) (10-2nd)
 Xavier Rowe, Western Illinois (18-HM)
 Marion Rumph, WKU (05, 06-1st) (04-HM)
 Justin Sandy, UNI (03-1st) (02-2nd)
 Benny Sapp, UNI (03-1st)
 Benny Sapp III, UNI (21-1st)
 Howard Scarborough, MSU (13-2nd)
 Caleb Schaffitzel, MSU (12, 13, 14-1st)
 Nick Schommer, N. Dakota State (08-1st)
 Garrett Scott, UNI (12-HM)
 Quentin Scott, UNI (09-1st)
 Alex Sewall, INS (08-HM) (10-1st) (11-1st)
 Mark Sewall, INS (13-HM) (14-2nd)
 Marcus Shipp, MSU (91-1st) (90-1st)
 Dwyte Smiley, YSU (97, 98, 99-1st)
 Adrion Smith, MSU (91, 92, 93-1st)
 C.J. Smith, N. Dakota St. (13-HM) (15-1st)
 Jameel Smith, Youngstown State (16-2nd)
 Jeff Smith, ILS (87-1st) (86-1st) (85-1st)
 Maurice Smith, Western Illinois (87-2nd)
 Skylar Smith, MSU (08-HM) (09, 10-2nd)
 Clint Smothers, S. Illinois (92-2nd) (91-HM)
 Varmah Sonie, UNI (11-1st) (12-2nd)
 Frank Spraggins, WIU (96, 97-1st) (94, 95-2nd)
 Travis Starks, Indiana St. (14, 15-2nd)
 Chris Stimmel, UNI (01-HM)
 Patrick Stoudamire, WIU (07, 08, 09-1st)
 Jimmie Strong, Missouri State (11-2nd)
 Russell Stuvaints, YSU (02-HM)
 J.J. Swain, UNI (10-2nd)
 Aaron Swift, South Dakota (12-HM)
 Ryan Szokola, ILS (00-1st) (99-2nd)
 Ty Talton, UNI (95, 96, 97, 98-1st)
 Devin Taylor, Illinois State (18-2nd) (19-1st)
 Freddie Taylor, Southern Illinois (97-2nd)
 Lorenzo Taylor, WIU (89-2nd) (88-2nd)
 James Temple, ILS (06-HM) (05-HM)
 Antonio Thomas, WKU (05-1st) (04-1st)
 Michael Thomas, Indiana State (19-HM)
 Johnny Towalid, Indiana State (12-1st)
 Steve Turzynski, Western Illinois (91-2nd)
 Michael Tutsie, NDSU (19-HM) (20-2nd) (21-1st)
 Derrick Varnado, WIU (99-1st) (98-HM)
 Tanner Varner, UNI (05-2nd)
 Antonio Veals, Western Kentucky (02-1st)
 Reggie Waddell, Western Illinois (00-2nd)
 Jay Wade, W. Illinois (88-1st) (87-2nd)
 Titus Wall, Missouri State (21-HM)
 Joseph Wallace, UNI (93-2nd) (92-2nd)
 Darryl Warren, Missouri State (02-2nd)
 Darren Washington, Illinois State (90-HM)
 Malcolm Washington, UNI (16-2nd) (17-HM)
 Travis Washington, WIU (03-2nd) (02-2nd)
 Clifford Watters, UNI (07-1st)
 Tim Wells, Southern Illinois (90-HM)
 Franky West, ILS (94-2nd) (92, 93-HM)
 Lenny Wicks, Youngstown State (09-2nd)
 Emrick Wilcox, Western Illinois (88-1st)
 Damon Williams, WIU (01-HM) (00-HM)
 Marcus Williams, NDSU (10-HM) (11, 12, 13-1st)
 Xavior Williams, UNI (18-1st) (19-2nd)
 Brent Withers, Missouri State (00-HM)
 Milan Woodard, Western Illinois (05-HM)
 Joe Woods, Illinois State (91-1st)
 Michael Woods, Western Illinois (04-2nd)
 Antoine Worthman, Illinois State (88-HM)
 Roger Wright, MSU (07-HM) (08-2nd)
 Winston Wright, SDSU (11-2nd) (13-1st)
 Sam Young, Illinois State (00-1st) (99-1st)

Punters

- John Amitrano, S. Illinois (98-2nd) (97-1st)
 Mike Atzen, Missouri State (85-2nd)
 Cameron Bair, Illinois State (92-HM)
 Jeff Baker, W. Illinois (98-1st) (97-HM)
 Miles Bergner, USD (14,15-HM) (16-1st) - see PK
 Kyle Bernard, UNI (10-HM) (12-HM)
 Joe Bishop, YSU (06-1st) (05-2nd)
 JT Bohlken, Illinois State (18-HM) (21-HM)
 Thomas Bouldin, Indiana State (17-HM)
 Wayne Boyer, Missouri State (96-HM)
 Travis Brawner, MSU (99-HM) (97-HM)
 Grant Burkett, MoState (20-HM) (21-1st)
 Jason Caldwell, Eastern Illinois (92-HM)
 Brian Claybourn, WKU (04, 03-1st) (02-HM) (01-2nd)
 Jordan Chiles, Missouri St. (09, 11-HM)
 Jack Colquhoun, Southern Illinois (20-HM)
 Adam Fellner, Western Illinois (19-HM)
 Jon Frangoulis, Missouri State (87-HM)
 Derrick Frost, UNI (02-2nd)
 Mark Gagliano, SIU (96-1st) (95-HM) (94-2nd)

Jay Gerth, Indiana State (93-2nd)
 Brady Hale, South Dakota State (18-2nd)
 Jarred Herring, UNI (08-HM)
 Cory Henke, UNI (04-HM)
 Lucas Hileman, INS (11-2nd) (12-1st)
 Ryan Hoffman, ILS (05-1st) (03, 04-2nd)
 Rob Hufty, Indiana State (89-2nd)
 Chris Hurst, MSU (95-1st) (94-HM)
 Chris Johansen, Indiana State (07-HM)
 Pat Jordan, Indiana State (03-HM)
 Bobby Kelsey, Illinois State (08-2nd)
 Adam Kos, UNI (05-HM)
 Mike Krause, WIU (87, 89-1st) (88-2nd)
 Steve Krieger, INS (92-2nd) (91-2nd)
 Sam Kuhter, UNI (15, 17-2nd) (16-HM)
 Todd Kurz, Illinois State (96-2nd) (95-2nd)
 CJ Laros, Illinois State (14-2nd)
 Ben LeCompte, NDSU (13-2nd) (14, 15-1st)
 Troy Lefever, Youngstown State (00-HM)
 Nick Liste, YSU (10-HM) (13-1st)
 Derek Mathewson, S. Illinois (15-HM)
 Mike McCabe, Illinois State (88-1st)
 Tim Mosley, UNI (93-1st) (92-1st) (91-2nd)
 Clay Netusil, UNI (86-1st)
 Ben Nowicki, YSU (07-HM) (08-HM)
 Eddie Pena, Missouri State (01-HM)
 David Peters, Southern Illinois (90-2nd)
 Brian Pindar, E. Illinois (91-1st) (90-1st)
 John Prelvitz, N. Dakota State (10-1st)
 Dean Priddy, SDSU (09-2nd) (10-2nd)
 Austin Pucylowski, SIU (12-HM) (13-HM)
 Scott Ravanese, SIU (07, 08, 09-1st)
 Lane Reazin, Southern Illinois (17-1st)
 Anthony Rozzo, Youngstown State (99-1st)
 Dan Rush, UNI (90-HM)
 Jason Schlautman, S. Dakota St. (11-1st)
 Mark Schuler, Youngstown State (16-2nd)
 Ross Schulte, WIU (94-1st) (92, 93-HM)
 Brady Schutt, USD (19-1st) (20, 21-2nd)
 Jon Scifres, Missouri State (04-HM)
 Mike Scifres, WIU (02-1st) (01-1st) (00-1st)
 Chuck Standiford, Indiana State (86-2nd)
 Nathan Stokes, MSU (06-2nd) (07-2nd)
 Jake Strader, ILS (00, 99, 97-2nd) (98-HM)
 Chris Sullens, MSU (14-HM) (15-HM)
 Steve Tillotson, Eastern Illinois (87-2nd)
 Matt Voigtlander, N. Dakota State (11-HM)
 Brett Von Willer, Missouri State (90-HM)
 Garret Wegner, NDSU (18, 20-1st)
 Brendan Withrow, Missouri State (19-2nd)
 Barry Woodruff, Western Illinois (85-1st)

Return Specialists (started 2014)

DeJuan Alfonzo, INS (99-HM) (98-2nd)
 Tevin Allen, Illinois State (14-HM)
 Carlos Anderson, UNI (10, 12-1st) - see RB
 Jamaine Blalock, WIU (97-1st) (96-HM)
 Montrae Braswell, MSU (21-1st) - see DB

Cole Brodie, SDSU (10-2nd) - see DB
 Jerald Burley, YSU (02-HM) (01-1st) - see WR
 Dennis Butler, ILS (02-HM) - see DB
 Je Ryan Butler, S. Dakota State (13-HM)
 Donnie Caldwell, Western Illinois (98-1st)
 Karlton Carpenter, S. Illinois (95-2nd)
 Aveion Cason, Illinois State (99-1st)
 Dakota Caton, Indiana State (19-1st)
 Jake Coates, YSU (19-2nd) (20-HM)
 Eric Davis, Missouri State (06-2nd)
 D.J. Davis, S. Illinois (16-HM) (17-HM)
 Soso Dede, Indiana State (02-1st)
 Makinton Dorleant, UNI (15-HM) - see DB
 Wesley Eliodor, South Dakota (21-HM)
 Antoine Ford, Western Illinois (13-HM)
 Ashlee Frazier, Western Illinois (99-HM)
 Darrius Gates, INS (09, 10-HM) - see RB
 Jamie Goodwin, UNI (05-HM)
 Johnny Gray, UNI (06-HM) (07-2nd) - see WR
 Reggie Gray, Western Illinois (02-2nd)
 David Gunn, UNI (00-1st)
 Justin Hall, Western Illinois (19-HM)
 Trevor Heit, North Dakota State (19-HM)
 Jarred Herring, UNI (11-HM)
 Keith Herron, Indiana State (00-HM)
 Deion Holliman, MSU (15, 16, 17 -1st)
 Jason Horton, Illinois State (07-HM)
 Daquan Ison, Southern Illinois (15-2nd)
 Joseph Jefferson, Western Ky. (01-HM)
 Deji Karim, Southern Illinois (09-2nd)
 Lance Lenoir, Jr., WIU (15-HM) - see WR
 Jason McCleary, UNI (94-HM)
 Deon McDaniel, Illinois State (94-2nd)
 LaSteven McKinney, SIU (12, 13, 14-HM) - see WR
 Steve McShane, WIU (17-HM) (18-2nd) - see RB
 Dennis Mitchell, WKU (04, 06-HM) (05-2nd)
 Marquis Mosely, Illinois State (97-2nd)
 Tom Nelson, Illinois St. (08-2nd) - see DB
 James Norris, WIU (04-1st) (03-2nd) - see WR
 Chad Owens, UNI (14-2nd)
 Buck Phillips, W. Illinois (95-1st) (94-1st)
 Jayden Price, North Dakota State (21-2nd)
 Steven Rush, MSU (04-2nd) (03-HM) - see WR
 Ben Sanderson, UNI (02-HM)
 Larry Scally, Indiana State (96-2nd)
 Darrius Shepherd, NDSU (18-1st) - see WR
 Luke Skokna, UND (20-HM) - see RB
 Ryan Smith, NDSU (11-2nd, 12-2nd) - see WR
 Jake Soliday, UNI (01-2nd)
 Todd Speight, Western Illinois (09-1st)
 Steve Strother, Southern Illinois (11-1st)
 Andre Stubbs, Youngstown State (13-1st)
 Ryan Smith, NDSU (13-2nd) - see WR
 Ryan Szokola, Illinois State (00-2nd)
 Ty Talton, UNI (98-HM) (97-HM) (96-1st)
 Tony Tate, W. Illinois (20-1st) - see WR
 Anthony Taylor, UNI (95-HM)
 Darien Townsend, Youngstown St. (16-2nd)

Craig Turner, SIU (06-1st) (05-1st) (07-1st)
 Christian Uphoff, Illinois State (18-HM)
 Antonio Veals, Western Kentucky (03-1st)
 Larry Warner, S. Illinois (08-1st) - see RB
 Christian Watson, NDSU (20-2nd) - see WR
 Tay Willis, Southern Illinois (14-1st)

All Purpose (started 2021)

Carter Bell, South Dakota (21-HM)
 Christian Watson, NDSU (21-1st) - see WR
 Isaiah Weston, UNI (21-2nd) - see WR



WIU LB Brett Taylor led the nation in tackles per game in 2017 (13.5) and finished with 470 career stops.



RS Deion Holliman of Missouri State established a league record with 2,455 career kickoff yards (2014-17).

Beginning with the 1994 season, the Missouri Valley Football Conference has announced an all-newcomer team in conjunction with the release of its all-conference team. The team is voted upon by sports information directors, coaches and a media panel.

The 1999 season marked the first season in which the league recognized a Freshman of the Year. To be eligible, the player must be in his first year of collegiate competition, and he can be a red-shirt.



Western Illinois' DB/RS Buck Phillips was the conference's initial Newcomer of the Year in 1994.

1994

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Jeremy Hoog, Missouri State
- WR-- Kyle Robinson, Illinois State
Chris Sabino, Western Illinois
- RB-- Marvin Sims, UNI
- TE-- Damon Jones, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Ryan Bravo, Missouri State
Brad Kubik, Missouri State
Andy Pattee, UNI
Gil Plasencia, Western Illinois
Brad Schwing, Indiana State
- PK-- Keith Jones, Western Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Armandos Fischer, Illinois State
Arglista Scott, Southern Illinois
Charles Williams, Illinois State
 - LB-- Chris Libaire, Indiana State
Kevin Lightburn, Missouri State
 - DB-- Duane Butler, Illinois State
Darnell Hendricks, S. Illinois
Robert High, Indiana State
Buck Phillips, Western Illinois
Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois
Maceo Strickland, UNI
 - P-- Chris Hurst, Missouri State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
DB/RS Buck Phillips, Western Illinois

1995

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- WR-- Jason Cannon, Missouri State
Courtland Tubbs, Indiana State
- RB-- Karlton Carpenter, S. Illinois
Michael Cosey, Missouri State
Brian Knuckles, Western Illinois
- QB-- Bill Hagman, Illinois State
Jeff Hecklinski, Western Illinois
Danny Smith, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Lemont Clark, Eastern Illinois
Dion Dixon, Illinois State
Travis Hunerberg, E. Illinois
Steve Jones, Southern Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Darryl Holland, Southern Illinois
Mike Miano, Missouri State
John Moyer, Eastern Illinois
Dan O'Dowd, Illinois State
- LB-- Andy Reinwald, Illinois State
Dannie Spann, UNI
- DB-- Branyon Davis, Missouri State
Hassan McCullough, S. Illinois
C.J. McDavid, Southern Illinois
Darryl Mitchell, Western Illinois
Tyree Talton, UNI

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

- WR Jason Cannon, Missouri State

1996

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- TE-- Chad Ames, Indiana State
- RB-- Jamaine Blalock, Western Illinois
Daryl Jones, Illinois State
Justin Roberson, UNI
- OL-- Bob Dymont, Western Illinois
Jason Grott, Western Illinois
Doug Hurt, Indiana State
Jason Krivis, Southern Illinois
Brad Meester, UNI
- WR-- Rick Garrett, Illinois State
Thedo Griffin, Western Illinois
Jon Moffitt, Western Illinois
Chance Thurman, MSU

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Ryan Healy, Illinois State
Shannon Jackson, Indiana State
Erik Nelson, UNI
 - LB-- Tim Angsten, Illinois State
Vince Bruno, Western Illinois
Ryan Hallahan, Southern Illinois
Ty Locatelli, Western Illinois
Phillip Robinson, Illinois State
 - DB-- Dustin Blount, Western Illinois
Mike Blount, Missouri State
Mickey Dalton, UNI
Brad Freeman, Western Illinois
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
LB Vince Bruno, Western Illinois

1997

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Shane Fortney, UNI
Kevin Glenn, Illinois State
Kent Skornia, Southern Illinois
- RB-- Terry Hollimon, UNI
Corey McGriff, Missouri State
Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois
- WR-- Eddie Berlin, UNI
Jim Farrell, Western Illinois
Mike Furrey, UNI
Marquis Mosely, Illinois State
Anthony Williams, Indiana State

- OL-- Frank Rutherford, YSU
- PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Cyron Brown, Western Illinois
Chris Glantzis, Youngstown St.
Mitch Minick, Missouri State
Tavita Tovia, Southern Illinois
Dave Watson, Western Illinois
 - LB-- Corky Martin, Missouri State
James Milton, Western Illinois
Galen Scott, Illinois State
 - DB-- Jake Anderson, Youngstown St.
Donnie Caldwell, Western Illinois
Shawn Lockhart, Missouri State
 - P-- John Amitrano, Southern Illinois
Jake Strader, Illinois State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
RB Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

1998

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Sheraton Fox, Indiana State
Jeff Ryan, Youngstown State
- RB-- Adam Benge, UNI
Aveion Cason, Illinois State
Sam Zanders, Illinois State
- OL-- Justin Craun, Missouri State
Andy King, Illinois State
Eric Owens, Missouri State
- WR-- Tacoma Fontaine, MSU
Cory Grow, Illinois State
Jeff Hewitt, Missouri State
- TE-- Derrick Roy, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- David Bowens, Western Illinois
Abie Camacho, Western Illinois
Jack Mitchell, UNI
Chad Pegues, Illinois State
 - LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
P.J. Jones, Missouri State
Bart Scott, Southern Illinois
Marcus White, Illinois State
 - DB-- Sam Elmore, Western Illinois
Mike Gailey, Missouri State
Isaac Harvin, Missouri State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
DL David Bowens, Western Illinois

1999

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Dusty Burk, Illinois State
Sherard Poteete, S. Illinois
Jay Rodgers, Missouri State
- RB-- Walter James, Illinois State
Tom Koutsos, Southern Illinois
Charles Tharp, Western Illinois
- OL-- Chad Setterstrom, UNI
- WR-- Jeremy Dusho, UNI
Bobby Starks, Western Illinois
- PK-- Scott Everhart, Southern Illinois
Mike Megyesi, Indiana State
Brian Stegall, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Luis Almanzar, Missouri State
Damian Gregory, Illinois State
Bryan Hawthorne, YSU
Matt Machling, Youngstown St.
 - LB-- Tim Johnson, Youngstown State
Hamilton Wells, Illinois State
 - DB-- Michael Brooks, Indiana State
K.J. Friday, Western Illinois
David Gunn, UNI
Donte King, Missouri State
Jerome Peterson, UNI
 - P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
RB Charles Tharp, Western Illinois
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
QB Dusty Burk, Illinois State

2000

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Sam Clemons, Western Illinois
Frisman Jackson, W. Illinois
Austin Moherman, MSU
- RB-- Richard Carter, UNI
Clifton Jones, Indiana State
P.J. Mays, Youngstown State
- OL-- James Broyles, Missouri State
Ben Deike, UNI
Mike Newman, Western Illinois
Elliott Smith, Missouri State
Ryan Smith, Youngstown State
- WR-- Eugene Mintze, Youngstown St.
Jammarr O'Neal, W. Illinois
Brandon Pedraza, YSU
- PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Chad Daun, Western Illinois
Matt Mitchell, UNI
- LB-- Justin Dellarose, Youngstown St.
Andrew Papoccia, Illinois State
Ben Rogers, Indiana State
Lee Russell, Western Illinois
Teddy Sims, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Lee Lafayette, Illinois State
Terrence Miles, Indiana State
Will Peterson, Western Illinois
Reggie Waddell, Western Illinois
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
LB Teddy Sims, Southern Illinois
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
LB Lee Russell, Western Illinois

2001

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Tom Petrie, UNI
Julian Reese, Indiana State
- RB-- Carlos Daniels, W. Illinois
Soso Dede, Indiana State
Steve Ennis, Missouri State
Eddie Linscomb, Missouri State
Quincy Washington, Illinois State
- OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.
Eric Bowman, Indiana State
Crockett Ladd, Missouri State
- WR-- Justin George, Southern Illinois
Mark Marcos, Missouri State
- PK-- Stephen Carroll, Illinois State
- RS-- Terry Tharps, Western Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Jonathan Friend, Illinois State
- LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
Kevin McDavid, Indiana State
Cornell Middlebrook, W. Illinois
- DB-- Carlos Banks, Missouri State
Daryon Brutley, UNI
Dennis Butler, Illinois State
Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois
Jon Pendergrass, S. Illinois
Daryl Warren, Missouri State
- P-- Brian Claybourn, Western Ky.
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
QB Julian Reese, Indiana State
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
QB Tom Petrie, UNI

2002

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Aaron Marshall, Youngstown St.
Joel Sambursky, S. Illinois
Michael Souza, Illinois State
- RB-- Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
Travis Glasford, Western Illinois
Jeremi Johnson, Western Ky.
- OL-- Stafford Davis, Illinois State
Will Sanders, Youngstown St.
- WR-- Courtney Abbott, S. Illinois
Reggie Gray, Western Illinois
Terrence Hall, Western Illinois
Casey Rooney, Western Ky.
Dwayne Smith, Illinois State
- TE-- R.J. Luke, Western Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Jon Kowalyshen, Western Illinois
Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State
- LB-- Brandon Chambers, MSU
Jonathan Harrell, UNI
T.J. Jackson, Illinois State
Darryl Robinson, Missouri State
Benny Sapp, UNI
Royal Whitaker, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Brandon Allen, Illinois State
Victor Campbell, Western Illinois
Sherod Holmes, Youngstown St.
Jarvis Phillips, UNI
Travis Washington, W. Illinois
- P-- Troy Maskel, Illinois State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
RB Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
QB Joel Sambursky, Southern Illinois

2003

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Justin Haddix, Western Ky.
Jake Schiff, Indiana State
- RB-- Terrance Freeney, UNI
Lerron Moore, Western Ky.
Cody Pratt, Missouri State
- OL-- Elmer McDaniel, S. Illinois
Anthony Oakley, Western Ky.
- WR-- James Norris, Western Illinois
Steven Rush, Missouri State
Michael Sparks, Missouri State
- PK-- Nick Terracina, Youngstown St.

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Linton Brown, Southern Illinois
James Fields, Southern Illinois
Charlie Phillips, Western Ky.
- LB-- Phil Archer, Western Illinois
Kevin Sears, Missouri State
Brandon Smith, Western Ky.
- DB-- Dre' Dokes, UNI
Torre Endsley, Missouri State
Frank Johnson, Southern Illinois
Jamarquis Jordan, S. Illinois
Antwan Oliver, Illinois State
- P-- Joe Bishop, Youngstown State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
RB Terrance Freeney, UNI
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
QB Justin Haddix, Western Kentucky

2004

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Eric Sanders, UNI
Tom Zetts, Youngstown State
- RB-- Brandon Jacobs, S. Illinois
Brian Porter, Western Kentucky
Brian Thompson, Illinois State
Arkee Whitlock, S. Illinois
- FB-- Craig Turner, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Erik Losey, Western Kentucky
Fred Staugh, Indiana State
- WR-- Kevett Mickle, Illinois State
- RS-- Therral Hatfield, Indiana State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Daniel Williams, Western Ky.
Joe Woolridge, Western Ky.
- LB-- LaDrelle Bryant, Indiana State
Travis Cherry, Western Illinois
Orlando "Doc" Gooden, INS
Darryl Johnson, Missouri State
Brett Koebecke, UNI
James Terry, Youngstown State
- DB-- Darren Barnett, Missouri State
Marion Rumph, Western Ky.
Michael Woods, Western Illinois
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
RB Brandon Jacobs, Southern Illinois
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
QB Eric Sanders, UNI

2005

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Blayne Baggett, Indiana State
Scott Carroll, Missouri State
- RB-- Lee Baker, Missouri State
David Horne, UNI
Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
Pierre Rembert, Illinois State
- WR-- Jamie Goodwin, UNI
- OL-- Andrew Campbell, Western Ky.
Chris McConnell, Western Ky.
Darren Marquez, Southern Illinois
Jimmy Wegerer, Southern Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Deyontae Batiste, Missouri State
Charles Johnson, UNI
Piana Lukabu, Western Illinois
Mychal Savage, Youngstown State
Lorenzo Wims, Southern Illinois
- LB-- Jerome Bennett, Western Illinois
Jenkins Reese, Western Kentucky
- DB-- Codera Jackson, Youngstown St.
Greg Lovely, Missouri State
Tom Nelson, Illinois State
Trokon Tompo, Western Illinois
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
RB Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
DB Tom Nelson, Illinois State

Newcomers of the Year

- 1994 DB/RS Buck Phillips, WIU
1995 WR Jason Cannon, MSU
1996 LB Vince Bruno, W. Illinois
1997 RB Aaron Stecker, W. Illinois
1998 DL David Bowens, W. Illinois
1999 RB Charles Sharp, W. Illinois
2000 LB Teddy Sims, S. Illinois
2001 QB Julian Reese, Indiana St.
2002 RB Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
2003 RB Terrance Freeney, UNI
2004 RB Brandon Jacobs, S. Illinois
2005 RB Marcus Mason, YSU
2006 RB Darian Williams, UNI
2007 WR Ferlando Williams, YSU
2008 QB Brandon Summers, YSU
2009 LB Antoine Wilkinson, MSU
2010 QB Tirrell Rennie, UNI
2011 RB Jewel Hampton, S. Illinois
2012 QB Sawyer Kollmorgen, UNI
2013 RB Martin Ruiz, Youngstown St.
2014 QB Tre Roberson, Illinois State
2015 QB Aaron Bailey, UNI
2016 QB Chris Streveler, South Dakota
2017 LB Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
2018 QB Ryan Boyle, Indiana State
2019 QB Trey Lance, North Dakota St.
20-21 QB Mark Gronowski, SDSU
2021 QB Jason Shelley, Missouri State

Freshmen of the Year

- 1999 QB Dusty Burk, Illinois State
2000 LB Lee Russell, W. Illinois
2001 QB Tom Petrie, UNI
2002 QB Joel Sambursky, S. Illinois
2003 QB Justin Haddix, Western Ky.
2004 QB Eric Sanders, UNI
2005 DB Tom Nelson, Illinois State
2006 LB Brandin Jordan, S. Illinois
2007 QB Cody Kirby, Missouri State
2008 RB Kamryn Keys, Youngstown St.
2009 QB Matt Brown, Illinois State
2010 QB Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
2011 QB Austin Sumner, S. Dakota St.
2012 QB Sawyer Kollmorgen, UNI
2013 RB Martin Ruiz, Youngstown St.
2014 WR Jake Wieneke, S. Dakota St.
2015 DE Andrew Van Ginkel, S. Dakota
2016 LB Christian Rozeboom, SDSU
2017 LB Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
2018 RB Pierre Strong Jr., SDSU
2019 QB Trey Lance, North Dakota St.
20-21 QB Mark Gronowski, SDSU
2021 QB Demeatric Crenshaw, YSU



In 2012, QB Sawyer Kollmorgen of UNI became the first to earn both Newcomer and Freshman MVP honors.



Missouri State's Cody Kirby was Freshman of the Year in 2007. He threw for 8,177 yards in his career.

2006

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Reilly Murphy, Indiana State
- RB-- Andrew McCloud, Western Ky.
John Randle, Southern Illinois
Darian Williams, UNI
- WR-- Terrell Allen, UNI
Eric Davis, Missouri State
Jake Gaebler, Western Ky.
Tamarkus McElvane, MSU
- TE-- Louis Irizarry, Youngstown State
J.R. Zwierzynski, Western Illinois
- OL-- Brandon Joyce, Illinois State
Jonathan St-Pierre, Illinois State
Shawn Smith, Southern Illinois

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Adam Blankenship, Illinois State
Chuck Kinney, UNI
James Ruffin, UNI
Andre Tillman, Southern Illinois
- LB-- Blake Boyd, Western Kentucky
Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois
Chauncey Mixon, Southern Illinois
Jeron Poole, Missouri State
- DB-- Rashad Etheridge, Western Ky.
Patrick Stoudamire, W. Illinois
- P-- Scott Ravanese, Southern Illinois

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

RB Darian Williams, UNI

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

LB Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois

2007

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Matt Barr, Western Illinois
Cody Kirby, Missouri State
- RB-- Kevin Smith, Youngstown State
Larry Warner, Southern Illinois
Kingjack Washington, Missouri St.
- FB-- Ryan Mahaffey, UNI
- WR-- Eyad Salem, Illinois State
Ferlando Williams, Youngstown St.
- OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State
Kevaughn Brown, Missouri State
- PK-- Billy Hallgren, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Clayton Dickehut, Missouri State
Josh Galloway, Western Illinois
Torrance Nicholson, Youngstown
Victor Visoky, Western Illinois
- LB-- De'Veon Harris, UNI
- DB-- Kelvyn Hemphill, Illinois State
Darrell Lloyd, UNI
Darius Middlebrooks, Indiana St.
Derek Miller, Missouri State
Adam Roberts, UNI

P-- Ben Nowicki, Youngstown State

RS/CB -- DeAngelo Wilson, Youngstown

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

WR Ferlando Williams, YSU

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

QB Cody Kirby, Missouri State

2008

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Zach Davis, UNI
Brandon Summers, YSU
- RB-- Kamryn Keys, Youngstown State
Walter Mendenhall, Illinois State
- FB-- John Goode, Southern Illinois
- WR-- Marc Cheatham, Southern Illinois
Josh Collins, UNI
Jarred Herring, UNI
Donald Jones, Youngstown State
Lilo Senatus, Western Illinois
- OL-- Woody Orne, South Dakota State
Jay Teply, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Teague Dentino, Western Illinois
Crispin Fernandez, Youngstown St.
- LB-- David Ingram, Missouri State
Kevin Palermo, Western Illinois
Paul Wright, Illinois State
- DB-- Larry Carter, Indiana State
Andre Elliott, Youngstown State
Tim Franken, Western Illinois
Ryan Roberts, Indiana State
Alex Sewall, Indiana State

P-- Jordan Chiles, Missouri State

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

QB Brandon Summers, Youngstown St.

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

RB Kamryn Keys, Youngstown State

2009

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Matt Brown, Illinois State
Paul McIntosh, Southern Illinois
Thomas O'Brien, S. Dakota State
- RB-- Carlos Anderson, UNI
Mikael Cooper-Falls, Missouri St.
- WR-- Cadarius Dotson, Missouri State
Justin Rideau, Western Illinois
Tyrone Walker, Illinois State
- OL-- Jon Fick, South Dakota State
Andy Kowicki, Youngstown State
Andrew Radakovich, Youngstown

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Kyle Russo, Southern Illinois
- LB-- Aaron Archie, Indiana State
Adam Beauchamp, Missouri State
Austin Davis, Illinois State
Taylor Hill, Youngstown State
Elijah Hodge, UNI
Brandon Jemison, N. Dakota State
Michael Keck, Missouri State
Antonine Wilkinson, Missouri State
Mike Zimmer, Illinois State
- DB-- Sir Demarco Bledsoe, Youngstown

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

LB Antoine Wilkinson, Missouri State

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

QB Matt Brown, Illinois State

2010

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Ronnie Fouch, Indiana State
Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
Tirrell Rennie, UNI
- RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
Adaris Bellamy, Youngstown State
Bryce Flowers, Western Illinois
Shariff Harris, Southern Illinois
Ashton Leggett, Illinois State
Caulton Ray, Western Illinois
Erik Smith, Illinois State
- WR-- Justin Hilton, Indiana State
Marvon Sanders, Illinois State
- OL-- Brian Palangi, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Zacharia Bowers, S. Dakota State
Shelby Harris, Illinois State
Leevon Perry, North Dakota State
- LB-- Nick Canavan, Missouri State
Chad Willson, North Dakota State
- DB-- Calvin Burnett, Indiana State
Ryan Davis, Western Illinois
Bo Flowers, Illinois State
Colten Heagle, North Dakota State
Larry King, Indiana State
Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.

P-- Nick Liste, Youngstown State

Austin Pucylowski, S. Illinois

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

QB Tirrell Rennie, UNI

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

QB Kurt Hess, Youngstown State

2011

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Austin Sumner, S. Dakota State
- RB-- Jewel Hampton, Southern Illinois
David Johnson, UNI
Nikko Watson, Western Illinois
Zach Zenner, South Dakota St.
- WR-- Christian Bryan, Youngstown State
Dale Moss, South Dakota State
Lechein Neblett, Illinois State
Donald Spencer, Indiana State
- TE-- James O'Shaughnessy, Illinois St.
MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Mark Pratt, Youngstown State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL-- Kenneth Boatright, S. Illinois
Nate Palmer, Illinois State
- LB-- Andrew Beisel, Missouri State
Theon Dixon, Western Illinois
Evan Frierson, Illinois State
Teven Williams, Youngstown State
Travis Williams, Youngstown State
- DB-- Mike Banks, Illinois State
Mike Crutcher, Missouri State
Christian Dudzik, N. Dakota State

P-- Lucas Hileman, Indiana State

Jason Schlautman, S. Dakota St.

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

RB Jewel Hampton, Southern Illinois

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

QB Austin Sumner, South Dakota State

2012

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Sawyer Kollmorgen, UNI
Mike Perish, Indiana State
- RB-- Andrew Bonnet, N. Dakota State
John Crockett, N. Dakota State
Ryan Heaston, Missouri State
- WR-- Phil Dudley, Illinois State
- TE-- Sam Rohr, UNI
- OL-- Josh Aladenoye, Illinois State
Jermaine Barton, Illinois State
Josh Colville, North Dakota State
- RS -- Fredson Salomon, Western Illinois
Jasper Sanders, South Dakota
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Marshall Peugh, South Dakota St.
Connor Underwood, Indiana State
- LB-- Alex Donnelly, Illinois State
Jake Farley, UNI
T.J. Lally, South Dakota State
J.J. Raffelson, Western Illinois
Tyler Williamson, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Julius Childs, Youngstown State
Mark Sewall, Indiana State
Ezra Thompson, Illinois State
- P-- Ben LeCompte, North Dakota St.
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
QB Sawyer Kollmorgen, UNI
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
QB Sawyer Kollmorgen, UNI

2013

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Brion Carnes, UNI
Trenton Norvell, Western Illinois
Blake Winkler, Illinois State
- RB-- Malcolm Agnew, Southern Illinois
R.C. Baker, Western Illinois
Trevor Bouma, South Dakota
Martin Ruiz, Youngstown State
- WR-- Riley Donovan, South Dakota
Lance Lenoir, Jr., Western Illinois
- PK-- Thomas Kinney, Southern Illinois
- RS -- LeMonte Booker, Indiana State
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Cole Langer, South Dakota State
David Perkins, Illinois State
- LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
Austin Johnson, South Dakota
Jameer Thurman, Indiana State
- DB-- Jarrid Bryant, South Dakota
Brandon Cheaton, Missouri State
Makinton Dorleant, UNI
Ray Mitchell, UNI
Tate Omlil, UNI
Jameel Smith, Youngstown State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
RB Martin Ruiz, Youngstown State
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
RB Martin Ruiz, Youngstown State

2014

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Mark Iannotti, Southern Illinois
Zach Lujan, South Dakota State
Tre Roberson, Illinois State
Hunter Wells, Youngstown State
- RB-- Calan Crowder, Missouri State
- WR-- Gary Owens, Indiana State
Eric Shufford, South Dakota
Jake Wieneke, South Dakota St.
- OL-- Sam Ellifrits, Missouri State
Jeremy Kelly, North Dakota State
Justin Spencer, Youngstown State
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Cecil Bratton, Missouri State
Kris Harley, Western Illinois
Nate Tanguay, North Dakota State
- LB-- Oshay Dunmore, Illinois State
- DB-- Trey Carr, South Dakota State
Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State
Nate Dortch, Youngstown State
Rondell Green, Indiana State
Eric Phillips, Missouri State
Dion Starnes, Illinois State
- P-- Osborn Umeh, Indiana State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
QB Tre Roberson, Illinois State
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
WR Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State

2015

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Aaron Bailey, UNI
Taryn Christion, S. Dakota State
Sean McGuire, Western Illinois
Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- RB-- Michael Fredrick, South Dakota
Roland Genesy, Indiana State
- WR-- Jimmy Jones, Southern Illinois
Darius Shepherd, N. Dakota State
- OL-- Cal Twait, UNI
- PK-- Zak Kennedy, Youngstown State
Cam Pedersen, N. Dakota State
- RS-- Bruce Anderson, N. Dakota State
Daquan Isom, Southern Illinois
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Brannon Barry, Illinois State
Andrew Van Ginkel, South Dakota
- LB-- Armand Dellovade, Youngstown St.
Katrell Moss, Indiana State
Lee Wright, Youngstown State
- DB-- LeRoy Alexander, Youngstown St.
Jared Beshore, Missouri State
Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State
Xavier Rowe, Western Illinois
Timothy Smith, Western Illinois
Jefferson Vea, Southern Illinois
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
QB Aaron Bailey, UNI
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
DE Andrew Van Ginkel, South Dakota

2016

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Josh Straughan, Southern Illinois
Chris Streveler, South Dakota
- RB-- Trevor Allen, UNI
Jamie Gilmore, Western Illinois
- WR-- Alonge Brooks, South Dakota
Jalen Rima, UNI
Spencer Schnell, Illinois State
Miles Thompson, Indiana State
- OL-- Coleman Clanton, Missouri State
Vitas Hrynkiwicz, Youngstown St.
- PK-- Jerry Nunez, Indiana State
Chase Vinatieri, South Dakota St.
- RS-- D.J. Davis, Southern Illinois
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Hezekiah Applegate, UNI
- LB-- B.J. Bello, Illinois State
Cedric Doxy, Indiana State
McNeece Egbim, Missouri State
Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
- DB-- Elijah Campbell, UNI
Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
Craig James, Southern Illinois
Anthony Washington, SDSU
Malcolm Washington, UNI
- P-- Jackson Koonce, N. Dakota State
Mark Schuler, Youngstown State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
QB Chris Streveler, South Dakota
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
LB Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.

2017

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Peyton Huslig, Missouri State
- RB-- Clint Ratkovich, Western Illinois
Christian Turner, Youngstown St.
- WR/RS -- Kody Case, South Dakota
Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
- WR-- Raphael Leonard, Southern Illinois
Isaiah Weston, UNI
- OL-- Tyler Ciurej, South Dakota
Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota
Markel Smith, Illinois State
- FIRST TEAM DEFENSE**
- DL-- Anthony Knighton, S. Illinois
Justus Reed, Youngstown State
Nathan Schultz, South Dakota
- LB-- Logan Backhaus, S. Dakota State
Keelon Brookins, UNI
Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
Angelo Garbutt, Missouri State
Tyree Horton, Illinois State
- DB-- Bryce Gibson, Youngstown State
Tyrin Holloway, Western Illinois
- P-- Brady Schutt, South Dakota
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR**
LB Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR**
LB Jabril Cox, North Dakota State



In 2008, RB Kamryn Keys of Youngstown State was voted the league's Freshman of the Year.



Joel Sambursky of SIU became the first league Freshman of the Year (2002) to later earn Player of the Year (2004).

2018

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB-- Ryan Boyle, Indiana State
- Brady Davis, Illinois State
- Montgomery VanGorder, YSU
- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., SDSU
- WR-- John Brunner, Western Illinois
- Andrew Edgar, Illinois State
- Dante Hendrix, Indiana State
- Deion McShane, UNI
- TE-- Miles Joiner, Youngstown State
- Jordan Murray, Missouri State
- OL-- Isaiah Edwards, Indiana State
- Tate Leavitt, Indiana State
- Gabe Megginson, Illinois State
- RS-- Je'Quan Burton, SIU

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- LB-- Ray Anderson, Youngstown State
- Luke Giegling, Southern Illinois
- Chris Kolarevic, UNI
- DL-- Krockett Krolikowski, SDSU
- LaCale London, Western Illinois
- Matt McClellan, Missouri State
- Romeo McKnight, Illinois State
- John Ridgeway, Illinois State
- Spencer Waege, NDSU
- DB-- Denzel Bonner, Indiana State
- Brandon Snyder, South Dakota
- Cameron Tisdale, South Dakota

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

QB Ryan Boyle, Indiana State

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

RB Pierre Strong Jr., South Dakota St.

2019

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- J'Bore Gibbs, South Dakota State
- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
- Will McElvain, UNI
- FB -- Dominique Dafney, Indiana State
- RB -- Kobe Johnson, N. Dakota State
- Jeff Proctor, Illinois State
- Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois
- WR-- Avante Cox, Southern Illinois
- Jaxon Janke, South Dakota State
- Kacper Rutkiewicz, Illinois State
- OL -- Adam Solomon, Illinois State
- PK -- Matthew Cook, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Quinton Hicks, S. Dakota State
- LB -- Aaron Mends, Illinois State
- Jakari Starling, South Dakota
- DB -- Omar Brown, UNI
- Keawvis Cummings, Indiana State
- Diamond Evans, S. Dakota State
- Michael Griffin II, S. Dakota State
- Clayton Isbell, Illinois State
- Zaire Jones, Youngstown State
- Marquis Smith, Western Illinois
- P -- Jack Colquhoun, Southern Illinois
- RS -- Justin Hall, Western Illinois

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

QB Trey Lance, North Dakota State

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

QB Trey Lance, North Dakota State



In 2018, QB Ryan Boyle led ISU to a 7-4 mark and third-place finish in the MVFC after an 0-11 season in 2017.



South Dakota State's Pierre Strong Jr. earned the league's Freshman of the Year honor in 2018.

2020-21 (Spring 2021)

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Carson Camp, South Dakota
- Mark Gronowski, S. Dakota State
- Tommy Schuster, North Dakota
- RB -- Pha'Leak Brown, Illinois State
- Isaiah Davis, South Dakota State
- Celdon Manning, Missouri State
- Jaleel McLaughlin, YSU
- WR-- Bo Belquist, North Dakota
- Dallas Daniels, Western Illinois
- Quan Hampton, UNI
- TE-- Kyle Fourtenbary, UNI

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Eli Mostaert, North Dakota State
- Brayden Thomas, N. Dakota State
- LB -- Adam Bock, South Dakota State
- Grant Dixon, Youngstown State
- Devon Krzanowski, North Dakota
- DB -- Montrae Braswell, Missouri State
- Myles Harden, South Dakota
- Michael Lawson, Western Illinois
- Keyon Martin, Youngstown State
- Kyriq McDonald, Missouri State
- Benny Sapp III, UNI

NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

QB Mark Gronowski, S. Dakota State

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

QB Mark Gronowski, S. Dakota State

2021

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

- QB -- Demeatric Crenshaw, YSU
- Theo Day, UNI
- Chris Oladokun, S. Dakota State
- Quincy Patterson, N. Dakota State
- Jason Shelley, Missouri State
- RB -- Cole Mueller, Illinois State
- Isaiah Smith, North Dakota
- Nate Thomas, South Dakota
- Tamerik Williams, N. Dakota State
- TE -- Bryson Deming, Illinois State
- WR-- Xavier Lane, Missouri State
- Tyrone Scott, Missouri State

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

- DL -- Braydon Deming, Illinois State
- Nick Gaes, South Dakota
- Allen Love, Missouri State
- Ben McNaboe, North Dakota
- Loshiaka Roques, N. Dakota State
- Siale Suliafu, Missouri State
- LB -- Geoffrey Brown, Indiana State
- DB -- Josiah Ganues, South Dakota
- JJ Henderson, Indiana State
- Darius Joiner, Western Illinois
- David Miller, Southern Illinois
- Marques Sigle, North Dakota State
- NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR
- QB Jason Shelley, Missouri State
- FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR
- QB Demeatric Crenshaw, YSU

SELECTIONS BY SCHOOL

ILLINOIS STATE (96)

1994--WR Kyle Robinson; DL Armandos Fischer; Charles Williams; DB Duane Butler. 1995--QB Bill Hagman; OL Dion Dixon; DL Dan O'Dowd; LB Andy Reinwald. 1996--RB Daryl Jones; WR Rickey Garrett; DL Ryan Healy; LB Tim Angsten; LB Phillip Robinson. 1997--QB Kevin Glenn; WR Marquis Mosely; LB Galen Scott; P Jake Strader. 1998--RB Aveion Cason; RB Sam Zanders; OL Andy King; WR Cory Grow; DL Chad Pegues; LB Marcus White. 1999--QB Dusty Burk; RB Walter James; DL Damian Gregory; LB Hamilton Wells. 2000--DB Lee Lafayette, OLB Andrew Papoccia. 2001--PK Stephen Carroll; DB Dennis Butler; DE Jonathan Friend; LB Boomer Grigsby; RB Quincy Washington. 2002--OL Stafford Davis; WR Dwayne Smith; QB Michael Souza; DB Brandon Allen; LB T.J. Jackson; P Troy Maskel. 2003--DB Antwan Oliver. 2004--WR Kevett Mickle; RB Brian Thompson. 2005--RB Pierre Rembert; DB Tom Nelson. 2006--OL Brandon Joyce; OL Jonathan St-Pierre; DL Adam Blankenship. 2007--DB Kelvyn Hemphill; WR Eyad Salem. 2008--RB Walter Mendenhall; LB Paul Wright. 2009--QB Matt Brown; LB Austin Davis; WR Tyrone Walker; LB Mike Zimmer. 2010--RB Ashton Leggett; WR Marvon Sanders; RB Erik Smith; S Bo Flowers; DE Shelby Harris. 2011--WR Lechein Neblett; TE James O'Shaughnessy; DB Mike Banks; LB Evan Frierson; DE Nate Palmer. 2012--OL Josh Aladenoye; OL Jermaine Barton; WR Phil Dudley; LB Alex Donnelly; SS Ezra Thompson. 2013--QB Blake Winkler; DE/LB David Perkins. 2014--QB Tre Roberson; LB Oshay Dunmore; DB Dion Starnes. 2015--DE/TE Brannon Barry. 2016--WR Spencer Schnell; LB B.J. Bello. 2017--OL Drew Himmelman; OL Markel Smith; LB Tyree Horton. 2018--QB Brady Davis; WR Andrew Edgar; OL Gabe Megginson; DE Romeo McKnight; NT John Ridgeway. 2019--RB Jeff Proctor; WR Kacper Rutkiewicz; OL Adam Solomon; LB Aaron Mends; DB Clayton Isbell. 2020-21--RB Pha'Leak Brown. 2021--TE Bryson Deming; DL Braydon Deming; RB Cole Mueller.

INDIANA STATE (60)

1994--OL Brad Schwing; LB Chris Libraire; DB Robert High. 1995--WR

Courtland Tubbs. 1996--TE Chad Ames; OL Doug Hurt; DL Shannon Jackson. 1997--WR Anthony Williams. 1998--QB Sheraton Fox. 1999--PK Mike Megyesi; CB Michael Brooks. 2000--RB Clifton Jones; DB Terrance Miles; LB Ben Rogers. 2001--OL Eric Bowman; RB Soso Dede; QB Julian Reese; LB Kevin McDavid. 2002--DE Kyle Mitchell. 2003--QB Jake Schiff. 2004--RS Therral Hatfield; OL Fred Staugh; LB LaDrelle Bryant; LB Orlando "Doc" Gooden. 2005--QB Blayne Baggett. 2006--QB Reilly Murphy. 2007--DB Darius Middlebrooks. 2008--DB Larry Carter; DB Ryan Roberts; DB Alex Sewall. 2009--LB Aaron Archie. 2010--RB Shakir Bell; QB Ronnie Fouch; WR Justin Hilton; DB Calvin Burnett; DB Larry King. 2011--WR Donald Spencer; P Lucas Hileman. 2012--QB Mike Perish; DB Mark Sewall; DE Connor Underwood. 2013--RS LeMonte Booker; LB Jameer Thurman. 2014--WR Gary Owens; DB Rondell Green; P Osborn Umeh. 2015--RB Roland Genesy; LB Katreell Moss. 2016--PK Jerry Nunez; WR Miles Thompson; LB Cedric Doxy. 2018--DB Denzel Bonner; QB Ryan Boyle; OL Isaiah Edwards; WR Dante Hendrix; OL Tate Leavitt; 2019--WR/FB Dominique Dafney; DB Keawwis Cummings. 2021--LB Geoffrey Brown; DB JJ Henderson.

MISSOURI STATE (89)

1994--QB Jeremy Hoog; OL Ryan Bravo; OL Brad Kubik; LB Kevin Lightburn; P Chris Hurst. 1995--WR Jason Cannon; RB Michael Cosey; DL Mike Miano; DB Branyon Davis. 1996--WR Chance Thurman; DB Mike Blount. 1997--RB Corey McGriff; PK Travis Brawner; DL Mitch Minick; LB Corky Martin; DB Shawn Lockhart. 1998--OL Justin Craun; OL Eric Owens; WR Tacoma Fontaine; WR Jeff Hewitt; LB P.J. Jones; DB Mike Gailey; DB Isaac Harvin. 1999--QB Jay Rodgers; DT Luis Almanzar; CB Donte King. 2000--OL James Broyles; QB Austin Moherman; OG Elliott Smith. 2001--RB Steve Ennis; RB Eddie Linscomb; WR Mark Marcos; OC Crockett Ladd; CB Carlos Banks; CB Daryl Warren. 2002--LB Brandon Chambers; LB Darryl Robinson. 2003--TB Cody Pratt; WR/KR Steven Rush; WR/KR Michael Sparks; DB Torre Endsley; LB Kevin Sears. 2004--CB Darren Barnett; LB Darryl Johnson. 2005--TB Lee Baker; QB Scott Carroll; DT Deyontae Batiste; CB Greg Lovely. 2006--WR/KR Eric Davis; WR/KR Tamarkus McElvane; LB

Jeron Poole. 2007--OG David Arkin; OT Kevagahn Brown; DE Clayton Dickeht; QB Cody Kirby; CB Derek Miller; TB Kingjack Washington. 2008--P Jordan Chiles; LB David Ingram. 2009--LB Adam Beauchamp; RB Mikael Cooper-Falls; WR Cadarius Dotson; LB Michael Keck; LB Antoine Wilkinson. 2010--LB Nick Canavan. 2011--LB Andrew Beisel; S Mike Crutcher. 2012--RB Ryan Heaston. 2013--S Brandon Cheatton; LB Dylan Cole. 2014--RB Calan Crowder; OT Sam Ellifrits; DL Cecil Bratton; DB Eric Phillips. 2015--S Jared Beshore. 2016--OL Coleman Clanton; LB Mc-Neece Egbim. 2017--QB Peyton Huslig; LB Angelo Garbutt. 2018--DL Matt McClellan; TE Jordan Murray. 2020-21--RB Celdon Manning; DB Montrae Braswell; DB Kyriq McDonald. 2021--WR Xavier Lane; WR Tyrone Scott; QB Jason Shelley; DL Allen Love; DL Siale Suliafu.

NORTH DAKOTA (5)

joined league for start of 2020 season
2020-21--QB Tommy Schuster; WR Bo Belquist; LB Devon Krzanowski. 2021--RB Isaiah Smith; DL Ben McNaboe.

NORTH DAKOTA STATE (29)

joined league for start of 2008 season
2008--none. 2009--LB Brandon Jemison. 2010--DB Colten Heagle; DL Leevon Perry; CB Marcus Williams; LB Chad Willson. 2011--CB Christian Dudzik. 2012--FB Andrew Bonnet; RB John Crockett; OG Josh Colville; P Ben LeCompte. 2013--none. 2014--RG Jeremy Kelly; CB Tre Dempsey; DT Nate Tanguay. 2015--RB/RS Bruce Anderson; PK Cam Pedersen; QB Easton Stick; S Robbie Grimsley; WR Darrius Shepherd. 2016--P Jackson Koonce; 2017--LB Jabril Cox. 2018--DE Spencer Waage; 2019--QB Trey Lance; RB Kobe Johnson. 2020-21--DL Eli Mostaert; DL Brayden Thomas. 2021--QB Quincy Patterson; RB Tamerik Williams; DE Loshiaka Roques; CB Marques Sigle.

UNI (80)

1994--RB Marvin Sims; OT Andy Pattee; DB Maceo Strickland. 1995--LB Dannie Spann; Ty Talton. 1996--RB Justin Roberson; OL Brad Meester; DL Erik Nelson; DB Mickey Dalton. 1997--QB Shane Fortney; RB Terry Hollimon; WR Eddie Berlin; WR Mike Furrey. 1998--RB Adam Benge; TE Dorrick Roy; DL Jack Mitchell. 1999--FL Jeremy Dusho; OT Chad Setterstrom; PK Brian Stegall; CB David Gunn; CB Jerome Peterson. 2000--RB Richard Carter; ST Ben Deike;

PK Mackenzie Hoambrecker; DE Matt Mitchell. 2001--QB Tom Petrie; CB Daryon Brutley. 2002--LB Jonathan Harrell; SS Jarvis Phillips; LB Benny Sapp. 2003--RB Terrance Freaney; CB Dre Dokes. 2004--QB Eric Sanders; LB Brett Koebcke. 2005--WR/RS Jamie Goodwin; RB David Horne; DT Charles Johnson. 2006--WR Terrell Allen; RB Darian Williams; DL Chuck Kinney; DE James Ruffin. 2007--PK Billy Hallgren; LB De'Veon Harris; CB Darrell Lloyd; FB Ryan Mahaffey; CB Adam Roberts. 2008--WR Josh Collins; QB Zach Davis; WR Jarred Herring; RT Jay Teply. 2009--RB Carlos Anderson; LB Elijah Hodge. 2010--OL Brian Palangi; QB Tirrell Rennie. 2011--RB David Johnson. 2012--QB Sawyer Kollmorgen; TE Sam Rohr; LB Jake Farley. 2013--QB Brion Carnes; DB Makinton Dorleant; DB Ray Mitchell; DB Tate Omli. 2014--none. 2015--QB Aaron Bailey; OL Cal Twait. 2016--RB Trevor Allen; WR/RS Jalen Rima; DL Hezekiah Applegate; DB Elijah Campbell; DB Malcolm Washington. 2017--WR Isaiah Weston; LB Keelon Brookins. 2018--LB Chris Kolarevic; WR Deion McShane. 2019--QB Will McElvain; PK Matthew Cook; DB Omar Brown. 2020-21--WR Quan Hampton; TE Kyle Fourtenbary; DB Benny Sapp III. 2021--QB Theo Day.

SOUTH DAKOTA (22)

joined league for start of 2012 season
2012--RB/RS Jasper Sanders. 2013--RB Trevor Bouma; WR Riley Donovan; DB Jarrid Bryant; LB Austin Johnson. 2014--WR Eric Shufford. 2015--RB Michael Fredrick; DE Andrew Van Ginkel. 2016--WR Alonge Brooks; QB Chris Streveler. 2017--WR/RS Kody Case; OL Tyler Ciurej; OL Mason Scheidegger; DL Nathan Schultz; P Brady Schutt. 2018--CB Cameron Tisdale. 2019--LB Jakari Starling. 2020-21--QB Carson Camp; DB Myles Harden. 2021--RB Nate Thomas; DT Nick Gaes; DB Josiah Ganues.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (32)

joined league for start of 2008 season
2008--OL Woody Orne. 2009--OL Jon Fick; QB Thomas O'Brien. 2010--DL Zacharia Bowers. 2011--WR Dale Moss; QB Austin Sumner; RB/RS Zach Zenner; P Jason Schlautman. 2012--DL Marshall Peugh; LB T.J. Lally. 2013--DT Cole Langer. 2014--QB Zach Lujan; WR Jake Wieneke; DB Trey Carr. 2015--QB Taryn Christion. 2016--PK Chase Vinatieri; LB Christian Rozeboom; CB



SIU's Brandon Jacobs, here with the New York Giants, was the league's Newcomer of the Year in 2004.



Eric Sanders of UNI is one of three Panther QBs to earn Freshman of the Year honors, doing so in 2004.



In 2014, SDSU WR Jake Wieneke became the first freshman in MVFC history to top 1,000 yards in a season.



Illinois State's Tre Roberson had 4,250 yards of total offense and earned MVFC Newcomer of the Year in 2014.

Anthony Washington. 2017--WR/RS Cade Johnson; LB Logan Backhaus. 2018--NT Krockett Krolkowski; DB Brandon Snyder; RB Pierre Strong Jr. 2019--QB J'Bore Gibbs; WR Jaxon Janke; DE Quinton Hicks; DB Diamond Evans; DB Michael Griffin II. 2020-21--QB Mark Gronowski; RB Isaiah Davis; LB Adam Bock. 2021--QB Chris Oladokun.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS (72)

1994--TE Damon Jones; DL Arglista Scott; DB Darnell Hendricks. 1995--RB Karlton Carpenter; QB Danny Smith; OL Steve Jones; DL Darryl Holland; DB Hassan McCullough; DB C.J. McDavid. 1996--OL Jason Krivis; LB Ryan Halahan. 1997--QB Kent Skornia; DL Tavita Tovia; P John Amitrano. 1998--LB Bart Scott. 1999--PK Scott Everhart; RB Tom Koutsos; QB Sherard Poteete. 2000--LB Teddy Sims. 2001--RB Justin George; S Alexis Moreland; S Jon Pendergrass. 2002--RB Muhammad Abdulqaadir; WR Courtney Abbott; QB Joel Sambursky; LB Royal Whitaker. 2003--C Elmer McDaniel; DT Linton Brown; DE James Fields; S Frank Johnson; S Jamarquis Jordan. 2004--RB Brandon Jacobs; FB Craig Turner; RB Arkee Whitlock. 2005--OT Darren Marquez; OG Jimmy Wegerer; DE Lorenzo Wims. 2006--RB John Randle; OG Shawn Smith; LB Brandin Jordan; LB Chauncey Mixon; P Scott Ravanasi; DT Andre Tillman. 2007--RB Larry Warner. 2008--WR Marc Cheatham; FB John Goode. 2009--QB Paul McIntosh; DE Kyle Russo. 2010--RB Shariff Harris; P Austin Pucylowski. 2011--RB Jewel Hampton; TE MyCole Pruitt; DE Kenneth Boatright. 2012--LB Tyler Williamson. 2013--RB Malcolm Agnew; PK Thomas Kinney. 2014--QB Mark Iannotti. 2015--RB/RS Daquan Isom; WR Jimmy Jones; CB Jefferson Vea. 2016--RS D.J. Davis; QB Josh Straughan; S Jeremy Chinn; CB Craig James. 2017--WR Raphael Leonard; DL Anthony Knighton. 2018--WR/RS Je'Quan Burton; LB Luke Giegling. 2019--RB Javon Williams Jr.; WR Avante Cox; P Jack Colquhoun. 2021--CB David Miller.

WESTERN ILLINOIS (89)

1994--WR Chris Sabino; PK Keith Jones; DB Buck Phillips; DB Frank Spraggins. 1995--RB Brian Knuckles; QB Jeff Hecklinski; DB Darryl Mitchell. 1996--RB Jamaine Blalock; OL Bob Dymont; Jason Grott; WR Thedo Griffin; WR Jon Moffitt; LB Vince Bruno; LB Ty

Locatelli; DB Dustin Blount; DB Brad Freeman. 1997--RB Aaron Stecker; WR Jim Farrell; DL Cyron Brown; DL Dave Watson; LB James Milton; DB Donnie Caldwell. 1998--DL David Bowens; DL Abie Camacho; LB Edgerton Hartwell; DB Sam Elmore. 1999--WR Bobby Starks; RB Charles Tharp; DB K.J. Friday; P Mike Scifres. 2000--QB Sam Clemons; QB Frisman Jackson; OL Mike Newman; WR Jamaral O'Neal; DL Chad Daun; DB Will Peterson; OLB Lee Russell; DB Reggie Waddell. 2001--RB Carlos Daniels; RS Terry Tharps; LB Cornell Middlebrook. 2002--RB Travis Glasford; WR Reggie Gray; WR Terrence Hall; TE R.J. Luke; DB Victor Campbell; DL Jon Kowalyshen; DB Travis Washington. 2003--WR James Norris; LB Phil Archer. 2004--LB Travis Cherry; DB Michael Woods. 2005--LB Jerome Bennett; DL Piana Lukabu; DB Trokon Tompo. 2006--TE J.R. Zwierzynski; DB Patrick Stoudamire. 2007--QB Matt Barr; DL Josh Galloway; DL Victor Visoky. 2008--WR Lilo Senatus; DL Teague Dentino; DB Tim Franken; LB Kevin Palermo. 2009--WR Justin Rideau. 2010--RB Bryce Flowers; RB Carlton Ray; DB Ryan Davis. 2011--RB Nikko Watson; LB Theon Dixon. 2012--WR/KR Fredson Salomon; LB J.J. Raffelson. 2013--RB J.C. Baker; WR Lance Lenoir, Jr.; QB Trenton Norvell. 2014--DL Kris Harley. 2015--QB Sean McGuire; DB Xavier Rowe; DB Timothy Smith. 2016--RB Jamie Gilmore. 2017--RB Clint Ratkovich; DB Tyrin Holloway. 2018--WR John Brunner; DE LaCale London. 2019--DB Marquis Smith; WR/RS Justin Hall. 2020-21--WR Dallas Daniels; DB Michael Lawson. 2021--CB Darius Joiner.

YOUNGSTOWN STATE (66)

joined league for start of 1997 season 1997--OL Frank Rutherford; DL Chris Glantzis; DB Jake Anderson. 1998--QB Jeff Ryan. 1999--DL Bryan Hawthorne; LB Tim Johnson; DL Matt Machling. 2000--RB P.J. Mays; WR Eugene Mintze; WR Brandon Pedraza; OT Ryan Smith; LB Justin Dellarose. 2001--none. 2002--QB Aaron Marshall; CB Sherod Holmes. 2003--PK Nick Terracina; P Joe Bishop. 2004--QB Tom Zetts; LB James Terry. 2005--TB Marcus Mason; CB Codera Jackson; DT Mychal Savage. 2006--TE Louis Irizarry. 2007--DT Torrance Nicholson; P Ben Nowicki; TB Kevin Smith; WR Ferlando Williams; RS/CB De'Angelo Wilson. 2008--WR

Donald Jones; RB Kamryn Keys; QB Brandon Summers; FS Andre Elliott; DT Crispin Fernandez. 2009--SS Sir Demarco Bledsoe; LB Taylor Hill; OL Andy Kowicki; OT Andrew Radakovich. 2010--RB Adaris Bellamy; QB Kurt Hess; P Nick Liste. 2011--WR Christian Bryan; C Mark Pratt; LB Teven Williams; LB Travis Williams. 2012--CB Julius Childs. 2013--RB Martin Ruiz; FS Jameel Smith. 2014--OT Justin Spencer; QB Hunter Wells; CB Nate Dortch. 2015--PK Zak Kennedy; FS LeRoy Alexander; LB Armand Dellovade; LB Lee Wright. 2016--OC Vitas Hryniewicz; P Mark Schuler. 2017--TB Christian Turner; DL Justus Reed; DB Bryce Gibson. 2018--LB Ray Anderson; TE Miles Joiner; QB Montgomery VanGorder. 2019--DB Zaire Jones. 2020-21--RB Jaleel McLaughlin; LB Grant Dixon; DB Keyon Martin. 2021--QB Demeatric Crenshaw.

EASTERN ILLINOIS (3)

left league after the 1995 season

1994--none. 1995--OL Lemont Clark; Travis Hunerberg; DL John Moyer.

WESTERN KENTUCKY (21)

joined league for start of 2001 season; left league after 2006 season

2001--OL Buster Ashley; P Brian Claybourn. 2002--RB Jeremi Johnson; WR Casey Rooney. 2003--QB Justin Haddix; LB Lerron Moore; OL Anthony Oakley; DL Charlie Phillips; LB Brandon Smith. 2004--OL Erik Losey; RB Brian Porter; DB Marion Rumph; DL Daniel Williams; DL Joe Woolridge. 2005--OL Andrew Campbell; OL Chris McConnell; LB Jenkins Reese. 2006--WR Jake Gaebler; RB Andrew McCloud; LB Blake Boyd; DB/RS Rashad Etheridge.

1994

FIRST TEAM

TE Tim Achterberg, Illinois State
 PK Tom Allison, Indiana State
 C Chris Anderson, Eastern Illinois
 FB Tim Ardis, Western Illinois
 LB Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
 P Mark Gagliano, Southern Illinois
 S Frederick Hunt, Indiana State
 OG Jon McAvoy, Illinois State
 C Donald Mumma, UNI
 QB Brett O'Donnell, UNI
 S Curt Ringhofer, Eastern Illinois

SECOND TEAM

PK Brad Bohannon, Southern Illinois
 QB Chad Distler, Indiana State
 PK Ryan Given, Southern Illinois
 OL Brian Hawkins, Southern Illinois
 LB Todd Liska, Illinois State
 LB Mike Nelson, Indiana State
 DT Brian Prudent, Southern Illinois
 LB Tony Seman, Southern Illinois
 OT Ryan Touhey, Missouri State
 WR Steve Wilson, Illinois State
 LB Paul Wolf, UNI

Honorable Mention

QB Tom Cerasani, Indiana State
 P Ryan Elsbernd, UNI
 RB Keith Goodnight, Illinois State
 TE Matt Harken, UNI
 FS Jeff Helgeson, UNI
 FB Chris Hicks, Eastern Illinois
 PK Steve Largent, Eastern Illinois
 C Chris Nicoll, Missouri State
 OL Ryan Peterson, Southern Illinois
 DT Curtis Price, Eastern Illinois
 SS Corey Roy, Missouri State
 C Raymond Rudnick, Western Illinois
 CB Larry Scally, Indiana State
 LB Matt Sweeney, Eastern Illinois
 TE Mark Thiessen, Eastern Illinois

1995

FIRST TEAM

TE Tim Achterberg, Illinois State
 C Chris Anderson, Eastern Illinois
 PK Tom Allison, Indiana State
 QB Chris Berg, UNI
 OG Ryan Bravo, Missouri State
 LB Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
 P Mark Gagliano, Southern Illinois
 PK Ryan Given, Southern Illinois
 TE Matt Harken, UNI
 DE Brian Prudent, Southern Illinois
 LB Rion Rhoades, Western Illinois
 OT Jason Whittle, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM

QB Kevin Cox, Indiana State
 RB Keith Goodnight, Illinois State
 RB Chris Hicks, Eastern Illinois
 QB Jeremy Hoog, Missouri State
 DL John Moyer, Eastern Illinois
 OT Andrew Pattee, UNI
 DL Curtis Price, Eastern Illinois
 OL Ray Rudnick, Western Illinois
 LB Tony Seman, Southern Illinois
 WR Steve Wilson, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

QB Steve Beard, UNI
 RB Troy Dooley, UNI
 FB Ryan Estes, Missouri State
 NB Aaron Franklin, Western Illinois
 QB Kyle Geller, Missouri State
 OL Eric Lyons, UNI
 NB Matt Pleviak, Western Illinois
 DT Tom Procter, Missouri State
 TE Corey Roy, Missouri State
 DB Marc Salmon, UNI
 LB Travis Schipper, UNI
 OG Alex Sitz, Indiana State
 DT Tim Stuck, Indiana State
 LB Glenn Waterhouse, W. Illinois

1996

FIRST TEAM

QB Steve Beard, UNI
 QB Kevin Cox, Indiana State
 WR Montoi Dixon, Missouri State
 P Mark Gagliano, Southern Illinois
 QB Matt Gajewski, Indiana State
 TE Greg Hawthorne, UNI
 DT Jake Jacobsmeyer, Missouri State
 DL Dan O'Dowd, Illinois State
 TE Corey Roy, Missouri State
 LB Travis Schipper, UNI
 DE Don Shymkewich, Western Illinois
 OG Ryan Touhey, Missouri State
 OT Jason Whittle, Missouri State

SECOND TEAM

QB Toby Deal, Indiana State
 LB Brad Duke, Missouri State
 ILB Joe Dunn, Indiana State
 SS Ryan Estes, Missouri State
 WR Reggie Fowler, Southern Illinois
 QB Bill Hagman, Illinois State
 QB Jeremy Hoog, Missouri State
 LB Andy Morris, UNI
 OT Richard Madura, Indiana State
 FB Bryan Noltbertowicz, S. Illinois
 OL Nate Orsburn, Southern Illinois
 DE Tom Procter, Missouri State

Honorable Mention

OT Andy Pattee, UNI
 OT Alex Sitz, Indiana State
 OL Kevin Skinkis, Southern Illinois
 RB Brian Walker, Southern Illinois

1997

FIRST TEAM

PK Travis Brawner, Missouri State
 WR Jim Farrell, Western Illinois
 QB Matt Gajewski, Indiana State
 DB Jeff Killeen, Missouri State
 OL Jason Krivis, Southern Illinois
 DL Troy Lefevra, Indiana State
 OC Brad Meester, UNI
 DE Matt Peterson, UNI
 CB Anthony Pannunzio, YSU
 LB Travis Schipper, UNI
 OL Brian Sitz, Indiana State
 P J.J. Stefancin, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM

LB Joe Dunn, Indiana State
 QB Jeff Hecklinski, Western Illinois
 DL Shannon Jackson, Indiana State
 DL Jake Jacobsmeyer, MSU
 LB Ty Locatelli, Western Illinois
 OL Josh McCall, Western Illinois
 LB Matt Pedersen, UNI
 P Anthony Rozzo, Youngstown State
 TE Brad St. Louis, Missouri State
 OL Ryan Touhey, Missouri State
 OT Jason Whittle, Missouri State
 QB Jared Zwick, Youngstown State

Honorable Mention

QB Toby Deal, Indiana State
 LB Brad Duke, Missouri State
 WR Reggie Fowler, Southern Illinois
 OT Andy Pattee, UNI
 LB Cory Pierce, Indiana State
 DL Don Shymkewich, Western Illinois
 OL Jim VanVlymen, Western Illinois
 DB Chris Wilson, Indiana State
 DE Luke Wilson, UNI

1998

FIRST TEAM

PK Travis Brawner, Missouri State
 QB Derek Jensen, Missouri State
 DB Jeff Killeen, Missouri State
 DL Troy Lefevra, Indiana State
 PK Joe Lopez, Western Illinois
 OL Josh McCall, Western Illinois
 OC Brad Meester, UNI
 CB Anthony Pannunzio, YSU
 TE Mark Schaeve, Illinois State
 TE Matt White, Missouri State
 QB Jared Zwick, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM

OT Shawn Bilker, Youngstown State
 LB Drew Elmer, UNI
 DL Frank Emeterio, Missouri State
 OL Jim Lawhorn, Southern Illinois
 LB Matt Pedersen, UNI
 CB Keith Richards, Indiana State
 WR Robert Rose, Missouri State
 P Anthony Rozzo, Youngstown State
 OG Frank Rutherford, YSU
 TE Brad St. Louis, Missouri State
 LB Luke Wilson, UNI

Honorable Mention

QB Toby Deal, Indiana State
 QB Steve Englehart, Indiana State
 OT Doug Hurt, Indiana State
 OLB Cory Pierce, Indiana State
 LB Scott Cook, Illinois State
 TE Scott Preusker, Illinois State
 P Randy Hall, UNI
 LB/LS Andy Morris, UNI
 DE Matt Peterson, UNI
 DB Damon Stewart, Western Illinois
 DL Dave Watson, Western Illinois
 QB Mark Zanders, Western Illinois

Starting in 1994, the Missouri Valley Football Conference began recognizing All-Academic Teams, which emphasize the balance between athletic and academic achievements.

The criteria for the Valley Academic All-Conference team voting parallels the CoSIDA (College Sports Information Directors of America) standards for academic All-America voting. Nominees must be starters or important reserves with at least a 3.20 cumulative grade point average (4.0 scale). Student-athletes must have reached sophomore academic and athletic standing at their institutions (freshmen are not eligible) and must have completed at least one full academic year at their institution.

League sports information directors vote on the team by designating 11 players for first-team honors and 11 players for second-team honors.



QB Kurt Hess of Youngstown State represented YSU on the first-team unit three-straight seasons (2011-12-13).



UNI's Brad Meester is one of a small group of league players to earn all-academic first-team honors three times.

1999

FIRST TEAM

OT Shawn Billker, Youngstown State
 PK Travis Brawner, Missouri State
 DL Frank Emeterio, Missouri State
 DB Jeff Killeen, Missouri State
 DL Troy Lefevra, Indiana State
 PK Joe Lopez, Western Illinois
 OL Brad Meester, UNI
 LB Matt Pedersen, UNI
 DL Matt Peterson, UNI
 DB Chris Sapp, Indiana State
 WR Chance Thurman, Missouri State
 LB Adam Waugh, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM

LB Tony Albrinck, Indiana State
 LB Drew Elmer, UNI
 OL Andy King, Illinois State
 OL Josh McCall, Western Illinois
 TE Scott Preusker, Illinois State
 OT Joseph Rieber, UNI
 P Anthony Rozzo, Youngstown State
 WR Mark Shasteen, Southern Illinois
 OL Ted Wulf, Illinois State
 QB/WR Jared Zwick, Youngstown St.

Honorable Mention

DE Scott Cook, Illinois State
 TE Ryan Hannam, UNI
 OL/FB Jason Holok, Indiana State
 OT Doug Hurt, Indiana State
 OL Jim Lawhorn, Southern Illinois
 FS Tyler Powell, UNI
 TE Brad St. Louis, Missouri State
 CB Chris Stimmel, UNI
 LB Adam Vogt, UNI
 TE Matt White, Missouri State

2000

FIRST TEAM

LB Tony Albrinck, Indiana State
 DT Jerry Arnold, Missouri State
 QB Dusty Burk, Illinois State
 TE Ryan Hannam, UNI
 OL Andy King, Illinois State
 PK Joe Lopez, Western Illinois
 OL Aaron Peterson, Illinois State
 SS Chris Sapp, Indiana State
 SS Chris Stimmel, UNI
 LB Adam Waugh, Illinois State
 TE Matt White, Missouri State
 OL Ted Wulf, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM

DE Scott Cook, Illinois State
 PK Scott Everhart, Southern Illinois
 P Derrick Frost, UNI
 NT Robert Hamre, UNI
 H-Back Brad Richtsmeier, UNI
 WG Joseph Rieber, UNI
 TB Jason Ringena, Missouri State
 OL Matt Scheffler, Southern Illinois
 WR Bobby Starks, Western Illinois
 LB Mike Thomas, Youngstown State
 LB Adam Vogt, UNI

Honorable Mention

CB Chris Conwell, Youngstown State
 RB Josiah Doby, Youngstown State

OG Dave Hong, Youngstown State
 TE Mark Schaeve, Illinois State
 WR Mark Shasteen, Southern Illinois
 ILB Nathan Smith, UNI
 OG Ryan Smith, Youngstown State

2001

FIRST TEAM

LB Tony Albrinck, Indiana State
 QB Dusty Burk, Illinois State
 OL Derek Forster, Western Kentucky
 TE Ryan Hannam, UNI
 OL Andy King, Illinois State
 RB Jason Ringena, Missouri State
 OLB Chris Sapp, Indiana State
 WR Jake Soliday, UNI
 FS Chris Stimmel, UNI
 LB Mike Thomas, Youngstown St.
 LB Adam Vogt, UNI
 LB Adam Waugh, Illinois State
 OL Ted Wulf, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM

WR Sean Adams, Missouri State
 DE Bryan Archibald, Southern Illinois
 DB Antulio Aroche, Youngstown St.
 PK Scott Everhart, Southern Illinois
 DT Robert Hamre, UNI
 OLB Max Matthews, Indiana State
 ILB Ryan Merriwether, Indiana State
 QB Russ Michna, Western Illinois
 OT Eric Owens, Missouri State
 OT Aaron Peterson, Illinois State
 TE Mark Schaeve, Illinois State
 WR Mark Shasteen, Southern Illinois
 OT Sid Swartzendruber, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

OG Ross Bohner, UNI
 OT Jeff Bristol, Missouri State
 OG Jason Drum, Indiana State
 OT Chad Graefen, Southern Illinois
 DT Richard Harris, Indiana State
 RB Tom Koutsos, Southern Illinois
 PK Peter Martinez, Western Ky.
 WR Brad Richtsmeier, UNI
 LB Bob Sivik, Youngstown State
 C Dave Tesniarz, Youngstown State
 OC Matt Trump, UNI

2002

FIRST TEAM

TB Zach Dechant, Missouri State
 RB Soso Dede, Indiana State
 DB Mike Gilbert, Indiana State
 PK Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
 OC Crockett Ladd, Missouri State
 PK Justin Langan, Western Illinois
 DB Brian Lowder, Western Ky.
 WR Mark Marcos, Missouri State
 LB Max Matthews, Indiana State
 LB Ryan Merriwether, Indiana State
 QB Jason Michael, Western Ky.
 QB Russ Michna, Western Illinois
 OL Aaron Peterson, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM

OG Matt Anderson, Southern Illinois
 DE Tom Brillhart, Indiana State

PK Stephen Carroll, Illinois State
 P/K Scott Everhart, Southern Illinois
 P Derrick Frost, UNI
 RB Attley Lawson, Western Illinois
 WR Jon Laurenti, Illinois State
 PK Peter Martinez, Western Ky.
 QB Julian Reese, Indiana State
 DT Matt Scheffler, Southern Illinois
 RB Jake Shields, Indiana State
 LB Jon Tekac, Youngstown State
 DE Adam Vogel, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

OT Jeff Bristol, Missouri State
 LB Justin Dellarose, Youngstown St.
 LB Jon Drummond, Western Ky.
 OL Derek Forster, Western Ky.
 WR Eddie Galles, UNI
 DT Robert Hamre, UNI
 DT Richard Harris, Indiana State
 DE Martin Stachowicz, Youngstown
 QB Tom Petrie, UNI

2003

FIRST TEAM

DT Tom Brillhart, Indiana State
 PK Stephen Carroll, Illinois State
 OL Perry Cox, Western Illinois
 WR Eddie Galles, UNI
 PK Justin Langan, Western Illinois
 QB Russ Michna, Western Illinois
 QB Tom Petrie, UNI
 OL Marc Phillips, Indiana State
 LB Lee Russell, Western Illinois
 QB Joel Sambursky, S. Illinois
 RB Jake Shields, Indiana State
 FS Scott Thiessen, Youngstown St.

SECOND TEAM

P Brian Claybourn, Western Kentucky
 OT Ben Deike, UNI
 LB Justin Dellarose, Youngstown St.
 FB Chris DiMauro, Youngstown St.
 OC Brad Durham, Missouri State
 OL Fred Freitag, Indiana State
 FB Kris Karagory, Indiana State
 DE Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State
 WR Casey Rooney, Western Ky.
 OC John Schabillon, UNI
 LB Royal Whitaker, Southern Illinois

Honorable Mention

TB Mike Burns, Youngstown State
 CB Brad Brachear, Southern Illinois
 OG Ross Bohner, UNI
 TE Shawn Carlson, Youngstown St.
 DB Pete Holak, Illinois State
 WR Reggie Gray, Western Illinois
 P Pat Jordan, Indiana State
 TE Chris Kupec, Southern Illinois
 LB Karl Maslowski, Western Ky.
 WR Kyle Smith, Youngstown State

2004

FIRST TEAM

DL Tom Brillhart, Indiana State
 PK Stephen Carroll, Illinois State
 C Perry Cox, Western Illinois
 C Brad Durham, Missouri State
 PK Kyle Hooper, Indiana State
 QB Phillip Johnson, Indiana State
 TE Chris Kupec, Southern Illinois
 PK Justin Langan, Western Illinois
 LB Tony Rinella, Southern Illinois
 QB Joel Sambursky, Southern Illinois
 TB Jake Shields, Indiana State
 WR Justin Surrency, UNI

SECOND TEAM

TE Shawn Carlson, Youngstown State
 P Brian Claybourn, Western Kentucky
 LB Phillip Doyle, Southern Illinois
 OL Fred Freitag, Indiana State
 QB Steve LaFalce, Western Illinois
 WR James Lingren, UNI
 OT Matt Miller, Southern Illinois
 C John Schabillion, UNI
 DE Justin Scholes, Youngstown State
 C Doug Wilkinson, UNI

Honorable Mention

WR Curt Bradley, UNI
 CB Brad Brachear, Southern Illinois
 OG Stafford Davis, Illinois State
 OL Jon Ferber, Indiana State
 S Marlon Heaston, Southern Illinois
 LB Marty Hutchinson, Youngstown St.
 LB Michael Kasprak, Western Illinois
 DL Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State
 PK Nick Terracina, Youngstown State
 FB J.T. Wise, Southern Illinois

2005

FIRST TEAM

CB Brad Brachear, Southern Illinois
 C Perry Cox, Western Illinois
 TE Jonathan Denley, Illinois State
 PK Kyle Hooper, Indiana State
 TE Chris Kupec, Southern Illinois
 QB Steve LaFalce, Western Illinois
 TE Jamie Petrowski, Indiana State
 DB Marion Rumph, Western Kentucky
 QB Joel Sambursky, Southern Illinois
 OC John Schabillion, UNI
 QB Tom Zetts, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM

OL Stafford Davis, Illinois State
 LB Wyatt Green, Western Illinois
 C Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
 P Phillip Johnson, Indiana State
 OT Andrew Kernes, Southern Illinois
 WR James Lindgren, UNI
 DE Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State
 LB Tony Rinella, Southern Illinois
 LB Kevin Sears, Missouri State
 DE Justin Scholes, Youngstown State
 WR Justin Surrency, UNI

Honorable Mention

LB Travis Cherry, Western Illinois
 LB Phillip Doyle, Southern Illinois
 LS/SS Tanner Dunlap, Youngstown St.

WR Jameson Evans, Youngstown State
 WR Chris Geisz, Missouri State
 PK Chris James, Western Kentucky
 LB Mike Kasprak, Western Illinois
 FS Mike Radon, Missouri State
 OC David Tillman, Missouri State
 RB/RS Craig Turner, Southern Illinois
 FB J.T. Wise, Southern Illinois

2006

FIRST TEAM

TE Payne Hall, Missouri State
 QB Nick Hill, Southern Illinois
 PK Kyle Hooper, Indiana State
 PK Chris James, Western Kentucky
 C Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
 TE Braden Jones, Southern Illinois
 QB Steve LaFalce, Western Illinois
 WR James Lindgren, UNI
 FS Bob Perez, Youngstown State
 DB Marion Rumph, Western Kentucky
 QB Tom Zetts, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM

WR Carl Berman, Indiana State
 RB Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
 WR Chris Geisz, Missouri State
 WR Curtis Hamilton, Western Kentucky
 DB Bryan Jackson, Indiana State
 OT Andrew Kernes, Southern Illinois
 LB Jeff Koval, Youngstown State
 OL Chad Rinehart, UNI
 QB Ben Schmidt, Indiana State
 OL Fred Staugh, Indiana State
 OL Frank Valle, Western Illinois
 FB J.T. Wise, Southern Illinois

Honorable Mention

WR Ryan Beeler, Southern Illinois
 WR Curt Bradley, UNI
 QB Jon Cairns, Southern Illinois
 DL Chad Groenhagen, Western Illinois
 TE Ross Hannam, UNI
 LB Trevor Moe, Southern Illinois
 FS Mike Radon, Missouri State
 OG Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
 LB Kevin Sears, Missouri State
 OC David Tillman, Missouri State
 LS Jake Weber, Illinois State

2007

FIRST TEAM

FB Rick Burgess, Southern Illinois
 LB Travis Cherry, Western Illinois
 RB Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
 QB Luke Drone, Illinois State
 QB Nick Hill, Southern Illinois
 TE Ryan Kernes, Southern Illinois
 TB Bryan McCulley, Indiana State
 OL Brian Mellott, Youngstown State
 P Scott Ravanesi, Southern Illinois
 OL Chad Rinehart, UNI
 QB Todd Rowan, Youngstown State
 OC David Tillman, Missouri State
 QB Tom Zetts, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM

WR Justin Allen, Southern Illinois
 DT Chris Brehmer, Missouri State

OL Jacob Carpenter, Indiana State
 WR Jared Emery, Missouri State
 OT Andrew Kernes, Southern Illinois
 RB Corey Lewis, UNI
 WR Warren McCarty, Illinois State
 LB Josh Mahoney, UNI
 DB/RS Ryan Patrick, Indiana State
 LB Ryan Patton, Southern Illinois
 SS Bob Perez, Youngstown State

Honorable Mention

WR Ryan Beeler, Southern Illinois
 WR Rory Berry, Youngstown State
 CB Chris Geisz, Missouri State
 DL Chad Groenhagen, Western Illinois
 WR Brian Jackson, Indiana State
 DB/RS Tim Jackson, Western Illinois
 OL Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
 DL Dan Simnick, Illinois State
 OL Jonathan St-Pierre, Illinois State
 WR Dan Weiner, Illinois State
 LB Jeremiah Wright, Youngstown State

2008

FIRST TEAM

QB Matt Barr, Western Illinois
 QB Ryan Berry, South Dakota State
 DE Nick Compton, North Dakota State
 RB Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
 RB Tyler Duffy, South Dakota State
 WR Kole Heckendorf, N. Dakota State
 TE Ryan Kernes, Southern Illinois
 LB Josh Mahoney, UNI
 WR Warren McCarty, Illinois State
 OL Brian Mellott, Youngstown State
 RB Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
 LB Ryan Patton, Southern Illinois
 OL Kevin Robling, South Dakota State
 RB Tyler Roehl, North Dakota State

SECOND TEAM

OG David Arkin, Missouri State
 KO Stephen Blose, Youngstown State
 DT Chris Brehmer, Missouri State
 LB Travis Cherry, Western Illinois
 WR Chris Geisz, Missouri State
 LB Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
 TE Josh Jones, Indiana State
 DB Conrad Kjerstad, South Dakota St.
 DB Tom Krupko, Youngstown State
 FS Mike McElroy, Southern Illinois
 QB Nick Mertens, North Dakota State
 P Gabe Mullane, Indiana State
 P Ben Nowicki, Youngstown State

Honorable Mention

QB/WR Joe Allaria, Southern Illinois
 OL Jack Byrne, Indiana State
 DE Clayton Dickehut, Missouri State
 WR Jared Emery, Missouri State
 OL Mike Farrell, Southern Illinois
 OL Nick Flesner, South Dakota State
 TE Drew Helt, Western Illinois
 LB Chris Johnson, South Dakota State
 P Dean Priddy, South Dakota State
 OL Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
 OL Jonathan St-Pierre, Illinois State
 OL Bob Swift, UNI

Multi-Year Selections

Since the Missouri Valley Football Conference all-academic team requires sophomore status (academic and athletic) to be eligible, the maximum number of seasons a player can earn all-academic team honors is three. The "COVID year" (Spring 2021 season) allowed players to earn the award four times since that season did not count against one's eligibility.

Four-Time First-Teamers

LB Jack Cochrane, USD (18-19-20-21)
 OL Wes Genant, SDSU (17-18-20-21)

Three-Time First-Teamers

QB Matt Barr, WIU (08-09-10)
 PK Travis Brawner, MSU (97-98-99)
 QB Taryn Christian, SDSU (16-17-18)
 OL Perry Cox, WIU (03-04-05)
 RB Tyler Duffy, SDSU (08-09-10)
 P Mark Gagliano, SIU (94-95-96)
 QB Kurt Hess, YSU (11-12-13)
 OL Jimmy Holtschlag, WIU (11-12-13)
 PK Kyle Hooper, INS (04-05-06)
 TE Ryan Kernes, SIU (07-08-09)
 DB Jeff Killen, MSU (97-98-99)
 PK Justin Langan, WIU (02-03-04)
 DL Troy Lefevra, INS (97-98-99)
 PK Joe Lopez, WIU (98-99-00)
 C Brad Meester, UNI (97-98-99)
 DE Greg Menard, NDSU (15-16-18)
 RB Kyle Minett, SDSU (08-09-10)
 QB Joel Sambursky, SIU (03-04-05)
 DB Caleb Schaffitzel, MSU (12-13-14)
 QB Easton Stick, NDSU (16-17-18)
 LB Adam Waugh, ILS (99-00-01)
 WR Jake Wieneke, SDSU (15-16-17)
 RB Zach Zenner, SDSU (12-13-14)
 QB Tom Zetts, YSU (05-06-07)

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2009

FIRST TEAM

WR Joe Allaria, Southern Illinois
 OL David Arkin, Missouri State
 QB Matt Barr, Western Illinois
 PK Stephen Blose, Youngstown State
 RB Tyler Duffy, South Dakota State
 WR Jared Emery, Missouri State
 LB Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
 TE Ryan Kernes, Southern Illinois
 DB Conrad Kjerstad, S. Dakota State
 LB Josh Mahoney, UNI
 RB Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
 LB Ryan Patton, Southern Illinois

SECOND TEAM

SS Kyle Belmont, North Dakota State
 DL Ben Boothby, UNI
 DL Eric Brunner, Illinois State
 DE Chance Coda, Southern Illinois
 LB Chris Johnson, S. Dakota State
 FS Mike McElroy, Southern Illinois
 TE Ryan Mahaffey, UNI
 OL Brian Mellott, Youngstown State
 QB Nick Mertens, North Dakota State
 DL Dan Millington, Indiana State
 P Gabe Mullane, Indiana State
 OT David Pickard, Southern Illinois

Honorable Mention

P Jordan Chiles, Missouri State
 NT Tony Colletti, Southern Illinois
 LS Jeff Curtis, North Dakota State
 LB Derek Domino, South Dakota State
 RB Clifton Gordon, Illinois State
 WR Myers Hendrickson, Western Illinois
 PK Matt Hottelman, Missouri State
 WR Matt Hylland, South Dakota State
 WR Brad Iverson, South Dakota State
 QB Marc Kanetsky, Youngstown State
 OL Casey Knips, South Dakota State
 P Ben Nowicki, Youngstown State
 WR Aaron Pitts, Youngstown State
 P Dean Priddy, South Dakota State
 FB Rick Richardson, Western Illinois
 LB Jimmy Rogers, South Dakota State
 DE Jason Seaman, Southern Illinois
 S Alex Sewall, Indiana State
 DB Skylar Smith, Missouri State

2010

FIRST TEAM

WR Joe Allaria, Southern Illinois
 OL David Arkin, Missouri State
 QB Matt Barr, Western Illinois
 PK Stephen Blose, Youngstown State
 DL Ben Boothby, UNI
 DL Eric Brunner, Illinois State
 DE Chance Coda, Southern Illinois
 LB Derek Domino, South Dakota State
 RB Tyler Duffy, South Dakota State
 LB Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
 RB Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
 OT David Pickard, Southern Illinois
 DB Alex Sewall, Indiana State

SECOND TEAM

OL Zach Buchner, South Dakota State
 P Jordan Chiles, Missouri State

DB Julian Easterly, Indiana State
 PK Billy Hallgren, UNI
 WR/RS Myers Hendrickson, W. Illinois
 WR Jarred Herring, UNI
 WR Matt Hylland, South Dakota State
 WR Brad Iverson, South Dakota State
 QB Matt Lancaster, Illinois State
 TE Ryan Mahaffey, UNI
 OL Alex Olinger, South Dakota State
 LB Dillon Painter, Indiana State
 P Dean Priddy, South Dakota State

Honorable Mention

SS Brad Briggs, Southern Illinois
 OL Erik Dahl, Missouri State
 FB Josh Gabelmann, Western Illinois
 DT Rod Hardy, Indiana State
 TE Drew Helt, Western Illinois
 FB Drew Hushka, North Dakota State
 PK Ryan Jastram, North Dakota State
 DB Conrad Kjerstad, South Dakota State
 WR Tyrel Kool, South Dakota State
 CB Andre Martin, UNI
 OL Ryan McKnight, South Dakota State
 OL FN Lutz, Indiana State
 DE Jason Seaman, Southern Illinois
 TE Matt Veldman, North Dakota State
 DL Victor Visoky, Western Illinois
 OL Austin Zlab, UNI

2011

FIRST TEAM

DT Ben Boothby, UNI
 DL Eric Brunner, Illinois State
 P Jordan Chiles, Missouri State
 WR/PR Myers Hendrickson, W. Illinois
 WR Jarred Herring, UNI
 QB Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
 OL Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 TE Brad Iverson, South Dakota State
 LB Connor James, Southern Illinois
 OL FN Lutz, Indiana State
 CB Mike McElroy, Southern Illinois
 LB Kevin Palermo, Western Illinois
 OL David Pickard, Southern Illinois
 DB Alex Sewall, Indiana State
 TE Matt Veldman, North Dakota State

SECOND TEAM

P Kyle Bernard, UNI
 DB Julian Easterly, Indiana State
 FB Mike Harmon, Western Illinois
 DB Bo Helm, South Dakota State
 WR Brandon Hubert, South Dakota State
 DT Andrew Johnson, Youngstown State
 QB Marc Kanetsky, Youngstown State
 LB Joe Okon, Southern Illinois
 OL Alex Olinger, South Dakota State
 P Austin Pucylowski, Southern Illinois
 WR/RS Ryan Smith, North Dakota State
 OL Taylor Suess, South Dakota State
 TE Matt Thayer, Missouri State
 DE Colton Underwood, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

OL Zach Buchner, South Dakota State
 TE Seth Daughters, South Dakota State
 DL Ryan Drevlow, North Dakota State
 FB Andrew Grothmann, North Dakota St.
 OL Jesse Hinz, North Dakota State

DL Justin Juckem, North Dakota State
 RB Tyrel Kool, South Dakota State
 TE Michael Mardis, Indiana State
 LB Ross Shafrath, South Dakota State
 LS Jason Stegman, Southern Illinois
 OL Jordan Valle, Western Illinois
 PK Austin Witmer, Missouri State

2012

FIRST TEAM

P Kyle Bernard, UNI
 DT Nick DeKraker, Youngstown State
 QB Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
 OL Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 QB Wil Lunt, Western Illinois
 OL Alex Olinger, South Dakota State
 P Austin Pucylowski, Southern Illinois
 DB Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
 OL Taylor Suess, South Dakota State
 TE Matt Thayer, Missouri State
 RB Zach Zenner, South Dakota State

SECOND TEAM

OL Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois
 TE Seth Daughters, South Dakota State
 NG Ryan Drevlow, North Dakota State
 WR Brandon Hubert, South Dakota State
 WR Tyrel Kool, South Dakota State
 LB Joe Okon, Southern Illinois
 WR Will Powell, South Dakota
 OL Nick Purcell, South Dakota State
 K Kevin Robb, South Dakota
 WR Jason Schneider, South Dakota State
 LB Ross Shafrath, South Dakota State
 LS Jason Stegman, Southern Illinois
 DE Colton Underwood, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

LB Andrew Beisel, Missouri State
 DE Jordan Eaton, South Dakota
 DE Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
 FB Andrew Grothmann, North Dakota State
 DB Bo Helm, South Dakota State
 OL Kurt Kutter, Missouri State
 DT Danny Luecke, North Dakota State
 TE Michael Mardis, Indiana State
 LB Tim Marlette, South Dakota
 TB Torrian Pace, Youngstown State
 LB Dillon Painter, Indiana State
 LB Dom Rich, Youngstown State
 WR Tanner Riley, Indiana State
 OL Jack Rummells, UNI
 P Ethan Sawyer, South Dakota State
 PK/P Pat Smith, Western Illinois
 WR/RS Ryan Smith, North Dakota State
 QB Josh Vander Maten, South Dakota
 LB Jamel Wilmore, Western Illinois
 PK Austin Witmer, Missouri State

2013

FIRST TEAM

OL Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois
 NG Ryan Drevlow, North Dakota State
 LB Jake Farley, UNI
 QB Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
 OL Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 P Austin Pucylowski, Southern Illinois
 S Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State



South Dakota State won the league's All-Academic Team Trophy nine-straight times (John Stiegelmeier pictured).

All-Academic Team Champs

- 2004 W. Illinois/S. Illinois (tie)
- 2005 Southern Illinois
- 2006 Indiana State
- 2007 Southern Illinois
- 2008 South Dakota State
- 2009 South Dakota State
- 2010 South Dakota State
- 2011 South Dakota State
- 2012 South Dakota State
- 2013 South Dakota State
- 2014 South Dakota State
- 2015 South Dakota State
- 2016 South Dakota State
- 2017 North Dakota State
- 2018 North Dakota State
- 2019 North Dakota State
- 2020 North Dakota
- 2021 North Dakota

In 2005, the conference introduced an All-Academic Award (for team achievement). It is based on the average student-athlete grade-point average for the previous academic year (e.g. -- fall of 2004/spring of 2005 for the 2004 honor). The GPA calculations are calculated for all student-athletes who compete, practice or receive athletic aid during the academic year.

WR Jason Schneider, South Dakota State
 OL Taylor Suess, South Dakota State
 OLB Tyler Williamson, Southern Illinois
 RB Zach Zenner, South Dakota State

SECOND TEAM

DL Collin Albrecht, UNI
 DE Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
 LB Jordan Gacke, UNI
 FB Andrew Grothmann, North Dakota St.
 DL Chip Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 WR Brandon Hubert, South Dakota State
 DT Danny Luecke, North Dakota State
 WR Ryan Smith, North Dakota State
 TE Matt Swan, Missouri State
 LB Esley Thorton, North Dakota State
 QB/WR Josh Vander Maten, South Dakota

Honorable Mention

PK Chris Adams, Southern Illinois
 LB Andrew Beisel, Missouri State
 FS Christian Dudzik, North Dakota State
 LB R.C. Kilgore, South Dakota State
 OL Kurt Kutter, Missouri State
 OL FN Lutz, Indiana State
 LB Dom Rich, Youngstown State
 WR Tanner Riley, Indiana State
 OL Jack Rummells, UNI
 P Ethan Sawyer, South Dakota State
 DB Mark Sewall, Indiana State
 WR Zach Vraa, North Dakota State
 PK Austin Witmer, Missouri State
 DT Steve Zaborsky, Youngstown State

2014

FIRST TEAM

OL Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois
 DE Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
 LB Jake Farley, UNI
 OC Jesse Hinz, North Dakota State
 RB David Johnson, UNI
 S Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
 WR Jason Schneider, South Dakota State
 LB Esley Thorton, North Dakota State
 WR Zach Vraa, North Dakota State
 QB Carson Wentz, North Dakota State
 LB Tyler Williamson, Southern Illinois
 RB Zach Zenner, South Dakota State

SECOND TEAM

DL Isaac Ales, UNI
 LB Andrew Beisel, Missouri State
 LB Max Busher, UNI
 LB Dylan Cole, Missouri State
 FS Christian Dudzik, North Dakota State
 DE Chip Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 DT Colin Keoshian, Illinois State
 DL Cole Langer, South Dakota State
 DB Nick Mears, South Dakota State
 OL Nick Purcell, South Dakota State
 OL Jack Rummells, UNI
 DB Mark Sewall, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

TE Nate Adams, Youngstown State
 LB Chase Allen, Southern Illinois
 DB Mike Banks, Illinois State
 P/PK Miles Bergner, South Dakota
 LB Jesse Bobbit, South Dakota State
 DL Shayne Gottlob, South Dakota State
 LS Thor Hadfield, Southern Illinois

LS Chris Highland, Illinois State
 PK Adam Keller, North Dakota State
 RB Chase Morlock, North Dakota State
 OL/TE Jacob Rathmacher, UNI
 P Ethan Sawyer, South Dakota State
 OL Mark Spelman, Illinois State
 LB Jameer Thurman, Indiana State
 WR Josh Vander Maten, South Dakota
 LB Kendall Walker, Indiana State

2015

FIRST TEAM

DL Isaac Ales, UNI
 LB Dylan Cole, Missouri State
 DL Shayne Gottlob, South Dakota State
 QB Mark Iannotti, Southern Illinois
 DB Nick Mears, South Dakota State
 DE Greg Menard, North Dakota State
 OL Jacob Rathmacher, UNI
 WR Billy Reed, Southern Illinois
 DL Karter Schult, UNI
 WR Zach Vraa, North Dakota State
 QB Carson Wentz, North Dakota State
 WR Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
 DT Steve Zaborsky, Youngstown State

SECOND TEAM

P/PK Miles Bergner, South Dakota
 LB Jesse Bobbit, South Dakota State
 LB Jared Farley, UNI
 DB David Griffith, Western Illinois
 OL Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
 DL Cole Langer, South Dakota State
 RB Chase Morlock, North Dakota State
 OL Robert Rathje, UNI
 OL Mark Spelman, Illinois State
 LB Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
 LB Kendall Walker, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

LB Chase Allen, Southern Illinois
 LS Joshua Appel, Indiana State
 FB Andrew Bonnet, North Dakota State
 LB Alex Donnelly, Illinois State
 TE Shane Kuhn, Youngstown State
 OL Jake Lasater, Missouri State
 OL Bryce Siverling, South Dakota State
 LB Jameer Thurman, Indiana State
 WR Robert Tonyan, Jr., Indiana State
 OL James Torgerson, Western Illinois
 QB Hunter Wells, Youngstown State

2016

FIRST TEAM

QB Taryn Christion, South Dakota State
 LB Dylan Cole, Missouri State
 OL Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
 DB Nick Mears, South Dakota State
 DE Greg Menard, North Dakota State
 RB Chase Morlock, North Dakota State
 OL Robert Rathje, UNI
 WR Billy Reed, Southern Illinois
 DL Karter Schult, UNI
 QB Easton Stick, North Dakota State
 LB Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
 WR Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State

SECOND TEAM

P/PK Miles Bergner, South Dakota
 LB Jesse Bobbit, South Dakota State
 DL Shayne Gottlob, South Dakota State
 SS Robbie Grimsley, North Dakota State
 QB Isaac Harker, Indiana State
 FB Kane Louscher, South Dakota State
 RB Brady Mengarelli, South Dakota State
 PK Luke Otto, Western Illinois
 OL Mark Spelman, Illinois State
 LB Jameer Thurman, Indiana State
 OL James Torgerson, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

LS Joshua Appel, Indiana State
 WR Robert Tonyan Jr., Indiana State
 LB Jared Beshore, Missouri State
 TE Erik Furmanek, Missouri State
 LB Jared Farley, UNI
 OL Cal Twait, UNI
 LB Riggs Baxter, Western Illinois
 P/K Nathan Knuffman, Western Illinois
 LB Armond Dellovade, Youngstown State
 QB Hunter Wells, Youngstown State

2017

FIRST TEAM

QB Taryn Christion, South Dakota State
 S Dalton Cox, South Dakota State
 OL Wes Genant, South Dakota State
 SS Robbie Grimsley, North Dakota State
 OL Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
 DL Matt McCown, Illinois State
 RB Brady Mengarelli, South Dakota State
 QB Easton Stick, North Dakota State
 LB Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
 RB Marcus Weymiller, UNI
 WR Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State

SECOND TEAM

DB Jared Beshore, Missouri State
 C Lee Carhart, UNI
 LB Armand Dellovade, Youngstown State
 DB Justin Fitzpatrick, Western Illinois
 SS Kyle Hegedus, Youngstown State
 QB Peyton Huslig, Missouri State
 C Vitas Hryniewicz, Youngstown State
 OL Caleb Lang, South Dakota State
 FB Kane Louscher, South Dakota State
 OL Jacob Marnin, Southern Illinois
 QB Chris Strevler, South Dakota
 OL James Torgerson, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

DL Adam Conley, Illinois State
 OL Dean Helt, Illinois State
 QB Isaac Harker, Indiana State
 TE Erik Furmanek, Missouri State
 WR RJ Urzendowski, North Dakota State
 PK Sam Drysdale, UNI
 LB Jared Farley, UNI
 OL Cal Twait, UNI
 DB Nick Farina, South Dakota State
 LB Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota State
 FB Hans Carmien, Southern Illinois
 DB Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
 QB Sean McGuire, Western Illinois
 LB Quentin Moon, Western Illinois

Two-Time First-Teamers

TE Tim Achterberg, INS (94-95)
 LB Tony Albrinck, INS (00-01)
 WR Joe Allaria, SIU (09-10)
 PK Tom Allison, INS (94-95)
 C Chris Anderson, EIU (94-95)
 OL David Arkin, MSU (09-10)
 LB Logan Backhaus, SDSU (20-21)
 PK Stephen Blose, YSU (09-10)
 OL Corey Boemer, SIU (13-14)
 DT Ben Boothby, UNI (10-11)
 OL Tom Brillhart, INS (03-04)
 DL Eric Brunner, ILS (10-11)
 QB Dusty Burk, ILS (00-01)
 PK Stephen Carroll, ILS (03-04)
 LB Tim Carver, EIU (94-95)
 LB Dylan Cole, MSU (15-16)
 S/LB Dalton Cox, SDSU (17-18)
 RB Herb Donaldson, WIU (07-08)
 TE Ben Ellefson, NDSU (18-19)
 LB Jake Farley, UNI (13-14)
 QB ZeVeyon Furcron, SIU (20-21)
 QB Matt Gajewski, INS (96-97)
 LB Kyle Glazier, WIU (09-10)
 OL Evan Greeneway, SDSU (18-19)
 LB Jackson Hankey, NDSU (20-21)
 TE Ryan Hannam, UNI (00-01)
 OL Drew Himmelman, ILS (19-20)
 OL Jacob Judd, WIU (16-17)
 OL Andy King, ILS (00-01)
 TE Chris Kupec, SIU (04-05)
 QB Steve LaFalce, WIU (05-06)
 LB Josh Mahoney, UNI (08-09)
 OL Jacob Marnin, SIU (18-19)
 DB Nick Mears, SDSU (15-16)
 OL Brian Mellott, YSU (07-08)
 QB Russ Michna, WIU (02-03)
 DB Anthony Pannunzio, YSU (97-98)
 LB Ryan Patton, SIU (08-09)
 OL Aaron Peterson, ILS (00, 02)
 OL David Pickard, SIU (10-11)
 P Austin Pucylowski, SIU (12-13)
 WR Billy Reed, SIU (15-16)
 DB Marion Rumph, WKU (05-06)
 LB Travis Schipper, UNI (96-97)
 DE Karter Schult, UNI (15-16)
 DB Alex Sewall, INS (10-11)
 WR Jason Schneider, SDSU (13-14)
 P Brady Schutt, USD (20-21)
 RB Jake Shields, INS (03-04)
 WR Tony Tate, WIU (20-21)
 LB Brett Taylor, WIU (16-17)
 WR Zach Vraa, NDSU (14-15)
 OL Matt Waletzko, UND (20-21)
 RB Marcus Weymiller, UNI (17-18)
 QB Carson Wentz, NDSU (14-15)
 TE Matt White, MSU (98, 00)
 OT Jason Whittle, MSU (95-96)
 DE Kyle Williams, WIU (18-19)
 OL Ted Wulf, Illinois State (00-01)
 OL Taylor Zuess, SDSU (12-13)

2018

FIRST TEAM

S Jared Beshore, Missouri State
 QB Taryn Christian, South Dakota State
 LB Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
 LB Dalton Cox, South Dakota State
 TE Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
 OL Wes Genant, South Dakota State
 OL Evan Greeneway, South Dakota State
 C Jacob Marnin, Southern Illinois
 DE Greg Menard, North Dakota State
 QB Easton Stick, North Dakota State
 OL Cal Twait, UNI
 RB Marcus Weymiller, UNI
 DE Kyle Williams, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM

S Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
 LB Armand Dellovade, Youngstown State
 PK Austin Errthum, UNI
 LB Duncan Ferch, UNI
 DB Justin Fitzpatrick, Western Illinois
 SS Robbie Grimsley, North Dakota State
 OL Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 QB Peyton Huslig, Missouri State
 DB Zach Muniz, Western Illinois
 FB Clint Ratkovich, Western Illinois
 WR/RS Darius Shepherd, NDSU

Honorable Mention

DE Ryan Earith, South Dakota State
 DB/ST Lance Eide, South Dakota State
 DL Spencer Hopkins, South Dakota
 C Vitas Hryniewicz, Youngstown State
 QB Jake Kolbe, Illinois State
 TE Zach Larkin, Indiana State
 LB Dan Marlette, North Dakota State
 LB Quentin Moon, Western Illinois
 P Brady Schutt, South Dakota
 LB/ST Preston Tetzlaff, South Dakota St.
 OC Tanner Volson, North Dakota State
 P Garret Wegner, North Dakota State

2019

FIRST TEAM

RB Joe Alessi, Youngstown State
 S Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
 LB Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
 TE Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
 OL Evan Greeneway, S. Dakota State
 DB Kyle Hegedus, Youngstown State
 OL Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 QB Peyton Huslig, Missouri State
 LB Chris Kolarevic, UNI
 OL Jacob Marnin, Southern Illinois
 FB Clint Ratkovich, Western Illinois
 DL Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State
 DE Kyle Williams, Western Illinois

SECOND TEAM

LB Logan Backhaus, South Dakota State
 FB Jacob Garrett, Southern Illinois
 LB Jackson Hankey, North Dakota State
 TE Kallan Hart, South Dakota State
 WR Dante Hendrix, Indiana State
 TE Connor Herrmann, South Dakota
 SS James Kaczor, North Dakota State
 FB Garrett Maistrom, North Dakota State
 QB Nathan Mays, Youngstown State

LB Christian Rozeboom, South Dakota St.
 P Brady Schutt, South Dakota
 QB Austin Simmons, South Dakota
 LB Preston Tetzlaff, South Dakota State
 DE Reece Winkelman, South Dakota State

Honorable Mention

DE Ryan Earith, South Dakota State
 DB Lance Eide, South Dakota State
 LS Joe Friedrich, UNI
 LS Dalton Godfrey, South Dakota
 LT Alex Jensen, South Dakota
 PK Parker Lacina, Missouri State
 LB Tom Rehfeld, Western Illinois
 RG Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota
 OL Adam Solomon, Illinois State
 DE Seth Thomas, UNI
 LB Zeke Vandenburg, Illinois State
 WR Caleb Vander Esch, South Dakota
 P Garret Wegner, North Dakota State
 OL Wyatt Wozniak, Indiana State

2020-21 (Spring 2021)

FIRST TEAM

LB Logan Backhaus, S. Dakota State
 LB Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
 OG ZeVeyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
 FB Jacob Garrett, Southern Illinois
 OL Wes Genant, South Dakota State
 LB Jackson Hankey, North Dakota State
 OL Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 P Brady Schutt, South Dakota
 WR/RS Tony Tate, Western Illinois
 LB Preston Tetzlaff, South Dakota State
 WR Caleb Vander Esch, South Dakota
 OL Matt Waletzko, North Dakota

SECOND TEAM

LB Spencer Cuvelier, UNI
 DT Vinny Gentile, Youngstown State
 TE Noah Gindorff, North Dakota State
 LS Dalton Godfrey, South Dakota
 WR Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
 OL Aron Johnson, South Dakota State
 WR Austin Nagel, Illinois State
 P Cade Pederson, North Dakota
 WR/KR Luke Skokna, North Dakota
 LB Zeke Vandenburg, Illinois State
 P Garret Wegner, North Dakota State
 DE Brawntae Wells, UNI
 LB Caden White, North Dakota

Honorable Mention

QB Nic Baker, Southern Illinois
 WR Tyler Burian, North Dakota
 PK Matthew Cook, UNI
 PK Cole Frahm, South Dakota State
 DB Evan Holm, North Dakota
 RB Tyler Hoosman, UNI
 WR Jaxon Janke, South Dakota State
 LT Alex Jensen, South Dakota
 LS Ross Kennelly, North Dakota State
 QB Stone Labanowitz, Southern Illinois
 FB Hunter Luepke, North Dakota State
 OL Mason McCormick, South Dakota State
 DL Hunter Mason, Western Illinois
 LB Brock Mogensen, South Dakota
 DT Lane Tucker, North Dakota State
 DL Reece Winkelman, South Dakota State

2021

FIRST TEAM

LB Logan Backhaus, South Dakota State
 QB Nic Baker, Southern Illinois
 LB Adam Bock, South Dakota State
 LB Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
 LB Grant Dixon, Youngstown State
 OG ZeVeyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
 OL Wes Genant, South Dakota State
 DS Dalton Godfrey, South Dakota
 LB Jackson Hankey, North Dakota State
 WR Dante Hendrix, Indiana State
 WR Austin Nagel, Illinois State
 P Brady Schutt, South Dakota
 WR Tony Tate, Western Illinois
 LB Zeke Vandenburg, Illinois State
 OL Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
 DE Reece Winkelman, S. Dakota State

SECOND TEAM

WR Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
 OL Alex Jensen, South Dakota
 OL Aron Johnson, South Dakota State
 FB Hunter Luepke, North Dakota State
 PK Colt McFadden, Youngstown State
 DT Eli Mostaert, North Dakota State
 P Cade Peterson, North Dakota
 K Jake Reinholz, North Dakota State
 QB Tommy Schuster, North Dakota
 DT Lane Tucker, North Dakota State
 TB Christian Turner, Youngstown State
 WR Caleb Vander Esch, South Dakota

Honorable Mention

WR Carter Bell, South Dakota
 DT Tim Butcher, UNI
 DT Costner Ching, North Dakota State
 OL Ben Christian, North Dakota
 PK Matthew Cook, UNI
 LB Spencer Cuvelier, UNI
 PK Cole Frahm, South Dakota State
 DT Vinny Gentile, Youngstown State
 TE Noah Gindorff, North Dakota State
 RB Tyler Hoosman, UNI
 WR Jaxon Janke, South Dakota State
 LB Alfonzo Lambert, UNI
 PK Mason Lorber, South Dakota
 DE Hunter Mason, Western Illinois
 WR Jordan Murray, Missouri State
 DL Chandon Pierre, North Dakota
 RB Luke Skokna, North Dakota
 OL Erik Sorensen, UNI
 LB Riley Van Wyhe, UNI
 LB Caden White, North Dakota
 LB Cole Wisniewski, North Dakota State
 TE Adam Zavalney, North Dakota



Western Illinois' Jimmy Holtschlag was a three-time first-team all-academic team selection (2011-12-13).



Missouri State's Caleb Schaffitzel was a first-team all-academic pick all three of his eligible seasons (2012-13-14).

The league's academic awards program includes the President's Academic Excellence Award, the Commissioner's All-Academic Award and the Missouri Valley Football Conference Academic Honor Roll. League sports information directors have selected an all-academic team, starting in 1994.

Student-athletes who are within 18 hours of graduation, have participated in athletics a minimum of two years (including their senior year) and have maintained a cumulative grade point average of 3.50 are eligible for the President's Academic Excellence Award.

The Commissioner's All-Academic list includes student-athletes who have a cumulative grade point average of 3.20, and freshmen are not eligible. In addition, the league honors student-athletes who have a minimum of a 3.0 grade point average in a given semester. These student-athletes are eligible for the Valley Honor Roll.

1986
Dan Hackman, Illinois State
1987
Michael Altekruise, Eastern Illinois Todd Jochem, Indiana State John Sahn, Indiana State Matt Schroeder, Indiana State John Stites, Indiana State
1988
none
1989
Matthew Herzberg, Southern Illinois
1990
Todd Jochem, Indiana State
1991
none
1992
Scott Foster, Indiana State Jon Manley, Southern Illinois David Fierke, Western Illinois
1993
Jason Caldwell, Eastern Illinois Cameron Bair, Illinois State Brian Bridgewater, Indiana State David Sharbaugh, Indiana State Jay Johnson, UNI Timothy Rial, UNI Robert Nation, Missouri State Stan Simmons, Western Illinois
1994
Reggie Matthews, Western Illinois
1995
Tim Achterberg, Illinois State Tom Allison, Indiana State Tim Ardis, Western Illinois Scott Crenshaw, Indiana State Frederick Hunt, Indiana State Eric Johnson, Illinois State Todd Liska, Illinois State Mike Tarpey, Eastern Illinois Joel Wardynski, Southern Illinois
1996
Tim Achterberg, Illinois State Tom Allison, Indiana State Chris Anderson, Eastern Illinois Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
1997
Greg Hawthorne, UNI Mackenzie Jorth, UNI Corey Roy, Missouri State

1998
Toby Deal, Indiana State Joe Dunn, Indiana State Jake Jacobsmeier, Missouri State Jason Krivis, Southern Illinois Travis Schipper, UNI J.J. Stefancin, Youngstown State Ryan Touhey, Missouri State
1999
Toby Deal, Indiana State Troy Lefevra, Indiana State Brian Sitz, Indiana State Travis Brawner, Missouri State Derek Jensen, Missouri State Damon Stewart, Western Illinois Anthony Pannunzio, Youngstown State
2000
Tom Bardwell, Illinois State Troy Lefevra, Indiana State Phil Seale, Indiana State Brian Andersen, UNI Andrew Elmer, UNI Brad Meester, UNI Scott Mikkelson, UNI Matthew Peterson, UNI Lucas Wilson, UNI Travis Brawner, Missouri State Jeff Killeen, Missouri State Matt White, Missouri State Joe Lopez, Western Illinois Josh Richardson, Western Illinois Shawn Billker, Youngstown State Bill Ruggles, Youngstown State Jared Zwick, Youngstown State
2001
Tony Albrinck, Indiana State Joe Lopez, Western Illinois Aaron Tecklenburg, UNI Adam Waugh, Illinois State Matt White, Missouri State
2002
Brian Lowder, Western Kentucky Jason Michael, Western Kentucky Christopher Stimmel, UNI Adam Vogt, UNI
2003
Matt Anderson, Southern Illinois Brock Baker, Western Kentucky Ben Lenderman, Indiana State Brian Lowder, Western Kentucky Mark Marcos, Missouri State Jason Michael, Western Kentucky Russ Michna, Western Illinois Aaron Peterson, Illinois State Brad Richtsmeier, UNI
2004
James Ferguson, Illinois State Russ Michna, Western Illinois Marc Phillips, Indiana State Scott Thiessen, Youngstown State

2005
Stanley Bryant, Southern Illinois Perry Cox, Western Illinois Brad Durham, Missouri State Chris Kupec, Southern Illinois Justin Langan, Western Illinois Tom Petrie, UNI Matt Porter, Youngstown State
2006
Matt Brouse, Youngstown State Russell Colman, Indiana State Perry Cox, Western Illinois Payne Hall, Missouri State Phillip Johnson, Indiana State Craig Lanham, Western Kentucky John Scabilion, UNI
2007
Jon Cairns, Southern Illinois Braden Jones, Southern Illinois Steve LaFalce, Western Illinois James Lindgren, UNI Ben Schmidt, Indiana State Steve Sowers, Western Illinois
2008
Chris Alexander, Indiana State Ryan Beeler, Southern Illinois Travis Cherry, Western Illinois Bryan McCulley, Indiana State Bob Perez, Youngstown State Dan Simnick, Illinois State David Tillman, Missouri State Dan Weiner, Illinois State Tom Zetts, Youngstown State
2009
David Arkin, Missouri State Matt Barr, Western Illinois Kyle Belmont, North Dakota State Stephen Blose, Youngstown State Tony Colletti, Southern Illinois Colin Dietrich, UNI Tyler Duffy, South Dakota State Jared Emery, Missouri State Ryan Kernes, Southern Illinois Casey Knips, South Dakota State Josh Mahoney, UNI Nick Mertens, North Dakota State Ben Nowicki, Youngstown State Sam Peterson, UNI David Pickard, Southern Illinois Dean Priddy, South Dakota State Victor Schuring, North Dakota State P.J. Thompson, Southern Illinois Austin Zlab, UNI
2010
Joe Allaria, Southern Illinois David Arkin, Missouri State Kyle Banna, Youngstown State Bradley Biggs, Southern Illinois Stephen Blose, Youngstown State Ben Boothby, UNI Chance Coda, Southern Illinois

Casey Cuppy, South Dakota State Tyler Duffy, South Dakota State Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois Matt Hyland, South Dakota State Drew Hushka, North Dakota State Connor James, Southern Illinois Erik Johnson, Youngstown State Conrad Kjerstad, South Dakota State Jacob Ludemann, South Dakota State Ryan Mahaffey, UNI Kyle Minett, South Dakota State Dean Priddy, South Dakota State Matt Seliger, Indiana State Jordan Valle, Western Illinois Matthew Veldman, North Dakota State Austin Zlab, UNI
2011
Kyle Bernard, UNI Ben Boothby, UNI Jordan Chiles, Missouri State Julian Easterly, Indiana State Josh Gabelmann, Western Illinois Myers Hendrickson, Western Illinois Jarred Herring, UNI Brad Iverson, South Dakota State Marc Kanetsky, Youngstown State James Loughlin, Illinois State Mike McElroy, Southern Illinois Kevin Palermo, Western Illinois Rick Richardson, Western Illinois Jason Schlautman, South Dakota State Alex Sewall, Indiana State Jason Stegman, Southern Illinois Matthew Veldman, North Dakota State
2012
Collin Albrecht, UNI Kyle Bernard, UNI Kyle Cichos, South Dakota Seth Daughters, South Dakota State Nick DeKraker, Youngstown State Keith Enderlein, Western Illinois Josiah Fitzsimmons, South Dakota State Luke Harris, Indiana State John Hubbard, UNI Zachary Kienol, UNI Wil Lunt, Western Illinois Justin Morgan, Western Illinois Alex Olinger, South Dakota State William Powell, South Dakota Dom Rich, Youngstown State Jason Stegman, Southern Illinois Jamel Wilmore, Western Illinois
2013
Nate Adams, Youngstown State Collin Albrecht, UNI Max Busher, UNI Kyle Cichos, South Dakota Ryan Drevlow, North Dakota State Jake Farley, UNI Jordan Gacke, UNI Andrew Grothmann, North Dakota State Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois Brandon Hubert, South Dakota State Justin Juckem, North Dakota State Scott Kuehn, Illinois State



QB Steve LaFalce was one of two Western Illinois student-athletes to earn President's awards in 2007.

Danny Luecke, North Dakota State
 Matt Meyers, Illinois State
 Marcus Murtha, South Dakota
 Steve Nelson, Illinois State
 Austin Pucykowski, Southern Illinois
 Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
 Taylor Suess, South Dakota State
 Matt Thayer, Missouri State
 Josh Vander Maten, South Dakota
 Austin Witmer, Missouri State

2014

Andrew Beisel, Missouri State
 Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois
 Colin Bultinck, Southern Illinois
 Max Busher, UNI
 Logan Buske, Indiana State
 Leroy Carhart, UNI
 Will Davis, Illinois State
 Donald D'Alesio, Youngstown State
 Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
 Jake Farley, UNI
 Thor Hadfield, Southern Illinois
 Hunter Hays, Missouri State
 Chris Highland, Illinois State
 Taylor Hill, Western Illinois
 Jesse Hinz, North Dakota State
 Chip Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 Jacob Hurla, UNI
 Blake Mattson, Southern Illinois
 Nick Purcell, South Dakota State
 Robert Rathje, UNI
 Jacob Rathmacher, UNI
 Jack Rummells, UNI
 Ethan Sawyer, South Dakota State
 Jason Schneider, South Dakota State
 Karter Schult, UNI
 Esley Thorton, North Dakota State
 Josh Vander Maten, South Dakota
 Zach Vraa, North Dakota State
 Kendall Walker, Indiana State
 Blake Winkler, Illinois State
 Zach Zenner, South Dakota State

2015

Chris Adams, Southern Illinois
 Isaac Ales, UNI
 Jacob Carlson, South Dakota State
 Tyler Finnes, South Dakota State
 Shayne Gottlob, South Dakota State
 Taylor Hill, Western Illinois
 Eddy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 Mark Iannotti, Southern Illinois
 Corey Irvin, Illinois State
 Ben Kramer, South Dakota
 Seth Lansman, South Dakota State
 Jake Lasater, Missouri State
 Nick Mears, South Dakota State
 JR Plote, South Dakota State
 Robert Rathje, UNI
 Jacob Rathmacher, UNI
 Billy Reed, Southern Illinois
 Karter Schult, UNI
 Bryce Siverling, South Dakota State
 Mark Spelman, Illinois State
 Zach Vraa, North Dakota State
 Carson Wentz, North Dakota State
 Travis Zimmerman, South Dakota State

2016

CJ Irvin, Illinois State
 Mark Spelman, Illinois State
 Jake Lasater, Missouri State
 Zach Vraa, North Dakota State
 Carson Wentz, North Dakota State
 Isaac Ales, UNI
 Robert Rathje, UNI
 Jacob Rathmacher, UNI
 Karter Schult, UNI
 Ben Kramer, South Dakota
 Jay Carlson, South Dakota State
 Tyler Finnes, South Dakota State
 Shayne Gottlob, South Dakota State
 Seth Lansman, South Dakota State
 Nick Mears, South Dakota State
 JR Plote, South Dakota State
 Bryce Siverling, South Dakota State
 Travis Zimmerman, South Dakota State
 Chris Adams, Southern Illinois
 Mark Iannotti, Southern Illinois
 Billy Reed, Southern Illinois
 Taylor Hill, Western Illinois
 Eddy Holtschlag, Western Illinois

2017

Dave Arendt, Southern Illinois
 Chris Balster, South Dakota State
 Brannon Barry, Illinois State
 Cole Bumpus, Illinois State
 Brandon Colpitts, South Dakota
 Nick Farina, South Dakota State
 Bryce Holm, Illinois State
 Spencer Hopkins, South Dakota
 Caleb Lang, South Dakota State
 Kane Louscher, South Dakota State
 Mathew McCown, Illinois State
 Norvell McGlaun, Indiana State
 Nick Masoner, Missouri State
 Jacob Menage, South Dakota State
 Brady Mengarelli, South Dakota State
 Bryce Messner, North Dakota State
 Chase Morlock, North Dakota State
 Donavin O'Day, Illinois State
 Josh Podzielinski, Southern Illinois
 Daniel Polansky, North Dakota State
 Reggie Schulte, UNI
 Lex Sowards, Indiana State
 Easton Stick, North Dakota State
 Bryce Wagner, Southern Illinois
 Hunter Wells, Youngstown State
 John Wessel, South Dakota
 Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
 Nick Wolf, Southern Illinois

2018

Joe Alessi, Youngstown State
 Luke Bacon, North Dakota State
 Riggs Baxter, Western Illinois
 Jared Beshore, Missouri State
 Taryn Christian, South Dakota State
 Dalton Cox, South Dakota State
 Ty DeForest, Illinois State
 Ryan Emans, Youngstown State
 Austin Errthum, UNI
 Clay Fisher, South Dakota
 Justin Fitzpatrick, Western Illinois
 Robbie Grimsley, North Dakota State
 Jake Harms, South Dakota State
 Kyle Hegedus, Youngstown State
 Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 Spencer Hopkins, South Dakota
 Colton Howell, UNI
 Vitas Hryniewicz, Youngstown State
 Chase Kern, South Dakota State
 Jake Kolbe, Illinois State

Garrett Malstrom, North Dakota State
 Jacob Marnin, Southern Illinois
 Zackary Matthews, Illinois State
 Nathan Mays, Youngstown State
 Greg Menard, North Dakota State
 Curtis Parks, Youngstown State
 Mark Schuler, Youngstown State
 Darius Shepherd, North Dakota State
 Austin Simmons, South Dakota
 Cal Twait, UNI
 Jacob Varble, Southern Illinois
 Marcus Weymiller, UNI
 James Wilson, Youngstown State

2019

Quinn Alo, North Dakota State
 Turner Blasius, South Dakota State
 Samuel Bonansinga, Southern Illinois
 Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
 Matt Clark, Western Illinois
 Sam Drysdale, UNI
 Ryan Earith, South Dakota State
 Lance Eide, South Dakota State
 Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
 Christian Ellsworth, UNI
 Nathan Erickson, Western Illinois
 Joseph Friedrich, UNI
 Josh Franke, Western Illinois
 Trey Georgie, Illinois State
 Evan Greeneway, South Dakota State
 Kallan Hart, South Dakota State
 Jacob Hartford, UNI
 Tre Hendon, Western Illinois
 Connor Herrmann, South Dakota
 Spencer Hildahl, South Dakota State
 Garrett Hirsch, Illinois State
 Brock Hughes, Missouri State
 Ross Kennelly, North Dakota State
 Zach Larkin, Indiana State
 Mason Lorber, South Dakota
 Sonny Onken, UNI
 Trey Powell, Indiana State
 Tom Rehfeld, Western Illinois
 Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota
 Joe Turk, Western Illinois
 Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State
 Caleb Vander Esch, South Dakota
 Joe Wildt, Indiana State
 Wyatt Wozniak, Indiana State
 Carson Yaggie, North Dakota State

2020

Jason Lewan, Illinois State
 Dante Hendrix, Indiana State
 Michael Thomas, Indiana State
 Harrison Van Dyne, Indiana State
 Charles Carter, Missouri State
 Graham DeVore, North Dakota
 Michael Griebel, North Dakota
 Adam Stage, North Dakota
 Jackson Hankey, North Dakota State
 Noah Sanders, North Dakota State
 Lane Tucker, North Dakota State
 Christopher Kolarevic, UNI
 Nicholas Phillips, UNI
 Kody Case, South Dakota
 Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
 Austin Goehring, South Dakota
 Dalton Godfrey, South Dakota
 Hunter Headlee, South Dakota
 Alex Jensen, South Dakota
 Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota
 Brady Schutt, South Dakota
 Preston Tetzlaff, South Dakota State
 Kenan Abed-Mahmoud, Southern Illinois
 Keenan Agnew, Southern Illinois
 Lucas Giegling, Southern Illinois
 Daniel Heilbron, Southern Illinois
 Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
 Nathan Karsjens, Western Illinois
 Clint Ratkovich, Western Illinois
 Kyle Sanft, Western Illinois
 Tony Tate, Western Illinois
 Mike Viti, Western Illinois
 Kyle Williams, Western Illinois
 Joe Craycraft, Youngstown State
 Colt McFadden, Youngstown State
 Patrick Minenok, Youngstown State
 Christian Turner, Youngstown State

Dan Heilbron, Southern Illinois
 Tim Johns, Southern Illinois
 Hunter Mason, Western Illinois
 Casey Baker, Youngstown State
 Vinny Gentile, Youngstown State
 Derek Hite, Youngstown State
 Griffin Hoak, Youngstown State
 Nick Sabrin, Youngstown State

2021

Peyton Asche, Illinois State
 Peter Bussone, Illinois State
 Jacob Carl, Illinois State
 Spencer DeForest, Illinois State
 Stephen Halusen, Illinois State
 Joey Lombardi, Illinois State
 Joey Malinowski, Illinois State
 Zach Mueller, Illinois State
 Austin Nagel, Illinois State
 Jacob Powell, Illinois State
 Daijon Collins, Indiana State
 Jose Vazquez, Indiana State
 Tyler Burian, North Dakota
 Kadon Kauppinen, North Dakota
 Joshua Navratil, North Dakota
 Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
 Austin Avery, North Dakota State
 Costner Ching, North Dakota State
 Logan McCormick, North Dakota State
 Brayden Thomas, North Dakota State
 Jordan Gayer, UNI
 Tyler Hoosman, UNI
 Mason Stahle, UNI
 Brawntae Wells, UNI
 Logan Wolf, UNI
 Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
 Austin Goehring, South Dakota
 Brock Mogensen, South Dakota
 Brady Schutt, South Dakota
 Dakota Smith, South Dakota
 Logan Backhaus, South Dakota State
 Cole Frahm, South Dakota State
 Wes Genant, South Dakota State
 Aron Johnson, South Dakota State
 Krockett Krolikowski, South Dakota State
 Nic Baker, Southern Illinois
 Jacob Garrett, Southern Illinois

FCS Athletic Directors Association Academic All-Stars

2001

PK-- Justin Langan, Western Illinois
 LB-- Chris Sapp, Indiana State
 DB-- Chris Stimmel, UNI
 LB-- Adam Vogt, UNI
 LB-- Adam Waugh, Illinois State

2002

PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
 DB-- Brian Lowder, Western Ky.
 QB-- Jason Michael, Western Ky.
 QB-- Russ Michna, Western Illinois

2003

QB-- Russ Michna, Western Illinois
 QB-- Tom Petrie, UNI
 LB-- Perry Cox, Western Illinois

2004

PK-- Stephen Carroll, Illinois State
 OL-- John Schabillon, UNI
 QB-- Joel Sambursky, S. Illinois

2005

TE-- Jonathan Denley, Illinois State
 OL-- John Schabillon, UNI
 OL-- Perry Cox, Western Illinois
 QB-- Tom Zetts, Youngstown State
 QB-- Joel Sambursky, Southern Illinois

2006

OL-- Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
 TE-- Braden Jones, Southern Illinois
 QB-- Steve LaFalce, Western Illinois
 WR-- James Lindgren, UNI
 QB-- Tom Zetts, Youngstown State

2007

LB-- Travis Cherry, Western Illinois
 DB-- Bob Perez, Youngstown State
 QB-- Tom Zetts, Youngstown State

2008

QB-- Ryan Berry, South Dakota State
 LB-- Travis Cherry, Western Illinois
 LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
 WR-- Kole Heckendorf, N. Dakota St.
 DB-- Tom Krupko, Youngstown State
 LB-- Josh Mahoney, UNI

LB-- Ryan Patton, Southern Illinois
 OL-- Kevin Robling, S. Dakota State
 RB-- Tyler Roehl, North Dakota State
 OL-- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State

2009

DB-- Kyle Belmont, North Dakota State
 TE-- Ryan Kernes, Southern Illinois
 DB-- Conrad Kjerstad, S. Dakota State
 LB-- Josh Mahoney, UNI
 QB-- Nick Mertens, North Dakota State

DL-- Daniel Millington, Indiana State
 LB-- Ryan Patton, Southern Illinois

2010

QB-- Matt Barr, Western Illinois
 PK-- Stephen Blose, Youngstown St.
 DL-- Eric Brunner, Illinois State
 DL-- Chance Coda, Southern Illinois
 RB-- Tyler Duffy, South Dakota State

LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
 RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
 OL-- David Pickard, Southern Illinois
 DB-- Alex Sewall, Indiana State

2011

DT-- Ben Boothby, UNI
 DT-- Eric Brunner, Illinois State
 OL-- Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 TE-- Brad Iverson, South Dakota State
 DT-- Andrew Johnson, Youngstown State

QB-- Marc Kanetsky, Youngstown State
 S-- Mike McElroy, Southern Illinois
 LB-- Kevin Palermo, Western Illinois
 OT-- David Pickard, Southern Illinois
 TE-- Matt Veldman, North Dakota State

2012

P-- Kyle Bernard, UNI
 DL-- Nick DeKraker, Youngstown State
 DL-- Ryan Drevlow, North Dakota State
 TE-- Seth Daughters, South Dakota State
 OL-- Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
 P-- Austin Pucylowski, Southern Illinois
 RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State

1985 All-Americans - Organization

1985 - Associated Press

First Team

OT-- Jim Meyer, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

WR-- Roy Banks, Eastern Illinois
 WR-- Calvin Pierce, Eastern Illinois
 WR-- Dave Wilson, Illinois State
 OL-- Tom Baugh, Southern Illinois
 OL-- Mike Beneturski, Illinois State
 OL-- Kevin Bor, Missouri State

OL-- David Heim, Missouri State
 OL-- Tim Redmond, S. Illinois
 OL-- Brad Sellenriek, Missouri State
 QB-- Sean Payton, Eastern Illinois
 QB-- Mike Smith, UNI

RB-- Byron Mitchell, S. Illinois
 RB-- Keith Williams, Missouri State

PK-- Paul Politi, Illinois State
 DL-- Preston Estes, Missouri State
 DL-- Ed Grimes, UNI

DL-- Bob Kampf, Illinois State
 DL-- Tom Moskal, Eastern Illinois

DL-- Terry Orth, UNI
 LB-- Mark Farley, UNI

LB-- James Houston, Missouri State
 LB-- Rick Spielman, S. Illinois

DB-- Moses Aimable, UNI
 DB-- John Field, Southern Illinois

DB-- Joe Fuller, UNI
 DB-- Jeff Smith, Illinois State

P-- Barry Woodruff, W. Illinois

1985 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

DB-- Joe Fuller, UNI

1985 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

RB-- Keith Williams, Missouri State
 OL-- Jim Meyer, Illinois State

DB-- Joe Fuller, UNI
 DB-- John Field, Southern Illinois

1986 All-Americans - Organization

1986 - Associated Press

First Team

WR-- Roy Banks, Eastern Illinois
 C-- Frank Winters, Western Illinois
 LB-- Brian Gant, Illinois State

Second Team

OT-- Mike Simmonds, Indiana State
 Honorable Mention

TE-- Brian Banker, UNI
 WR-- Calvin Pierce, Eastern Illinois

OL-- Keith Blue, Western Illinois
 OL-- Chris Tayrien, Missouri State

OL-- Ralph Van Dyke, S. Illinois
 QB-- Sean Payton, Eastern Illinois

QB-- Mike Smith, UNI
 RB-- Carl Boyd, UNI

RB-- Mel Kirksy, Southern Illinois
 PK-- Paul Politi, Illinois State

DL-- Todd Auer, Western Illinois

DL-- Jeff Bealles, UNI

DL-- John Kropke, Illinois State

LB-- Mark Farley, UNI

LB-- Mike Hryn, Western Illinois

DB-- Marcus Ballard, W. Illinois

DB-- Ira Davis, Southern Illinois

DB-- Steve McKeel, Indiana State

DB-- Jeff Smith, Illinois State

P-- Clay Netusil, UNI

1986 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

WR-- Roy Banks, Eastern Illinois
 OT-- Mike Simmonds, Indiana State

DT-- Todd Auer, Western Illinois

1986 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

WR-- Roy Banks, Eastern Illinois
 OL-- Mike Simmonds, Indiana State

DL-- Todd Auer, Western Illinois

LB-- Brian Gant, Illinois State

Second Team

OL-- Frank Winters, Western Illinois

RB-- Carl Boyd, UNI

DL-- John Kropke, Illinois State

DB-- Steve McKeel, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

WR-- Albert Brown, Western Illinois

QB-- Mike Smith, UNI

QB-- Sean Payton, Eastern Illinois

DL-- John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois

LB-- Mark Farley, UNI

DB-- Jeff Smith, Illinois State

1987 All-Americans - Organization

1987 - Associated Press

Second Team

RB-- Carl Boyd, UNI

OG-- Keith Blue, Western Illinois

LB-- Matt Soraghan, Missouri State

DB-- Jeff Smith, Illinois State

P-- Mike Krause, Western Illinois

Third Team

C-- Mark Hanssen, UNI

DL-- Jeff Bealles, UNI

DB-- Steve McKeel, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

QB-- Paul Singer, Western Illinois

QB-- Mike Smith, UNI

RB-- DuWayne Pitts, Eastern Illinois

WR-- Don Beebe, Western Illinois

WR-- Gary Cannon, Indiana State

WR-- Ralph Stewart, Eastern Illinois

TE-- Sherrod Howard, UNI

OG-- Louis Cox, UNI

OT-- Pete Endre, Indiana State

OT-- David Smith, Southern Illinois

PK-- Rich Ehmke, Eastern Illinois

DL-- Brad Crouse, Southern Illinois

DL-- Preston Estes, Missouri State

DL-- John Kropke, Illinois State

LB-- Ken Braden, Missouri State

LB-- Marty Lomelino, W. Illinois

DB-- Kevin Anderson, UNI

DB-- Daryl Holcombe, E. Illinois

1987 - The Sports Network

Second Team

OG-- Keith Blue, Western Illinois

DB-- Maurice Smith, Western Illinois

1987 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

RB-- Carl Boyd, UNI

LB-- Matt Soraghan, Missouri State

1987 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

OL-- Keith Blue, Western Illinois

DB-- Daryl Holcombe, Eastern Illinois

Second Team

DL-- Jeff Bealles, UNI

DL-- John Kropke, Illinois State

DL-- Preston Estes, Missouri State

DL-- Jeff Smith, Illinois State

P-- Mike Krause, Western Illinois

1988 All-Americans - Organization

1988 - Associated Press

First Team

DT-- John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois

OG-- Ron Nesbitt, Western Illinois

Second Team

DB-- Emrick Wilcox, Western Illinois

Third Team

TE-- Sherrod Howard, UNI

QB-- Paul Singer, Western Illinois

OG-- Mark Christensen, Missouri St.

DE-- Marlin Williams, W. Illinois

Honorable Mention

FS-- Daryl Holcombe, E. Illinois

C-- Doug Gardner, Missouri State

LB-- James Turnage, Missouri State

1988 - The Sports Network

First Team

DL-- John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois

DB-- Emrick Wilcox, Western Illinois

P-- Mike McCabe, Illinois State

Second Team

OL-- Ron Nesbitt, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

OL-- Dave Popp, Eastern Illinois

QB-- Paul Singer, Western Illinois

DL-- Marlin Williams, W. Illinois

P-- Mike Krause, Western Illinois

1988 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

P-- Mike McCabe, Illinois State

DE-- Marlin Williams, Western Illinois

**1988 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News
First Team**

OG-- Ron Nesbitt, Western Illinois
DE-- Marlin Williams, Western Illinois

Second Team

DB-- Emrick Wilcox, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

QB-- Paul Singer, Western Illinois

1988 - Walter Camp

First Team

QB-- Paul Singer, Western Illinois
DB-- Emrick Wilcox, Western Illinois
OG-- Ron Nesbitt, Western Illinois

1989 All-Americans - Organization

1989 - Associated Press

First Team

DT-- John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois

Second Team

OG-- David Campbell, UNI

Third Team

OG-- Mark Christensen, Missouri St.
DB-- Tim Lance, Eastern Illinois
LB-- Bryce Paup, UNI

1989 - The Sports Network

First Team

OG-- Mark Christensen, Missouri St.
DT-- John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois

Second Team

OG-- David Campbell, UNI
LB-- Bryce Paup, UNI

1989 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

OG-- Mark Christensen, Missouri State
DT-- John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois

1990 All-Americans - Organization

1990 - Associated Press

First Team

QB-- DeAndre Smith, Missouri State
DB-- Tim Lance, Eastern Illinois
PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI

Second Team

DB-- Bryan Cox, Western Illinois
WR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
WR-- Charles Swann, Indiana State
RB-- Derrick Franklin, Indiana State

Third Team

OG-- Chris Reed, Missouri State

1990 - The Sports Network

First Team

PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI
DB-- Tim Lance, Eastern Illinois
DB-- Bryan Cox, Western Illinois

Second Team

QB-- DeAndre Smith, Missouri State
OT-- Seth Bonnette, UNI
DL-- Kent McIntyre, Eastern Illinois

Honorable Mention

OG-- Chris Reed, Missouri State
OC-- Mike Fontana, UNI

1990 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

QB-- DeAndre Smith, Missouri State
PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI

1990 - Walter Camp

First Team

QB-- DeAndre Smith, Missouri State

1991 All-Americans - Organization

1991 - Associated Press

First Team

PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI
DT-- Bill Walter, Missouri State

Second Team

RB-- Derrick Franklin, Indiana State
WR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI

Third Team

DL-- Maxie Graham, W. Illinois

1991 - The Sports Network

First Team

PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI
RB-- Derrick Franklin, Indiana State
DT-- Bill Walter, Missouri State
LB-- Ken McMillan, Western Illinois

Second Team

OG-- Brad Fichtel, Eastern Illinois

Honorable Mention

RS-- Charles Swann, Indiana State
CB-- Adrion Smith, Missouri State
WR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI

1991 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI
DT-- Bill Walter, Missouri State

1991 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI
DT-- Bill Walter, Missouri State

Second Team

RB-- Derrick Franklin, Indiana State
LB-- William Freeney, UNI
WR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
CB-- Adrion Smith, Missouri State

Third Team

RB-- Jamie Jones, Eastern Illinois
RB-- Toby Davis, Illinois State
LB-- Wilbert Brown, Illinois State
LB-- Ken McMillan, Western Illinois
DB-- Joe Woods, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

WR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
WR-- Clarence Miller, Illinois State
WR-- Charles Swann, Indiana State
OT-- Tim McDuffey, Missouri State
OG-- Brad Fichtel, Eastern Illinois
QB-- Jeff Thorne, Eastern Illinois

DT-- Maxie Graham, W. Illinois
DT-- Kent McIntyre, Eastern Illinois
DE-- Tony Jones, Illinois State

1991 - Walter Camp

First Team

PK-- Brian Mitchell, UNI
RB-- Derrick Franklin, Indiana State
DT-- Bill Walter, Missouri State

1992 All-Americans - Organization

1992 - Associated Press

First Team

AP-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
LB-- William Freeney, UNI

Second Team

RB-- Toby Davis, Illinois State
RB-- David Wright, Indiana State
C-- Brad Fichtel, Eastern Illinois
DT-- Dan Dee, Eastern Illinois
FS-- Rodney Harrison, W. Illinois
PK-- Scott Obermeier, UNI

Third Team

OG-- Matt Irvin, Missouri State

1992 - The Sports Network

First Team

RS-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
RB-- Toby Davis, Illinois State
DT-- Dan Dee, Eastern Illinois
LB-- William Freeney, UNI

Second Team

FS-- Rodney Harrison, W. Illinois

Honorable Mention

WR-- Demeris Johnson, W. Illinois
WR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
OG-- Matt Irvin, Missouri State

1992 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

WR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
LB-- William Freeney, UNI

1992 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

KR-- Kenny Shedd, UNI
LB-- William Freeney, UNI

Second Team

C-- Brad Fichtel, Eastern Illinois
DT-- Dan Dee, Eastern Illinois

Third Team

WR-- Demeris Johnson, W. Illinois
QB-- Donny Simmons, W. Illinois
RB-- Toby Davis, Illinois State
PK-- Richard Grote, Missouri State
LB-- Ken McMillan, Western Illinois
LB-- Peter Burns, UNI

1992 - Walter Camp

First Team

DL-- Dan Dee, Eastern Illinois
LB-- William Freeney, UNI

**FCS Athletic Directors
Association Academic All-Stars**

2013

QB-- Kurt Hess, Youngstown State
OL-- Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
WR-- Brandon Hubert, South Dakota State
P-- Austin Pucylowski, Southern Illinois
S-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State

2014

C-- Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois
DE-- Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
LB-- Jake Farley, UNI
S-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
WR-- Jason Schneider, South Dakota State
LB-- Esley Thorton, North Dakota State
LB-- Kendall Walker, Indiana State
LB-- Tyler Williamson, Southern Illinois
RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State

2015

P/PK-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota
LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
QB-- Mark Iannotti, Southern Illinois
OL-- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
DB-- Nick Mears, South Dakota State
OL-- Jacob Rathmacher, UNI
OL-- Mark Spelman, Illinois State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois

2016

OL-- Mark Spelman, Illinois State
LB-- Jameer Thurman, Indiana State
LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
DE-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
FB-- Chase Morlock, North Dakota State
S-- Nick Mears, South Dakota State
WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
DE-- Karter Schult, UNI
P/PK-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota
OL-- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois

2017

DL-- Matt McCown, Illinois State
QB-- Easton Stick, North Dakota State
DB-- Robbie Grimsley, North Dakota State
RB-- Marcus Weymiller, UNI
WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
OL-- Jacob Mamin, Southern Illinois
QB-- Chris Streveler, South Dakota
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
OL-- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois

2018

QB-- Taryn Christion, South Dakota State
LB-- Dalton Cox, South Dakota State
LB-- Armand Dellovade, Youngstown State
OL-- Jacob Mamin, Southern Illinois
DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
QB-- Easton Stick, North Dakota State
RB-- Marcus Weymiller, UNI

2019

OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
TE-- Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
RB-- Garrett Malstrom, North Dakota State
LB-- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota State
OL-- Evan Greenway, South Dakota State
OL-- Jacob Mamin, Southern Illinois
DB-- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
LB-- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
DB-- Kyle Hegedus, Youngstown State

2020 (Spring 2021)

LB-- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
OL-- ZeVeyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
OL-- Wes Genant, South Dakota State
LB-- Jackson Hankey, North Dakota State
OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
LB-- James Kaczor, North Dakota State
P-- Brady Schutt, South Dakota
WR-- Tony Tate, Western Illinois
LB-- Preston Teitzlaff, South Dakota State

2021

LB -- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
LB -- Jackson Hankey, North Dakota State
OL -- Aron Johnson, South Dakota State
P -- Brady Schutt, South Dakota
LB -- Zeke Vandenberg, Illinois State
OL -- Matt Waletzko, North Dakota



Indiana State's Troy Lefevra earned league all-academic honors three-straight seasons (1997-98-99).

CoSIDA Academic All-Americans

1985

First Team

RB-- Jeff McKinney, Western Illinois

1986

Second Team

DT-- Todd Auer, Western Illinois

1987

Second Team

OT-- Tim Harper, Western Illinois

1988

First Team

QB-- Paul Singer, Western Illinois
C-- Dan Hackman, Illinois State
RB-- Chuck Harmke, Southern Illinois

1989

First Team

C-- Dan Hackman, Illinois State

Second Team

QB-- Eric Arnold, Eastern Illinois

1991

First Team

OT-- David Fierke, Western Illinois
DL-- Dwayne Summers, S. Illinois
LB-- Jon Manley, Southern Illinois

Second Team

RB-- Mike Schulte, UNI
OT-- Tim McDuffey, Missouri State
LB-- Eric Christensen, Indiana State

1994

Second Team

TE-- Tim Achterberg, Illinois State
RB-- Tim Ardis, Western Illinois
LB-- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois

1995

First Team

RB-- Keith Goodnight, Illinois State
LB-- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois

Second Team

TE-- Tim Achterberg, Illinois State
LB-- Chris Anderson, Eastern Illinois

1993 All-Americans - Organization

1993 - Associated Press

First Team

DB-- Rodney Harrison, W. Illinois

Second Team

PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State
LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
DB-- Adrion Smith, Missouri State

Third Team

OL-- Shawn Moore, Indiana State

1993 - The Sports Network

First Team

DB-- Rodney Harrison, W. Illinois

Second Team

LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
DB-- Adrion Smith, Missouri State
RS-- Jason McCleary, UNI

Third Team

WR-- Tim Mosley, UNI
LB-- Ken McMillan, Western Illinois
P-- Tim Mosley, UNI

Honorable Mention

OL-- Richard Huddleston, W. Illinois
DL-- Clint Cullen, Illinois State
DB-- Jason McCleary, UNI
PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State

1993 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

OL-- Shawn Moore, Indiana State
PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State
LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
DB-- Rodney Harrison, Western Illinois

1993 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

Second Team

PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State
LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
DB-- Adrion Smith, Missouri State

Third Team

LB-- Ken McMillan, Western Illinois
DB-- Rodney Harrison, W. Illinois

1993 - Walter Camp

First Team

DB-- Adrion Smith, Missouri State

1994 All-Americans - Organization

1994 - Associated Press

First Team

LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
P-- Ross Schulte, W. Illinois

Second Team

DL-- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana St.

Third Team

RS-- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois
LB-- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
DB-- Ray McElroy, Eastern Illinois
DB-- Jason McCleary, UNI

1994 - The Sports Network

First Team

LB-- Andre Allen, UNI

Second Team

PR-- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois

Third Team

P-- Ross Schulte, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI
TE-- Matt Harken, UNI
OT-- Adam Love, Western Illinois
OG-- Richard Huddleston, W. Illinois
OC-- Donald Mumma, UNI
QB-- Rob St. Sauver, W. Illinois
PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State
PK-- Matt Waller, UNI
DE-- Armandos Fisher, Illinois State
DT-- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana St.
DT-- Dustin Rusch, Indiana State
LB-- DeLaun Fowler, Missouri State
LB-- Jason Vasconez, W. Illinois
CB-- Jason McCleary, UNI
S-- Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois
KR-- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois

1994 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

DL-- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana State
LB-- Andre Allen, UNI
P-- Ross Schulte, Western Illinois

1994 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

Second Team

DL-- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana St.
LB-- Andre Allen, UNI

Third Team

DB-- Jason McCleary, UNI
P-- Ross Schulte, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

WR-- Gunnard Twyner, W. Illinois
WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI
TE-- Matt Harken, UNI
OL-- Dan Bower, UNI
OL-- Jeff Gill, Southern Illinois
OL-- Richard Huddleston, W. Illinois
OL-- Adam Love, Western Illinois
OL-- Donald Mumma, UNI
OL-- Andy Ziebarth, Illinois State
QB-- Rob St. Sauver, W. Illinois
RB-- Willie High, Eastern Illinois
RB-- Kendall McDonald, W. Illinois
PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State
PK-- Matt Waller, UNI
RS-- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois
DL-- Armandos Fisher, Illinois State
DL-- Brian Moretz, UNI
DL-- Dustin Rusch, Indiana State
DL-- Kevin Zeng, Eastern Illinois
LB-- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
LB-- Jason Vasconez, W. Illinois

DB-- Duane Butler, Illinois State
DB-- Myron Glass, UNI
DB-- Jason McCleary, UNI
DB-- Ray McElroy, Eastern Illinois
DB-- Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois

1994 - Walter Camp

No Team Selected

1995 All-Americans - Organization

1995 - Associated Press

First Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI

1995 - The Sports Network

First Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI
DL-- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana St.
LB-- DeLaun Fowler, Missouri State

Second Team

LB-- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois
DB-- Darnell Hendricks, S. Illinois
RS-- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois

Third Team

P-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State
C-- Luke Hake, Missouri State

1995 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI

1995 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

RB-- Willie High, Eastern Illinois
WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI
PK-- Tom Allison, Indiana State
LB-- Tim Carver, Eastern Illinois

Second Team

LB-- Chris Libaire, Indiana State
RS-- Buck Phillips, Western Illinois

Third Team

PK-- Todd Kurz, Illinois State
LB-- Kevin Hammond, UNI

Honorable Mention

DL-- Dan Brandenburg, Indiana State
DL-- Brian Moretz, UNI
LB-- DeLaun Fowler, Missouri State
DB-- Darnell Hendricks, S. Illinois
P-- Chris Hurst, Missouri State

1995 - Walter Camp

First Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI

1996 All-Americans - Organization

1996 - Associated Press

First Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI
PK-- Wayne Boyer, Missouri State
DL-- Mike Miano, Missouri State
P-- Mark Gagliano, S. Illinois

Second Team

DB-- Tyree Talton, UNI

Third Team

LB-- Richard Moss, Indiana State

1996 - The Sports Network

First Team

PK-- Wayne Boyer, Missouri State

P-- Mark Gagliano, S. Illinois

Second Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI

DB-- Tyree Talton, UNI

Third Team

OL-- Andy Ziebarth, Illinois State

DL-- Mike Miano, Missouri State

KR-- Tyree Talton, UNI

1996 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI

PK-- Wayne Boyer, Missouri State

P-- Mark Gagliano, Southern Illinois

1996 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI

RB-- Michael Cosey, Missouri State

PK-- Wayne Boyer, Missouri State

Second Team

TE-- Damon Jones, S. Illinois

DB-- Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois

P-- Mark Gagliano, S. Illinois

Third Team

OL-- Chip McPheeters, W. Illinois

OL-- Andy Ziebarth, Illinois State

RB-- Brian Knuckles, W. Illinois

KR-- Tyree Talton, UNI

DB-- Tyree Talton, UNI

Honorable Mention

DL-- Ryan Culver, Western Illinois

DL-- Eric Johnson, Illinois State

DL-- Mike Miano, Missouri State

LB-- Vince Bruno, Western Illinois

LB-- Tim Miller, UNI

LB-- Richard Moss, Indiana State

LB-- Dannie Spann, UNI

PK-- Keith Jones, Western Illinois

1996 - Walter Camp

First Team

WR-- Dedic Ward, UNI

PK-- Wayne Boyer, Missouri State

P-- Mark Gagliano, S. Illinois

1997 All-Americans - Organization

1997 - Associated Press

First Team

RB-- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

OL-- Matt Hogg, Youngstown State

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

DL-- Harry Deligianis, Youngstown St.

Second Team

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI

OL-- Todd Kollar, Youngstown State

DB-- Dwyte Smiley, Youngstown St.

Third Team

DB-- Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois

1997 - The Sports Network

First Team

RB-- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

OL-- Matt Hogg, Youngstown State

DL-- Harry Deligianis, Youngstown

Second Team

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI

OL-- Brad Kubik, Missouri State

DL-- Cyron Brown, Western Illinois

DB-- Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

Third Team

OL-- Todd Kollar, Youngstown State

OL-- Chip McPheeters, W. Illinois

LB-- Matt Pedersen, UNI

DB-- Robert High, Indiana State

1997 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

OL-- Matt Hogg, Youngstown State

RB-- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

DL-- Harry Deligianis, Youngstown St.

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

1997 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

OL-- Jason Grott, Western Illinois

RB-- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

Second Team

OL-- Chip McPheeters, W. Illinois

DL-- Cyron Brown, Western Illinois

DL-- Erik Nelson, UNI

LB-- Matt Pedersen, UNI

DB-- Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois

Third Team

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI

DL-- Shannon Jackson, Indiana State

DB-- Kyle Bibbs, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

OL-- Brad Kubik, Missouri State

OL-- Corey Olson, Western Illinois

OL-- Andy Pattee, UNI

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

PK-- Keith Jones, W. Illinois

RS-- Ty Talton, UNI

RS-- Jamaine Blalock, W. Illinois

DL-- Harry Deligianis, Youngstown St.

DL-- Dave Watson, W. Illinois

LB-- Joe Dunn, Indiana State

DB-- Mike Carter, Western Illinois

DB-- Ty Talton, UNI

1997 - Walter Camp

First Team

RB-- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

OL-- Matt Hogg, Youngstown State

OL-- Todd Kollar, Youngstown State

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

DL-- Cyron Brown, Western Illinois

DB-- Frank Spraggins, W. Illinois

1997 - ESPN/SportsTicker

First Team

RB-- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

OL-- Matt Hogg, Youngstown State

OL-- Chip McPheeters, W. Illinois

DL-- Harry Deligianis, Youngstown

Second Team

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI

OL-- Todd Kollar, Youngstown State

LB-- Tom Paolucci, Youngstown State

1998 All-Americans - Organization

1998 - Associated Press

First Team

DE-- David Bowens, Western Illinois

LB-- James Milton, Western Illinois

Second Team

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI

LB-- Matt Pedersen, UNI

Third Team

RB-- Karlton Carpenter, S. Illinois

WR-- Rickey Garrett, Illinois State

OL-- Brad Meester, UNI

DL-- Chad Pegues, Illinois State

1998 - The Sports Network

First Team

DL-- David Bowens, Western Illinois

LB-- James Milton, Western Illinois

Second Team

LB-- Galen Scott, Illinois State

Third Team

RB-- Karlton Carpenter, S. Illinois

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI

OL-- Brad Meester, UNI

DB-- Dwyte Smiley, Youngstown State

1998 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

LB-- James Milton, Western Illinois

DL-- Chad Pegues, Illinois State

1998 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

DL-- David Bowens, Western Illinois

DL-- Troy Lefevra, Indiana State

DL-- Dave Watson, Western Illinois

LB-- Galen Scott, Illinois State

LB-- James Milton, Western Illinois

Second Team

RB-- Karlton Carpenter, S. Illinois

WR-- Rickey Garrett, Illinois State

OL-- Brad Meester, UNI

Third Team

DB-- Dwyte Smiley, Youngstown State

DL-- Erik Nelson, UNI

Honorable Mention

QB-- Kevin Glenn, Illinois State

RB-- Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI

OL-- Ian Shirey, Youngstown State

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

DL-- Chad Pegues, Illinois State

CoSIDA Academic

All-Americans

1997

Second Team

DB-- Jeff Killeen, Missouri State

1998

First Team

DB-- Anthony Pannunzio, YSU

Second Team

P/K-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

1999

First Team

OL-- Brad Meester, UNI

Second Team

PK-- Travis Brawner, Missouri State

DB-- Jeff Killeen, Missouri State

2000

First Team

LB-- Adam Waugh, Illinois State

2001

First Team

LB-- Adam Waugh, Illinois State

2002

First Team

DB-- Brian Lowder, Western Kentucky

2003

First Team

FS-- Scott Thiessen, Youngstown State

2004

First Team

PK-- Justin Langan, Western Illinois

Second Team

OL-- Perry Cox, Western Illinois

2005

First Team

OL-- Perry Cox, Western Illinois

2006

First Team

WR-- James Lindgren, UNI

2008

First Team

WR-- Kole Heckendorf, N. Dakota State

RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State

RB-- Tyler Roehl, North Dakota State

Second Team

DL-- Nick Compton, N. Dakota State

LB-- Josh Mahoney, UNI

OL-- Kevin Robling, S. Dakota State

2009

First Team

LB-- Josh Mahoney, UNI

RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State

Second Team

DB-- Conrad Kjerstad, S. Dakota State

FS-- Mike McElroy, Southern Illinois

DL-- Dan Millington, Indiana State

2010

First Team

WR-- Joe Allaria, Southern Illinois

DL-- Chance Coda, Southern Illinois

LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois

RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State

Second Team

OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State

PK-- Stephen Blose, Youngstown State

DL-- Ben Boothby, UNI

RB-- Tyler Duffy, South Dakota State

OL-- David Pickard, Southern Illinois

CoSIDA Academic All-Americans

2011 First Team

DT-- Ben Boothby, UNI
OL-- David Pickard, Southern Illinois
DB-- Alex Sewall, Indiana State

2012 Second Team

DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State

2013 First Team

WR-- Jason Schneider, S. Dakota State
RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
S-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State

Second Team

OL-- Jimmy Holtschlag, Western Illinois
OL-- Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois

2014 First Team

QB-- Carson Wentz, North Dakota State
WR-- Jason Schneider, South Dakota St.
RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
OL-- Corey Boemer, Southern Illinois
OL-- Nick Purcell, South Dakota State
DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
LB-- Esley Thorton, North Dakota State
DL-- Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State

Second Team

OL-- Jesse Hinz, North Dakota State
LB-- Tyler Williamson, Southern Illinois

2015 First Team

QB-- Carson Wentz, North Dakota State
OL-- Jacob Rathmacher, UNI
DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
DL-- Karter Schult, UNI
DB-- Nick Mears, South Dakota State

Second Team

WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
DL-- Isaac Ales, UNI
DL-- Shayne Gottlob, South Dakota State
DL-- Steve Zaborsky, Youngstown State

2016 First Team

DB-- Nick Mears, South Dakota State
DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
DL-- Karter Schult, UNI
WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State

Second Team

OL-- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois

2017 First Team

OL-- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois

Second Team

RB-- Marcus Weymiller, UNI
OL-- Wes Genant, South Dakota State
LB-- Dalton Cox, South Dakota State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois

2018 First Team

LB-- Dalton Cox, South Dakota State
OL-- Wes Genant, South Dakota State
OL-- Jacob Marnin, Southern Illinois
DE-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
RB-- Marcus Weymiller, UNI

Second Team

QB-- Easton Stick, North Dakota State

2019 First Team

OL-- Jacob Marnin, Southern Illinois
DB-- Kyle Hegedus, Youngstown State

Second Team

LB-- Jackson Hankey, North Dakota State

LB-- Matt Pedersen, UNI
PK-- Joe Lopez, Western Illinois
LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
RS-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State

1998 - Walter Camp First Team

DL-- David BOWENS, W. Illinois
LB-- James Milton, Western Illinois
DB-- Dwyte Smiley, Youngstown St.
OL-- Casey Honkomp, W. Illinois

1999 All-Americans - Organization

1999 - Associated Press First Team

WR-- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
OC-- Brad Meester, UNI
DL-- Damian Gregory, Illinois State
LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois

Second Team

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI
LB-- Ian Dominelli, Youngstown St.
LB-- Matt Pedersen, UNI

Third Team

OL-- Ian Shirey, Youngstown State
DB-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State

1999 - The Sports Network First Team

WR-- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
OC-- Brad Meester, UNI
LB-- Ian Dominelli, Youngstown State
LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
DB-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State

Second Team

WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI
DL-- Damian Gregory, Illinois State
LB-- Matt Pedersen, UNI
DB-- Dwyte Smiley, Youngstown State

Third Team

OL-- Mike Rodbro, Illinois State
DL-- Shannon Jackson, Indiana State
DB-- Sam Young, Illinois State

1999 - AFCA (Coaches) First Team

WR-- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
OL-- Brad Meester, UNI
DL-- Damian Gregory, Illinois State
RS-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State

1999 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News First Team

WR-- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI
OC-- Brad Meester, UNI
OG-- Mike Rodbro, Illinois State
DL-- Damian Gregory, Illinois State
LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
DB-- Sam Young, Illinois State

Second Team

TE-- Brad St. Louis, Missouri State
QB-- Ryan Helming, UNI
LB-- Ian Dominelli, Youngstown St.

OC-- Ian Shirey, Youngstown State
LB-- Matt Pedersen, UNI

Third Team

TE-- J.R. Niklos, Western Illinois
RB-- Charles Tharp, Western Illinois
RS-- Aveion Cason, Illinois State
LB-- Galen Scott, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

RB-- Adrian Brown, Youngstown St.
OL-- Casey Honkomp, W. Illinois
OL-- Rich Seubert, Western Illinois
DL-- Dave Watson, Western Illinois
DL-- Shannon Jackson, Indiana St.
DL-- Troy Lefevra, Indiana State
DB-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State
DB-- Dwyte Smiley, Youngstown St.
DB-- Derrick Varnado, W. Illinois
P-- Anthony Rozzo, Youngstown St.
RS-- Mike Furrey, UNI

1999 - Walter Camp First Team

WR-- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI
OL-- Ian Shirey, Youngstown State
LB-- Ian Dominelli, Youngstown State
LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois

1999 - Teamlink.com First Team

WR-- Cornell Craig, Southern Illinois
WR-- Mike Furrey, UNI
TE-- Brad St. Louis, Missouri State
LB-- Ian Dominelli, Youngstown State
LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
DB-- DeJuan Alfonzo, Indiana State

Second Team

OC-- Brad Meester, UNI
DL-- Shannon Jackson, Indiana State

Third Team

QB-- Ryan Helming, UNI
OL-- Mike Rodbro, Illinois State
OC-- Ian Shirey, Youngstown State
DL-- Damian Gregory, Illinois State
DL-- Troy Lefevra, Indiana State
LB-- Matt Pedersen, UNI

2000 All-Americans - Organization

2000 - Associated Press First Team

LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
LB-- Tim Johnson, Youngstown St.

Second Team

QB-- Ryan Helming, UNI
WR-- Eddie Berlin, UNI
DB-- Ryan Doak, UNI
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

Third Team

RB-- Charles Tharp, Western Illinois
DB-- Will Peterson, Western Illinois

2000 - The Sports Network First Team

QB-- Ryan Helming, UNI

WR-- Eddie Berlin, UNI
LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
LB-- Tim Johnson, Youngstown State
DB-- Ryan Doak, UNI

Second Team

OL-- Dan Hama, Illinois State
OL-- Rich Seubert, Western Illinois
DB-- Ryan Szokola, Illinois State
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

Third Team

OL-- Brad Harms, UNI

2000 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

LB-- Tim Johnson, Youngstown St.
LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois

2000 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
LB-- Tim Johnson, Youngstown St.
DB-- Ryan Doak, UNI
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

Second Team

WR-- Eddie Berlin, UNI

Third Team

RB-- Charles Tharp, W. Illinois
OL-- Dan Hama, Illinois State
LB-- Galen Scott, Illinois State
DB-- Ryan Szokola, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

TE-- J.R. Niklos, Western Illinois
WR-- Jeff Hewitt, Missouri State
QB-- Ryan Helming, UNI
QB-- Jeff Ryan, Youngstown State
RB-- Tom Koutsos, Southern Illinois
RB-- Willie Watts, Illinois State
OL-- Brad Harms, UNI
OL-- Andy King, Illinois State
OL-- Rich Seubert, Western Illinois
DL-- Luis Almanzar, Missouri State
DL-- Devon Finn, Illinois State
DL-- Tavita Tovio, Southern Illinois
DB-- Will Peterson, Western Illinois
DB-- Sam Young, Illinois State
PK-- Jake Strader, Illinois State

2000 - Walter Camp

First Team

LB-- Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois
LB-- Tim Johnson, Youngstown State
DB-- Ryan Doak, UNI

2001 All-Americans - Organization

2001 - Associated Press First Team

OL-- Pat Crummey, Youngstown St.
LB-- Adam Vogt, UNI
DB-- Mel Mitchell, Western Ky.

Second Team

PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
LB-- Erik Dandy, Western Ky.
DB-- LeVar Greene, Youngstown St.

Third Team

OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky

**2001 - The Sports Network
First Team**

OL-- Pat Crumme, Youngstown State
PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
LB-- Erik Dandy, Western Kentucky
LB-- Adam Vogt, UNI
DB-- LeVar Greene, Youngstown State
DB-- Mel Mitchell, Western Kentucky

Second Team

OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky

Third Team

OL-- Chad Setterstrom, UNI
LB-- Sherrod Coates, Western Ky.

2001 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

OL-- Pat Crumme, Youngstown St.
DB-- Mel Mitchell, Western Ky.

**2001 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News
First Team**

PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
LB-- P.J. Jones, Missouri State
DB-- LeVar Greene, Youngstown St.

Second Team

OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky

Third Team

OL-- Chad Setterstrom, UNI

Honorable Mention

TE-- Ryan Hannam, UNI
TE-- J.R. Niklos, Western Illinois
WR-- Frisman Jackson, W. Illinois
WR-- Jake Soliday, UNI
QB-- Sam Clemons, Western Illinois
QB-- Julian Reese, Indiana State
QB-- Jeff Ryan, Youngstown State
RB-- Adam Bengé, UNI
RB-- P.J. Mays, Youngstown State
OL-- Pat Crumme, Youngstown St.
OL-- Gabe Dunkman, Western Illinois
OL-- Dave Tesniarz, Youngstown St.
OL-- Ted Wulf, Illinois State
DL-- Richard Harris, Indiana State
DL-- Mike O'Brien, Western Illinois
LB-- Jason McWilliams, W. Illinois
LB-- Lee Russell, Western Illinois
LB-- Bart Scott, Southern Illinois
LB-- Russell Stuvaints, YSU
LB-- Adam Vogt, UNI
DB-- Bruce Hightower, YSU
DB-- Terrance Miles, Indiana State
DB-- Mel Mitchell, Western Kentucky
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois
KR-- Jerald Burley, Youngstown St.
KR-- Adam Bengé, UNI
KR-- Joseph Jefferson, Western Ky.
KR-- Mel Mitchell, Western Kentucky
KR-- Jake Soliday, UNI

2001 - Walter Camp

First Team

OL-- Pat Crumme, Youngstown State
OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky
DB-- Mel Mitchell, Western Kentucky
DB-- LeVar Greene, Youngstown State
PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI

2002 All-Americans - Organization

2002 - Associated Press

First Team

OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky
LB-- Sherrod Coates, Western Ky.
PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

Second Team

RB-- P.J. Mays, Youngstown State
OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.
LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
DB-- Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois

Third Team

PK-- Justin Langan, Western Illinois
WR-- Stacy Coleman, W. Illinois
DL-- Jonathan Friend, Illinois State

2002 - The Sports Network

First Team

RB-- Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky
PK-- Justin Langan, Western Illinois
LB-- Sherrod Coates, Western Ky.
LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

Second Team

PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
RB-- P.J. Mays, Youngstown State
OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Kentucky
DL-- Jonathan Friend, Illinois State
DB-- Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois

Third Team

WR-- Stacy Coleman, Western Illinois
TE-- R.J. Luke, Western Illinois
OL-- Chad Setterstrom, UNI
LB-- Lee Russell, Western Illinois

2002 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky
PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

2002 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

RB-- Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
TE-- R.J. Luke, Western Illinois
OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky
PK-- Justin Langan, Western Illinois
DL-- Brian Caesar, Western Illinois
LB-- Sherrod Coates, Western Ky.
LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

Second Team

PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

WR-- Stacy Coleman, W. Illinois
DL-- Jonathan Friend, Illinois State
LB-- Dietrich Lapsley, Indiana State

Third Team

RS-- Soso Dede, Indiana State
DL-- Richard Harris, Indiana State

Honorable Mention

OL-- Chad Setterstrom, UNI
DB-- Victor Campbell, W. Illinois
RS-- Reggie Gray, Western Illinois
DB-- Travis Washington, W. Illinois
RB-- P.J. Mays, Youngstown State

2002 - Walter Camp

First Team

RB-- Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
OL-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky
PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
LB-- Sherrod Coates, Western Ky.
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

2002 - I-AA.org

First Team

OT-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.
OG-- Chris Price, Western Kentucky
FB-- Jeremi Johnson, Western Ky.
TB-- Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU
LB-- Sherrod Coates, Western Ky.
LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
PK-- Mackenzie Hoambrecker, UNI
P-- Mike Scifres, Western Illinois

2003 All-Americans - Organization

2003 - Associated Press

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.
LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
DB-- Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois

Second Team

OL-- Ben Deike, UNI
OL-- Elmer McDaniel, S. Illinois
PK-- Matt Lange, Western Kentucky
DL-- Ray Robinson, Illinois State
LB-- Lee Russell, Western Illinois

Third Team

OL-- Fred Layne, Western Illinois
DL-- Matt Mitchell, UNI
LB-- Erik Dandy, Western Kentucky

2003 - The Sports Network

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Kentucky
LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State
LB-- Lee Russell, Western Illinois

Second Team

OL-- Ben Deike, UNI
OL-- Elmer McDaniel, Southern Illinois
PK-- Matt Lange, Western Kentucky
DL-- Ray Robinson, Illinois State
LB-- Erik Dandy, Western Kentucky

Third Team

OL-- Fred Layne, Western Illinois
DL-- Matt Mitchell, UNI
DL-- Mike O'Brien, Western Illinois

**CoSIDA Academic
All-Americans**

**2020 (Spring 2021)
First Team**

OL-- Wes Genant, South Dakota State
Second Team
LB-- Logan Backhaus, South Dakota State
OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State

2021

First Team

OL-- Wes Genant, South Dakota State
DL-- Reece Winkelman, S. Dakota State

Second Team

DL-- Lane Tucker, North Dakota State
LB-- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
ST-- Dalton Godfrey, South Dakota

National Player/Coach of the Year Awards

1990

QB DeAndre Smith, MSU (Hansen's)

1995

Bob Spoo, Eastern Illinois (Hansen's)

1997

Jim Tressel, Youngstown St. (Hansen's)

Jim Tressel, Youngstown St. (Chevrolet)

RB Aaron Stecker, W. Illinois (Hansen's)

1998

LB James Milton, W. Illinois (Hansen's)

LB James Milton, WIU (Sports Network)

1999

Todd Berry, Illinois State (Hansen's)

WR Cornell Craig, S. Illinois (Hansen's)

DB Sam Young, Illinois St. (Hansen's)

2000

LB Edgerton Hartwell, WIU (Hansen's)

2002

Jack Harbaugh, Western Ky. (AFCA)

Jack Harbaugh, Western Ky. (Hansen's)

2003

LB Boomer Grigsby, Illinois St. (I-AA.org)

2004

LB Boomer Grigsby, Illinois St. (I-AA.org)

Jerry Kill, S. Illinois (Sports Network)

2006

RB Arkee Whitlock, S. Illinois (CSN)

2007

Mark Farley, UNI (Sports Network)

Jerry Kill, SIU (Liberty Mutual)

2012

Craig Bohl, NDSU (AFCA)

Craig Bohl, NDSU (Sports Network)

2013

Craig Bohl, NDSU (AFCA)

Craig Bohl, NDSU (Sports Network)

Craig Bohl, NDSU (Liberty Mutual)

2014

Chris Klieman, NDSU (Rawlings)

Zach Zenner, SDSU (Capital One Academic)

Zach Zenner, SDSU (Mickey Charles Award)

Kyle Emanuel, NDSU (Sports Network)

Kyle Emanuel, NDSU (CSN)

Kyle Emanuel, NDSU (FCS ADA)

2015

Carson Wentz, NDSU (CoSIDA)

Academic All-American of the Year

2016

DE Karter Schult (STATS)

DE Karter Schult (FCS ADA)

2017

WR Jake Wieneke, SDSU (Doris Robinson Scholar-Athlete of the Year)

OL Jacob Ohnesorge, SDSU

(Rimington Award)

2018

OL Tanner Volson, NDSU (Rimington Award)

LB-- Karl Maslowski, Western Ky.

DB-- Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois

2003 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Kentucky

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

2003 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

PK-- Matt Lange, Western Kentucky

DL-- Mike O'Brien, Western Illinois

LB-- Erik Dandy, Western Kentucky

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

Second Team

OL-- Elmer McDaniel, S. Illinois

OL-- Fred Layne, Western Illinois

Third Team

RB-- Travis Glasford, W. Illinois

DL-- Kyle Mitchell, Indiana State

LB-- Karl Maslowski, Western Ky.

DB-- Jeremy Chandler, Western Ky.

2003 - Walter Camp

No Team Selected

2003 - I-AA.org

First Team

OT-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

QB-- Russ Michna, Western Illinois

LB-- Lee Russell, Western Illinois

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

2003 - CSTV

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

LB-- Lee Russell, Western Illinois

Second Team

PK-- Matt Lange, Western Kentucky

DL-- Ray Robinson, Illinois State

2003 - Dopke.com

First Team

OL-- Ben Deike, UNI

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

Second Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

OL-- Fred Layne, Western Illinois

LB-- Lee Russell, Western Illinois

PK-- Matt Lange, Western Kentucky

2004 All-Americans - Organization

2004 - Associated Press

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

OL-- Elmer McDaniel, S. Illinois

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

PK-- Jon Scifres, Missouri State

Second Team

PK-- Craig Coffin, Southern Illinois

DB-- Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois

Third Team

RB-- Travis Glasford, W. Illinois

DB-- Darren Barnett, Missouri State

P-- Brian Claybourn, Western Ky.

2004 - The Sports Network

First Team

OL-- Elmer McDaniel, Southern Illinois

PK-- Jon Scifres, Missouri State

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

Second Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Kentucky

DB-- Alexis Moreland, Southern Illinois

Third Team

RB-- Travis Glasford, W. Illinois

DB-- Antonio Thomas, Western Ky.

P-- Brian Claybourn, Western Ky.

2004 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Kentucky

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

PK-- Justin Langan, Western Illinois

2004 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

Second Team

PK-- Jon Scifres, Missouri State

Third Team

RB-- Travis Glasford, W. Illinois

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

2004 - Walter Camp

First Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

OL-- Elmer McDaniel, S. Illinois

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

2004 - I-AA.org

First Team

OT-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

LB-- Charles Thompson, WKU

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

DB-- Alexis Moreland, S. Illinois

PK-- Jon Scifres, Missouri State

2004 - Dopke.com

First Team

OL-- Elmer McDaniel, Southern Illinois

LB-- Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State

DB-- Darren Barnett, Missouri State

PK-- Jon Scifres, Missouri State

Second Team

OL-- Buster Ashley, Western Ky.

PK-- Kyle Hooper, Indiana State

P-- Ryan Hoffman, Illinois State

Third Team

OL-- Luke Stigler, UNI

DB-- Antonio Thomas, Western Ky.

2005 All-Americans - Organization

2005 - Associated Press

First Team

WR-- Laurént Robinson, Illinois State

OL-- Stafford Davis, Illinois State

DE-- Brent Hawkins, Illinois State

Second Team

LB-- Darin Heideman, UNI

DB-- Codera Jackson, Youngstown St.

Third Team

RB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois

TE-- Jamie Petrowski, Indiana State

OL-- Erik Losey, Western Kentucky

DL-- John Hermann, UNI

LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State

DB-- Antonio Thomas, Western Ky.

2005 - The Sports Network

First Team

WR-- Laurént Robinson, Illinois State

OL-- Stafford Davis, Illinois State

DE-- Brent Hawkins, Illinois State

Second Team

LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State

DB-- Codera Jackson, Youngstown St.

Third Team

TE-- Jamie Petrowski, Indiana State

2005 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

WR-- Laurént Robinson, Illinois State

RB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois

OL-- Stafford Davis, Illinois State

OL-- Erik Losey, Illinois State

2005 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News

First Team

WR-- Laurént Robinson, Illinois State

DB-- Tanner Varner, UNI

Second Team

RB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois

OL-- Stafford Davis, Illinois State

LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

DE-- Brent Hawkins, Illinois State

2005 - Walter Camp

First Team

WR-- Laurént Robinson, Illinois State

DL-- Brent Hawkins, Illinois State

2005 - I-AA.org

First Team

WR-- Laurént Robinson, Illinois State

OL-- Stafford Davis, Illinois State

AB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois

DE-- Brent Hawkins, Illinois State

LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State

PK-- Chris James, Western Kentucky

2006 All-Americans - Organization

**2006 - Associated Press
First Team**

RB-- Marcus Mason, Youngstown St.
RB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State
DB-- Dre Dokes, UNI

Second Team

RB-- Pierre Rembert, Illinois State
OL-- Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
OL-- Chad Rinehart, UNI
DB-- Jason Perry, Youngstown State

Third Team

DB-- Codera Jackson, Youngstown St.

**2006 - The Sports Network
First Team**

RB-- Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
RB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
OL-- Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
PK-- Craig Coffin, Southern Illinois
LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State
DB-- Dre Dokes, UNI

Second Team

OL-- Will Justice, Southern Illinois
OL-- Chad Rinehart, UNI
DB-- Jason Perry, Youngstown State

Third Team

TE-- Braden Jones, Southern Illinois
DL-- Lorenzo Wims, Southern Illinois

**2006 - AFCA (Coaches)
First Team**

RB-- Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
DB-- Dre Dokes, UNI
AP-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois

**2006 - Don Hansen's FB Gazette/News
First Team**

RB-- Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
RB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
PK-- Craig Coffin, Southern Illinois
PK-- Brian Wingert, UNI
DB-- Dre Dokes, UNI

Second Team

OL-- Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
AP-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State
DB-- Jason Perry, Youngstown State

Third Team

RB-- Pierre Rembert, Illinois State
TE-- Braden Jones, Southern Illinois
WR-- Curtis Hamilton, Western Ky.
OL-- Chad Rinehart, UNI

Honorable Mention

RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
OL-- Chris Sullivan, Western Kentucky
OL-- Greg Ryan, Western Kentucky
KR-- Craig Turner, Southern Illinois
DE-- Lorenzo Wims, Southern Illinois
LB-- Jerome Bennett, Western Illinois
LB-- Marty Hutchinson, Youngstown St.
LB-- Kye Stewart, Illinois State
DB-- Marion Rumph, Western Kentucky

**2006 - Walter Camp
First Team**

RB-- Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
RB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
OL-- Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State
DB-- Dre Dokes, UNI

**2006 - College Sporting News
First Team**

TE-- Braden Jones, Southern Illinois
C-- Ryan Jewell, Youngstown State
RB-- Marcus Mason, Youngstown State
RB-- Arkee Whitlock, Southern Illinois
CB-- Dre Dokes, UNI
LB-- Cameron Siskowic, Illinois State
PK-- Craig Coffin, Southern Illinois

2007 All-Americans - Organization

**2007 - Associated Press
First Team**

OT-- Chad Rinehart, UNI
LB-- Brannon Carter, UNI

Second Team

OT-- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
LB-- Jason Williams, Western Illinois

Third Team

QB-- Eric Sanders, UNI
RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
OL-- Brandon Keith, UNI

**2007 - The Sports Network
First Team**

OT-- Chad Rinehart, UNI
LB-- Kye Stewart, Illinois State

Second Team

OG-- Barret Anderson, UNI
DT-- Mark Huygens, UNI
LB-- Jason Williams, Western Illinois
PR-- Johnny Gray, UNI

Third Team

DT-- Mychal Savage, Youngstown State
LB-- Chauncey Mixon, Southern Illinois
LB-- Brannon Carter, UNI

Honorable Mention

QB-- Nick Hill, Southern Illinois
QB-- Eric Sanders, UNI
RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
RB-- Corey Lewis, UNI
TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
WR-- Johnny Gray, UNI
OL-- Eric Hoffman, UNI
OL-- Brandon Keith, UNI
OL-- Darren Marquez, Southern Illinois
OL-- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
OL-- Isaiah Wiggins, Illinois State
DL-- James Cloud, Southern Illinois
LB-- Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois
LB-- James Terry, Youngstown State
DB-- Patrick Stoudamire, W. Illinois
DB-- Jesse Caesar, Illinois State

DB-- Clayton Johnson, Southern Illinois
DB-- Clifford Waters, UNI
PK-- Brian Palmer, Youngstown State
PK-- Taylor Rowan, Western Illinois
P-- Scott Ravanese, Southern Illinois
KR-- Craig Turner, Southern Illinois
PR-- Craig Turner, Southern Illinois

**2007 - AFCA (Coaches)
First Team**

OT-- Chad Rinehart, UNI
LB-- Jason Williams, Western Illinois

**2007 - Walter Camp
First Team**

OT-- Chad Rinehart, UNI
LB-- Kye Stewart, Illinois State

**2007 - College Sporting News
First Team**

OT-- Chad Rinehart, UNI
LB-- Kye Stewart, Illinois State
DL-- Mark Huygens, UNI
PK-- Taylor Rowan, Western Illinois

2008 All-Americans - Organization

**2008 - Associated Press
First Team**

RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
LB-- Jason Williams, Western Illinois
AP-- Larry Warner, Southern Illinois

Second Team

TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
DL-- James Ruffin, UNI

Third Team

DT-- Everette Pedescleaux, UNI
DB-- Nick Schommer, N. Dakota State
OL-- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State

**2008 - The Sports Network
First Team**

RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
LB-- Jason Williams, Western Illinois

Second Team

OG-- Aaron Lockwood, Southern Illinois
DT-- Everette Pedescleaux, UNI

Third Team

FB-- Dre Gibbs, Western Illinois
DE-- James Ruffin, UNI
CB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois
KR-- Larry Warner, Southern Illinois

Honorable Mention

QB-- Ryan Berry, South Dakota State
RB-- Corey Lewis, UNI
WR-- JaRon Harris, South Dakota State
TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
OC-- Zach Harrington, N. Dakota State
OC-- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
OC-- Austin Steichen, Northern Iowa
OC-- Jonathan St-Pierre, Illinois State
PK-- Billy Hallgren, UNI
LB-- De'Veon Harris, UNI

2019

QB Trey Lance, NDSU (Payton Award)
QB Trey Lance, NDSU (Rice Award)
QB Trey Lance, NDSU (FCS ADA)
QB Trey Lance, NDSU (Phil Steele)
Matt Entz, NDSU (AFCA Coach of the Year)
Matt Entz, NDSU (Phil Steele)

2021

Matt Entz, NDSU (AFCA Coach of the Year)
OL ZeVeyon Furcron, SIU (Doris Robinson Scholar-Athlete of the Year)

AFCA Coaching Honors

Year, Coach (Region)

1985 -- Darrell Mudra, UNI (Region 4)
1986 -- Al Molde, EIU (Region 4)
1988 -- Bruce Craddock, WIU (Region 5)
1989 -- Jesse Branch, MSU (Region 5)
1990 -- Jesse Branch, MSU (Region 5)
1992 -- Terry Allen, UNI (Region 5)
1995 -- Bob Spoo, EIU (Region 5)
1996 -- Terry Allen, UNI (Region 4)
1998 -- Randy Ball, WIU (Region 4)
1999 -- Todd Berry, ILS (Region 4)
2000 -- Don Patterson, WIU (Region 4)
2001 -- Mark Farley, UNI (Region 4)
2002 -- Don Patterson, WIU (Region 4)
2003 -- Jerry Kill, SIU (Region 4)
2004 -- Jerry Kill, SIU (Region 4)
2005 -- Jon Heacock, YSU (Region 4)
2006 -- Jon Heacock, YSU (Region 4)
2007 -- Mark Farley, UNI (Region 4)
2008 -- Dale Lennon, SIU (Region 4)
2009 -- Dale Lennon, SIU (Region 4)
2010 -- Trent Miles, INS (Region 4)
2011 -- Craig Bohl, NDSU (Region 4)
2012 -- Trent Miles, INS (Region 4)
2013 -- Craig Bohl, NDSU (Region 4)
2014 -- Mike Sanford, INS (Region 4)
2016 -- John Stiegelmeier, SDSU (Reg. 4)
2018 -- Chris Klieman, NDSU (Region 4)
2019 -- Matt Entz, NDSU (Region 4)
2020 -- Matt Entz, NDSU (Region 4)
2021 -- Matt Entz, NDSU (Region 4)

College Football Hall of Fame

2000 - Darrell Mudra (coach)
2002 - Earle Bruce (coach)
2022 - Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State (LB)

Pro Football Hall of Fame

2016 -- Kurt Warner, UNI (QB)



Indiana State RB Shaker Bell was a runnerup finisher in the Walter Payton Award balloting in 2011.

Walter Payton Award - Past Winners

- 1987 RB Kenny Gamble, Colgate
- 1988 RB Dave Meggett, Towson State
- 1989 QB John Friesz, Idaho
- 1990 RB Walter Dean, Grambling
- 1991 QB Jamie Martin, Weber State
- 1992 QB Michael Payton, Marshall
- 1993 QB Doug Nussmeier, Idaho
- 1994 QB Steve McNair, Alcorn State
- 1995 QB Dave Dickenson, Montana
- 1996 RB Archie Amerson, N. Arizona
- 1997 WR Brian Finneran, Villanova
- 1998 RB Jerry Azumah, N. Hampshire
- 1999 RB Adrian Peterson, Ga. Southern
- 2000 RB Louis Ivory, Furman
- 2001 RB Brian Westbrook, Villanova
- 2002 QB Tony Romo, Eastern Illinois
- 2003 RB Jamaal Branch, Colgate
- 2004 QB Lang Campbell, Wm. & Mary
- 2005 QB Erik Meyer, E. Washington
- 2006 QB Ricky Santos, New Hampshire
- 2007 QB Jayson Foster, Ga. Southern
- 2008 QB Armani Edwards, App. State
- 2009 QB Armani Edwards, App. State
- 2010 QB Jeremy Moses, S.F. Austin
- 2011 QB Bo Levi Mitchell, E. Washington
- 2012 QB Taylor Heinicke, Old Dominion
- 2013 QB Jimmy Garoppolo, E. Illinois
- 2014 QB John Robertson, Villanova
- 2015 WR Cooper Kupp, E. Washington
- 2016 QB Jeremiah Briscoe, SHSU
- 2017 QB Jeremiah Briscoe, SHSU
- 2018 QB Devlin Hodges, Samford
- 2019 QB Trey Lance, N. Dakota State
- 2020 QB Cole Kelley, SE Louisiana
- 2021 QB Eric Barriere, E. Washington

Buck Buchanan Award - Past Winners

- 1995 LB Dexter Coakley, App. State
- 1996 LB Dexter Coakley, App. State
- 1997 LB Chris McNeil, N.C. A&T
- 1998 LB James Milton, W. Illinois
- 1999 DL Al Lucas, Troy State
- 2000 LB Edgerton Hartwell, WIU

2008 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

- RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
- OL-- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
- DL-- James Ruffin, UNI
- LB-- Jason Williams, Western Illinois
- OL-- Aaron Lockwood, Southern Illinois

2008 - Walter Camp

First Team

- RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois

2008 - College Sporting News

First Team

- RB-- Herb Donaldson, Western Illinois
- AB-- Larry Warner, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
- DT-- Everette Pedescleaux, UNI
- DL-- James Ruffin, UNI
- LB-- Jason Williams, Western Illinois

Honorable Mention

- OL-- Aaron Lockwood, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Austin Steichen, UNI
- OL-- Brad Samsa, Youngstown State
- DL-- Danny Batten, South Dakota State
- DB-- Nick Schommer, N. Dakota State

2009 All-Americans - Organization

2009 - Associated Press

First Team

- RB-- Deji Karim, Southern Illinois
- RB-- Pat Paschall, North Dakota State
- TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
- DE-- James Ruffin, UNI
- LB-- Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois

Second Team

- OL-- Austin Steichen, UNI
- DE-- Danny Batten, South Dakota State
- DB-- Patrick Stoudamire, W. Illinois

Third Team

- RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
- OL-- Austin Howard, UNI
- PK-- Zach Kutch, Illinois State
- DL-- Mychal Savage, Youngstown State
- DB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois

2009 - The Sports Network

First Team

- RB-- Deji Karim, Southern Illinois
- RB-- Pat Paschall, North Dakota State
- TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
- DE-- Danny Batten, South Dakota State
- DT-- Mychal Savage, Youngstown State
- LB-- Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois

Second Team

- OL-- Austin Steichen, UNI
- DB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Patrick Stoudamire, W. Illinois
- PK-- Zach Kutch, Illinois State

Third Team

- OL-- David Pickard, Southern Illinois
- DE-- James Ruffin, UNI

2009 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

- RB-- Pat Paschall, North Dakota State
- OL-- Austin Howard, UNI
- DB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois

2009 - Walter Camp

First Team

- RB-- Deji Karim, Southern Illinois
- RB-- Pat Paschall, North Dakota State
- TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
- DE-- Danny Batten, South Dakota State
- LB-- Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois

2009 - College Sporting News

First Team

- RB-- Deji Karim, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Clay Harbor, Missouri State
- DL-- Danny Batten, South Dakota State

Honorable Mention

- RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
- RB-- Pat Paschall, North Dakota State
- OL-- Ryan McKnight, South Dakota St.
- OL-- Austin Steichen, UNI
- OL-- Keith Buckman, North Dakota St.
- DE-- James Ruffin, UNI
- LB-- Derek Domino, South Dakota St.
- LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
- LB-- Brandin Jordan, Southern Illinois
- LB-- Antoine Wilkinson, Missouri State
- DB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois
- PK-- Zach Kutch, Illinois State

2010 All-Americans - Organization

2010 - Associated Press

First Team

- OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State
- LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
- DB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois

Second Team

- OL-- Ryan McKnight, South Dakota St.
- RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
- OL-- Austin Zlab, UNI

2010 - The Sports Network

First Team

- OG-- David Arkin, Missouri State
- LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
- P-- John Praelvitz, North Dakota State

Second Team

- QB-- Matt Barr, Western Illinois
- WR-- Lilo Senatus, Western Illinois
- OC-- Ryan McKnight, South Dakota St.
- CB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois

Third Team

- RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
- LB-- Antonine Wilkinson, Missouri State

2010 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

- OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State

2010 - Walter Camp

First Team

- OL-- David Arkin, Missouri State
- OL-- Ryan McKnight, South Dakota St.
- LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois

2010 - College Sporting News

First Team

- OT-- David Arkin, Missouri State
- LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
- CB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois
- C-- Ryan McKnight, South Dakota St.
- WR-- Lilo Senatus, Western Illinois

2010 - Phil Steele's

First Team

- LB-- Kyle Glazier, Western Illinois
- CB-- Corey Lindsey, Southern Illinois

Second Team

- OT-- David Arkin, Missouri State
- DT-- Ben Boothby, UNI
- OL-- Ryan McKnight, South Dakota St.
- DE-- Ben Obaseki, Indiana State
- WR-- Lilo Senatus, Western Illinois

Third Team

- DT-- Matthew Gratzek, N. Dakota State
- RB-- Kyle Minett, South Dakota State
- LB-- Antoine Wilkinson, Missouri State

Fourth Team

- RB-- Darrius Gates, Indiana State
- OL-- Austin Zlab, UNI

2011 All-Americans - Organization

2011 - Associated Press

First Team

- RB-- Shaker Bell, Indiana State
- DL-- Ben Boothby, UNI
- OL-- Paul Cornick, North Dakota State
- DL-- Ben Obaseki, Indiana State
- CB-- Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.

Second Team

- OL-- Bryan Boemer, Southern Illinois

Third Team

- LB-- L.J. Fort, UNI
- PK-- Tyler Sievertsen, UNI

2011 - The Sports Network

First Team

- RB-- Shaker Bell, Indiana State
- LB-- L.J. Fort, UNI
- CB-- Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.

Second Team

- OC-- Bryan Boemer, Southern Illinois
- DT-- Ben Boothby, UNI
- OL-- Paul Cornick, North Dakota State
- S-- Alex Sewall, Indiana State
- PK-- Tyler Sievertsen, UNI

Third Team

- FB-- Brock Lough, Indiana State
- DE-- Ben Obaseki, Indiana State

2011 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
 OC-- Bryan Boemer, Southern Illinois
 DT-- Ben Boothby, UNI
 OL-- Paul Cornick, North Dakota State

2011 - Walter Camp

First Team

RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
 OL-- Paul Cornick, North Dakota State
 LB-- L.J. Fort, UNI
 DB-- Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.

2011 - College Sporting News

"Fabulous Fifty"

RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
 OC-- Bryan Boemer, Southern Illinois
 DT-- Ben Boothby, UNI
 OL-- Paul Cornick, North Dakota State
 LB-- L.J. Fort, UNI
 DL-- Ben Obaseki, Indiana State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.

2011 - FCS Football Network

First Team

RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
 DL-- Ben Boothby, UNI
 OL-- Paul Cornick, North Dakota State
 LB-- L.J. Fort, UNI
 PK-- Tyler Sievertsen, UNI
 DB-- Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.

2011 - College Sports Journal

First Team

RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
 OC-- Bryan Boemer, Southern Illinois
 DL-- Ben Boothby, UNI
 OL-- Paul Cornick, North Dakota State
 LB-- Preston Evans, North Dakota St.
 LB-- L.J. Fort, UNI
 DE-- Ben Obaseki, Indiana State
 TE-- Matt Veldman, North Dakota State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.

2012 All-Americans - Organization

2012 - Associated Press

First Team

OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 DL-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
 CB-- Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.

Second Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 OL-- Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
 DB-- Johnny Towalid, Indiana State

Third Team

RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
 OL-- Randy Richards, Missouri State
 DL-- Ken Boatright, Southern Illinois
 DB-- Ben Ericksen, Illinois State
 DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State

2012 - The Sports Network

First Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 OL-- Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
 DE-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State

Second Team

RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State

Third Team

TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
 RS-- Carlos Anderson, UNI
 DB-- Ben Ericksen, Illinois State
 DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
 DB-- Johnny Towalid, Indiana State

2012 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 OL-- Randy Richards, Missouri State
 DE-- Ken Boatright, Southern Illinois
 DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State
 AP-- Carlos Anderson, UNI

2012 - Walter Camp

First Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 DE-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State

2012 - Phil Steele

First Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State
 DB-- Ben Ericksen, Illinois State

Second Team

WR-- Tyrone Walker, Illinois State
 OL-- Chris Elkins, Youngstown State
 DL-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
 LB-- Aaron Archie, Indiana State

Third Team

RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
 OL-- Randy Richards, Missouri State
 OL-- Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
 DL-- Ken Boatright, Southern Illinois
 LB-- Tyler Starr, South Dakota
 LB-- Mike Zimmer, Illinois State
 DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
 KR-- Carlos Anderson, UNI

Fourth Team

TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
 LB-- Grant Olson, North Dakota State

2013 All-Americans - Organization

2013 - FCS ADA

First Team

OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois

2013 - Associated Press

First Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
 CB-- Marcus Williams, North Dakota St.
 DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State

Second Team

OL-- Chris Elkins, Youngstown State
 OL-- Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
 DL-- Ryan Drevlow, North Dakota State
 LB-- Tyler Starr, South Dakota

Third Team

QB-- Brock Jensen, North Dakota State
 OL-- Robert Booker, Missouri State
 DL-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
 LB-- Grant Olson, North Dakota State

2013 - College Sporting News

"Fabulous Fifty"

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 FB-- Andrew Grothmann, N. Dakota St.
 OL-- Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
 OL-- Chris Elkins, Youngstown State
 TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
 OL-- Billy Turner, NDSU (OL of the Yr.)
 LB-- Grant Olson, North Dakota State
 DL-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
 DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State

Honorable Mention

LB-- Tyler Starr, South Dakota

2013 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
 OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 PK-- Tyler Sievertsen, UNI
 DL-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State

2013 - Walter Camp

First Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State

2013 - The Sports Network

First Team

RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
 FB-- Andrew Grothmann, N. Dakota St.
 TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
 OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
 OL-- Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
 PK-- Tyler Sievertsen, UNI
 DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
 DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State

Second Team

LB-- Tyler Starr, South Dakota
 LS-- Chris Highland, Illinois State

2001 LB Derrick Lloyd, James Madison
 2002 FS Rasheem Mathis, B-Cookman
 2003 DE Jared Allen, Idaho State
 2004 LB Jordan Beck, Cal Poly
 2005 DE Chris Gocong, Cal Poly
 2006 LB Kyle Shotwell, Cal Poly
 2007 DE Kroy Biermann, Montana
 2008 DE Greg Peach, E. Washington
 2009 DE Arthur Moats, James Madison
 2010 LB J.C. Sherritt, E. Washington
 2011 LB Matt Evans, New Hampshire
 2012 DE Caleb Schreibeis, Montana St.
 2013 DE Brad Daly, Montana State
2014 DE Kyle Emanuel, N. Dakota St.
 2015 DL Tyrone Holmes, Montana
2016 DE Karter Schult, UNI
 2017 DE Darius Jackson, Jacksonville St.
 2018 LB Zach Hall, SE Missouri State
 2019 LB Dante Olson, Montana
 2020 DE Jordan Lewis, Southern
 2021 DE/LB Isaiah Land, Florida A&M

Jerry Rice Award - Past Winners

2011 RB Terrance West, Towson
 2012 QB John Robertson, Villanova
 2013 WR Cooper Kupp, E. Washington
 2014 RB Chase Edmonds, Fordham
 2015 QB Case Cookus, N. Arizona
 2016 RB A.J. Hines, Duquesne
 2017 LB Bryson Armstrong, Kennesaw St.
 2018 RB Josh Davis, Weber State
2019 QB Trey Lance, N. Dakota State
 2020 QB Cameron Ward, UIW
 2021 QB Shedeur Sanders, Jackson St.

Eddie Robinson Award - Past Winners

1987 Mark Duffner, Holy Cross
 1988 Bill Russo, Lafayette
 1989 Erk Russell, Ga. Southern
 1990 Gene McDowell, C. Florida
 1991 Chris Ault, Nevada
 1992 Charlie Taffee, The Citadel
 1993 Dan Allen, Boston Univ.
 1994 Jim Tressel, Youngstown State
 1995 Houston Nutt, Murray State
 1996 Darren Barbier, Nicholls State
 1997 Andy Talley, Villanova
 1998 Paul Johnson, Ga. Southern
 1999 Mickey Matthews, J. Madison
 2000 Joe Glenn, Montana
 2001 Pete Lembo, Lehigh
 2002 Tommy Tate, McNeese State
 2003 Mike Ayers, Wofford
2004 Jerry Kill, Southern Illinois
 2005 Sean McDonnell, New Hampshire
 2006 Jerry Moore, Appalachian State
2007 Mark Farley, UNI
 2008 Mickey Matthews, J. Madison
 2009 Henry Frazier, Prairie View A&M
 2010 Tony Samuel, SE Missouri State
 2011 Rob Ambrose, Towson
2012 Craig Bohl, N. Dakota State
2013 Craig Bohl, N. Dakota State
 2014 Sean McDonnell, New Hampshire
 2015 Bruce Barnum, Portland State
 2016 K.C. Keeler, Sam Houston State
 2017 Will Healy, Austin Peay
 2018 Dan Hawkins, UC Davis



Mel Mitchell of Western Kentucky was one of three Valley first-team Associated Press All-Americans in 2001.



LB Edgerton Hartwell of Western Illinois was a two-time first-team All-American in 1999 and in 2000.

Third Team

- OL-- Chris Elkins, Youngstown State
- DE-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
- CB-- Winston Wright, S. Dakota State
- DB-- Colten Heagle, N. Dakota State

2013 - Phil Steele

First Team

- RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
- OL-- Billy Turner, North Dakota State
- OL-- Chris Elkins, Youngstown State
- DE-- Colton Underwood, Illinois State
- LB-- Tyler Starr, South Dakota
- DB-- Marcus Williams, N. Dakota State

Second Team

- RB-- Shakir Bell, Indiana State
- FB-- Jordan Neukirch, Illinois State
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Bryan Witzmann, S. Dakota State
- LB-- Grant Olson, North Dakota State
- DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
- PR-- Ryan Smith, North Dakota State

Third Team

- LS-- Chris Highland, Illinois State

Fourth Team

- RB-- David Johnson, UNI
- DL-- Cole Jirik, North Dakota State
- PK-- Adam Keller, North Dakota State
- LS-- Michael Murphy, N. Dakota State

2014 All-Americans - Organization

2014 - FCS ADA

First Team

- RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- DL-- Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
- PK-- Michael Schmadeke, UNI

2014 - Associated Press

First Team

- RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Jack Rummells, UNI
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- DL-- Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
- DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
- DB-- Colten Heagle, North Dakota State
- PK-- Michael Schmadeke, UNI

Second Team

- WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
- PK-- Justin Syrovatka, South Dakota St.
- LB-- Connor Underwood, Indiana State

Third Team

- RB-- David Johnson, UNI
- PK-- Adam Keller, North Dakota State
- OL-- Jermaine Barton, Illinois State
- DL-- Xavier Williams, UNI

2014 - College Sporting News "Fabulous Fifty"

- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
- FB-- Andrew Bonnet, North Dakota St.

- AP-- David Johnson, UNI
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- OL-- Jermaine Barton, Illinois State
- OL-- Jack Rummells, UNI
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- DL-- Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
- DL-- Xavier Williams, UNI
- LB-- Travis Beck, North Dakota State
- DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
- PK-- Michael Schmadeke, UNI
- LS-- Chris Highland, Illinois State

Honorable Mention

- LB-- Connor Underwood, Indiana State
- OL-- Garrett Clark, Southern Illinois
- QB-- Tre Roberson, Illinois State
- RB-- John Crockett, North Dakota State
- DB-- Colten Heagle, North Dakota State

Top Freshman

- WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota St.
- Playoff MVP**
- QB-- Carson Wentz, North Dakota St.

2014 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

- RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- DE-- Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
- DB-- Colten Heagle, North Dakota State
- DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
- PK-- Michael Schmadeke, UNI

2014 - Walter Camp

First Team

- RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Jack Rummells, UNI
- DE-- Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
- DB-- Colten Heagle, North Dakota State
- DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
- PK-- Michael Schmadeke, UNI

2014 - The Sports Network

First Team

- RB-- Zach Zenner, South Dakota State
- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- TE-- MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- AP-- David Johnson, UNI
- DL-- Kyle Emanuel, North Dakota State
- LB-- Connor Underwood, Indiana State
- LS-- Chris Highland, Illinois State

Second Team

- RB-- John Crockett, North Dakota State
- OL-- Jack Rummells, UNI
- PK-- Michael Schmadeke, UNI
- DL-- Xavier Williams, UNI
- DB-- Colten Heagle, North Dakota State
- DB-- Caleb Schaffitzel, Missouri State
- P-- Ben LeCompte, North Dakota St.

Third Team

- FB-- Andrew Bonnet, North Dakota St.
- WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
- OL-- Jermaine Barton, Illinois State

2015 All-Americans - Organization

2015 - FCS ADA

First Team

- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- DB-- Deiondre' Hall, UNI
- P-- Ben LeCompte, N. Dakota State

2015 - Associated Press

First Team

- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
- DB-- Deiondre' Hall, UNI

Second Team

- P-- Ben LeCompte, N. Dakota State

Third Team

- OL-- Zack Johnson, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Anthony Warrum, Illinois State
- DL-- Derek Rivers, Youngstown State

2015 - College Sporting News "Fabulous Fifty"

- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- P-- Ben LeCompte, N. Dakota State
- FB-- Andrew Bonnet, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
- CB-- Deiondre' Hall, UNI
- DB-- C.J. Smith, North Dakota State

Honorable Mention

- WR-- Anthony Warrum, Illinois State
- OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
- DB-- Tim Kilfoy, UNI

Offensive Player of the Year

- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State

Offensive Lineman of the Year

- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State

Special Teams Player of the Year

- P-- Ben LeCompte, N. Dakota State

Playoff MVP

- LB-- Nick DeLuca, North Dakota State

2015 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

- WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- DB-- Deiondre' Hall, UNI

2015 - Walter Camp

First Team

- WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- DB-- Deiondre' Hall, UNI

2015 - Stats Perform

First Team

- RB-- Marshaun Coprich, Illinois State
- WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
- OL-- Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
- DB-- Deiondre' Hall, UNI
- P-- Ben LeCompte, North Dakota St.
- LS-- Joshua Appel, Indiana State

Second Team

FB-- Andrew Bonnet, N. Dakota State
DL-- Karter Schult, UNI
LB-- Brett McMakin, UNI

Third Team

WR-- Anthony Warrum, Illinois State
DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
DL-- Derek Rivers, Youngstown State
PR-- Makinton Dorleant, UNI

2016 All-Americans - Organization

2016 - FCS ADA

First Team

TE-- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
DE-- Karter Schult, UNI
LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
P-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota

2016 - Associated Press

First Team

OL-- Zach Johnson, North Dakota State
OL-- Landon Lechler, N. Dakota State
TE-- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
DE-- Karter Schult, UNI
LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
P-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota

Second Team

DE-- Derek Rivers, Youngstown State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
DB-- LeRoy Alexander, Youngstown St.

Third Team

OL-- Mark Spelman, Illinois State
WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
AP-- Jody Webb, Youngstown State
DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State

2016 - Stats Perform

First Team

TE-- Dallas Goedert, South Dakota St.
OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
DL-- Karter Schult, UNI
LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
P-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota
LS-- Joshua Appel, Indiana State

Second Team

WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota State
DL-- Derek Rivers, Youngstown State
DB-- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State
LS-- James Fisher, North Dakota State

Third Team

QB-- Taryn Christian, S. Dakota State
FB-- Chase Morlock, N. Dakota State
WR-- Lance Lenoir, Western Illinois
DB-- LeRoy Alexander, Youngstown St.

2016 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

TE-- Dallas Goedert, South Dakota St.
OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
DE-- Karter Schult, UNI
LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
DB-- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State
P-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota

2016 - Walter Camp

First Team

TE-- Dallas Goedert, South Dakota St.
OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
DL-- Karter Schult, UNI
LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
P-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota

2016 - HERO Sports

First Team

DL-- Karter Schult, UNI
DL-- Derek Rivers, Youngstown State
LB-- Dylan Cole, Missouri State
OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
TE-- Dallas Goedert, South Dakota St.
P-- Miles Bergner, South Dakota

Second Team

DB-- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State
DB-- LeRoy Alexander, Youngstown St.
DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
RB-- Jody Webb, Youngstown State
WR-- Jake Wieneke, South Dakota St.

Third Team

DL-- Avery Moss, Youngstown State
LB-- MJ Stumpf, North Dakota State
ATH-- Lance Lenoir, Western Illinois
OL-- Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota St.
OL-- Mark Spelman, Illinois State
QB-- Taryn Christian, South Dakota St.

2016 - HERO Sports Freshman

First Team

DB-- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
LB-- Christian Rozeboom, SDSU
P-- Mark Schuler, Youngstown State
Honorable Mention
ATH-- D.J. Davis, Southern Illinois

2016 - HERO Sports Sophomores

First Team

DB-- Elijah Campbell, UNI
DB-- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State
LB-- Armand Dellovade, Youngstown St.
Honorable Mention
QB-- Taryn Christian, South Dakota St.
RB-- Lance Dunn, North Dakota State

2017 All-Americans - Organization

2017 - FCS ADA

First Team

TE-- Dallas Goedert, South Dakota St.
OL-- Austin Kuhnert, N. Dakota State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois

2017 - Associated Press

First Team

QB-- Chris Streveler, South Dakota
OL-- Austin Kuhnert, North Dakota St.
OL-- Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota St.
TE-- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
LB-- Nick DeLuca, North Dakota State

Second Team

OL-- Stetson Dagele, South Dakota
WR-- Jaelon Acklin, Western Illinois
LB-- Jared Farley, UNI
DB-- Davontae Harris, Illinois State

Third Team

DL-- Darin Greenfield, South Dakota
LB-- Christian Rozeboom, SDSU
DB-- Elijah Campbell, UNI

2017 - Stats Perform

First Team

TE -- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
OL -- Austin Kuhnert, N. Dakota State
LB -- Nick DeLuca, North Dakota State
LB -- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
DB -- Davontae Harris, Illinois State
LS -- James Fisher, North Dakota State

Second Team

QB -- Chris Streveler, South Dakota
WR-- Jaelon Acklin, Western Illinois
OL -- Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota State
DL -- Dalton Keene, Illinois State
LB -- Jared Farley, UNI
LB -- Christian Rozeboom, SDSU
DB -- Elijah Campbell, UNI
DB -- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State

Third Team

OL -- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
DL -- Darin Greenfield, South Dakota
LS -- Brandon Godsey, South Dakota

2017 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

TE-- Dallas Goedert, South Dakota St.
OL-- Austin Kuhnert, N. Dakota State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
DB-- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State
DB-- Davontae Harris, Illinois State

Second Team

WR-- Jake Wieneke, S. Dakota State
DL-- Dalton Keene, Illinois State
LB-- Christian Rozeboom, SDSU

2017 - Walter Camp

First Team

TE-- Dallas Goedert, South Dakota St.
QB-- Chris Streveler, South Dakota
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
DB-- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State

2017 - HERO Sports

First Team

QB-- Chris Streveler, South Dakota
OL-- Austin Kuhnert, North Dakota St.
OL-- Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota St.
WR-- Jaelon Acklin, Western Illinois
TE-- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
LB-- Nick DeLuca, North Dakota State
LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
DB-- Davontae Harris, Illinois State
PK-- Chase Vinatieri, South Dakota St.
LS-- James Fisher, North Dakota State



RB Marshaun Coprich of Illinois State finished 3rd in the 2015 balloting for STATS FCS Player of the Year.

2019 Troy Taylor, Sacramento State
2020 Scott Wachenheim, VMI
2021 Deion Sanders, Jackson State

Doris Robinson Scholar-Athlete Award

2014 RB Zach Zenner, SDSU
2015 WR Dalton Screws, Jax State
2016 QB Tyler Swafford, E. Kentucky
2017 WR Jake Wieneke, S. Dakota St.
2018 OL Chris Infantino, Stony Brook
2019 P Alex Pechin, Bucknell
2020 DE Jessie Malit, NC Central
2021 OG ZeVeyon Furcron, S. Illinois

2021 Walter Payton Award

Eric Barriere, E. Washington	201
Cole Kelley, SE Louisiana	163
Quay Holmes, ETSU	93
Cole Johnson, James Madison	86
Pierre Strong Jr., SDSU	54

2021 Buck Buchanan Award

Isaiah Land, Florida A&	125
Troy Andersen, Montana State	103
Patrick O'Connell, Montana	83
6. Darius Joiner, Western Illinois	51

2021 Jerry Rice Award

Shedeur Sanders, Jackson State	169
Darius Hale, Central Arkansas	131
Josiah Silver, New Hampshire	106

2021 Robinson Award

Deion Sanders, Jackson State	123
K.C. Keeler, Sam Houston	99
Randy Sanders, ETSU	97
5. Matt Entz, NDSU	50



QB Easton Stick led NDSU to a 15-0 record and finished third in the Walter Payton Award voting in 2018.



DT Khalen Saunders of Western Illinois was the league's top draft pick in 2019 (taken in the third round).

Second Team

- RB-- Bruce Anderson, North Dakota St.
- OL-- Stetson Dagele, South Dakota
- DL-- Darin Greenfield, South Dakota
- DL-- Dalton Keene, Illinois State
- LB-- Jared Farley, UNI
- LB-- Christian Rozeboom, SDSU
- DB-- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State

Third Team

- RB-- Tevin McCaster, Youngstown St.
- OL-- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
- OL-- Justin Spencer, Youngstown State
- DB-- Elijah Campbell, UNI
- LS-- Brandon Godsey, South Dakota

2017 - HERO Sports Freshman

First Team

- DL-- Anthony Knighton, S. Illinois
- DL-- Nathan Schultz, South Dakota
- LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota St
- DB-- Xavier Williams, UNI
- DB-- Phillip Powell, South Dakota
- OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
- OL-- Tyler Ciurej, South Dakota
- RS-- Cade Johnson, South Dakota St.

Honorable Mention

- DB-- Bryce Gibson, Youngstown State
- OL-- Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota

2017 - Phil Steele

First Team

- TE-- Dallas Goedert, S. Dakota State
- OL-- Austin Kuhnert, N. Dakota State
- QB-- Chris Streveler, South Dakota
- DL-- Dalton Keene, Illinois State
- LB-- Brett Taylor, Western Illinois
- LB-- Nick DeLuca, North Dakota State
- DB-- Davontae Harris, Illinois State

Second Team

- OL-- Jacob Ohnesorge, S. Dakota St.
- FB-- Connor Wentz, N. Dakota State
- LB-- Jared Farley, UNI
- LB-- Christian Rozeboom, SDSU
- DB-- Elijah Campbell, UNI

Third Team

- WR-- Jaelon Acklin, Western Illinois
- WR-- Jake Wieneke, S. Dakota State
- OL-- Jacob Judd, Western Illinois
- DL-- Khalen Saunders, Western Illinois
- DB-- Tre Dempsey, North Dakota State

Fourth Team

- WR-- Daurice Fountain, UNI
- OL-- Stetson Dagele, South Dakota
- DL-- Darin Greenfield, South Dakota

2017 - Phil Steele - Freshman

First Team

- WR-- Isaiah Weston, UNI
- DL-- Anthony Knighton, S. Illinois
- DL-- Nathan Schultz, South Dakota
- LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State

Second Team

- OL-- Mason Scheidegger, South Dakota
- OL-- Tyler Ciurej, South Dakota
- OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State

- DL-- Logan McCormick, N. Dakota St.
- DL-- Jordan Berner, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Xavier Williams, UNI
- RS-- Cade Johnson, South Dakota St.

2018 All-Americans - Organization

2018 - FCS ADA

First Team

- OL-- Tanner Volson, North Dakota State

2018 - Associated Press

First Team

- QB-- Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- OL-- Tanner Volson, North Dakota State
- DB-- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State

Second Team

- DL-- Khalen Saunders, Western Illinois
- DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
- LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State

Third Team

- RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
- OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
- OL-- Tiano Pupungatoa, S. Dakota St.
- LB-- Pete Swenson, Western Illinois
- DB-- Jordan Brown, South Dakota State
- P-- Garret Wegner, North Dakota State

2018 - Stats Perform

First Team

- OL-- Tanner Volson, North Dakota State
- DL-- Khalen Saunders, Western Illinois
- DB-- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State

Second Team

- RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
- OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
- LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
- LB-- Pete Swenson, Western Illinois
- DB-- Jordan Brown, South Dakota State
- PK-- Austin Errthum, UNI
- LS-- Steven Wethli, Youngstown State

Third Team

- QB-- Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- WR-- Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
- OL-- Cal Twait, UNI
- DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
- LB-- Jonas Griffith, Indiana State
- P-- Garret Wegner, North Dakota State
- PR-- Darrius Shepherd, N. Dakota State

2018 - Walter Camp

First Team

- DL-- Darin Greenfield, South Dakota
- DB-- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State
- OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State

2018 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

- OL-- Tanner Volson, North Dakota State
- DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
- DB-- Jordan Brown, South Dakota State

Second Team

- QB-- Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
- LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State

2018 - HERO Sports

First Team

- QB-- Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- OL-- Tanner Volson, N. Dakota State
- LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
- DB-- Jordan Brown, S. Dakota State
- LS-- Steven Wethli, Youngstown State

Second Team

- QB-- Taryn Christian, S. Dakota State
- RB-- Tevin McCaster, Youngstown St.
- RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
- OL-- Zack Johnson, N. Dakota State
- AP-- Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
- DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
- LB-- Pete Swenson, Western Illinois
- DB-- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State
- PK-- Austin Errthum, UNI

Third Team

- LB-- Jonas Griffith, Indiana State
- LB-- Christian Rozeboom, SDSU
- LS-- Bradey Sorenson, S. Dakota State

2018 - HERO Sports Freshman

First Team

- RS-- Dakota Caton, Indiana State
- LB-- Chris Kolarevic, UNI
- DL-- Krockett Krolikowski, SDSU
- TE-- Jordan Murray, Missouri State
- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., SDSU

Honorable Mention

- WR-- Andrew Edgar, Illinois State
- LB-- Luke Giegling, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Miles Joiner, Youngstown State
- AP-- Deion McShane, UNI
- DL-- Spencer Waeye, N. Dakota State

2018 - Phil Steele

First Team

- QB-- Easton Stick, North Dakota State
- RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
- OL-- Tanner Volson, North Dakota State
- DL-- Khalen Saunders, Western Illinois
- LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
- DB-- Jordan Brown, South Dakota State

Second Team

- OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
- LB-- Pete Swenson, Western Illinois
- DB-- Robbie Grimsley, N. Dakota State
- PK-- Austin Errthum, UNI
- PR-- Darrius Shepherd, N. Dakota State

Third Team

- QB-- Taryn Christian, South Dakota St.
- DL-- Greg Menard, North Dakota State
- LB-- Jonas Griffith, Indiana State
- LB-- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
- LS-- Steven Wethli, Youngstown State

Fourth Team

- RB-- Bruce Anderson, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Cade Johnson, South Dakota St.
- OL-- Tiano Pupungatoa, S. Dakota St.
- OL-- Gavin Wiggins, Youngstown State
- DL-- Darin Greenfield, South Dakota
- DB-- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
- P-- Garret Wegner, North Dakota St.

2018 - Phil Steele - Freshman

First Team

WR-- Andrew Edgar, Illinois State
 WR-- Dante Hendrix, Indiana State
 TE-- Jordan Murray, Missouri State

Second Team

RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
 OL-- Austin Hopp, Western Illinois
 DL-- Krockett Krolikowski, SDSU
 LB-- Chris Kolarevic, UNI

Third Team

WR-- Deion McShane, UNI
 TE-- Miles Joiner, Youngstown State
 OL-- Braden Schneider, South Dakota
 DL-- John Ridgeway, Illinois State
 DL-- Spencer Waage, N. Dakota State

2019 All-Americans - Organization

2019 - FCS ADA

First Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 OL-- Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State

2019 - Associated Press

First Team

RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
 OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 OL-- Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State
 WR-- Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
 DL-- Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State

Second Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
 DL-- Elerson Smith, UNI
 LB-- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
 DB-- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois

Third Team

RB-- Pierre Strong, South Dakota State
 LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
 DB-- Omar Brown, UNI
 DB-- Luther Kirk, Illinois State

2019 - Stats Perform

First Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
 OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 OL-- Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State
 DL-- Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State
 LB-- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
 DB-- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois

Second Team

WR-- Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
 LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
 LB-- Jonas Griffith, Indiana State
 DB-- Luther Kirk, Illinois State
 LS-- Chandler Collins, Missouri State
 AP-- Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois

Third Team

TE-- Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
 OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
 DL-- Elerson Smith, UNI

2019 - Walter Camp

First Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
 WR-- Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
 OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
 OL-- Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State
 OL-- Jackson Scott-Brown, UNI
 DL-- Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State
 LB-- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.

2019 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
 OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 OL-- Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State
 DL-- Elerson G. Smith, UNI
 LB-- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
 DB-- Luther Kirk, Illinois State

Second Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 TE-- Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
 DL-- Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State
 DB-- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois

2019 - HERO Sports

First Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
 OL-- Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State
 OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
 DL-- Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State
 LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
 LB-- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
 DB-- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois
 DB-- Luther Kirk, Illinois State

Second Team

RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
 OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
 DB-- James Hendricks, N. Dakota State
 LS-- Bradey Sorenson, S. Dakota State

Third Team

WR-- Cade Johnson, S. Dakota State
 WR-- Isaiah Weston, UNI
 TE-- Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
 OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 DL-- LaCale London, Western Illinois
 DL-- Elerson Smith, UNI
 LB-- Jonas Griffith, Indiana State

2019 - HERO Sports Freshman

First Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 RB-- Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois
 OL-- Beau Branyan, Southern Illinois
 OL-- Isaac Erbes, South Dakota
 DL-- DeMarko Craig, Youngstown St.
 DB-- Omar Brown, UNI
 PK-- Matthew Cook, UNI
 PR-- Jaxon Janke, South Dakota State

Honorable Mention

QB-- Will McElvain, UNI
 OL-- Kian Rexroat-Potts, South Dakota
 DL-- Quinton Hicks, South Dakota State
 DB-- Clayton Isbell, Illinois State
 LB-- Jakari Starling, South Dakota

2019 - Phil Steele

First Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 RB-- James Robinson, Illinois State
 OL-- Dillon Radunz, North Dakota State
 OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
 OL-- Zack Johnson, North Dakota State
 DL-- Derrek Tuszka, North Dakota State
 LB-- Christian Rozeboom, S. Dakota St.
 DB-- Jeremy Chinn, Southern Illinois

Second Team

WR-- Cade Johnson, South Dakota State
 DL-- Elerson Smith, UNI
 DL-- Justus Reed, Youngstown State
 LB-- Jabril Cox, North Dakota State
 LB-- Jonas Griffith, Indiana State
 DB-- Luther Kirk, Illinois State
 LS-- Chandler Collins, Missouri State

Third Team

RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., South Dakota St.
 DB-- Devin Taylor, Illinois State

Fourth Team

WR-- Isaiah Weston, UNI
 TE-- Ben Ellefson, North Dakota State
 OL-- Jackson Scott-Brown, UNI
 LB-- Bryce Flater, UNI

2019 - Phil Steele - Freshman

First Team

QB-- Trey Lance, North Dakota State
 RB-- Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois
 OL-- Kian Rexroat-Potts, South Dakota
 OL-- Beau Branyan, Southern Illinois
 DL-- DeMarko Craig Jr., Youngstown St.
 DB-- Omar Brown, UNI
 PR-- Jaxon Janke, South Dakota State
 AP-- Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois

Second Team

OL-- Isaac Erbes, South Dakota
 DL-- Jake Kava, North Dakota State
 LB-- Jakari Starling, South Dakota
 DB-- Jaylen Henderson, Missouri State
 PK-- Matthew Cook, UNI

Third Team

QB-- Will McElvain, UNI
 OL-- Jalen Sundell, North Dakota State
 DB-- Diamond Evans, South Dakota St.
 DB-- Clayton Isbell, Illinois State

Fourth Team

DL-- Tony Pierce, North Dakota State
 KR-- Justin Hall, Western Illinois

2020 All-Americans - Organization

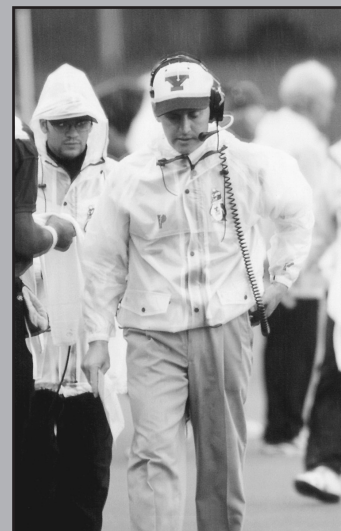
2020 - FCS ADA

First Team

OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
 P-- Garret Wegner, North Dakota St.



Several league coaches have earned AFCA Region honors twice, including Western Illinois' Don Patterson.



Before taking over the reigns at Ohio State, Jim Tressel was National Coach of the Year in 1997 with YSU.



Trevor Penning of UNI became the third MVFC player drafted in the first round of the NFL Draft (2022).



QB Mark Gronowski of South Dakota State was named National Freshman of the Year by Phil Steele in 2020.

2020 - Associated Press

First Team

- RB-- Otis Weah, North Dakota
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
- OL-- Garrett Greenfield, S. Dakota State
- AP-- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- P-- Garrett Wegner, N. Dakota State

Second Team

- OL-- Nathan Nguon, North Dakota
- WR-- Avante Cox, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Don Gardner, South Dakota State
- DB-- Qua Brown, Southern Illinois

2020 - Stats Perform

First Team

- RB-- Otis Weah, North Dakota
- FB-- Hunter Luepke, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Avante Cox, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Garrett Greenfield, S. Dakota St.
- OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- P-- Garret Wegner, N. Dakota State
- KR-- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- AP-- Javon Williams Jr., S. Illinois

Second Team

- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- LB-- Logan Backhaus, S. Dakota State
- LB-- James Kaczor, North Dakota State
- DB-- Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Don Gardner, South Dakota State
- LS-- Ross Kennelly, North Dakota State

2020 - Walter Camp

None Selected

2020 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- WR-- Avante Cox, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
- OL-- Garret Greenfield, S. Dakota State
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- DB-- James Ceasar, Southern Illinois

Second Team

- DL-- Spencer Waege, N. Dakota State
- LB-- James Kaczor, North Dakota State

2020 - HERO Sports

First Team

- RB-- Otis Weah, North Dakota
- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
- OL-- Mason McCormick, S. Dakota St.
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- LB-- Logan Backhaus, S. Dakota State
- DB-- Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
- P-- Garret Wegner, N. Dakota State
- KR-- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State

2020 - HERO Sports Freshman

First Team

- QB-- Mark Gronowski, S. Dakota State
- RB-- Isaiah Davis, South Dakota State
- OL-- Grey Zabel, North Dakota State
- WR-- Bo Belquist, North Dakota
- DL-- Eli Mostaert, North Dakota State
- LB-- Adam Bock, South Dakota State
- DB-- Myles Harden, South Dakota

2020 - Phil Steele

First Team

- RB-- Pierre Strong, South Dakota State
- FB-- Hunter Luepke, North Dakota St.
- OL-- Garret Greenfield, S. Dakota State
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota St.
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- DB-- James Ceasar, Southern Illinois
- KR-- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- AP-- Javon Williams, Southern Illinois

Second Team

- RB-- Otis Weah, North Dakota
- WR-- Avante Cox, Southern Illinois
- OL-- Drew Himmelman, Illinois State
- LB-- James Kaczor, North Dakota State
- P-- Garret Wegner, North Dakota St.

Third Team

- DL-- Spencer Waege, North Dakota St.
- DL-- John Ridgeway, Illinois State
- LB-- Logan Backhaus, S. Dakota State
- DB-- Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
- DB-- Don Gardner, South Dakota State

2021 All-Americans - Organization

2021 - FCS ADA

First Team

- OL-- Trevor Penning, UNI

2021 - Associated Press

First Team

- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- OL-- Trevor Penning, UNI
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- DB-- Darius Joiner, Western Illinois

Second Team

- OL-- Cody Mauch, North Dakota State
- OL-- Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
- OL-- ZeVeyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
- TE-- Tucker Kraft, South Dakota State
- WR-- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- PK-- Jose Pizano, Missouri State
- DB-- Montrae Braswell, Missouri State

Third Team

- RB-- Jaleel McLaughlin, Youngstown St.
- WR-- Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
- DL-- Brayden Thomas, N. Dakota State
- P-- Grant Burkett, Missouri State

2021 - Stats Perform

First Team

- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- FB-- Hunter Luepke, N. Dakota State
- TE-- Tucker Kraft, South Dakota State
- OL-- Trevor Penning, UNI
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- DB-- Darius Joiner, Western Illinois

Second Team

- OL-- Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
- LB-- Adam Bock, South Dakota State
- LB-- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
- DB-- Montrae Braswell, Missouri State
- DB-- Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
- PK-- Matthew Cook, UNI
- AP-- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State

Third Team

- WR-- Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
- OL-- ZeVeyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
- DL-- Brayden Thomas, N. Dakota State
- DB-- Michael Tutsie, North Dakota State
- P-- Grant Burkett, Missouri State
- PR-- Jayden Price, North Dakota State
- AP-- Jaleel McLaughlin, Youngstown St.

2021 - Walter Camp

First Team

- OL-- Trevor Penning, UNI
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- DB-- Darius Joiner, Western Illinois

2021 - AFCA (Coaches)

First Team

- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- OL-- Trevor Penning, UNI
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI

Second Team

- OL-- Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
- P-- Grant Burkett, Missouri State
- PK-- Matthew Cook, UNI

2021 - HERO Sports

First Team

- RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
- FB-- Hunter Luepke, N. Dakota State
- WR-- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
- TE-- Tucker Kraft, South Dakota State
- OL-- Trevor Penning, UNI
- OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
- OL-- Mason McCormick, SDSU
- DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
- LB-- Adam Bock, South Dakota State
- DB-- Michael Tutsie, North Dakota State

Second Team

- OL-- Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
- DB-- Darius Joiner, Western Illinois
- DB-- Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
- K-- Matthew Cook, UNI

Third Team

RB-- Jaleel McLaughlin, Youngstown St.
 WR-- Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
 TE-- Noah Gindorff, North Dakota State
 OL-- Cody Mauch, North Dakota State
 OL-- Zeveyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
 DL-- Brayden Thomas, N. Dakota State
 LB-- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
 P-- Grant Burkett, Missouri State

2021 - HERO Sports Freshman**First Team**

DL-- Nick Gaes, South Dakota
 P-- Grant Burkett, Missouri State

2021 - Phil Steele**First Team**

RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
 FB-- Hunter Luepke, N. Dakota State
 TE-- Tucker Kraft, South Dakota State
 OL-- Trevor Penning, UNI
 OL-- Matt Waletzko, North Dakota
 DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI

Second Team

WR-- Dennis Houston, Western Illinois
 OL-- Cordell Volson, N. Dakota State
 LB-- Adam Bock, South Dakota State
 PK-- Matthew Cook, UNI

Third Team

RB-- Jaleel McLaughlin, Youngstown St.
 WR-- Christian Watson, N. Dakota State
 LB-- Tylar Wiltz, Missouri State
 LB-- Jack Cochrane, South Dakota
 DB-- Montrae Braswell, Missouri State
 DB-- Darius Joiner, Western Illinois
 PK-- Jose Pizano, Missouri State
 P-- Grant Burkett, Missouri State

Fourth Team

OL-- ZeVeyon Furcron, Southern Illinois
 DL-- Brayden Thomas, N. Dakota State
 DB-- Qua Brown, Southern Illinois
 PR-- Jayden Price, North Dakota State
 LS-- Dalton Godfrey, South Dakota

2021 - Athlon Sports**First Team**

RB-- Pierre Strong Jr., S. Dakota State
 TE-- Tucker Kraft, South Dakota State
 OL-- Trevor Penning, UNI
 OL-- Cordell Volson, North Dakota State
 DL-- Jared Brinkman, UNI
 DB-- Darius Joiner, Western Illinois



QB Chris Oladokun of SDSU was one of nine MVFC players taken during the 2022 NFL Draft.



NDSU's Cordell Volson was one of three MVFC offensive linemen drafted after the 2021 season.

Year	Round	Pick	Pos.	Name	MVFC Team	NFL Team
1986	6	159	WR	Keith Williams	Missouri State	Atlanta Falcons
1986	7	167	T	Jim Meyer	Illinois State	Cleveland Browns
1986	4	87	C	Tom Baugh	Southern Illinois	Kansas City Chiefs
1986	2	54	DB	Vencie Glenn	Indiana State	New England Patriots
1987	4	97	T	Ralph Van Dyke	Southern Illinois	Atlanta Falcons
1987	10	276	C	Frank Winters	Western Illinois	Cleveland Browns
1987	5	114	WR	Roy Banks	Eastern Illinois	Indianapolis Colts
1987	10	252	G	Mike Simmonds	Indiana State	Tampa Bay Buccaneers
1989	8	202	QB	Paul Singer	Western Illinois	Atlanta Falcons
1989	7	175	T	Dave Popp	Eastern Illinois	New York Giants
1989	8	211	DE	Marlin Williams	Western Illinois	Seattle Seahawks
1990	10	258	WR	Bill Miller	Illinois State	Detroit Lions
1990	6	159	LB	Bryce Paup	UNI	Green Bay Packers
1990	12	311	QB	Gene Benhart	Western Illinois	Indianapolis Colts
1991	3	57	DT	James Jones	UNI	Cleveland Browns
1991	5	113	OLB	Bryan Cox	Western Illinois	Miami Dolphins
1991	8	223	DB	Lamar McGriggs	Western Illinois	New York Giants
1992	11	283	T	John Earle	Western Illinois	Cincinnati Bengals
1992	12	324	G	Tom Roth	Southern Illinois	Los Angeles Raiders
1992	12	323	WR	Charles Swann	Indiana State	New York Giants
1993	7	179	C	Brad Fichtel	Eastern Illinois	Los Angeles Rams
1993	5	129	WR	Kenny Shedd	UNI	New York Jets
1994	5	145	SAF	Rodney Harrison	Western Illinois	San Diego Chargers
1995	4	114	DB	Ray McElroy	Eastern Illinois	Indianapolis Colts
1996	7	237	LB	Dan Brandenburg	Indiana State	Buffalo Bills
1997	7	210	DL	Mike Miano	Missouri State	Chicago Bears
1997	5	147	TE	Damon Jones	Southern Illinois	Jacksonville Jaguars
1997	3	88	WR	Dedric Ward	UNI	New York Jets
1998	4	118	DL	Harry Deligianis	Youngstown State	Jacksonville Jaguars
1999	5	158	LB	David Bowens	Western Illinois	Denver Broncos
1999	5	137	DB	Tyree Talton	UNI	Detroit Lions
2000	7	210	TE	Brad St. Louis	Missouri State	Cincinnati Bengals
2000	2	60	G	Brad Meester	UNI	Jacksonville Jaguars
2001	4	126	LB	Edgerton Hartwell	Western Illinois	Baltimore Ravens
2001	3	78	CB	William James	Western Illinois	New York Giants
2001	5	159	WR	Eddie Berlin	UNI	Tennessee Titans
2002	3	74	CB	Joseph Jefferson	Western Kentucky	Indianapolis Colts
2002	5	150	DB	Mel Mitchell	Western Kentucky	New Orleans Saints
2002	5	169	TE	Ryan Hannam	UNI	Seattle Seahawks
2003	4	118	FB	Jeremi Johnson	Western Kentucky	Cincinnati Bengals
2003	5	149	P	Mike Scifres	Western Illinois	San Diego Chargers
2005	5	138	LB	Boomer Grigsby	Illinois State	Kansas City Chiefs
2005	4	110	RB	Brandon Jacobs	Southern Illinois	New York Giants
2006	5	160	LB	Brent Hawkins	Illinois State	Jacksonville Jaguars
2007	3	75	WR	Laurent Robinson	Illinois State	Atlanta Falcons
2008	7	225	T	Brandon Keith	UNI	Arizona Cardinals
2008	3	96	T	Chad Rinehart	UNI	Washington Redskins
2009	3	69	LB	Jason Williams	Western Illinois	Dallas Cowboys
2009	7	242	DB	Nick Schommer	North Dakota State	Tennessee Titans
2010	6	192	LB	Danny Batten	South Dakota State	Buffalo Bills
2010	6	180	RB	Deji Karim	Southern Illinois	Jacksonville Jaguars
2010	4	125	TE	Clay Harbor	Missouri State	Philadelphia Eagles
2011	7	207	DB	Korey Lindsey	Southern Illinois	Cincinnati Bengals
2011	4	110	G	David Arkin	Missouri State	Dallas Cowboys
2013	6	193	OLB	Nate Palmer	Illinois State	Green Bay Packers
2014	7	255	LB	Tyler Starr	South Dakota	Atlanta Falcons
2014	3	67	T	Billy Turner	North Dakota State	Miami Dolphins
2014	7	235	DE	Shelby Harris	Illinois State	Oakland Raiders
2015	3	86	RB	David Johnson	UNI	Arizona Cardinals
2015	5	173	TE	James O'Shaughnessy	Illinois State	Kansas City Chiefs
2015	5	143	TE	MyCole Pruitt	Southern Illinois	Minnesota Vikings
2015	5	153	LB	Kyle Emanuel	North Dakota State	San Diego Chargers

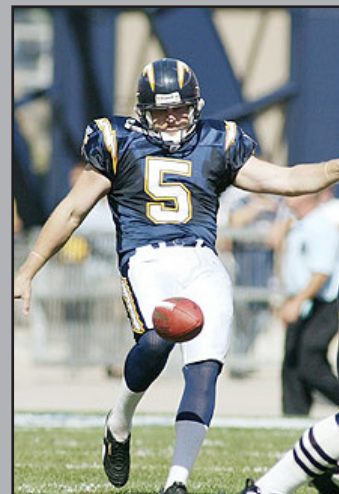
Year	Round	Pick	Pos.	Name	MVFC Team	NFL Team
2016	4	127	SAF	Deiondre' Hall	UNI	Chicago Bears
2016	5	155	T	Joe Haeg	North Dakota State	Indianapolis Colts
2016	1	2	QB	Carson Wentz	North Dakota State	Philadelphia Eagles
2017	3	83	OLB	Derek Rivers	Youngstown State	New England Patriots
2017	5	167	DE	Avery Moss	Youngstown State	New York Giants
2018	5	151	DB	Davontae Harris	Illinois State	Cincinnati Bengals
2018	5	159	WR	Daurice Fountain	UNI	Indianapolis Colts
2018	2	49	TE	Dallas Goedert	South Dakota State	Philadelphia Eagles
2019	7	223	DB	Jordan Brown	South Dakota State	Cincinnati Bengals
2019	3	84	DT	Khalen Saunders	Western Illinois	Kansas City Chiefs
2019	5	166	QB	Easton Stick	North Dakota State	Los Angeles Chargers
2020	2	64	SAF	Jeremy Chinn	Southern Illinois	Carolina Panthers
2020	7	254	OLB	Derrek Tuszka	North Dakota State	Denver Broncos
2021	1	3	QB	Trey Lance	North Dakota State	San Francisco 49ers
2021	2	53	OT	Dillon Radunz	North Dakota State	Tennessee Titans
2021	3	93	OT	Spencer Brown	UNI	Buffalo Bills
2021	4	115	LB	Jabril Cox	North Dakota State (LSU)	Dallas Cowboys
2021	4	116	Edge	Ellerson Smith	UNI	New York Giants
2022	1	19	OT	Trevor Penning	Northern Iowa	New Orleans Saints
2022	2	34	WR	Christian Watson	North Dakota State	Green Bay Packers
2022	4	127	RB	Pierre Strong Jr.	South Dakota State	New England Patriots
2022	4	136	OG	Cordell Volson	North Dakota State	Cincinnati Bengals
2022	5	155	OT	Matt Waletzko	North Dakota	Dallas Cowboys
2022	5	159	DT	Eric Johnson	Missouri State	Indianapolis Colts
2022	5	178	DT	John Ridgeway	Illinois State	Dallas Cowboys
2022	6	192	TE	Andrew Ogletree	Youngstown State	Indianapolis Colts
2022	7	241	QB	Chris Oladokun	South Dakota State	Pittsburgh Steelers

By Round Number:

Round 1: 3 | Round 2: 6 | Round 3: 12 | Round 4: 14 | Round 5: 24 | Round 6: 6 | Round 7: 14

TOTAL: 89 / By Institution (1986-present)

Eastern Illinois (4); Illinois State (10); Indiana State (4); Missouri State (6); North Dakota (1); North Dakota State (12); UNI (16)
South Dakota (1); South Dakota State (5); Southern Illinois (9); Western Illinois (14); Western Kentucky (3); Youngstown St. (4)



A pro with the San Diego Chargers, Mike Scifres was a three-time first-team punter while at Western Illinois.



Although not drafted, QB Kurt Warner of UNI (1993) appeared in NFL Super Bowls with St. Louis and Arizona, taking game MVP Honors once.

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MVFC PLAYERS IN THE NFL DRAFT - TOP SELECTIONS

League Players to Play in the NFL Pro Bowl

(The date listed represents the date the game was played, not the season, meaning the player qualified for the Pro Bowl during the season prior to date listed. Games generally played in February.)

- Bryan Cox, LB, Western Illinois
(3) Miami Dolphins -- 1993, 1995-96
- David Johnson, RB, UNI
(1) Arizona Cardinals -- 2017
- Rodney Harrison, DB, Western Illinois
(2) San Diego Chargers -- 1999, 2002
- Bryce Paup, LB, UNI
(4) Green Bay -- 1995; Buffalo -- 1996-98
- Bart Scott, LB, Southern Illinois
(1) Baltimore -- 2007
- Kurt Warner, QB, UNI
(4) St. Louis -- 2000-02; Arizona - 2008
- Carson Wentz, QB, North Dakota State
(1) Philadelphia Eagles -- 2018
- Frank Winters, C, Western Illinois
(1) Green Bay Packers -- 1997

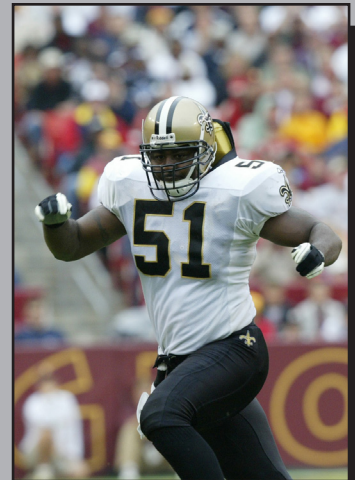
League Players to Win NFL MVP Awards

- Bryce Paup, LB, UNI
NFL Defensive MVP - 1995 (w/Buffalo)
- Kurt Warner, QB, UNI
NFL MVP - 1999, 2001 (w/St. Louis)
Super Bowl - XXXIV (vs. Tennessee)

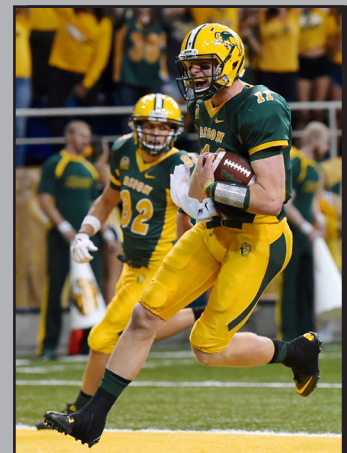
MVFC PLAYERS TAKEN IN THE TOP 200 PICKS OF THE DRAFT (LISTED BY OVERALL SELECTION)

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2016	1	2	QB	Carson Wentz	North Dakota State	Philadelphia Eagles
2021	1	3	QB	Trey Lance	North Dakota State	San Francisco 49ers
2022	1	19	OT	Trevor Penning	Northern Iowa	New Orleans Saints
2022	2	34	WR	Christian Watson	North Dakota State	Green Bay Packers
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2009	3	69	LB	Jason Williams	Western Illinois	Dallas Cowboys
2002	3	74	CB	Joseph Jefferson	Western Kentucky	Indianapolis Colts
2007	3	75	WR	Laurent Robinson	Illinois State	Atlanta Falcons
2001	3	78	CB	William James	Western Illinois	New York Giants
2017	3	83	OLB	Derek Rivers	Youngstown State	New England Patriots
2019	3	84	DT	Khalen Saunders	Western Illinois	Kansas City Chiefs
2015	3	86	RB	David Johnson	UNI	Arizona Cardinals
1986	4	87	C	Tom Baugh	Southern Illinois	Kansas City Chiefs
1997	3	88	WR	Dedric Ward	UNI	New York Jets
2021	3	93	OT	Spencer Brown	UNI	Buffalo Bills
2008	3	96	T	Chad Rinehart	UNI	Washington Redskins
1987	4	97	T	Ralph Van Dyke	Southern Illinois	Atlanta Falcons
2005	4	110	RB	Brandon Jacobs	Southern Illinois	New York Giants
2011	4	110	G	David Arkin	Missouri State	Dallas Cowboys
1991	5	113	OLB	Bryan Cox	Western Illinois	Miami Dolphins
1987	5	114	WR	Roy Banks	Eastern Illinois	Indianapolis Colts
1995	4	114	DB	Ray McElroy	Eastern Illinois	Indianapolis Colts
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1994	5	145	SAF	Rodney Harrison	Western Illinois	San Diego Chargers
1997	5	147	TE	Damon Jones	Southern Illinois	Jacksonville Jaguars
2003	5	149	P	Mike Scifres	Western Illinois	San Diego Chargers
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2018	5	159	WR	Daurice Fountain	UNI	Indianapolis Colts
2022	5	159	DT	Eric Johnson	Missouri State	Indianapolis Colts
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2015	5	173	TE	James O'Shaughnessy	Illinois State	Kansas City Chiefs
1989	7	175	T	Dave Popp	Eastern Illinois	New York Giants
2022	5	178	DT	John Ridgeway	Illinois State	Dallas Cowboys
1993	7	179	C	Brad Fichtel	Eastern Illinois	Los Angeles Rams
2010	6	180	RB	Deji Karim	Southern Illinois	Jacksonville Jaguars
2010	6	192	LB	Danny Batten	South Dakota State	Buffalo Bills
2022	6	192	TE	Andrew Ogletree	Youngstown State	Indianapolis Colts
2013	6	193	OLB	Nate Palmer	Illinois State	Green Bay Packers



LB Bryan Cox was an all-Pro with Miami, earned a Super Bowl ring with the Patriots and played at New Orleans.



QB Carson Wentz of North Dakota State became the first MVFC player drafted in the first round in 2016.



Rodney Harrison of Western Illinois played in four Super Bowl games, three with New England.



Don Beebe of Western Illinois reached the Super Bowl six times in his career, four times with Buffalo.

Players from League Schools to Play in the Super Bowl

(The following is a list of players from league teams who have made their team's respective Super Bowl rosters)

Don Beebe, Western Illinois
(Buffalo - XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII;
Green Bay- XXXI, XXXII)

*Tyrone Braxton, NDSU
(Denver - XXXII, XXXIII, XXII, XXIV)

Bryan Cox, Western Illinois
(New England - XXXVI)

*Craig Dahl, North Dakota State
(New York Giants - XLII)

Joe Haeg, North Dakota State
(Tampa Bay - LV)

Jewel Hampton, Southern Illinois
(San Francisco - XLVII)

Ryan Hannam, UNI
(Seattle - XXL)

*Phil Hansen, North Dakota State
(Buffalo - XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII)

Rodney Harrison, Western Illinois
(San Diego - XXIX)
(New England-XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII)

Ramon Humber, N. Dakota State
(Indianapolis - XLIV)
(New England - LIII)

Brandon Jacobs, Southern Illinois
(New York Giants - XLII, XLVI)

Tim Johnson, Youngstown State
(Oakland - XXXVII)

*Bruce Klostermann, S. Dakota State
(Denver - XXII, XXIV)

*Jim Langer, South Dakota State
(Miami - VI, VII, VIII)

*Doug Miller, South Dakota State
(San Diego - XXIX)

*Steve Nelson, North Dakota State
(New England - XX)

Anthony Oakley, Western Kentucky
(Chicago - XLI)

*Mike Prior, Illinois State
(Green Bay - XXXI)

Derek Rivers, Youngstown State
(New England - LIII)

*Stacy Robinson, North Dakota State
(New York Giants - XXI, XXV)

Khalen Saunders, Western Illinois
(Kansas City - LIV, LV)

Rich Seubert, Western Illinois
(New York Giants - XLII)

*Rod Smart, Western Kentucky
(Carolina - XXXVIII)

*Adam Timmerman, S. Dakota State
(Green Bay - XXXI, XXXII;
St. Louis, XXXIV, XXXVI)

Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois
(Tampa Bay - XXXVII)

*Adam Vinatieri, South Dakota St.
(New England - XXXI, XXXVI,
XXXVIII, XXXIX; Indianapolis - XLI)

Kurt Warner, UNI
(St. Louis - XXXIV, XXXVI)
(Arizona - XLIII)

Jason Whittle, Missouri State
(New York Giants - XXXV)

Xavier Williams, UNI
(Kansas City - LIV)

Frank Winters, Western Illinois
(Green Bay - XXXI, XXXII)

*Jeff Wilkins, Youngstown State
(St. Louis - XXXIV, XXXVI)

*played for a league school, but before that school was a member.

League Super Bowl Top Moments

Following the 1999 season, QB Kurt Warner was the Super Bowl MVP and the league MVP and wasn't even the projected starter for the Rams. He got the job when free agent Trent Green was hurt in an exhibition. Warner went on to throw a franchise-record 41 TD passes, only the second QB in NFL history to surpass 40. In Super Bowl XXXIV (Rams 23, Titans 16), he had a then-Super Bowl record 414 pass yards.

In 2010, Sean Payton (1986 league MVP while QB at Eastern Illinois) coached New Orleans to its first-ever Super Bowl win in a 31-17 score against the Colts.

**Currently in the NFL
(as of July 21, 2022)**

**includes 2022 free-agent signees
does not include current UND players
who played at UND pre-MVFC**

Josh Babicz, TE, North Dakota State
Carolina Panthers, 2022-
Chris Board, LB, North Dakota State
Baltimore Ravens, 2018-21
Detroit Lions, 2022-
Spencer Brown, OT, UNI
Buffalo Bills, 2021-
Elijah Campbell, S, UNI
New York Jets, 2021
Miami Dolphins, 2022-
Jeremy Chinn, S, Southern Illinois
Carolina Panthers, 2020-
Kameron Ciine, DT, South Dakota
Indianapolis Colts, 2020-
Jack Cochran, LB, South Dakota
Kansas City Chiefs, 2022-
Dylan Cole, LB, Missouri State
Houston Texans, 2017-20
Tennessee Titans, 2021-
Dominique Dafney, TE, Indiana State
Green Bay Packers, 2020-
Ben Ellefson, TE, North Dakota State
Jacksonville Jaguars, 2020-21
Minnesota Vikings, 2022-
Daurice Fountain, WR, UNI
Indianapolis Colts, 2018-20
Kansas City Chiefs, 2021-
Don Gardner, CB, South Dakota State
Tampa Bay Buccaneers, 2022-
Dallas Goedert, TE, South Dakota State
Philadelphia Eagles, 2018-
Michael Griffin II, S, South Dakota State
Tennessee Titans, 2022-
Jonas Griffith, LB, Indiana State
San Francisco 49ers, 2020-21
Denver Broncos, 2022-
Joe Haeg, OT, North Dakota State
Indianapolis Colts, 2016-2019
Tampa Bay Buccaneers, 2020
Pittsburgh Steelers, 2021-
Madre Harper, CB, Southern Illinois
Las Vegas Raiders, 2020
New York Giants, 2021
Carolina Panthers, 2022-
Shelby Harris, DE, Illinois State
Denver Broncos, 2015-2021
Seattle Seahawks, 2022-
Dennis Houston, WR, Western Illinois
Dallas Cowboys, 2022-
Craig James, S, Southern Illinois
Philadelphia Eagles, 2019-20
New York Jets, 2022-
Cade Johnson, WR, South Dakota State
Seattle Seahawks, 2021-
Eric Johnson, DT, Missouri State
Indianapolis Colts, 2022-
Zack Johnson, OG, North Dakota State
Green Bay Packers, 2020-21
Denver Broncos, 2022-
Luther Kirk, S, Illinois State
Dallas Cowboys, 2020
Minnesota Vikings, 2021
Cleveland Browns, 2022-
Trey Lance, QB, North Dakota State
San Francisco 49ers, 2021-
LaCale London, DE, Western Illinois
Chicago Bears, 2020-

Ryan Neal, S, Southern Illinois
Atlanta Falcons, 2018-2019
Seattle Seahawks, 2020-
Bryce Notree, LB, Southern Illinois
Washington Commanders, 2022-
Andrew Ogletree, TE, Youngstown State
Indianapolis Colts, 2022-
Chris Oladokun, QB, South Dakota State
Pittsburgh Steelers, 2022-
James O'Shaughnessy, TE, Illinois State
Kansas City Chiefs, 2015-16
Jacksonville Jaguars, 2017-21
Chicago Bears, 2022-
Trevor Penning, OT, UNI
New Orleans Saints, 2022-
Kevin Rader, TE, Youngstown State
Pittsburgh Steelers, 2018-
Dillon Radunz, OT, North Dakota State
Tennessee Titans, 2021-
Derek Rivers, DE, Youngstown State
New England Patriots, 2018-20
Houston Texans, 2021-
James Robinson, RB, Illinois State
Jacksonville Jaguars, 2020-
Christian Rozeboom, LB, South Dakota St.
Los Angeles Rams, 2020-
Khalel Saunders, DT, Western Illinois
Kansas City Chiefs, 2019-
Elerson Smith, LB, UNI
New York Giants, 2021-
Easton Stick, QB, North Dakota State
Los Angeles Chargers, 2019-
Pierre Strong Jr., RB, South Dakota State
New England Patriots, 2022-
Brayden Thomas, LB, North Dakota State
Los Angeles Rams, 2022-
Robert Tonyan Jr., TE, Indiana State
Green Bay Packers, 2018-
Billy Turner, OG, North Dakota State
Miami Dolphins, 2014-16
Denver Broncos, 2016-18
Green Bay Packers, 2019-21
Denver Broncos, 2022-
Derrek Tuszka, LB, North Dakota State
Denver Broncos, 2020-21
Pittsburgh Steelers, 2022-
Cordell Volson, OT, North Dakota State
Cincinnati Bengals, 2022-
Matt Waletzko, OT, North Dakota
Dallas Cowboys, 2022-
Christian Watson, WR, North Dakota State
Green Bay Packers, 2022-
Carson Wentz, QB, North Dakota State
Philadelphia Eagles, 2016-20
Indianapolis Colts, 2021
Washington Commanders, 2022-
Isaiah Weston, WR, UNI
Cleveland Browns, 2022-

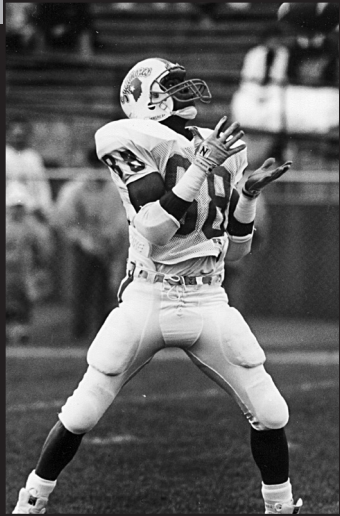
**Players from Valley Schools
Past Players in the NFL**

(Only includes players with 4+ NFL seasons that have played at least one year in the Missouri Valley Football Conference)

Chase Allen, Southern Illinois (2017-20)
Luis Almanzar, Missouri State (2001-04)
David Arkin, Missouri State (2011-16)
Willie Beamon, UNI (1993-97)
Don Beebe, Western Illinois (1989-98)
B.J. Bello, Illinois State (2017-21)
Eddie Berlin, UNI (2001-05)
John Bock, Indiana State (1995-2000)
David Bowens, W. Illinois (1999-2011)
Fabien Bownes, W. Illinois (1995-2002)
Cyron Brown, Western Illinois (1998-02)
Jordan Brown, South Dakota St. (2019-21)
James Broyles, Missouri State (2001-04)
Aveion Cason, Illinois State (2001-09)
Bryan Cox, Western Illinois (1991-02)
Herb Donaldson, WIU (2009-11)
Makinton Dorleant, UNI (2016-20)
John Earle, W. Illinois (1992-94, 1996)
Kyle Emanuel, NDSU (2015-18)
LJ Fort, UNI (2012-21)
Derrick Frost, UNI (2003-08)
Mike Furrey, UNI (2003-11)
Damian Gregory, Illinois State (2004-07)
Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State (2005-09)
Dieondre' Hall, UNI (2016-20)
Ryan Hannam, UNI (2002-06)
Clay Harbor, Missouri State (2010-16)
Davontae Harris, ILS (2018-21)
Rodney Harrison, WIU (1994-08)
Edgerton Hartwell, WIU (2001-08)
Austin Howard, UNI (2010-18)
Ramon Humber, NDSU (2009-18)
Frisman Jackson, W. Illinois (2002-07)
Brandon Jacobs, S. Illinois (2005-14)
William James, W. Illinois (2001-11)
Joseph Jefferson, WKU (2002-05)
Demeris Johnson, W. Illinois (1994-98)
David Johnson, UNI (2015-21)
Jeremi Johnson, W. Kentucky (2003-09)
Tim Johnson, Youngstown St. (2002-06)
Damon Jones, S. Illinois (1997-2001)
Donald Jones, YSU (2010-12)
James Jones, UNI (1991-2001)
John Jurkovic, E. Illinois (1990-2000)
Deji Karim, S. Illinois (2010-14)
Brandon Keith, UNI (2008-13)
Brad Kubik, Missouri State (1998-2001)
Michael Liedtke, Illinois State (2017-20)
Ray McElroy, E. Illinois (1995-2001)
Lamar McGriggs, W. Illinois (1991-95)
Marcus Mason, Youngstown (2007-10)
Brad Meester, UNI (2000-13)
Jim Meyer, Illinois State (1986-88)
Mel Mitchell, Western Ky. (2002-08)
Avery Moss, Youngstown State (2017-20)
Tom Nelson, Illinois State (2009-13)
Anthony Oakley, Western Ky. (2005-08)
Nate Palmer, Illinois State (2013-18)
Bryce Paup, UNI (1990-2001)
Will Peterson, W. Illinois (2001-05)

MyCole Pruitt, S. Illinois (2015-21)
Chad Rinehart, UNI (2008-14)
Laurent Robinson, Illinois St. (2007-12)
Mark Rodenhauser, ILS (1987-2000)
Brandian Ross, YSU (2011-16)
Justin Sandy, UNI (2004-08)
Benny Sapp, UNI (2004-11)
Mike Scifres, Western Illinois (2003-16)
Bart Scott, Southern Illinois (2002-12)
Chad Setterstrom, UNI (2003-06)
Rich Seubert, WIU (2001-11)
Kenny Shedd, UNI (1993-2000)
Darius Shepherd, NDSU (2019-21)
Mike Simmonds, INS (1987-91)
Tyler Starr, USD (2014-17)
Aaron Stecker, W. Illinois (2000-11)
Charles Swann, Indiana State (1992-96)
Brad St. Louis, Missouri St. (2000-09)
Gunnard Twyner, W. Illinois (1996-99)
Dedric Ward, UNI (1997-04)
Kurt Warner, UNI (1998-09)
Jason Whittle, Missouri State (1998-09)
Cody White, Illinois State (2012-15)
Jason Williams, W. Illinois (2009-15)
Marcus Williams, NDSU (2014-18)
Xavier Williams, UNI (2015-21)
Frank Winters, W. Illinois (1987-03)
Zach Zenner, South Dakota St. (2015-19)

The 'Past Valley NFL Players' list does not include all players who played at a league school before that school was a Missouri Valley Football Conference member.



Indiana State's Charles Swann earned back-to-back first-team all-conference honors in 1990 and 1991.



Youngstown State's Harry Deligianis was the league's Defensive MVP in 1997 and a first-team All-American.

1985 Offensive

S7 Rod Witt, FB, Missouri State
 S14 Keith Williams, RB, Missouri State
 S21 Sean Payton, QB, Eastern Illinois
 S28 Byron Mitchell, RB, Southern Illinois
 O5 Keith Williams, RB, Missouri State
 O12 Errol Peebles, RB, UNI
 O19 Sean Payton, QB, Eastern Illinois
 O26 Jeff McKinney, RB, Western Illinois
 N2 Byron Mitchell, RB, Southern Illinois
 N9 Carl Boyd, RB, UNI
 N16 Steve Stull, QB, Illinois State

Defensive

D. Jackson, CB, Missouri State
 Mark Farley, LB, UNI
 Ron Johnson, DE, Western Illinois
 Brian Gant, LB, Illinois State
 Henry Saxon, LB, UNI
 Carl Parker, DE, Eastern Illinois
 James Houston, LB, Missouri State
 Bob Storbeck, LB, UNI
 Preston Estes, DE, Missouri State
 Brian Gant, LB, Illinois State
 Preston Estes, DE, Missouri State

1986 Offensive

A30 Roy Banks, WR, Eastern Illinois
 S6 DuWayne Pitts, RB, Eastern Illinois
 S13 Mike Smith, QB, UNI
 S20 Sean Payton, QB, Eastern Illinois
 S27 Mike Smith, QB, UNI
 O4 Sean Payton, QB, Eastern Illinois
 O11 Rich Ehmke, PK, Eastern Illinois
 O18 Chris Johnson, WR, Indiana State
 O25 Calvin Pierce, WR, Eastern Illinois
 N1 Paul Singer, QB, Western Illinois
 N8 Mike Smith, QB, UNI
 N15 Mike Smith, QB, UNI
 Sean Payton, QB, Eastern Illinois

Defensive

Brian Gant, LB, Illinois State
 John Kropke, DT, Illinois State
 Todd Auer, DT, Western Illinois
 Mike Hryn, LB, Western Illinois
 Mike Hryn, LB, Western Illinois
 Jeff Smith, FS, Illinois State
 Brad Crouse, MG, Southern Illinois
 Ezell Shelton, LB, Southern Illinois
 John Jurkovic, DE, Eastern Illinois
 Matt Soraghan, LB, Missouri State
 Mike Carbonaro, LB, Southern Illinois
 Carl Parker, NG, Eastern Illinois

1987 Offensive

S7 Paul Patterson, RB, Southern Illinois
 S14 Paul Singer, QB, Western Illinois
 S21 Paul Singer, QB, Western Illinois
 S28 Paul Singer, QB, Western Illinois
 O5 DeAndre Smith, QB, Missouri State
 O12 Carl Boyd, RB, UNI
 O19 Fred Gibson, QB, Southern Illinois
 O26 Carl Boyd, RB, UNI
 N2 Carl Boyd, RB, UNI
 N9 Ron Westmoreland, RB, Illinois State
 N16 Paul Singer, QB, Western Illinois
 Carl Boyd, RB, UNI
 N23 Vic Northern, RB, Illinois State

Defensive

Marty Lomelino, LB, Western Illinois
 Matt Soraghan, LB, Missouri State
 Daryl Holcombe, CB, Eastern Illinois
 Matt Soraghan, LB, Missouri State
 Mike Carbonaro, LB, Southern Illinois
 Marty Lomelino, LB, Western Illinois
 Mike Briscoe, LB, Eastern Illinois
 Scott Johnson, FS, Eastern Illinois
 Tim Lance, DB, Eastern Illinois
 Chris Klieman, DB, UNI
 Matt Soraghan, LB, Missouri State
 Ken Hopp, LB, Indiana State

1988 Offensive

S3 Fred Gibson, QB, Southern Illinois
 S10 Paul Singer, QB, Western Illinois
 S17 Paul Singer, QB, Western Illinois
 S24 Paul Singer, QB, Western Illinois
 O1 Vic Northern, TB, Illinois State
 O8 Ralph Stewart, WR, Eastern Illinois
 O15 Chuck Harmke, FB, Southern Illinois
 O22 Brett Grimshaw, RB, Western Illinois
 O29 John Sahn, QB, Indiana State
 N5 DeAndre Smith, QB, Missouri State
 N12 Wes Anderson, FL, UNI
 N19 Joe Cook, SE, Southern Illinois

Defensive

Armie Gasbarro, LB, Western Illinois
 John Jurkovic, DE, Eastern Illinois
 Jeff Mills, LB, Eastern Illinois
 James Turnage, DT, Missouri State
 Ken Hopp, LB, Indiana State
 Troy Mickens, DB, Indiana State
 Jay Wade, CB, Western Illinois
 S. Ferbrache, DE, Southern Illinois
 Jeff Mills, LB, Eastern Illinois
 Jeff Rolson, DT, Eastern Illinois
 Rich Ruether, DT, Western Illinois
 Matt Campbell, LB, Indiana State

1989 Offensive

S2 DeAndre Smith, QB, Missouri State
 S9 Eric Arnold, QB, Eastern Illinois
 S16 Phillip Collins, HB, Missouri State
 S23 Gene Benhart, QB, Western Illinois
 Pablo Luis, WR, Western Illinois
 O1 Scott Gabbert, QB, Southern Illinois
 O8 Scott Gabbert, QB, Southern Illinois
 O16 Eric Arnold, QB, Eastern Illinois
 O23 Fred Gibson, QB, Southern Illinois
 O30 Tony Gilbert, HB, Missouri State
 N6 Ritchie Thompson, RB, Illinois State
 N13 Eric Arnold, QB, Eastern Illinois
 N20 Ken Macklin, QB, UNI

Defensive

Jeff Mills, LB, Eastern Illinois
 Mark Bertram, DL, Illinois State
 Bryce Paup, LB, UNI
 John Jurkovic, DT, Eastern Illinois
 Armie Gasbarro, LB, Western Illinois
 Bryan Cox, NB, Western Illinois
 David Calhoun, DB, Illinois State
 R.L. Reynolds, CB, Eastern Illinois
 Willie Beamon, CB, UNI
 Wilbert Brown, LB, Illinois State
 Tim Lance, DB, Eastern Illinois
 James Turnage, LB, Missouri State

1990 Offensive

S3	Jay Johnson, QB, UNI
S10	Brian Downey, QB, Southern Illinois
S17	Richard Grote, PK, Missouri State
S24	Jay Johnson, QB, UNI
O1	DeAndre Smith, QB, Missouri State
O8	Derrick Franklin, TB, Indiana State
O15	Toby Davis, RB, Illinois State
O22	John Stites, QB, Indiana State
O29	DeAndre Smith, QB, Missouri State
N5	Larry Dickinson, WR, Illinois State
N12	Derrick Franklin, TB, Indiana State
N19	Brian Mitchell, PK, UNI

1991 Offensive

S2	Brian Downey, QB, Southern Illinois
S9	Greg Brown, RB, Southern Illinois
S16	Jeff Thorne, QB, Eastern Illinois
S23	Toby Davis, RB, Illinois State
S30	Kenny Shedd, WR, UNI
O7	Paul Carney, QB, Missouri State
O14	Don Simmons, QB, Western Illinois
O21	Toby Davis, RB, Illinois State
O28	Derrick Franklin, RB, Indiana State
N4	Tank Corner, RB, UNI
N11	Jay Johnson, QB, UNI
N18	Derrick Franklin, RB, Indiana State
N25	Brian Mitchell, PK, UNI

1992 Offensive

S5	Adrian Wilson, QB, Illinois State
S12	Toby Davis, RB, Illinois State
S19	Scott Gabbert, QB, Southern Illinois
S26	Toby Davis, RB, Illinois State
O3	Kenny Shedd, FL, UNI
O10	Scott Gabbert, QB, Southern Illinois
O17	Tank Corner, RB, UNI
O24	Donny Simmons, QB, Western Illinois
O31	Donny Simmons, QB, Western Illinois
N7	Donny Simmons, QB, Western Illinois
N14	Jay Johnson, QB, UNI
N21	Scott Gabbert, QB, Southern Illinois

1993 Offensive

S6	Cameron Smith, RB, ILS
S13	Tim Mosley, WR, UNI
S20	Jeff Stovall, RB, UNI
S27	Kurt Warner, QB, UNI
O4	Danny Barnett, QB, ILS

O11	Phil Johnson, QB, MSU
O18	Willie High, RB, EIU

O25	Kurt Warner, QB, UNI
N1	Willie High, RB, EIU
N8	Willie High, RB, EIU
N15	Danny Barnett, QB, ILS
N22	Willie High, RB, EIU

1994 Offensive

S3	Jason Calabrese, WR, EIU
S10	Jeremy Hoog, QB, MSU
S17	Keith Goodnight, RB, ILS
S24	David Wright, RB, INS
O1	Pete Mauch, QB, EIU
O8	David Wright, RB, INS
O15	Rob St. Sauver, QB, WIU
O22	Kendall McDonald, RB, WIU
O29	Pete Mauch, QB, EIU
N5	Kendall McDonald, RB, WIU
N12	Rob St. Sauver, QB, WIU
N19	Rob St. Sauver, QB, WIU

Defensive

Shavez Hawkins, LB, EIU
Ron Hubbard, DT, SIU
Ken McMillan, LB, WIU
Ken McMillan, LB, WIU
Rodney Harrison, FS, WIU

Chris Stevens, LB, ILS
Mike Williams, LB, ILS

Dan Brandenburg, DT, INS
Kevin Zeng, DE, EIU
Adrian Smith, DB, MSU
Andre Allen, LB, UNI
Rodney Harrison, FS, WIU

Defensive

Paul Wolf, LB, UNI
Tim Carver, LB, EIU
Chris Brown, CB, EIU
Frank Spraggins, CB, WIU
Matt Sweeney, LB, EIU
Paul Wolf, LB, UNI
Kevin Lightburn, LB, MSU
Tony Seman, LB, SIU
Jerry Freeny, SS, MSU
Jason Vasconez, LB, WIU
DeLaun Fowler, LB, MSU
Todd Harrington, DB, UNI

Defensive

Darren Neputy, DE, Illinois State
Tim Lance, NB, Eastern Illinois
William Freeney, NB, UNI
Cameron Flemming, LB, Missouri State
Joe Allen, NB, Western Illinois
Mike Settles, ILB, Eastern Illinois
Tim Lance, NB, Eastern Illinois
Eric Christensen, LB, Indiana State
Thad Trump, LB, Western Illinois
Bryan Cox, NB, Western Illinois
Robert Harbolt, LB, Missouri State
Todd Eagen, DE, UNI

Defensive

Wilbert Brown, LB, Illinois State
Ken McMillan, LB, Western Illinois
Anthony Burton, FS, Illinois State
Derrick Faulkner, CB, Southern Illinois
Clint Smothers, FS, Southern Illinois
Adrian Smith, CB, Missouri State
Wilbert Brown, LB, Illinois State
Adrian Smith, CB, Missouri State
Steve Turzynski, NB, Western Illinois
Eric Christensen, LB, Indiana State
Brent Harbold, DE, Western Illinois
Paul Pennington, FS, Eastern Illinois
Duane Peterson, DB, UNI

Defensive

Shavez Hawkins, DB, Eastern Illinois
William Freeney, LB, UNI
Adrian Smith, DB, Missouri State
William Freeney, LB, UNI
Rodney Harrison, FS, Western Illinois
Chris Stevens, LB, Illinois State
Rodney Harrison, FS, Western Illinois
Dan Dee, DT, Eastern Illinois
William Freeney, LB, UNI
Shavez Hawkins State, DB, Eastern Illinois
Dyrrah Christon, NG, Indiana State
Peter Burns, LB, UNI

Offensive Line

David Dow, OT, MSU
Donald Mumma, OC, UNI
Luke Hake, OC, MSU
Shawn Moore, OG, INS
Jon McAvoy, OL, ILS
John Bock, OC, INS
Donald Mumma, OC, UNI
Richard Huddleston, G, WIU
Duane Conway, OC, EIU
Brian Tierney, OG, WIU
Duane Conway, OC, EIU
Tim Herrin, OT, INS
Corey Mackey, OT, ILS
Shawn Moore, OG, INS

Offensive Line

D.J. Mumma, C, UNI
Pat Kneller, OG, INS
Luke Hake, C, MSU
Tim Herrin, OT, INS
Chris Anderson, C, EIU
Jason Franklin, OG, INS
Richard Huddleston, WIU
Gil Plasencia, OL, WIU
Mike Richart, OT, EIU
Brad Kubik, OT, MSU
Andy Ziebarth, OT, ILS
Richard Huddleston, WIU

Special Teams

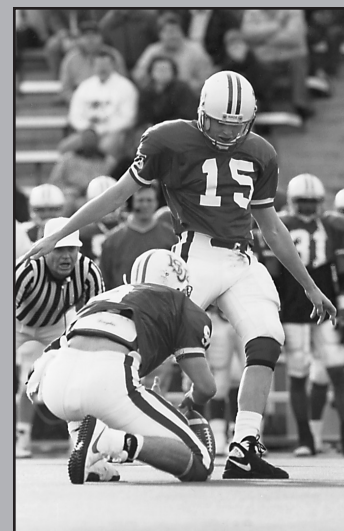
Todd Kurz, PK, ILS
Mark Gagliano, P, SIU
Todd Kurz, PK, ILS
Todd Kurz, PK, ILS
Anthony Pegues, RS, MSU

Jason McCleary, RS, UNI
Steve Largent, PK, EIU

Rory Lee, RS, WIU
Tim Mosley, P, UNI
Franky West, RS, ILS
Rory Lee, RS, WIU
Steve Largent, PK, EIU

Special Teams

Buck Phillips, PR, WIU
Todd Kurz, PK/P, ILS
Matt Waller, PK, UNI
Tom Allison, PK, INS
Ross Schulte, P, WIU
Deon McDaniel, PR, ILS
Mark Gagliano, P, SIU
Mark Gagliano, P, SIU
Kevin Dixson, KR, ILS
Ryan Elsbernd, P, UNI
Deon McDaniel, KR, ILS
Buck Phillips, PR, WIU



Illinois State's Todd Kurz had more league player of the week awards (10) in his career than any other.

Most Selections, Career

- 10 - P/PK Todd Kurz, ILS (1993-96)
- 8 - RB Aaron Stecker, WIU (1997-98)
- 8 - QB Paul Singer, WIU (1985-88)
- 7 - QB Kurt Hess, YSU (2010-13)
- 7 - P/PK Miles Bergner, USD (2013-16)
- 7 - LB Brett Taylor, WIU (2014-17)
- 6 - WR Dedic Ward, UNI (1993-96)
- 6 - RB Willie High, EIU (1992-95)
- 6 - PK M. Hoambrecker, UNI (2000-02)
- 6 - P/PK Mike Scifres, WIU (1999-02)
- 6 - RB P.J. Mays, YSU (2000-02)
- 6 - RB Herb Donaldson, WIU (2006-08)
- 6 - OL David Arkin, MSU (2007-10)
- 6 - QB Chris Streveler, USD (2016-17)
- 6 - QB Taryn Christon, SDSU (2015-17)

Consecutive Selections

- 4 - Muhammad Abdulqaadir, SIU (2002)
- 3 - Paul Singer, Western Illinois (1987)
- 3 - Paul Singer, Western Illinois (1988)
- 3 - Donny Simmons, W. Illinois (1992)
- 3 - Todd Kurz, Illinois State (1995)
- 3 - Jason Perry, Youngstown St. (2006)
- 3 - Ryan Boyle, Indiana State (2018)

More than a dozen league players have earned player of the week honors two consecutive weeks, but only five different players won three or more in a row.

Single-Season Leaders

- 6 - RB Aaron Stecker, WIU (1997)
- 5 - P/PK Todd Kurz, ILS (1995)
- 4 - 14 times



Southern Illinois' Tom Koutsos had 4,715 career rushing yards for the Salukis from 1999-03.



UNI's Eddie Berlin, shown here as a Tennessee Titan, earned all-league honors four-straight seasons.

Year	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
1995	S2 Willie High, RB, EIU	Tim Carver, LB, EIU	Larry Mullins, C, SIU	Kariton Carpenter, RS, SIU
	S9 Phil Perkins, WR, MSU	Ty Talton, DB, UNI	Chris Anderson, C, EIU	Todd Kurz, P/PK, ILS
	S16 Chris Sabino, WR, WIU	Frank Spraggins, CB, WIU	Jason Franklin, OG, INS	Todd Kurz, P/PK, ILS
	S23 Damon Jones, TE, SIU	Chris Libaire, LB, INS	David Papp, OT, INS	Tom Allison, PK, INS
	S30 Dedric Ward, WR, UNI	Marcus Easter, DB, UNI	Travis Hunerberg, OT, EIU	Steve Largent, PK, EIU
	O7 David Wright, RB, INS	Brian Moretz, NT, UNI	Luke Hake, OG, MSU	Justin Urbanek, P, UNI
	O14 Danny Smith, QB, SIU	Don Martin, LB, ILS	Chris Anderson, C, EIU	Wayne Boyer, PK, MSU
			Dan Bower, OT, UNI	
	O21 Dedric Ward, WR, UNI	Dan Brandenburg, DE, INS	Luke Hake, OG, MSU	Tom Allison, PK, INS
	O28 Brian Knuckles, RB, WIU	DeLaun Fowler, LB, MSU	Gil Plasencia, OL, WIU	Larry Scally, PR, INS
	N4 Willie High, RB, EIU	Tim Carver, LB, EIU	Andy Ziebarth, OT, ILS	Todd Kurz, P/PK, ILS
	N11 Jeremy Hoog, QB, MSU	Chris Stevens, LB, ILS	Paxton Parker, C, MSU	Todd Kurz, P/PK, ILS
	N18 Dee Debro, RB, MSU	James Dorsey, FS, EIU	Bob Mehoczcyk, C, WIU	Todd Kurz, P/PK, ILS
1996	A31 Dedric Ward, WR, UNI	Frank Spraggins, FS, WIU	Paxton Parker, C, MSU	Ray Fouchea, RS, ILS
	S7 Brian Knuckles, RB, WIU	Jerry Creer, CB, ILS	Chip McPheeters, C, WIU	Dedric Ward, RS, UNI
	S14 Jeremy Hoog, QB, MSU	C.J. McDavid, DB, SIU	Bob Dymont, OT, WIU	Wayne Boyer, P/PK, MSU
	S21 Lester Anderson, QB, ILS	Marcus Easter, DB, UNI	Andy Ziebarth, OT, ILS	Larry Scally, RS, INS
	S28 Michael Cosey, RB, MSU	Richard Moss, LB, INS	Steve Jones, OL, SIU	Wayne Boyer, P/PK, MSU
	O5 Michael Cosey, RB, MSU	Davis Moore, LB, MSU	Brad Kubik, OT, MSU	Wayne Boyer, P/PK, MSU
	O12 Dedric Ward, WR, UNI	Mike Likens, DT, INS	Brad Meester, C, UNI	Mickey Dalton, ST, UNI
	O19 Jeff Stovall, RB, UNI	Vince Bruno, LB, WIU	Jason Grott, RB, WIU	Larry Scally, RS, INS
	O26 Jeff Stovall, RB, UNI	Don Shymkewich, DE, WIU	Daron Duke, OG, WIU	Jeff Baker, P, WIU
	N2 Coe Bonner, RB, SIU	Ryan Culver, DT, WIU	Steve Jones, OL, SIU	Matt Waller, PK, UNI
	N9 Dedric Ward, WR, UNI	Richard Moss, LB, INS	Eric Delaere, OL, ILS	Dustin Blount, ST, WIU
	N16 Michael Cosey, RB, MSU	T.C. Barney, DE, UNI	Jason Whittle, OT, MSU	Todd Kurz, P/PK, ILS
	1997	A30 Jamaine Blalock, WR, WIU	Robert High, FS, INS	Matt Hogg, OT, YSU
S6 Aaron Stecker, RB, WIU		Jason Sykes, FS, MSU	Todd Kollar, OL, YSU	Jeff Killeen, FS, MSU
S13 Aaron Stecker, RB, WIU		Freddie Taylor, DB, SIU	Andy Pattee, OG, UNI	Jake Strader, P/K, ILS
S20 Maurice Daniels, RB, MSU		Kyle Bibbs, SS, INS	Brad Kubik, OT, MSU	J.J. Stefancin, P, YSU
S27 Kariton Carpenter, RB, SIU		Matt Pedersen, LB, UNI	Ian Shirey, C, YSU	Mike Furrey, RS, UNI
O4 Jeff Hecklinski, QB, WIU		Terrance Malone, SS, UNI	Brad Kubik, OT, MSU	Travis Brawner, P/K, MSU
O11 Aaron Stecker, RB, WIU		Pete Davila, LB, YSU	Ryan Touhey, OG, MSU	Frank Spraggins, FS, WIU
O18 Shane Fortney, QB, UNI		LeKeith Hampton, LB, MSU	Chip McPheeters, C, WIU	Travis Brawner, P/K, MSU
O25 Aaron Stecker, RB, WIU		Cyron Brown, DE, WIU	Corey Olson, OT, WIU	Scott Collins, PK, INS
N1 Aaron Stecker, RB, WIU		Percy Scott, OLB, ILS	Brad Meester, C, UNI	Jake Strader, P/K, ILS
N8 Kevin Glenn, QB, ILS		DeJuan Alfonzo, DB, INS	Corey Olson, OT, WIU	Julio Guzman, PK, UNI
N15 Mike Furrey, H-Back, UNI		Matt Pedersen, LB, UNI	Frank Page, OG, YSU	Mark Griffith, PK, YSU
N22 Aaron Stecker, RB, WIU		Dwyte Smiley, DB, YSU	Jason Grott, OL, WIU	Jeff Baker, P, WIU
1998	S5 Steve Jenkins, RB, UNI	James Milton, LB, WIU	Brian Billick, OT, UNI	John Amitrano, P, SIU
	S12 Adrian Brown, RB, YSU	Orlando Rogers, DB, SIU	John Longano, OT, YSU	Jeff Baker, P, WIU
	S19 Kent Skomia, QB, SIU	Antonio Pryor, LB, INS	Mike Rodbro, RG, ILS	Jeff Baker, P, WIU
	S26 Aveion Cason, RB, ILS	David Bowens, DE, WIU	Tony Knutson, LT, ILS	Randy Hall, P, UNI
	O3 Aaron Stecker, RB, WIU	James Milton, LB, WIU	Tony Flint, OG, MSU	DeJuan Alfonzo, RS, INS
	O10 Kevin Glenn, QB, ILS	Ryan Taylor, DB, WIU	Steve Farmer, C, ILS	Joe Lopez, PK, WIU
	O17 Kevin Glenn, QB, ILS	DeJuan Alfonzo, DB, INS	Doug Hurt, LT, INS	Jeff Baker, P, WIU
	O24 Aaron Stecker, RB, WIU	David Bowens, DE, WIU	Rich Seubert, OL, WIU	Mark Griffith, PK, YSU
	O31 Rickey Garrett, WR, ILS	Galen Scott, LB, ILS	Aaron Light, OC, MSU	Donnie Caldwell, RS, WIU
	N7 Derek Jensen, QB, MSU	Dave Watson, DE, WIU	Justin Craun, OT, MSU	Jeff Baker, P, WIU
	N14 Kariton Carpenter, RB, SIU	Devon Finn, DL, ILS	Steve Farmer, C, ILS	Travis Brawner, P/PK, MSU
	N21 Sheraton Fox, QB, INS	Troy Lefevra, DL, INS	Nate Zehr, OT, UNI	Armando Andrade, DB, ILS
	1999	S5 Mike Furrey, WR, UNI	Sam Young, DB, ILS	Rich Seubert, OL, WIU
S12 Sherard Poteete, QB, SIU		K.J. Friday, DB, WIU	Dan Hama, OL, ILS	Ashlee Frazier, RS, WIU
S19 Tom Koutsos, RB, SIU		Dave Watson, DL, WIU	none selected	Jeff Hewitt, RS, MSU
S26 Kevin Glenn, QB, ILS		Ian Dominelli, LB, YSU	Justin Craun, OT, MSU	Aveion Cason, RS, ILS
O3 Walter James, RB, ILS		Corky Martin, LB, MSU	Ted Wulf, OC, ILS	Sam Young, DB, ILS
O10 Adrian Brown, RB, YSU		Edgerton Hartwell, LB, WIU	Ian Shirey, OC, YSU	Jake Strader, P/PK, ILS
O17 Mark Zanders, QB, WIU		Ian Dominelli, LB, YSU	Casey Honkomp, OL, WIU	Brian Stegall, PK, UNI
O24 Willie Watts, RB, ILS		Tim Johnson, LB, YSU	Mike Rodbro, OG, ILS	Mike Megyesi, PK, INS
O31 Ryan Helming, QB, UNI		Matt Pedersen, LB, UNI	Jason Stealy, OG, MSU	Sam Young, DB, ILS
N7 Matt Nelson, RB, INS		Alfred Corbin, CB, ILS	Eric Martin, OC, INS	Aveion Cason, RS, ILS
N14 Mike Furrey, WR, UNI		Aisali Faapouli, DT, MSU	Aaron Light, OC, MSU	DeJuan Alfonzo, RS, INS
N21 Cornell Craig, WR, SIU		Luis Almanzar, DT, MSU	Jim Lawhom, OL, SIU	Travis Brawner, P/PK, MSU

2000	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
S2	Kevin Glenn, QB, ILS	Bruce Hightower, DB, YSU	Dan Hama, OL, ILS	Eddie Pena, P, MSU
S9	Tom Koutsos, RB, SIU	J.R. Jenkins, DB, WIU	Chad Setterstrom, OL, UNI	Mike Scifres, P, WIU
S16	Tom Koutsos, RB, SIU	Tim Johnson, LB, YSU	Justin Thies, OL, WIU	Carlos Dallis, LB/ST, UNI
S23	Charles Tharp, RB, WIU	Justin Jansen, FS, UNI	Keith Roettgen, OL, WIU	Joe Lopez, PK, WIU
S30	Ryan Helming, QB, UNI	Tim Johnson, LB, YSU	Aaron Buss, OG, UNI	Ashlee Frazier, RS, WIU
O7	Austin Moherman, QB, MSU	Tim Johnson, LB, YSU	Rich Seubert, OL, WIU	Jake Strader, P, ILS
O14	Dusty Burk, QB, ILS	Edgerton Hartwell, LB, WIU	Aaron Buss, OG, UNI	Mike Scifres, P, WIU
O21	Ryan Helming, QB, UNI	Alfred Corbin, CB, ILS	Brad Hams, OC, UNI	Mike Scifres, P, WIU
O28	Ryan Helming, QB, UNI	Galen Scott, LB, ILS	Rich Seubert, OL, WIU	Jake Strader, P/PK, ILS
N4	Jeff Ryan, QB, YSU	Tim Beshel, LB, ILS	Dan Hama, OL, ILS	David Gunn, CB/RS, UNI
N11	Jason Ringena, RB, MSU	Teddy Sims, LB, SIU	none selected	Mackenzie Hoambrecker, K, UNI
N18	Charles Tharp, RB, WIU	Andrew Papoccia, OLB, ILS	Andy King, OT, ILS	Derrick Frost, P, UNI

2001	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
S1	P.J. Mays, RB, YSU	Jason McWilliams, LB, WIU	Daniel Withrow, OL, WKU	Andre Coleman, KR, YSU
S8	P.J. Mays, RB, YSU	Bruce Hightower, SS, YSU	Eric Bowman, OG, INS	Lee Coleman, KR, MSU
S15	none selected	none selected	none selected	none selected
S22	Julian Reese, QB, INS	LeVar Greene, DB, YSU	Buster Ashley, OL, WKU	Bobby Sippio, DB, WKU
S29	Adam Benge, RB, UNI	Carlos Dallis, OLB, UNI	Chad Setterstrom, OT, UNI	Mackenzie Hoambrecker, K, UNI
O6	Frisman Jackson, WR, WIU	Bart Scott, LB, SIU	Ben Deike, OT, UNI	Justin Langan, PK, WIU
O13	P.J. Mays, RB, YSU	Antulio Aroche, CB, YSU	Jake Harriger, OG, MSU	Joseph Jefferson, RS, WKU
O20	James Braden, WR, INS	Robert Hamre, DT, UNI	Chris Price, OT, WKU	Jake Soliday, RS/WR, UNI
O27	Vito Golson, WR, ILS	Erik Dandy, LB, WKU	Jeff Bristol, OT, MSU	Jerald Burley, RS, YSU
N3	Donte Pimpleton, QB, WKU	Jon Drummond, LB, WKU	Nick Roberts, OG, YSU	Brian Long, PK, MSU
N10	Willie Watts, RB, ILS	Casey Tierney, LB, UNI	Andy King, OL, ILS	Joseph Jefferson, RS, WKU
N17	Sam Clemons, QB, WIU	P.J. Jones, LB, MSU	Elliott Smith, OL, MSU	Mackenzie Hoambrecker, K, UNI
				Ben Sanderson, RS, UNI

2002	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
A31	Marius Mays, WR, UNI	Lee Russell, LB, WIU	Ben Deike, OL, UNI	Mike Scifres, P, WIU
S7	Quincy Washington, RB, ILS	Pat Fleming, LB, MSU	Daniel Withrow, OL, WKU	Stephen Carroll, PK, ILS
S14	Julian Reese, QB, INS	Cornell Middlebrook, LB, WIU	James Rennick, OL, WIU	Mike Scifres, P, WIU
S21	Zach Dechant, RB, MSU	Boomer Grigsby, LB, ILS	Crockett Ladd, OC, MSU	Justin Langan, PK, WIU
S28	M. Abdulqaadir, RB, SIU	Jon Tekac, LB, YSU	Chris Price, OG, WKU	Mackenzie Hoambrecker, K, UNI
O5	M. Abdulqaadir, RB, SIU	Royal Whitaker, LB, SIU	Brian Akins, OL, SIU	Derrick Frost, P, UNI
O12	M. Abdulqaadir, RB, SIU	Erik Dandy, LB, WKU	Eric Bowman, OL, INS	Pat Jordan, P, INS
O19	Mike Souza, QB, ILS	Matt Mitchell, DE, UNI	Buster Ashley, OL, WKU	Mackenzie Hoambrecker, K, UNI
O26	Mike Souza, QB, ILS	Sherrod Coates, LB, WKU	Jim Ferguson, OL, ILS	Justin Langan, PK, WIU
N2	P.J. Mays, RB, YSU	Dietrich Lapsley, LB, INS	Chris Price, OG, WKU	Reggie Gray, RS, WIU
N9	P.J. Mays, RB, YSU	Cornell Middlebrook, LB, WIU	none selected	Jake Stewart, PK, YSU
N16	Jon Frazier, RB, WKU	Antonio Veals, FS, WKU	Buster Ashley, OL, WKU	Mackenzie Hoambrecker, K, UNI
N23	P.J. Mays, RB, YSU	Sherod Holmes, DB, YSU	none selected	Jake Stewart, PK, YSU

2003	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
A30	Cody Pratt, RB, MSU	Torre Endsley, DB, MSU	Wesley Proctor, OT, SIU	Cory Henke, P, UNI
S6	Dwayne Smith, WR, ILS	Alexis Moreland, S, SIU	Fred Freitag, OT, INS	James Norris, RS, WIU
S13	Demetrus Johnson, RB, ILS	Lee Russell, LB, WIU	Justin Rich, OG, SIU	Michael Sparks, RS, MSU
S20	Russ Michna, QB, WIU	Matt Mitchell, DE, UNI	Mike Stegeman, OL, ILS	Matt Lange, PK, WKU
S27	Terrance Freeney, RB, UNI	Waymann Peters, CB, YSU	Ben Deike, OT, UNI	Tyler Johnson, SS, UNI
O4	Sam Logan, WR, INS	Travis Washington, DB, WIU	Will Sanders, OL, YSU	Nick Terracina, PK, YSU
O11	Joel Sambursky, QB, SIU	Lee Russell, LB, WIU	Elmer McDaniel, C, SIU	Brian Claybourn, P, WKU
O18	Travis Glasford, RB, WIU	Benny Sapp, DB, UNI	Anthony Oakley, OL, WKU	Brian Wingert, PK, UNI
O25	M. Abdulqaadir, RB, SIU	Matt Mitchell, DE, UNI	Stafford Davis, OL, ILS	Reggie Gray, RS, WIU
N1	Sha-Ron Edwards, RB, ILS	Erik Dandy, LB, WKU	Ben Deike, OT, UNI	Michael Sparks, RS, MSU
N8	Joel Sambursky, QB, SIU	Karl Maslowski, LB, WKU	Brad Durham, OL, MSU	Pat Jordan, P, INS
N15	Steven Rush, WR, MSU	Dennis Mitchell, CB, WKU	Ross Bohner, OG, UNI	Steven Rush, RS, MSU
N15	Eddie Galles, WR, UNI			

2004	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
S4	Brandon Jacobs, RB, SIU	Charles Thompson, LB, WKU	Brian Akins, OT, SIU	James Norris, RS, WIU
S11	Travis Glasford, RB, WIU	Quincy Wallace, DB, INS	Brad Durham, OC, MSU	Kyle Hooper, PK, INS
S18	Yance Vaughan, QB, ILS	Charles Thompson, LB, WKU	Buster Ashley, OL, WKU	LaDrelle Bryant, LB, INS
S25	Monquantae Gibson, RB, YSU	Doc Gooden, LB, INS	Fred Freitag, OT, INS	Kris Coffee, WIU
O2	Travis Glasford, RB, WIU	Deonte Smith, LB, WKU	Travis Brown, OT, MSU	Craig Turner, RS, SIU
O9	Travis Glasford, RB, WIU	Alexis Moreland, DB, SIU	Stafford Davis, OG, ILS	James Norris, RS, WIU
O16	Steve LaFalce, QB, WIU	Alexis Moreland, DB, SIU	Elmer McDaniel, OL, SIU	Brian Wingert, PK, UNI
O23	Terrance Freeney, RB, UNI	Boomer Grigsby, LB, ILS	Luke Stigler, OT, UNI	Joe Walkins, RS, ILS



P.J. Mays of Youngstown State earned league player of the week honors six times in his career.



Before moving on to the NFL, Tim Johnson of Youngstown State took four league weekly defensive honors.



PK Brian Wingert was decorated five times as league's special teams player of the week from 2003-06.



Indiana State's David Wright was a two-time player of the week selection during the 1994 season.

O30 Justin Surrency, WR, UNI	Getty Cavitt, LB, WKU	Doug Wilkinson, OT, UNI	Brian Claybourn, P, WKU
N6 Eric Sanders, QB, UNI	Darren Barnett, CB, MSU	Norris Kennedy, OG, YSU	Justin Surrency, KR, UNI
N13 Joel Sambursky, QB, SIU	Deonte Smith, LB, WKU	Buster Ashley, OL, WKU	Jon Scifres, PK, MSU
Lerron Moore, RB, WKU			
N20 Brian Porter, RB, WKU	Justin Heins, DT, UNI	Barrett Anderson, OG, UNI	Dennis Mitchell, SS, WKU

2005	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
S3	Laurént Robinson, WR, ILS	Mike Radon, S, MSU	Erik Losey, OL, WKU	Braden Jones, TE, SIU
S10	Monquantae Gibson, RB, YSU	Antonio Thomas, CB, WKU	Jared Green, OG, SIU	Chris James, PK, WKU
S17	Sam Logan, WR, INS	Kye Stewart, LB, ILS	Justin Williamson, OT, MSU	Ryan Hoffman, P, ILS
S24	Pierre Rembert, RB, ILS	Brent Hawkins, DE, ILS	Erik Losey, OT, WKU	Ryan Hoffman, P, ILS
O1	Justin Haddix, QB, WKU	Mike Andrews, LB, YSU	Chad Rinehart, OT, UNI	Brian Palmer, PK, YSU
O8	Craig Tuner, RB, SIU	Antonio Thomas, CB, WKU	Justin Williamson, OT, MSU	Chris James, PK, WKU
O15	Brian Thompson, RB, ILS	Kye Stewart, LB, ILS	Barrett Anderson, OG, UNI	Dennis Mitchell, KR, WKU
O22	Laurént Robinson, WR, ILS	Brent Hawkins, DE, ILS	Mike Stegeman, LG, ILS	Ryan Hoffman, P, ILS
O29	Arkee Whitlock, RB, SIU	Wyatt Green, LB, WIU	Chad Walker, LT, WIU	Joe Bishop, P, YSU
N5	Pierre Rembert, RB, ILS	Deion Holts, OLB, WKU	Will Justice, OC, SIU	Johnny Gray, RS, UNI
N12	Laurént Robinson, WR, ILS	Darin Heideman, LB, UNI	Chad Rinehart, OT, UNI	Joe Bishop, P, YSU
N19	Lerron Moore, RB, WKU	John Hermann, OLB, UNI	Greg Ryan, OL, WKU	Zach Kettelkamp, P, SIU

2006	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
S2	Laurént Robinson, WR, ILS	Jason Williams, LB, WIU	Aaron Lockwood, LG, SIU	Donyhe McCleskey, DB, INS
S9	T.J. Peterson, WR, YSU	Kye Stewart, LB, ILS	Brad Samsa, OG, YSU	Kevin Mazur, PK, ILS
S16	Nick Hill, QB, SIU	Cameron Siskowic, LB, ILS	Chad Rinehart, OT, UNI	Eric Davis, KR, MSU
S23	Pierre Rembert, RB, ILS	Jason Perry, CB, YSU	Isaiah Wiggins, OT, ILS	Joe Bishop, P, YSU
S30	Lerron Moore, RB, WKU	Jason Perry, CB, YSU	Chris Sullivan, OL, WKU	Craig Coffin, PK, SIU
O7	Arkee Whitlock, RB, SIU	Jon Hedges, LB, WKU	Pat Walker, OT, YSU	Jason Perry, CB, YSU
O14	Marcus Mason, RB, YSU	Kye Stewart, LB, ILS	Barrett Anderson, OG, UNI	Brian Wingert, PK, UNI
O21	Johnny Gray, WR, UNI	Andy Jones, LB, INS	Greg Ryan, OL, WKU	Craig Turner, RS, SIU
O28	Marcus Mason, RB, YSU	Jerome Bennett, LB, WIU	Louis Irizarry, TE, YSU	A.J. Wallace, SIU
N4	Herb Donaldson, RB, WIU	Cameron Siskowic, LB, ILS	Chad Walker, OL, WIU	Joe Bishop, P, YSU
N11	Monquantae Gibson, RB, YSU	Brandon Bruner, CB, SIU	Will Justice, OL, SIU	Marcus Colbert, CB, MSU
N18	Arkee Whitlock, RB, SIU	Dave Shratz, LB, UNI	none selected	Brian Wingert, PK, UNI

2007	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
S1	Gerald Davis, RB, MSU	Patrick Stoudamire, CB, WIU	David Arkin, OT, MSU	Taylor Rowan, PK, WIU
S8	Nick Hill, QB, SIU	Vince Gliatta, SS, YSU	Joe Niklasch, RB, ILS	Nathan Stokes, PK, MSU
	Eric Sanders, QB, UNI			
S15	Corey Lewis, RB, UNI	Dorian Chenault, FS, YSU	Brian Mellott, OL, YSU	Taylor Rowan, PK, WIU
S22	Cody Kirby, QB, MSU	Jason Williams, LB, WIU	David Arkin, OG, MSU	Taylor Rowan, PK, WIU
			Seth Reichert, OG, MSU	
S29	Kevin Smith, RB, YSU	Clifford Waters, FS, UNI	Shawn Smith, OG, SIU	Billy Hallgren, PK, UNI
O6	Cody Kirby, QB, MSU	Chauncey Mixon, LB, SIU	Kevaughn Brown, OT, MSU	Ben Nowicki, P, YSU
O13	Herb Donaldson, RB, WIU	Brannon Carter, LB, UNI	Isaiah Wiggins, LT, ILS	Anthony D'Astice, WIU
O20	UNI Offensive Line	Kye Stewart, LB, ILS	<i>see offensive MVP</i>	Brian Palmer, PK, YSU
O27	Herb Donaldson, RB, WIU	Brannon Carter, LB, UNI	Drew Sweeney, OL, WIU	Nathan Stokes, P/PK, MSU
N3	Eric Sanders, QB, UNI	James Cloud, DE, SIU	Aaron Lockwood, LG, SIU	Brian Palmer, PK, YSU
N10	Tom Zetts, QB, YSU	Mychal Savage, DT, YSU	Bob Swift, OL, UNI	Kyle Dougherty, PK, SIU
N17	Nick Hill, QB, SIU	Adam Roberts, CB, UNI	Darren Marquez, LT, SIU	Craig Turner, RS, SIU

2008	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams
A30	Kole Heckendorf, WR, NDSU	Jason Williams, LB, WIU	Kevin Robling, C, SDSU	Gabe Mullane, P, INS
	Herb Donaldson, RB, WIU			
S6	Larry Warner, RB, SIU	Mike McElroy, S, SIU	Kevaughn Brown, OT, MSU	Taylor Rowan, PK, WIU
S13	Geno Blow, RB, ILS	Ramon Humber, LB, NDSU	Joe Niklasch, OL, ILS	De'Angelo Wilson, RS, YSU
S20	Pat Grace, QB, UNI	De'Angelo Wilson, CB, YSU	YSU Offensive Line	Brook Black, P, UNI
S27	Kyle Minett, RB, SDSU	Brandin Jordan, LB, SIU	Aaron Lockwood, OG, SIU	Kyle Dougherty, PK, SIU
O4	Herb Donaldson, RB, WIU	Nick Schommer, FS, NDSU	Reshad Jones, OL, WIU	Steven Fetzer, PK, ILS
O11	Pat Grace, QB, UNI	Roger Wright, S, MSU	Bob Swift, OG, UNI	Chris Fuchs, P, WIU
O18	Cody Kirby, QB, MSU	Brandin Jordan, LB, SIU	Seth Reichert, OG, MSU	Jarred Herring, RS, UNI
O25	Tyler Roehl, RB, NDSU	Everette Pedescleaux, DT, UNI	Zach Harrington, C, NDSU	Dominique Barnes, RS, YSU
N1	Larry Warner, RB, SIU	Darrell Lloyd, SS, UNI	Kevin Robling, C, SDSU	Chris Garrett, RS, ILS
N8	Ryan Berry, QB, SDSU	Korey Lindsey, CB, SIU	Austin Howard, OL, UNI	Erik Johnson, P, YSU
N15	Herb Donaldson, RB, WIU	Marty Rodgers, LB, SIU	Ryan Foster, OG, NDSU	Larry Warner, RS, SIU
N22	Darrius Gates, RB, INS	Chauncey Mixon, LB, SIU	Jack Byrne, OL, INS	Peter Reifenrath, PK, SDSU

2009	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	
S5	Matt Barr, QB, WIU Pat Grace, QB, UNI	Brandin Jordan, LB, SIU	Mike Lamphear, OL, WIU	Scott Ravanesi, P, SIU	
S12	Pat Grace, QB, UNI	Derek Domino, LB, SDSU	Austin Richard, OL, NDSU	Kyle Harris, PK, SDSU	
S19	Clifton Gordon, RB, ILS	Waylon Richardet, DE, MSU	Bryan Boemer, C, SIU	Todd Speight, RS, WIU	
S26	Kyle Minett, RB, SDSU	Jake Steffen, DE, SDSU	Gerry Ebel, OT, NDSU	Scott Ravanesi, P, SIU	
O3	Eyad Salem, WR, ILS	Waylon Richardet, DE, MSU	David Arkin, OG, MSU	Kevin Mazur, P, ILS	
O10	Deji Karim, RB, SIU	General Parnell, CB, SDSU	Austin Steichen, C, UNI	Dean Priddy, P, SDSU	
O17	Clay Harbor, TE, MSU	Brandon Williams, CB, SIU	Josh Jellison, LT, INS	Matt Hottelman, PK, MSU	
O24	Ryan Roberts, QB, INS	Korey Lindsey, DB, SIU	Ryan McKnight, C, SDSU	Kyle Harris, PK, SDSU	
O31	Paul McIntosh, QB, SIU	Coulter Boyer, DE, NDSU	Nick Bledsoe, LG, ILS	Bryce Morris, WR, SIU	
N7	Deji Karim, RB, SIU	Lance Caldwell, S, SIU	David Arkin, OG, MSU	Zach Kutch, PK, ILS	
N14	Brandon Summers, QB, YSU	Quentin Scott, FS, UNI	Austin Richard, C, NDSU	Tyrel Kool, RS, SDSU	
N21	Brandon Summers, QB, YSU	E.J. Jones, DB, ILS	David Pickard, OT, SIU	Zach Kutch, PK, ILS	
2010	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S4	Matt Brown, QB, ILS	Chad Willson, LB, NDSU	FN Lutz, OL, INS	Ryan Jastram, PK, NDSU	Bryce Flowers, RB, WIU
S11	Cody Kirby, QB, MSU	Ben Boothby, DL, UNI	David Arkin, OT, MSU	Dominique Barnes, RS, YSU	Tirrell Rennie, QB, UNI
S18	Matt Barr, QB, WIU	Austin Davis, LB, ILS	Bobby Coates, RG, YSU	Carlos Anderson, RS, UNI	Marvon Sanders, WR, ILS
S25	D.J. McNorton, RB, NDSU	Brandian Ross, CB, YSU	Paul Cornick, OG, NDSU	Steven Fetzer, PK, ILS	Bryce Flowers, RB, WIU
O2	Jermaine Saffold, WR, MSU	Andre Martin, DB, UNI	Evan Borchers, OL, INS	Luke Thuston, S, SIU	Shariff Harris, RB, SIU
O9	Ronnie Fouch, QB, INS	Corey Jeske, DB, SDSU	David Pickard, LT, SIU	Cole Brodie, RS, SDSU	Ronnie Fouch, QB, INS
O16	Matt Barr, QB, WIU	Ben Obaseki, DE, INS	Ryan McKnight, C, SDSU	Billy Hallgren, PK, UNI	Ashton Leggett, RB, ILS
O23	Tirrell Rennie, QB, UNI	Kyle Glazier, LB, WIU	David Arkin, OT, MSU	Peter Reifenrath, PK, SDSU	Tirrell Rennie, QB, UNI
O30	Matt Barr, QB, WIU	Calvin Burnett, CB, INS	Mike Lamphear, OL, WIU	Austin Witmer, PK, MSU	Calvin Burnett, CB, INS
N6	Tyrone Walker, WR, ILS	Coulter Boyer, DE, NDSU	Cal McCarthy, C, ILS	Marcus King, WR, ILS	Tirrell Rennie, QB, UNI
N13	Alex Jones, TE, INS	Jayson DiManche, LB, SIU	Paul Cornick, RG, NDSU	Carlos Anderson, RS, UNI	Ronnie Fouch, QB, INS
N20	Chris Dieker, QB, SIU	Antoine Wilkinson, LB, MSU	Bryan Boemer, C, SIU	Pat Smith, PK, WIU	Bryce Flowers, RB, WIU
2011	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S3	Warren Holloway, WR, NDSU	Dirk Kool, LB, SDSU	Jessy McMullen, LG, SIU	Tyler Sievertsen, PK, UNI	David Johnson, RB, UNI
S10	Tirrell Rennie, QB, UNI	Jordan Smith, LB, UNI	Chris Elkins, OG, YSU	Leonard Riston, KR, INS	David Johnson, RB, UNI
S17	Kurt Hess, QB, YSU	Larry Carter, CB, INS	Ben Geffert, LG, INS	Cory Little, PK, INS	Dale Moss, WR, SDSU
S24	Shakir Bell, RB, INS	Marcus Williams, DB, NDSU	Paul Cornick, OT, NDSU	Jackson MacLachlan, PK, SIU	Mike Banks, CB, ILS
O1	Terriun Crump, WR, WIU	Alex Sewall, SS, INS	Jimmy Holtschlag, OG, WIU	Matt Veldman, TE, NDSU	Josh Hudson, QB, WIU
O8	Aaron Rollin, WR, SDSU	Chad Willson, LB, NDSU	Nick Bledsoe, LG, ILS	Tyler Sievertsen, PK, UNI	Austin Sumner, QB, SDSU
O15	Shakir Bell, RB, INS	Ben Obaseki, DE, INS	Austin Richard, OC, NDSU	Marcus Williams, DB, NDSU	Evan Frierson, LB, ILS
O22	Trevor Wooden, QB, MSU	Shelby Harris, DT, ILS	Mark Pratt, OC, YSU	Ryan Smith, WR/RS, NDSU	Nate Palmer, DE, ILS
O29	Dale Moss, WR, SDSU	John Pike, S, NDSU	Austin Richard, OC, NDSU	Ryan Jastram, PK, NDSU	Austin Sumner, QB, SDSU
N5	Austin Sumner, QB, SDSU	Colten Heagle, SS, NDSU	Cal McCarthy, OC, ILS	Nick Liste, P, YSU	Jared Lanpher, QB, UNI
N12	Kurt Hess, QB, YSU	Winston Wright, CB, SDSU	Jay Teply, OT, UNI	David Brown, PK, YSU	Jewel Hampton, RB, SIU
N19	Trevor Wooden, QB, MSU	L.J. Fort, LB, UNI	Harrison Menke, OC, MSU	Tyler Sievertsen, PK, UNI	Jewel Hampton, RB, SIU
2012	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S1	Andre Stubbs, WR, YSU	Garrett Scott, DB, UNI	Joe Lund, OC, NDSU	Pat Smith, P/PK, WIU	Sawyer Kollmorgen, QB, UNI
S8	Zach Zenner, RB, SDSU	Ben Ericksen, S, ILS	Will Castle, OC, SDSU	Marcus Williams, CB/RS, NDSU	Jonathon Miller, RB, ILS
S15	Shakir Bell, RB, INS	Colton Underwood, DE, ILS	Evan Borchers, OC, INS	Ethan Sawyer, P, SDSU	T.J. Lally, LB, SDSU
S22	Kurt Hess, QB, YSU	T.J. Lally, LB, SDSU	Bryan Witzmann, LT, SDSU	Carlos Anderson, RS, UNI	T.J. Lally, LB, SDSU
S29	Matt Brown, QB, ILS	Ross Shafrath, LB, SDSU	Billy Turner, OT, NDSU	Adam Keller, PK, NDSU	John Crockett, RB, NDSU
O6	Brock Jensen, QB, NDSU	Tyler Williamson, LB, SIU	Tyler Gimmestad, OG, NDSU	Ryan Smith, RS/WR, NDSU	Fredson Salomon, WR, WIU
O13	Matt Brown, QB, ILS	Johnny Towalid, DB, INS	None	Julian Burton, WR/RS, MSU	Connor Underwood, DE, INS
O20	Dorian Buford, WR, MSU	Aaron Archie, LB, INS	Dan Kruger, LG, UNI	Mulku Kalokoh, RS, SIU	Anthony Thompson, S, SIU
O27	Austin Sumner, QB, SDSU	Caleb Schaffitzel, DB, MSU	Bryan Witzmann, LT, SDSU	Calvin Burnett, RS/DB, INS	T.J. Lally, LB, SDSU
N3	Jamaine Cook, RB, YSU	Caleb Schaffitzel, DB, MSU	Lamar Mady, OG, YSU	Justin Syrovatka, PK, SDSU	T.J. Lally, LB, SDSU
N10	David Johnson, RB, UNI	Grant Olson, LB, NDSU	Tyler Gimmestad, OG, NDSU	Nick Liste, P, YSU	Ben LeCompte, P, NDSU
N17	Kurt Hess, QB, YSU	Cole Jirik, DE, NDSU	Chris Elkins, OG, YSU	Marcus Williams, CB/RS, NDSU	Sawyer Kollmorgen, QB, UNI
2013	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
A31	David Johnson, RB, UNI	Colten Heagle, SS, NDSU	Billy Turner, LT, NDSU	Miles Bergner, P/PK, USD	Dallas Nichols, DB, WIU
S7	Zach Zenner, RB, SDSU	Jake Farley, LB, UNI	Chris Elkins, C, YSU	Joey Cejudo, PK, YSU	Trenton Norvell, QB, WIU
S14	Vernon Scott, RB, MSU	Dallas Brown, LB, SDSU	Robert Booker, C, MSU	Nick Liste, P, YSU	Dallas Brown, LB, SDSU
	Mike Perish, QB, INS				
S21	Zach Zenner, RB, SDSU	Bryan Presume, LB, SIU	Ethan Wirth, RT, SIU	Tyler Sievertsen, PK, UNI	Martin Ruiz, RB, YSU
S28	Kurt Hess, QB, YSU	Donald D'Alesio, SS, YSU	Sean Sullivan, OG, WIU	Ben LeCompte, P, NDSU	R.C. Baker, RB, WIU
O5	Kory Faulker, QB, SIU	Jameel Smith, FS, YSU	Corey Boemer, OG, SIU	Miles Bergner, P/PK, USD	Martin Ruiz, RB, YSU
O12	Kurt Hess, QB, YSU	Winston Wright, DB, SDSU	Joe Haeg, RT, NDSU	Ryan Smith, RS/WR, NDSU	Trevor Bouma, RB, USD
O19	Kevin Earl, QB, USD	Caleb Schaffitzel, S, MSU	Billy Turner, LT, NDSU	Nick Liste, P, YSU	Riley Donovan, WR, USD
O26	Brandon Hubert, WR, SDSU	Bradon Prate, DT, ILS	Rocco Ammons, RG, ILS	Christian Dudzik, FS/RS, NDSU	Hi-C Scott, WR / Trenton Norvell, QB, WIU
N2	Kurt Hess, QB, YSU	Jeremy Springer, OLB, MSU	Tevin Allen, DB, ILS	Thomas Kinney, PK, SIU	Martin Ruiz, RB, YSU
N9	Ashton Glaser, QB, MSU	Carlton Littlejohn, LB, NDSU	Matt Huffer, LT, USD	Tyler Sievertsen, PK, UNI	Brion Cames, QB, UNI
N16	Brock Jensen, QB, NDSU	Tate Omli, DB, UNI	Zack Johnson, LG, NDSU	Chris Sullens, P, MSU	Tate Omli, DB, UNI
N23	Austin Sumner, QB, SDSU	Ray Mitchell, DB, UNI	Billy Turner, LT, NDSU	Ben LeCompte, P, NDSU	Carl Bivens, LB, SIU

2014	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
A30	John Crockett, RB, NDSU	Kyle Emanuel, DE, NDSU	Joe Haeg, LT, NDSU	Joey Cejudo, P/PK, YSU	Colby Isbell, DE, MSU
S6	Zach Zenner, RB, SDSU	Tyler Williamson, LB, SIU	Dylan Seiter, OG, SDSU	Thomas Kinney, PK, SIU	Gary Owens, WR, INS
S13	Mike Perish, QB, INS	Pat Meehan, LB, ILS	OC Tanner Crum, OC, SIU	Chris Sullens, P, MSU	Mark Iannotti, QB, SIU
S20	Julian Burton, WR, MSU	Drew Iddings, DE, USD	Nile Banks, LG, USD	Adam Keller, PK, NDSU	Alexz Jones, LB, MSU
S27	Mike Perish, QB, INS	Connor Underwood, LB, INS	Rocco Ammons, OG, ILS	Michael Schmadeke, PK, UNI	Gary Owens, WR, INS
O4	Marshaun Coprich, RB, ILS	Tre' Moore, SS, YSU	Matt Zobrist, OT, WIU	Michael Schmadeke, PK, UNI	Tre Roberson, QB, ILS
O11	Trenton Norvell, QB, WIU	Brett McMakin, LB, UNI	Joe Haeg, LT, NDSU	Nick Aussieker, PK, ILS	Jake Wieneke, WR, SDSU
O18	Lance Lenoir, QB, YSU	Kyle Emanuel, DE, NDSU	Justin Spencer, RT, YSU	Chris Sullens, P, MSU	Hunter Wells, QB, YSU
O25	Mike Perish, QB, INS	Derek Rivers, DE, YSU	Dakota Vermillion, OL, INS	Joey Cejudo, P/PK, YSU	Tre Roberson, QB, ILS
N1	David Johnson, RB, UNI	Kyle Emanuel, DE, NDSU	Jack Rummells, LT, UNI	E. Heidom, PK/A. Killebrew, RS, INS	Hunter Wells, QB, YSU
N8	Trenton Norvell, QB, WIU	Xavier Williams, DE, UNI	Andrew Mueller, OG, SDSU	Michael Schmadeke, PK, UNI	Cameron Walter, RB, SIU
N15	Marshaun Coprich, RB, ILS	Mark Sewall, DB, INS	Mike Liedtke, LT, ILS	Eric Heidom, PK, INS	Jake Wieneke, WR, SDSU
N22	Austin Sumner, QB, SDSU	Christian Dudzik, FS, NDSU	Jeremy Kelly, RG, NDSU	Justin Syrovatka, PK, SDSU	Tre Roberson, QB, ILS
N22	Tre Roberson, QB, ILS				
2015	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S5	Mark Iannotti, QB, SIU	LeRoy Alexander, S, YSU	Ethan Wirth, OT, SIU	Lance Lenoir, Jr., WR, WIU	S LeRoy Alexander, S, YSU
	Jake Wieneke, WR, SDSU				
S12	Trevor Bouma, RB, USD	Deiondre' Hall, CB, UNI	Joe Haeg, LT, NDSU	Miles Bergner, P/PK, USD	Aaron Bailey, QB, UNI
S19	Marshaun Coprich, RB, ILS	Brett McMakin, LB, UNI	Derek Chancellor, RT, USD	Cam Pedersen, PK, NDSU	Aaron Bailey, QB, UNI
S26	Zach Lujan, QB, SDSU	Brandon Williams, LB, SIU	Dylan Seiter, OG, SDSU	Austin Johnson, PK, SIU	Daquan Isom, RB, SIU
O3	Matt Adam, QB, INS	Brett Taylor, LB, WIU	Joe Haeg, LT, NDSU	Nathan Knuffman, P/PK, WIU	Brannon Barry, TE/DE, ILS
O10	Carson Wentz, QB, NDSU	Brett McMakin, LB, UNI	Austin Olsen, LT, SIU	Deion Holliman, WR/RS, MSU	Taryn Christian, QB, SDSU
O17	Ryan Saeger, QB, USD	Brett Taylor, LB, WIU	Jacob Judd, C, WIU	Miles Bergner, P/PK, USD	Taryn Christian, QB, SDSU
O24	Anthony Warrum, WR, ILS	Karter Schult, DL, UNI	Mark Spelman, C, ILS	Chase Allen, ILB, SIU	Easton Stick, QB, NDSU
O31	King Frazier, RB, NDSU	Nick DeLuca, LB, NDSU	Jeremy Kelly, RG, NDSU	Jay Carlson, PK, SDSU	Lee Wright, LB, YSU
N7	Anthony Warrum, WR, ILS	Andrew Van Ginkel, DE, USD	Bryce Sweeney, RT, UNI	Zak Kennedy, PK, YSU	Aaron Bailey, QB, UNI
N14	Marshaun Coprich, RB, ILS	Nick Farina, FS, SDSU	Kyle Avaloy, OG, ILS	Miles Bergner, P/PK, USD	Aaron Bailey, UNI / Sean McGuire, QB, WIU
N21	Marshaun Coprich, RB, ILS	T.J. Lally, LB, SDSU	Jacob Judd, C, WIU	Jody Webb, TB/RS, YSU	Daquan Isom, RB/RS, SIU
2016	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S3	Steve McShane, RB, WIU	Jared Farley, LB, UNI	Zack Johnson, LG, NDSU	Deion Holliman, RS/WR, MSU	Josh Straughan, QB, SIU
	Jake Wieneke, WR, SDSU				
S10	Chris Streveler, QB, USD	Nick DeLuca, LB, NDSU	Cameron Lee, RG, ILS	Miles Bergner, P/K, USD	Chris Streveler, QB, USD
S17	Isaac Harker, QB, INS	MJ Stumpf, LB, NDSU	Landon Lechler, RT, NDSU	Cam Pedersen, PK, NDSU	Josh Straughan, QB, SIU
S24	Sean McGuire, QB, WIU	Brett Taylor, LB, WIU	Matt Zobrist, OL, WIU	Jerry Nunez, PK, INS	Bob Pugh, WR/RS, INS
O1	Dallas Goedert, TE, SDSU	Dylan Cole, LB, MSU	Sam Ellifrits, RG, MSU	Zak Kennedy, PK, YSU	Christian Rozeboom, LB, SDSU
O8	Taryn Christian, QB, SDSU	Derek Rivers, DE, YSU	Sepestiano Pupungatoa, SDSU	Mark Schuler, P, YSU	Chris Streveler, QB, USD
O15	Taryn Christian, QB, SDSU	Dalton Keene, DT, ILS	James Torgerson, OL, WIU	Miles Bergner, P/K, USD	Christian Rozeboom, LB, SDSU
O22	Eli Dunne, QB, UNI	Kellen Soulek, DT, SDSU	Jacob Appleman, OL, UNI	Miles Bergner, P/K, USD	Austin Simmons, QB, USD
O29	Brodie Lambert, QB, MSU	Tre Dempsey, FS, NDSU	Mark Spelman, OC, ILS	Darien Townsend, WR/PR, YSU	Chris Streveler, QB, USD
N5	Jake Kolbe, QB, ILS	Karter Schult, DE, UNI	Austin Kuhnert, OC, NDSU	Sam Drysdale, PK, UNI	Jeremy Chinn, S, SIU
N12	Brady Mengarelli, RB, SDSU	Karter Schult, DE, UNI	Nick Carr, RT, SDSU	Darius Shepherd, PR, NDSU	B.J. Bello, LB, ILS
N19	Sam Straub, QB, SIU	Dallas Brown, LB, SDSU	Zack Johnson, LG, NDSU	Miles Bergner, P/K, USD	Joe Alessi, RB, YSU
2017	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S2	Chris Streveler, QB, USD	Quentin Moon, LB, WIU	Tanner Volson, OC, NDSU	Brady Schutt, P, USD	Peyton Huslig, QB, MSU
S9	Chris Streveler, QB, USD	Robbie Grimsley, SS, NDSU	Nick Jensen, LT, USD	Chase Vinatieri, PK, SDSU	Justus Reed, DE, YSU
		Jared Farley, LB, UNI			
S16	Bob Pugh, WR, INS	Ryan Neal, S, SIU	Jacob Ohnesorge, C, SDSU	Deion Holliman, RS, MSU	Cade Sparks, QB, INS
S23	Lance Dunn, RB, NDSU	Brett Taylor, LB, WIU	Austin Olsen, OL, SIU	Sean Slattery, PK, ILS	Jabril Cox, LB, NDSU
S30	Sean McGuire, QB, WIU	Brett Taylor, LB, WIU	YSU Offensive Line	Deion Holliman, RS, MSU	Suni Lane, FS, UNI
	Jaelon Acklin, WR, WIU	Armond Dellovade, LB, YSU			
O7	Sean McGuire, QB, WIU	Darin Greenfield, DE, USD	Jacob Ohnesorge, C, SDSU	Ryan Weese, PK, USD	Skyler Cavanaugh, TE, SDSU
O14	Sam Straub, QB, SIU	Brett Taylor, LB, WIU	Jackson Scott-Brown, LG, UNI	Cam Pedersen, PK, NDSU	Jabril Cox, LB, NDSU
	Chris Streveler, QB, USD				
O21	Spencer Schnell, WR, ILS	Rickey Neal, DE, UNI	Dean Helt, C, ILS	Sean Slattery, PK, ILS	Cade Johnson, WR/RS, SDSU
O28	Taryn Christian, QB, SDSU	Christian Rozeboom, LB, SDSU	Marquis Prophete, RG, MSU	Zach Drake, PK, MSU	Peyton Huslig, QB, MSU
N4	Ricky Davis, QB, YSU	Keelon Brookins, LB, UNI	James Torgerson, RT, WIU	Matt Rush, RS, MSU	Keelon Brookins, LB, UNI
N11	Easton Stick, QB, NDSU	Jalen Allison, CB, NDSU	Tanner Volson, C, NDSU	Chase Vinatieri, PK, SDSU	Angelo Garbutt, LB, MSU
N18	Taryn Christian, QB, SDSU	Brett Taylor, LB, WIU	Justin Spencer, OT, YSU	Samuel St. Surin, WR, YSU	Cade Johnson, WR/RS, SDSU

2018	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S4	Bruce Anderson, RB, NDSU	Alex Gray, LB, USD	Tanner Volson, C, NDSU	Dakota Caton, RS/WR, INS	Brady Davis, QB, ILS
S10	Austin Simmons, QB, USD Cade Johnson, WR, SDSU	Darin Greenfield, DE, USD	Marquis Prophete, OL, MSU	Brady Hale, P, SDSU	Brady Davis, QB, ILS
S17	Ja'Quan Keys, RB, INS	Tyler Lovelace, LB, MSU	Edward Miller, RG, SDSU	Steve McShane, RB/RS, WIU	John Brunner, WR, WIU
S24	Easton Stick, QB, NDSU	Devin Taylor, DB, ILS	Dillon Radunz, LT, NDSU	JT Bohlken, P, ILS	Deion McShane, WR, UNI
O1	Sean McGuire, QB, WIU	Andrew Gray, FS, USD Darius Joseph, CB, MSU	Cal Twait, OL, UNI	Garret Wegner, P, NDSU	Montgomery VanGorder, YSU
O8	Easton Stick, QB, NDSU	Andrew Gray, FS, USD	Wyatt Wozniak, OL, INS	Chase Vinatieri, PK, SDSU	Ryan Boyle, QB, INS
O15	Eli Dunne, QB, UNI	James Hendricks, S, NDSU	Drew Himmelman, LT, ILS	Brady Hale, P, SDSU	Brady Davis, QB, ILS
O22	Steve McShane, RB/RS, WIU	Duncan Ferch, LB, UNI	Austin Hopp, RG, WIU	Darius Shepherd, WR/RS, NDSU	Ryan Boyle, QB, INS
O29	Matt DeSomer, QB, SIU	Jonas Griffith, LB, INS	Tanner Volson, C, NDSU	Jerry Nunez, PK, INS	Ryan Boyle, QB, INS
N5	Ryan Boyle, QB, INS	Katrell Moss, LB, INS	Evan Greeneway, LT, SDSU	Austin Errthum, PK, UNI	Ryan Boyle, QB, INS
N12	Easton Stick, QB, NDSU	Katrell Moss, LB, INS	Gavin Wiggins, LT, YSU	Brady Schutt, P, USD	Pierre Strong Jr., RB, SDSU
N19	James Robinson, RB, ILS	Korby Sander, SS, UNI	Zack Johnson, RT, NDSU	Jerry Nunez, PK, INS	Pierre Strong Jr., RB, SDSU
2019	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S3	Trey Lance, QB, NDSU	Kaleb Brewer, DL, INS	Aron Johnson, RT, SDSU	Matthew Cook, PK, UNI	Trey Lance, QB, NDSU
S9	Javon Williams Jr., RB, SIU	Christian Rozeboom, LB, SDSU	Zack Johnson, RG, NDSU	Jaxon Janke, PR/WR, SDSU	Will McElvain, QB, UNI
S16	Austin Simmons, QB, USD	Inoke Moala, DL, INS	Drew Himmelman, LT, ILS	Griffin Crosa, PK, NDSU	Tre' Strong, CB, SIU
S23	Brady Davis, QB, ILS	Elerson Smith, DE, UNI	Ernest Dye Jr., LT, SIU	Sam Fenlason, PK, ILS	Avante Cox, WR, SIU
S30	Joe Alessi, TB, YSU	Chris Kolarevic, LB, UNI	Jacob Zinni, LG, YSU	Jake Coates, PR, YSU	Will McElvain, QB, UNI
O6	Austin Simmons, QB, USD	Elerson Smith, DE, UNI	Isaac Erbes, RT, USD	Brendan Withrow, P, MSU	Trey Lance, QB, NDSU
O13	J'Bore Gibbs, QB, SDSU	Clayton Glasco, LB, INS	Karson Schoening, C, NDSU	Garret Wegner, P/K, NDSU	J'Bore Gibbs, QB, SDSU
O20	Isaiah Weston, WR, UNI	Chris Kolarevic, LB, UNI	Cordell Volson, RT, NDSU	Jack Colquhoun, P, SIU	Javon Williams, RB, SIU
O27	Avante Cox, WR, SIU	Josh Hayes, CB, NDSU	Drew Himmelman, LT, ILS	Matthew Cook, PK, UNI	Avante Cox, WR, SIU
N3	Connor Sampson, QB, WIU	Omar Brown, DB, UNI	Dillon Radunz, LT, NDSU	Kobe Johnson, RB/KR, NDSU	Omar Brown, DB, UNI
N10	Austin Simmons, QB, USD	Dylan Draka, LB, ILS	Alex Jensen, LT, USD	Sam Fenlason, PK, ILS	Jalen Bussey, RB, NDSU
N17	D.J. Davis, RB, SIU	Devin Taylor, DB, ILS	Dillon Radunz, LT, NDSU	Brendan Withrow, P, MSU	Javon Williams Jr., RB, SIU Keaton Heide, QB, SDSU
N24	Nathan Mays, QB, YSU Dominique Dafney, WR/FB, INS	Justus Reed, DE, YSU	Ernest Dye Jr., LT, SIU	Dalton Godfrey, LS, USD	Dominique Dafney, WR/FB, INS
20-21	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S15		Tylar Wiltz, LB, MSU			
S29	Kevon Latulas, TB/WR, MSU				
O6	Hunter Luepke, FB, NDSU	James Kaczor, LB, NDSU			
O20	Jeremiah Wilson, TB, MSU				
N3	Javon Williams Jr., RB, SIU	Blake Parzych, SIU		Nico Gualdoni, PK, SIU	
F22	Pierre Strong Jr., RB, SDSU	Devon Krzanowski, LB, UND	Nathan Nguon, C, UND	Jake Reinholz, PK, NDSU	Mark Gronowski, QB, SDSU
M1	Nic Baker, QB, SIU	Kevin Ellis, DE, MSU	Chase Arends, C, UNI	Brady Schutt, P, USD	Josh Navratil, LB, UND
M8	Mark Gronowski, QB, SDSU	Spencer Cuvelier, LB, UNI	Garret Greenfield, RT, SDSU	Garret Wegner, P, NDSU	Jaleel McLaughlin, RB, YSU
M15	Tommy Schuster, QB, UND	Montrae Braswell, CB, MSU	ZeVeyon Furcron, OG, SIU	Cole Frahm, PK, SDSU	Cam Miller, QB, NDSU
M22	Hunter Luepke, FB, NDSU	Grant Dixon, LB, YSU	Garret Greenfield, RT, SDSU	Jose Pizano, PK, MSU	Isaiah Davis, RB, SDSU
M29	Celdon Manning, RB, MSU	Riley Van Wyhe, LB, UNI	Ian Fitzgerald, OL, MSU	Omar Brown, DB, UNI	Matt Struck, QB, MSU
A4	Tony Tate, WR, WIU	Michael Lawson, DB, WIU		Tony Tate, WR, WIU	Jaleel McLaughlin, RB, YSU
A11	Christian Watson, WR, NDSU	Tylar Wiltz, LB, MSU		Garret Wegner, P, NDSU	Grant Dixon, LB, YSU
A18	Javon Williams Jr., RB, SIU	Adam Bock, LB, SDSU	ZeVeyon Furcron, OG, SIU	Cole Frahm, PK, SDSU	Mark Gronowski, QB, SDSU
2021	Offensive	Defensive	Offensive Line	Special Teams	Newcomer
S5	Jaleel McLaughlin, TB, YSU Nic Baker, QB, SIU	Michael Thomas, DB, INS	Matt Waletzko, OL, UND	Colt McFadden, PK, YSU	Jason Shelley, QB, MSU Chris Oladokun, QB, SDSU
S12	Xavier Lane, WR, MSU	Spencer Cuvelier, LB, UNI	Cordell Volson, RT, NDSU	Montrae Braswell, CB, MSU	Xavier Lane, WR, MSU
S19	Connor Sampson, QB, WIU	Braydon Deming, DE, ILS	Alex Jensen, LT, USD	Hunter Lunsford, DB, INS	Phazione McClurge, WR, INS
S26	Pierre Strong Jr., RB, SDSU	Darius Joiner, DB, WIU	Garret Greenfield, RT, SDSU	Izaiah Hartrup, WR, SIU	Jason Shelley, QB, MSU
O3	Tobias Little, RB, MSU	Spencer Cuvelier, LB, UNI	Landon Bebee, OT, MSU	Jake Reinholz, PK, NDSU	Nate Thomas, RB, USD
O10	Nic Baker, QB, SIU	Inoke Moala, DE, INS	ZeVeyon Furcron, OG, SIU	Jack Colquhoun, P, SIU	Demeatric Crenshaw, QB, YSU
O17	Isaiah Smith, RB, UND	Jack Cochrane, LB, USD	Cordell Volson, RT, NDSU	Steven Ward, LB, MSU	Quincy Patterson, QB, NDSU
O24	Cole Mueller, RB, ILS	JJ Henderson, DB, INS	Trevor Penning, OT, UNI	Matthew Cook, PK, UNI	Cole Mueller, RB, ILS
N1	Jason Shelley, QB, MSU	Ferrin Manuleleua, LB, MSU	Cordell Volson, RT, NDSU	Nate Murphy, P, UNI	Jason Shelley, QB, MSU
N8	Pierre Strong Jr., RB, SDSU	Zeke Vandenburg, LB, ILS	Aron Johnson, LT, SDSU	JT Bohlken, P, ILS	Nate Thomas, RB, USD
N15	Jason Shelley, QB, MSU	David Miller, CB, SIU	NDSU Offensive Line	Cade Peterson, P, UND	Jeremiah Webb, WR, USD
N22	Jaleel McLaughlin, TB, YSU	Riley Van Wyhe, LB, UNI	Jordan Velez, YSU	Jose Pizano, PK, MSU	Kevon Latulas, RB, MSU



CB Jason Perry of Youngstown State earned player of the week plaudits three-straight weeks in 2006.



Western Kentucky's Buster Ashley was Offensive Lineman of the Week five times in his career at WKU.

ILLINOIS STATE

1985--Brian Gant, LB (twice); Steve Stull, QB. 1986--Brian Gant, LB; John Kropke, DT; Jeff Smith, FS. 1987--Ron Westmoreland, RB; Vic Northern, RB. 1988--Vic Northern, TB. 1989--Mark Bertram, DL; David Calhoun, DB; Ritchie Thompson, RB; Wilbert Brown, LB. 1990--Darren Neputy, DE; Toby Davis, RB; Larry Dickinson, WR. 1991--Wilbert Brown, LB; Toby Davis, RB (twice); Wilbert Brown, LB. 1992--Adrian Wilson, QB; Toby Davis, RB, ILS (twice); Chris Stevens, LB. 1993--Cameron Smith, RB; Danny Barnett, QB (twice); Chris Stevens, LB; Mike Williams, LB; Todd Kurz, PK, ILS (three times); Jon McAvoy, OL; Franky West, RS; Corey Mackey, OT. 1994--Keith Goodnight, RB; Todd Kurz, PK/P; Deon McDaniel, PR (twice); Kevin Dixon, KR; Andy Ziebarth, OT. 1995--Don Martin, LB; Chris Stevens, LB; Todd Kurz, P/PK (5 times); Andy Ziebarth, OT. 1996--Jerry Creer, CB; Lester Anderson, QB; Ray Fouchea, RS; Andy Ziebarth, OT; Eric Delaere, OL; Todd Kurz, P/PK. 1997--Percy Scott, OLB; Kevin Glenn, QB; Jake Strader, P/K (twice). 1998--Aveion Cason, RB; Kevin Glenn, QB (twice); Rickey Garrett, WR; Galen Scott, LB; Devon Finn, DL; Mike Rodbro, RG; Steve Farmer, C (twice); Armando Andrade, DB; Tony Knutson, LT. 1999--Sam Young, DB (three times); Dan Hama, OL; Kevin Glenn, QB; Aveion Cason, RS (twice); Walter James, RB; Ted Wulf, OC; Jake Strader, PK/P; Willie Watts, RB; Mike Rodbro, OG; Alfred Corbin, CB. 2000--Kevin Glenn, QB; Dan Hama, OL (twice); Jake Strader, P/PK (twice); Dusty Burk, QB; Alfred Corbin, CB; Galen Scott, LB; Tim Beshel, LB; Andrew Papoccia, OLB; Andy King, OL. 2001--Vito Golson, WR; Willie Watts, RB; Andy King, OL. 2002--Quincy Washington, RB; Stephen Carroll, PK; Boomer Grigsby, LB; Mike Souza, QB (twice); Jim Ferguson, OL. 2003--Dwayne Smith, WR; Demetrus Johnson, RB; Mike Stegeman, OL; Sha-Ron Edwards, RB; Stafford Davis, OL. 2004--Yance Vaughan, QB; Stafford

Davis, OG; Boomer Grigsby, LB; Joe Walkins, RS. 2005--Laurént Robinson, WR (three times); Kye Stewart, LB (twice); Ryan Hoffman, P (twice); Pierre Rembert, RB; Brent Hawkins, DE (twice); Brian Thompson, RB; Mike Stegeman, OL. 2006--Laurént Robinson, WR; Kye Stewart, LB (twice); Kevin Mazur, PK; Cameron Siskowic, LB (twice); Pierre Rembert, RB; Isaiah Wiggins, OT. 2007-- Joe Niklasch, OL; Isaiah Wiggins, LT; Kye Stewart, LB. 2008--Geno Blow, RB; Joe Niklasch, OL; Steven Fetzer, PK; Chris Garrett, RS. 2009--Cliffon Gordon, RB; Eyad Salem, WR; Kevin Mazur, P; Nick Bledsoe, LG; Zach Kutch, PK (twice); E.J. Jones, DB. 2010--Matt Brown, QB; Tyrone Walker, WR; Austin Davis, LB; Cal McCarthy, OL; Steven Fetzer, PK; Marcus King, WR; Marvon Sanders, WR; Ashton Leggett, RB. 2011--Shelby Harris, TD; Nick Bledsoe, OG; Cal McCarthy, OC; Mike Banks, CB; Evan Frierson, LB; Nate Palmer, DE. 2012--Matt Brown, QB (twice); Ben Ericksen, S; Colton Underwood, DE; Jonathon Miller, RB. 2013--Bradon Prate, DT; Tevin Allen, DB; Rocco Ammons, RG. 2014--Marshaun Coprich, RB (twice); Tre Roberson (three times), QB; Pat Meehan, LB; Rocco Ammons, OG; Mike Liedtke, LT; Nick Aussieker, PK. 2015--Marshaun Coprich, RB (three times); Anthony Warrum, WR (twice); Mark Spelman, OL; Kyle Avaloy, OG; Brannon Barry, TE/DE. 2016--Jake Kolbe, QB; Dalton Keene, DT; Cameron Lee, RG; Mark Spelman, OC; B.J. Bello, LB. 2017--Spencer Schnell, WR; Dean Helt, C; Sean Slattery, PK (twice). 2018--James Robinson, RB; Devin Taylor, DB; Drew Himmelman, LT; JT Bohlken, P; Brady Davis, QB (three times). 2019--Drew Himmelman, LT (twice); Brady Davis, QB; Dylan Draka, LB; Devin Taylor, DB; Sam Fenlason, PK (twice); 2021-- Cole Mueller, RB; Braydon Deming, DE; Zeke Vandenberg, LB; JT Bohlken, P.

INDIANA STATE

1986--Chris Johnson, WR. 1987--Ken Hopp, LB. 1988--Ken Hopp, LB; Troy Mickens, DB; John Sahn,

QB; Matt Campbell, LB. 1989--none. 1990--Derrick Franklin, TB (twice); Eric Christensen, LB; John Stites, QB. 1991--Eric Christensen, LB; Derrick Franklin, RB (twice). 1992--Dyrrah Christon, NG. 1993--Dan Brandenburg, DT; Shawn Moore, OG (twice); John Bock, OC; Tim Herrin, OT. 1994--David Wright, RB (twice); Pat Kneller, OG; Tim Herrin, OT; Tom Allison, PK; Jason Franklin, OG. 1995--Chris Libaire, LB; David Wright, RB; Dan Brandenburg, DE; Jason Franklin, OG, INS; David Papp, OT; Tom Allison, PK (twice); Larry Scally, PR. 1996--Richard Moss, LB; Mike Likens, DT; Richard Moss, LB; Larry Scally, RS (twice). 1997--Robert High, FS; Kyle Bibbs, SS; DeJuan Alfonzo, DB; Scott Collins, PK. 1998--Antonio Pryor, LB; DeJuan Alfonzo, DB/RS (twice); Sheraton Fox, QB; Troy Lefevra, DL; Doug Hurt, LT. 1999--Mike Megyesi, PK; Matt Nelson, HB; DeJuan Alfonzo, RS; Eric Martin, OL. 2000--none. 2001--Eric Bowman, OG; Julian Reese, QB; James Braden, WR. 2002--Julian Reese, QB; Eric Bowman, OL; Pat Jordan, P; Dietrich Lapsley, LB. 2003--Fred Freitag, OL; Sam Logan, WR; Kyle Mitchell, DE; Pat Jordan, P. 2004--Quincy Wallace, DB; Kyle Hooper, PK; LaDrelle Bryant, LB; Doc Gooden, LB; Fred Freitag, OT. 2005--Sam Logan, WR. 2006--Donyhe McCleskey, DB; Andy Jones, LB. 2007--none. 2008--Gabe Mullane, P; Darius Gates, RB; Jack Byrne, OL. 2009--Josh Jellison, LT; Ryan Roberts, QB. 2010--Ronnie Fouch, QB (three times); Alex Jones, TE; Ben Obaseki, DE; Calvin Burnett, CB (twice); FN Lutz, OL; Evan Borchers, OL. 2011--Shakir Bell, RB (twice); Larry Carter, CB; Alex Sewall, SS; Ben Obaseki, DE; Ben Geffert, LG; Leonard Riston, KR; Cory Little, PK. 2012--Shakir Bell, RB; Johnny Towalid, DB; Aaron Archie, LB; Evan Borchers, OC; Calvin Burnett, RS/DB; Connor Underwood, DE. 2013--Mike Perish, QB. 2014--Mike Perish, QB (three times); Connor Underwood, LB; Mark Sewall, DB; Dakota Vermillion, OL; Eric Heidorn, P (twice);

Aaron Killabrew, RS; Gary Owens, WR (twice). 2015--Matt Adam, QB. 2016--Isaac Harker, QB; Jerry Nunez, PK; Bob Pugh, WR/RS. 2017--Bob Pugh, WR; Cade Sparks, QB. 2018--Ja'Quan Keys, RB; Ryan Boyle, QB (four times); Jonas Griffith, LB; Katrell Moss, LB (twice); Wyatt Wozniak, OL; Dakota Caton, RS/WR; Jerry Nunez, PK (twice). 2019--Kaleb Brewer, DL; Inoke Moala, DL; Clayton Glasco, LB; Dominique Dafney, WR/FB. 2021--Michael Thomas, DB; Inoke Moala, DE; JJ Henderson, DB; Hunter Lunsford, DB; Phazione McClurge, WR.

MISSOURI STATE

1985--Rod Witt, FB; Dempster Jackson, CB; Keith Williams, RB (twice); James Houston, LB; Preston Estes, DE (twice). 1986--Matt Soraghan, LB. 1987--Matt Soraghan, LB (three times); DeAndre Smith, QB. 1988--James Turnage, DT; DeAndre Smith, QB. 1989--DeAndre Smith, QB; Phillip Collins, HB; Tony Gilbert, HB; James Turnage, LB. 1990--Richard Grote, PK; Cameron Flemming, LB; DeAndre Smith, QB (twice); Robert Harbolt, LB. 1991--Paul Carney, QB; Adrion Smith, CB (twice). 1992--Adrion Smith, DB. 1993--Phil Johnson, QB; Adrion Smith, DB; David Dow, OT; Luke Hake, OC. 1994--Jeremy Hoog, QB; Kevin Lightburn, LB; Jerry Freeny, SS; DeLaun Fowler, LB; Luke Hake, C; Brad Kubik, OT. 1995--Phil Perkins, WR; Jason Cannon, WR; DeLaun Fowler, LB; Jeremy Hoog, QB; Dee Debro, RB; Luke Hake, OG (twice); Wayne Boyer, PK; Paxton Parker, C. 1996--Jeremy Hoog, QB; Michael Cosey, RB (three times); Davis Moore, LB; Paxton Parker, C; Wayne Boyer, P/PK (three times); Jason Whittle, OT. 1997--Jason Sykes, FS; Maurice Daniels, RB; LeKeith Hampton, LB; Jeff Killeen, FS; Brad Kubik, OT (twice); Travis Brawner, P/K (twice); Ryan Touhey, OG. 1998--Derek Jensen, QB; Tony Flint, OG; Aaron Light, OC; Justin Craun, OT; Travis Brawner, P/PK. 1999--Jeff Hewitt, RS; Justin Craun, OT; Corky Martin, LB; Jason Stealy,

OG; Aisali Faapouli, DT; Aaron Light, OC; Luis Almanzar, DT; Travis Brawner, P/PK. 2000--Eddie Pena, P; Austin Moherman, QB; Jason Ringena, RB. 2001--Lee Coleman, KR; Jake Harriger, OG; Brian Long, PK; Jeff Bristol, OT; P.J. Jones, LB; Elliott Smith, OL. 2002--Pat Fleming, LB; Zach Dechant, RB; Crockett Ladd, OL. 2003--Cody Pratt, RB; Torre Endsley, DB; Michael Sparks, RS (twice); Steven Rush, WR/RS (twice); Brad Durham, OL. 2004--Brad Durham, OC; Travis Brown, OT; Darren Barnett, CB; Jon Scifres, PK. 2005--Mike Radon, S; Justin Williamson, OT (twice). 2006--Eric Davis, KR; Marcus Colbert, CB. 2007--Gerald Davis, RB; David Arkin, OG (twice); Nathan Stokes, PK/P (twice); Cody Kirby, QB (twice); Seth Reichert, OG; Kevauhn Brown, OT. 2008--Kevauhn Brown, OT; Roger Wright, S; Cody Kirby, QB; Seth Reichert, OG. 2009--Waylon Richardet, DE (twice); David Arkin, OG (twice); Clay Harbor, TE; Matt Hottelman, PK. 2010--Cody Kirby, QB; Jermaine Saffold, WR; Antoine Wilkinson, LB; David Arkin, OT (twice); Austin Witmer, PK. 2011--Trevor Wooden, QB (twice); Harrison Menke, OC. 2012--Dorian Buford, WR; Caleb Schaffitzel, DB (twice); Julian Burton, WR/RS. 2013--Vernon Scott, RB; Ashton Glaser, QB; Caleb Schaffitzel, DB; Jeremy Springer, OLB; Robert Booker, OC; Chris Sullens, P. 2014--Julian Burton, WR; Chris Sullens, P (twice); Colby Isbell, DE; Alexz Jones, LB. 2015--Deion Holliman. 2016--Brodie Lambert, QB; Dylan Cole, LB; Sam Ellifrits, RG; Deion Holliman, RS/WR. 2017--Marquis Prophete, OL; Deion Holliman, RS (twice); Zach Drake, PK; Matt Rush, RS; Peyton Huslig, QB (twice); Angelo Garbutt, LB. 2018--Tyler Lovelace, LB; Darius Joseph, CB; Marquis Prophete, OL. 2019--Brendan Withrow, P (twice). 2020--Tylar Wiltz, LB (twice); Kevon Latulas, TB/WR; Jeremiah Wilson, TB; Celdon Manning, RB; Kevin Ellis, DE; Montrae Braswell, CB; Ian Fitzgerald, OL; Jose Pizano, PK; Matt Struck, QB. 2021--Xavier Lane, WR; Tobias

Little, RB; Jason Shelley, QB (four times); Ferrin Manuleleua, LB; Landon Bebee, OT; Montrae Braswell, CB; Steven Ward, LB; Jose Pizano, PK; Levon Latulas, RB.

**NORTH DAKOTA
joined league for start of 2020 season**

2020--Tommy Schuster, QB; Devon Krzanowski, LB; Nathan Nguon, C; Josh Navratil, LB. 2021--Isaiah Smith, RB; Matt Waletzko, OL; Cade Peterson, P.

**NORTH DAKOTA STATE
joined league for start of 2008 season**

2008--Kole Heckendorf, WR; Ramon Humber, LB; Nick Schommer, FS; Tyler Roehl, RB; Zach Harrington, C; Ryan Foster, OG. 2009--Austin Richard, OL (twice); Gerry Ebel, OT; Coulter Boyer, DE. 2010--D.J. McNorton, RB; Chad Willson, LB; Coulter Boyer, DE; Paul Cornick, OG (twice); Ryan Jastram, PK. 2011--Warren Holloway, WR; Marcus Williams, DB (twice); Chad Willson, LB; John Pike, S; Colten Heagle, SS; Paul Cornick, OT; Austin Richard, OC (twice); Matt Veldman, TE; Ryan Smith, WR/RS; Ryan Jastram, PK. 2012--Brock Jensen, QB; Grant Olson, LB; Cole Jirik, DE; Joe Lund, OC; Billy Turner, OT; Tyler Gimmestad, OG (twice); Marcus Williams, DB/RS (twice); Adam Keller, PK; Ryan Smith, RS/WR; John Crockett, RB; Ben LeCompte, P. 2013--Brock Jensen, QB; Colten Heagle, SS; Carlton Littlejohn, LB; Billy Turner, LT (three times); Joe Haeg, RT; Zack Johnson, LG; Ben LeCompte, P (twice); Ryan Smith, RS/WR; Christian Dudzik, FS/RS. 2014--John Crockett, RB; Kyle Emanuel, DE (three times); Christian Dudzik, FS; Joe Haeg, LT (twice); Jeremy Kelly, RG; Adam Keller, PK. 2015--Carson Wentz, QB; King Frazier, RB; Nick DeLuca, LB; Joe Haeg, LT (twice); Jeremy Kelly, RG; Cam Pedersen, PK; Easton Stick, QB. 2016--Nick DeLuca, LB; MJ Stumpf, LB; Tre Dempsey, FS; Zack Johnson, LG (twice); Landon Lechler, RT; Austin Kuhnert,



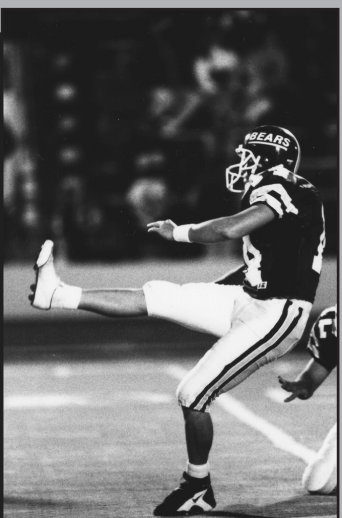
SIU's Arkee Whitlock starred for the Salukis in 2006, finishing third in the Walter Payton Award balloting.



WIU's Travis Glasford earned player of the week honors a league-best three times during the 2004 season.



Indiana State's Kyle Mitchell is one of four Sycamores to earn first-team all-league honors three times.



Wayne Boyer of Missouri State set an NCAA FCS record in 1996 by going 5-for-5 on field goals of 50+ yards.

OC; Cam Pedersen, PK; Darrius Shepherd, PR. 2017--Lance Dunn, RB; Easton Stick, QB; Robbie Grimsley, SS; Jalen Allison, CB; Tanner Volson, OC (twice); Cam Pedersen, PK; Jabril Cox, LB (twice). 2018--Bruce Anderson, RB; Easton Stick, QB (three times); James Hendricks, S; Tanner Volson, C (twice); Dillon Radunz, LT; Zack Johnson, RT; Garret Wegner, P; Darrius Shepherd, WR/RS. 2019--Trey Lance, QB (twice); Zack Johnson, OL; Griffin Crosa, PK; Karson Schoening, OL; Garret Wegner, P/K; Cordell Volson, RT; Josh Hayes, CB; Dillon Radunz, LT (twice); Kobe Johnson, RB/KR; Jalen Bussey, RB. 2020--Hunter Luepke, FB (twice); Christian Watson, WR; James Kaczor, LB; Jake Reinholz, PK; Garret Wegner, P (twice); Cam Miller, QB. 2021--Cordell Volson, RT (three times); NDSU Offensive Line; Jake Reinholz, PK; Quincy Patterson, QB.

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1985--Mark Farley, LB; Henry Saxon, LB; Errol Peebles, RB; Bob Storbeck, LB; Carl Boyd, RB. 1986--Mike Smith, QB (four times). 1987--Carl Boyd, RB (four times); Chris Klieman, DB. 1988--Wes Anderson, FL. 1989--Bryce Paup, LB; Willie Beamon, CB; Ken Macklin, QB. 1990--Jay Johnson, QB (twice); William Freeney, NB; Brian Mitchell, PK; Todd Eagen, DE. 1991--Kenny Shedd, WR; Tank Corner, RB; Jay Johnson, QB; Brian Mitchell, PK; Duane Peterson, DB. 1992--William Freeney, LB (three times); Kenny Shedd, FL; Tank Corner, RB; Jay Johnson, QB; Peter Burns, LB. 1993--Tim Mosley, WR/P (twice); Jeff Stovall, RB; Kurt Warner, QB (twice); Andre Allen, LB; Donald Mumma, OC (twice); Jason McCleary, RS. 1994--Paul Wolf, LB (twice); Todd Harrington, DB; D.J. Mumma, C; Matt Waller, PK; Ryan Elsbernd, P. 1995--Ty Talton, DB; Dedric Ward, WR (twice); Marcus Easter, DB; Brian Moretz, NT; Justin Urbanek, P; Dan Bower, OT. 1996--Dedric Ward, WR (four times); Marcus Easter, DB; Jeff Stovall, RB (twice); T.C. Barney, DE;

Brad Meester, C; Mickey Dalton, ST; Matt Waller, PK. 1997--Matt Pedersen, LB (twice); Terrance Malone, SS; Shane Fortney, QB; Mike Furrey, RS (twice); Andy Pattee, OG; Brad Meester, C; Julio Guzman, PK. 1998--Randy Hall, P; Steve Jenkins, RB; Brian Billick, OT; Nate Zehr, OT. 1999--Mike Furrey, WR (twice); Brian Stegall, P; Ryan Helming, QB; Matt Pedersen, LB. 2000--Chad Setterstrom, OL; Carlos Dallis, LB; Justin Jansen, FS; Ryan Helming, QB (three times); Aaron Buss, OG (twice); Brad Harms, OL; David Gunn, CB; Mackenzie Hoambrecker, PK; Derrick Frost, P. 2001--Mackenzie Hoambrecker, PK (twice); Adam Bengel, RB; Carlos Dallis, OLB; Chad Setterstrom, OT; Ben Deike, OT; Jake Soliday, RS/WR; Robert Hamre, DT; Casey Tierney, LB; Ben Sanderson, RS. 2002--Marlus Mays, WR; Ben Deike, OT; Mackenzie Hoambrecker, PK (three times); Derrick Frost, P; Matt Mitchell, DE. 2003--Cory Henke, P; Terrance Freeney, RB; Matt Mitchell, DE (twice); Tyler Johnson, SS; Ben Deike, OT (twice); Brian Wingert, PK (twice); Benny Sapp, DB; Eddie Galles, WR; Ross Bohner, OL. 2004--Brian Wingert, PK; Terrance Freeney, RB; Luke Stigler, OT; Justin Surrency, WR/KR (twice); Doug Wilkinson, OT; Eric Sanders, QB; Justin Heins, DT; Barret Anderson, OG. 2005--Chad Rinehart, OL (twice); Barret Anderson, OL; Johnny Gray, RS; Darin Heideman, LB; John Hermann, LB. 2006--Chad Rinehart, OT; Brian Wingert, PK (twice); Barret Anderson, OG; Johnny Gray, WR; Dave Shratz, LB. 2007--Eric Sanders, QB (twice); Corey Lewis, RB; Clifford Waters, FS; Billy Hallgren, PK; Brannon Carter, LB (twice); offensive line (*the unit of Chad Rinehart, Bob Swift, Eric Hoffman, Barret Anderson and Brandon Keith*), Bob Swift, OL; Adam Roberts, CB. 2008--Pat Grace, QB (twice); Brook Black, P; Bob Swift, OG; Jarred Herring, RS; Everette Pedescleaux, DT; Darrell Lloyd, SS; Austin Howard, OL. 2009--Pat Grace, QB (twice); Austin Steichen, C; Quentin Scott, FS. 2010--Tirrell Rennie, QB (four times); Ben

Boothby, DL; Andre Martin, DB; Carlos Anderson, RS (twice); Billy Hallgren, PK. 2011--Tirrell Rennie, QB; Jordan Smith, LB; L.J. Fort, LB; Jay Teply, OT; Tyler Sievertsen, PK (three times); David Johnson, RB (twice); Jared Lanpher, QB. 2012--David Johnson, RB; Garrett Scott, LB; Dan Kruger, LG; Carlos Anderson, RS; Sawyer Kollmorgen, QB (twice). 2013--David Johnson, RB; Jake Farley, LB; Tate Omlil, DB; Ray Mitchell, DB; Tyler Sievertsen, PK (twice); Brion Carnes, QB. 2014--David Johnson, RB; Brett McMakin, LB; Xavier Williams, DE; Jack Rummells, LT; Michael Schmadeke, PK (three times). 2015--Deiondre' Hall, CB; Brett McMakin, LB (twice); Karter Schult, DL; Bryce Sweeney, RT; Aaron Bailey, QB (four times). 2016--Eli Dunne, QB; Jared Farley, LB; Karter Schult, DL (twice); Jacob Appleman, OL; Sam Drysdale, PK. 2017--Jared Farley, LB; Rickey Neal, DE; Keelon Brookins, LB; Jackson Scott-Brown, LG; Suni Lane, FS. 2018--Eli Dunne, QB; Duncan Ferch, LB; Korby Sander, SS; Cal Twait, OL; Austin Errthum, PK; Deion McShane, WR. 2019--Matthew Cook, PK (twice); Will McElvain, QB (twice); Elerson Smith, DE (twice); Chris Kolarevic, LB (twice); Isaiah Weston, WR; Omar Brown, DB. 2020--Spencer Cuvelier, LB; Riley Van Wyhe, LB; Chase Arends, C; Omar Brown, DB. 2021--Spencer Cuvelier, LB (twice); Riley Van Wyhe, LB; Trevor Penning, OT; Matthew Cook, PK; Nate Murphy, P.

SOUTH DAKOTA

joined league for start of 2012

2012--none. 2013--Kevin Earl, QB; Matt Huffer, LT; Miles Bergner, P/PK (twice); Trevor Bouma, RB; Riley Donovan, WR. 2014--Drew Iddings, DE; Nile Banks, LG. 2015--Trevor Bouma, RB; Ryan Saeger, QB; Andrew Van Ginkel, DE; Derek Chancellor, RT; Miles Bergner, P/PK (three times). 2016--Steve Streveler, QB (three times); Miles Bergner, P/PK (four times); Austin Simmons, QB. 2017--Chris Streveler, QB (three times); Darrin Greenfield, DE; Nick Jensen, LT; Brady Schutt,

P; Ryan Weese, PK. 2018--Austin Simmons, QB; Alex Gray, LB; Darin Greenfield, DE; Andrew Gray, FS (twice); Brady Schutt, P. 2019--Austin Simmons, QB (three times); Isaac Erbes, RT; Alex Jensen, LT; Dalton Godfrey, LS. 2020--Brady Schutt, P. 2021--Jack Cochrane, LB; Alex Jensen, LT; Nate Thomas, RB (twice); Jeremiah Webb, RB.

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE

joined league for start of 2008

2008--Kevin Robling, C (twice); Kyle Minett, RB; Ryan Berry, QB; Peter Reifenrath, PK. 2009--Derek Domino, LB; Kyle Harris, PK (twice); Kyle Minett, RB; Jake Steffen, DE; General Parnell, CB; Dean Priddy, P; Ryan McKnight, C; Tyrel Kool, RS. 2010--Corey Jeske, DB; Ryan McKnight, C; Cole Brodie, RS; Peter Reifenrath, PK. 2011--Aaron Rollin, WR; Dale Moss, WR (twice); Austin Sumner, QB (three times); Dirk Kool, LB; Winston Wright, CB. 2012--Zach Zenner, RB; Austin Sumner, QB; T.J. Lally (four times); Ross Shafrath, LB; Will Castle, OC; Bryan Witzmann, LT (twice); Ethan Sawyer, P; Justin Syrovatka, P. 2013--Zach Zenner, RB (twice); Brandon Hubert, WR; Austin Sumner, QB; Dallas Brown, LB; Winston Wright, DB. 2014--Zach Zenner, RB; Austin Sumner, QB; Dylan Seiter, OG; Andrew Mueller, OG; Justin Syrovatka, PK; Jake Wieneke, WR (twice). 2015--Jake Wieneke, WR; Zach Lujan, QB; Nick Farina, FS; T.J. Lally, LB; Dylan Seiter, OG; Jay Carlson, PK; Taryn Christion, QB (twice). 2016--Jake Wieneke, WR; Dallas Goedert, TE; Taryn Christion, QB (twice); Brady Mengarelli, RB; Kellen Soulek, DT; Dallas Brown, LB; Sepestiano Pupungatoa, OL; Nick Carr, RT; Christian Rozeboom, LB (twice). 2017--Taryn Christion, QB (twice); Christian Rozeboom, LB; Jacob Ohnesorge, C (twice); Chase Vinatieri, PK (twice); Skyler Cavanagh, TE; Cade Johnson, WR/RS (twice). 2018--Cade Johnson, WR; Edward Miller, RG; Evan Greenway, LT; Brady Hale, P (twice); Chase Vinatieri, PK; Pierre Strong Jr. (twice). 2019--Aron Johnson, RT; Christian Rozeboom,

LB; Jaxon Janke, PR/WR; J'Bore Gibbs, QB; Keaton Heide, QB. 2020--Pierre Strong Jr., RB; Mark Gronowski, QB (three times); Garret Greenfield, RT (twice); Cole Frahm, PK (twice); Isaiah Davis, RB; Adam Bock, LB. 2021--Pierre Strong Jr., RB (twice); Garret Greenfield, RT; Aron Johnson, LT; Chris Oladokun, QB.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

1985--Byron Mitchell, RB (twice). 1986--Brad Crouse, MG; Ezell Shelton, LB; Mike Carbonaro, LB. 1987--Paul Patterson, RB; Mike Carbonaro, LB; Fred Gibson, QB. 1988--Fred Gibson, QB; Chuck Harmke, FB; Shannon Ferbrache, DE; Joe Cook, SE. 1989--Scott Gabbert, QB (twice); Fred Gibson, QB. 1990--Brian Downey, QB. 1991--Brian Downey, QB; Greg Brown, RB; Derrick Faulkner, CB; Clint Smothers, FS. 1992--Scott Gabbert, QB (twice). 1993--Ron Hubbard, DT; Mark Gagliano, P. 1994--Tony Seman, LB; Mark Gagliano, P (twice). 1995--Damon Jones, TE; Danny Smith, QB; Larry Mullins, C; Karlton Carpenter, RS. 1996--C.J. McDavid, DB; Coe Bonner, RB; Steve Jones, OL (twice). 1997--Freddie Taylor, DB; Karlton Carpenter, RB. 1998--Orlando Rogers, DB; Kent Skornia, QB; Karlton Carpenter, RB; John Amitrano, P. 1999--Scott Everhart, PK; Sherard Poteete, QB; Tom Koutsos, RB; Cornell Craig, WR; Jim Lawhorn, OL. 2000--Tom Koutsos, RB (twice); Teddy Sims, LB. 2001--Bart Scott, LB. 2002--Muhammad Abdulqaadir, RB (four times); Royal Whitaker, LB; Brian Akins, OL. 2003--Wesley Proctor, OL; Alexis Moreland, S; Justin Rich; OG; Joel Sambursky, QB (twice); Elmer McDaniel, C; Muhammad Abdulqaadir, RB. 2004--Brandon Jacobs, RB; Brian Akins, OT; Craig Turner, RS; Alexis Moreland, DB (twice); Elmer McDaniel, OL; Joel Sambursky, QB. 2005--Braden Jones, TE; Jared Green, OG; Craig Turner, RB; Arkee Whitlock, RB; Will Justice, OL; Zach Kettelkamp, P. 2006--Aaron Lockwood, OG; Nick Hill, QB; Craig Coffin, PK; Arkee

Whitlock, RB (twice); Craig Turner, RS; A.J. Wallace; Brandon Bruner, CB; Will Justice, OL. 2007--Nick Hill, QB (twice); Shawn Smith, OG; Chauncey Mixon, LB; James Cloud, DE; Aaron Lockwood, LG; Kyle Dougherty, PK; Craig Turner, RS; Darren Marquez, LT. 2008--Larry Warner, RB/RS (three times); Mike McElroy, S; Brandin Jordan, LB (twice); Kyle Dougherty, PK; Aaron Lockwood, LG; Corey Lindsey, CB; Marty Rodgers, LB; Chauncey Mixon, LB. 2009--Brandin Jordan, LB; Scott Ravanesi, P (twice); Bryan Boemer, C; Deji Karim, RB (twice); Brandon Williams, CB; Corey Lindsey, DB; Paul McIntosh, QB; Bryce Morris, WR; Lance Caldwell, S; David Pickard, OT. 2010--Chris Dieker, QB; Jayson DiManche, LB; David Pickard, LT; Bryan Boemer, C; Luke Thuston, S; Shariff Harris, RB. 2011--Jessy McMullen, LG; Jackson MacLachlan, PK; Jewel Hampton, RB (twice). 2012--Tyler Williamson, LB; Mulku Kalokoh, RS; Anthony Thompson, S. 2013--Kory Faulkner, QB; Bryan Presume, LB; Ethan Wirth, RT; Corey Boemer, OG; Thomas Kinney, PK; Carl Bivens, LB. 2014--Tyler Williamson, LB; Tanner Crum, OC; Thomas Kinney, PK; Mark Iannotti, QB; Cameron Walter, RB. 2015--Mark Iannotti, QB; Brandon Williams, LB; Ethan Wirth, OT; Austin Olsen, LT; Austin Johnson, P/PK; Chase Allen, ILB; Daquan Isom, RB/RS (twice). 2016--Sam Straub, QB; Josh Straughan, QB (twice); Jeremy Chinn, S. 2017--Sam Straub, QB; Ryan Neal, S; Austin Olsen, OL. 2018--Matt DeSomer, QB. 2019--Javon Williams Jr., RB (three times); Tre' Strong, CB; Ernest Dye Jr., (twice); Avante Cox, WR (twice); Jack Colquhoun, P; D.J. Davis, RB. 2020--Javon Williams Jr., RB (twice); Nic Baker, QB; Blake Parzych; ZeVeyon Furcron, OG (twice); Nico Gualdoni, PK. 2021--Nic Baker, QB (twice); David Miller, LB; ZeVeyon Furcron, OG; Izaiah Hartrup, WR; Jack Colquhoun, P.



LT Billy Turner of NDSU earned Offensive Lineman of the Week honors four times in his career (2010-13).



As a first-year player in 2013, RB Martin Ruiz of Youngstown State was three times Newcomer of the Week.



South Dakota State's Pierre Strong Jr. earned weekly honors twice during the 2021 season.



MVFC Newcomer of the Year Jason Shelley of Missouri State won weekly honor four times during 2021.

WESTERN ILLINOIS

1985--Ron Johnson, DE; Jeff McKinney, RB. 1986--Todd Auer, DT; Mike Hryn, LB (twice); Paul Singer, QB. 1987--Marty Lomelino, LB (twice); Paul Singer, QB (four times). 1988--Armie Gasbarro, LB; Paul Singer, QB (three times); Jay Wade, CB; Brett Grimshaw, RB; Rich Ruether, DT. 1989--Gene Benhart, QB; Pablo Luis, WR; Armie Gasbarro, LB; Bryan Cox, NB. 1990--Joe Allen, NB; Thad Trump, LB; Bryan Cox, NB. 1991--Ken McMillan, LB; Donny Simmons, QB; Steve Turzynski, NB; Brent Harbold, DE. 1992--Rodney Harrison, FS (twice); Donny Simmons, QB (three times). 1993--Ken McMillan, LB (twice); Rodney Harrison, FS (twice); Richard Huddleston, G; Brian Tierney, OG; Rory Lee, RS (twice). 1994--Frank Spraggins, CB; Rob St. Sauver, QB (three times); Kendall McDonald, RB (twice); Jason Vasconez, LB; Buck Phillips, PR (twice); Ross Schulte, P; Richard Huddleston (twice); Gil Plasencia, OL. 1995--Chris Sabino, WR; Frank Spraggins, CB; Brian Knuckles, RB; Gil Plasencia, OL; Bob Mehoczky, C, WIU. 1996--Frank Spraggins, FS; Brian Knuckles, RB; Vince Bruno, LB; Ryan Culver, DT; Chip McPheeters, C; Bob Dymont, OT; Jason Grott, RG; Daron Duke, OG; Jeff Baker, P; Dustin Blount, ST. 1997--Jamaine Blalock, WR; Aaron Stecker, RB, (6 times); Cyron Brown, DE; Keith Jones, PK; Frank Spraggins, FS; Chip McPheeters, C; Corey Olson, OT (twice); Jason Grott, OL; Jeff Baker, P. 1998--James Milton, LB (twice); Aaron Stecker, RB (twice); David Bowens, DE (twice); Ryan Taylor, DB; Dave Watson, DE; Jeff Baker, P, (three times); Joe Lopez, PK; Rich Seubert, OL, Donnie Caldwell, RS. 1999--Rich Seubert, OL; K.J. Friday, DB; Ashlee Frazier, RS; Dave Watson, DL; Edgerton Hartwell, LB; Mark Zanders, QB; Casey Honkomp, OL. 2000--J.R. Jenkins, DB; Mike Scifres, P/PK (four times); Justin Thies, OL; Charles Tharp, RB (twice); Keith Roettgen, OL; Joe Lopez, PK; Ashlee Frazier, RS; Rich Seubert,

OL (twice); Edgerton Hartwell, LB. 2001--Jason McWilliams, LB; Justin Langan, PK; Frisman Jackson, WR; Sam Clemons, QB. 2002--Lee Russell, LB; Mike Scifres, P (twice); Cornell Middlebrook, LB (twice); James Rennick, OL; Justin Langan, PK (twice); Reggie Gray, RS. 2003--James Norris, RS; Lee Russell, LB (twice); Russ Michna, QB; Travis Washington, DB; Travis Glasford, RB; Reggie Gray, RS. 2004--James Norris, RS (twice); Travis Glasford, RB (three times); Kris Coffee, ST; Steve LaFalce, QB. 2005--Wyatt Green, LB; Chad Walker, LT. 2006--Jason Williams, LB; Jerome Bennett, LB; Herb Donaldson, RB; Chad Walker, OL. 2007--Patrick Stoudamire, CB; Taylor Rowan, PK (three times); Jason Williams, LB; Herb Donaldson, RB (twice); Anthony D'Astice; Drew Sweeney, OL. 2008--Herb Donaldson, RB (three times); Jason Williams, LB; Taylor Rowan, PK; Reshad Jones, OL; Chris Fuchs, P. 2009--Matt Barr, QB; Mike Lamphear, OL; Todd Speight, RS. 2010--Matt Barr, QB (three times); Kyle Glazier, LB; Mike Lamphear, OL; Pat Smith, PK; Bryce Flowers, RB (three times). 2011--Terriun Crump, WR; Jimmy Holtschlag, OG; Josh Hudson, QB. 2012--Pat Smith, P/PK; Fredson Salomon, WR. 2013--Sean Sullivan, OG; Dallas Nichols, DB; Trenton Norvell, QB (twice); R.C. Baker, RB; Hi-C Scott, WR. 2014--Trenton Norvell, QB (twice); Matt Zobrist, OT. 2015--Brett Taylor, LB (twice); Jacob Judd, OL (twice); Lance Lenoir, Jr., WR; Nathan Knuffman, P/PK; Sean McGuire, QB. 2016--Steve McShane, RB; Sean McGuire, QB; Brett Taylor, LB; Matt Zobrist, OL; James Torgerson, OL. 2017--Sean McGuire, QB (twice); Jaelon Acklin, WR; Quentin Moon, LB; Brett Taylor, LB (four times); James Torgerson, RT. 2018--Sean McGuire, QB; Steve McShane, RB/RS (twice); Austin Hopp, RG; John Brunner, WR. 2019--Connor Sampson, QB. 2020--Tony Tate, WR/RS; Michael Lawson, DB. 2021--Connor Sampson, QB; Darius Joiner, DB.

YOUNGSTOWN STATE

joined league for start of 1997

season

1997--Pete Davila, LB; Dwyte Smiley, DB; Matt Hogg, OT; Todd Kollar, OL; J.J. Stefancin, P; Ian Shirey, C; Frank Page, OG. 1998--Adrian Brown, RB; John Longano, OT; Mark Griffith, PK. 1999--Ian Dominelli, LB (twice); Adrian Brown, RB; Ian Shirey, OC; Tim Johnson, LB. 2000--Bruce Hightower, DB; Tim Johnson, LB (three times); Jeff Ryan, QB. 2001--P.J. Mays, RB (three times); Andre Coleman, RS; Bruce Hightower, DB; LeVar Greene, DB; Antulio Aroche, DB; Jerald Burley, RS; Nick Roberts, OG. 2002--Jon Tekac, LB; P.J. Mays, RB (three times); Jake Stewart, PK (twice); Sherod Holmes, DB. 2004--Monquantae Gibson, RB; Norris Kennedy, OG. 2005--Monquantae Gibson, RB; Mike Andrews, LB; Brian Palmer, PK; Joe Bishop, P (twice). 2006--T.J. Peterson, WR; Brad Samsa, OG; Jason Perry, CB (three times); Joe Bishop, P (twice); Pat Walker, OT; Marcus Mason, RB (twice); Louis Irizarry, TE; Monquantae Gibson, RB. 2007--Vince Gliatta, SS; Dorian Chenault, FS; Brian Mellott, OL; Kevin Smith, RB; Ben Nowicki, P; Brian Palmer, PK (twice); Tom Zetts, QB; Mychal Savage, DT. 2008--De'Angelo Wilson, CB/RS (twice); Dominique Barnes, KR; Erik Johnson, P; offensive line (*the unit of C Brad Samsa, OG Eric Rodemoyer, OG Nhemie Theodore, OT Bobby Coates, OT Tyler Booth*). 2009--Brandon Summers, QB (twice). 2010--Brandian Ross, CB; Bobby Coates, RG; Dominique Barnes, RS. 2011--Kurt Hess, QB (twice); Chris Elkins, OG; Mark Pratt, OC; Nick Liste, P; David Brown, PK. 2012--Andre Stubbs, WR; Kurt Hess, QB (twice); Jamaine Cook, RB; Lamar Mady, OG; Chris Elkins, OG; Nick Liste, P. 2013--Kurt Hess, QB (three times); Donald D'Alesio, SS; Jameel Smith, FS; Chris Elkins, OC; Joey Cejudo, PK; Nick Liste, P (twice); Martin Ruiz, RB (three times). 2014--Tre' Moore, SS; Derek Rivers, DE; Justin Spencer, RT; Joey Cejudo, P/PK (twice); Hunter Wells, QB

(twice). 2015--LeRoy Alexander, S; Zak Kennedy, PK; Jody Webb, TB/RS; Lee Wright, LB. 2016--Derek Rivers, DE; Zak Kennedy, PK; Mark Schuler, P; Darien Townsend, WR/PR; Joe Alessi, RB. 2017--Ricky Davis, QB; Armond Dellovade, LB; offensive line unit; Justin Spencer, OT; Samuel St. Surin, WR; Justus Reed, DE. 2018--Gavin Wiggins, LT; Montgomery VanGorder, QB. 2019--Joe Alessi, RB; Jacob Zinni, LG; Jake Coates, PR; Nathan Mays, QB; Justus Reed, DE. 2021--Jaleel McLaughlin, TB (twice); Jordan Velez, OL; Colt McFadden, PK; Demeatric Crenshaw, QB.

EASTERN ILLINOIS

left league after the 1995 season
1985--Sean Payton, QB (twice); Carl Parker, DE. 1986--Roy Banks, WR; DuWayne Pitts, RB; Sean Payton, QB (three times); Rich Ehmke, PK; Calvin Pierce, WR; John Jurkovic, DE; Carl Parker, NG. 1987--Daryl Holcombe, CB; Mike Briscoe, LB; Scott Johnson, FS; Tim Lance, DB. 1988--John Jurkovic, DE; Jeff Mills, LB (twice); Ralph Stewart, WR; Jeff Rolson, DT. 1989--Jeff Mills, LB; Eric Arnold, QB (three times); John Jurkovic, DT; R.L. Reynolds, CB; Tim Lance, DB. 1990--Tim Lance, NB (twice); Mike Settles, ILB. 1991--Jeff Thorne, QB; Paul Pennington, FS. 1992--Shavez Hawkins, DB (twice); Dan Dee, DT. 1993--Shavez Hawkins, LB; Willie High, RB (four times); Kevin Zeng, DE; Steve Largent, PK (twice); Duane Conway, OC (twice). 1994--Jason Calabrese, WR; Tim Carver, LB; Chris Brown, CB; Pete Mauch, QB (twice); Matt Sweeney, LB; Chris Anderson, C; Mike Richart, OT. 1995--Willie High, RB (twice); Tim Carver, LB (twice); James Dorsey, FS; Chris Anderson, C (twice); Travis Hunerberg, OT; Steve Largent, PK. 2020--Grant Dixon, LB (twice); Jaleel McLaughlin, RB (twice).

WESTERN KENTUCKY

joined league for start of 2001 season; left league after 2006 season
2001--Daniel Withrow, OL; Bobby Sippio, DB; Buster Ashley, OL; Joseph Jefferson, RS (twice); Chris Price, OL; Erik Dandy, LB; Donte Pimpleton, QB; Jon Drummond, LB. 2002--Daniel Withrow, OL; Chris Price, OG (twice); Erik Dandy, LB; Buster Ashley, OL (twice); Sherrod Coates, LB; Jon Frazier, RB; Antonio Veals, FS. 2003--Matt Lange, PK (twice); Brian Claybourn, P; Anthony Oakley, OL; Erik Dandy, LB; Karl Maslowski, LB; Dennis Mitchell, CB. 2004--Charles Thompson, LB (twice); Buster Ashley, OL (twice); Deonte Smith, LB (twice); Getty Cavitt, LB; Brian Claybourn, P; Lerron Moore, RB; Brian Porter, RB; Dennis Mitchell, SS. 2005--Erik Losey, OL (twice); Antonio Thomas, CB (twice); Chris James, PK (twice); Justin Haddix, QB; Dennis Mitchell, KR; Deion Holts, LB; Lerron Moore, RB; Greg Ryan, OL. 2006--Lerron Moore, RB; Chris Sullivan, OL; Jon Hedges, LB; Greg Ryan, OL.



DB Darius Joiner of Western Illinois led the FCS in tackles per game in 2021, averaging 12.9 in 11 contests.



UNI's Chad Rinehart was part of the offensive line selected 'player' of the week in 2007 - a first for the league.

All-Decade Team (1985-94)

In August 1994, the conference (then under the Gateway Conference umbrella) announced an All-Decade Team to kick off its 10th year.

FIRST TEAM

QB -- DeAndre Smith, MSU	1987-90
RB -- Toby Davis, ILS	1989-92
Derrick Franklin, INS	1989-91
TE -- Chris Nuss, UNI	1989-92
WR -- Roy Banks, EIU	1985-86
Kenny Shedd, UNI	1989-92
OC -- Frank Winters, WIU	1985-86
OL -- Mark Christensen, MSU	1986-89
Brad Fichtel, EIU	1989-92
Shawn Moore, INS	1990-93
Mike Simmonds, INS	1986
PK -- Brian Mitchell, UNI	1989-91
DL -- James Jones, UNI	1987-90
John Jurkovic, EIU	'85-86, 88-89
John Kropke, ILS	1985-87
Bill Walter, MSU	1988-91
LB -- Wilbert Brown, ILS	1988-91
William Freaney, UNI	1990-92
Bryce Paup, UNI	1986-89
DB -- Bryan Cox, WIU	1987-90
Rodney Harrison, WIU	1991-93
Tim Lance, EIU	1987-90
Adrian Smith, MSU	1990-93
P -- Tim Mosley, UNI	1990-93
RS -- Kenny Shedd, UNI	1989-92

Honorable Mention

QB -- Sean Payton, EIU	1985-86
Paul Singer, WIU	1985-88
RB -- Carl Boyd, UNI	1985-87
Jamie Jones, EIU	1988-91
David Wright, INS	1992-95
TE -- Rodney Porter, INS	1986-89
WR -- Demeris Johnson, WIU	1991-92
Billy Swain, SIU	1990-93
Charles Swann, INS	1989-91
OC -- Mark Hanssen, UNI	1985-87
OL -- Keith Blue, WIU	1985-87
Matt Irvin, MSU	1989-92
Dave Popp, EIU	1985-88
Mike Strickland, SIU	1990-93
PK -- Paul Politi, ILS	1985-86
DL -- Todd Auer, WIU	1985-86
Clint Cullen, ILS	1990-93
Michael Fox, MSU	1989-90
Marlin Williams, WIU	1987-88
LB -- Andre Allen, UNI	1991-94
Brian Gant, ILS	1985-86
Matt Soraghan, MSU	1985-87
DB -- Willie Beamon, UNI	'89-90, 92
Daryl Holcombe, EIU	1986-89
Marcus Shipp, MSU	1989-91
Jeff Smith, ILS	1985-88
P -- Mike Krause, WIU	1986-89
RS -- Charles Swann, INS	1989-91

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE DECADE

DeAndre Smith, Missouri State

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE DECADE

Bryan Cox, Western Illinois

Founded in 1985 as the Gateway Football Conference, the Missouri Valley Football Conference celebrated its 25th season of FCS (Football Championship Subdivision) football during the 2009 season.

During the season, fan voting was conducted to help select a "Silver Anniversary Team," recognizing the league's all-time greats. Team composition for the league's Silver Anniversary Team was determined by a committee and fan voting. Fans voted to determine an Offensive and Defensive MVP of the league's "All-Select NFL Team." UNI's Kurt Warner and Western Illinois' Rodney Harrison were tabbed Offensive and Defensive MVPs, respectively.

ALL-SELECT NFL TEAM (team designations thru 2009)

QB Kurt Warner, UNI -- Rams, Giants, Cardinals
RB Brandon Jacobs, Southern Illinois -- Giants
RB Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois -- Buccaneers, Saints
RB Aveion Cason, Illinois State -- Lions, Cowboys, Rams
FB Jeremi Johnson, Western Kentucky -- Bengals
WR Don Beebe, Western Illinois -- Bills, Panthers, Packers
WR Detric Ward, UNI -- Jets, Miami, Ravens, N.E., Dallas
WR Mike Furrey, UNI -- Rams, Lions, Browns
WR Kenny Shedd, UNI -- Jets, Bears, Raiders, Redskins
WR Frisman Jackson, Western Illinois -- Browns
WR Eddie Berlin, UNI -- Titans, Bears
WR Fabien Bownes, Western Illinois -- Bears, Seahawks
TE Damon Jones, Southern Illinois -- Jaguars
TE Ryan Hannam, UNI -- Seahawks, Cowboys
OL Brad Meester, UNI -- Jaguars
OL Frank Winters, Western Illinois -- Browns, Giants, Chiefs, Packers
OL Mark Rodenhauer, Illinois State -- Bears, Vikings, Chargers, Lions
OL Jason Whittle, Missouri State -- Giants, Buccaneers, Vikings, Bills
OL Rich Seubert, Western Illinois -- Giants

DL David Bowens, Western Illinois -- Denver, G.B., Redskins, Miami, Jets
DL James Jones, UNI -- Browns, Broncos, Ravens, Lions
DL John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois -- Packers, Jaguars, Browns
LB Bryan Cox, Western Illinois -- Miami, Bears, Jets, Patriots, Saints
LB Bart Scott, Southern Illinois -- Ravens, Jets
LB Bryce Paup, UNI -- Packers, Bills, Jaguars, Vikings
LB Ed Hartwell, Western Illinois -- Ravens, Falcons
LB Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State -- Chiefs, Dolphins, Texans
LB Tim Johnson, Youngstown State -- Raiders, Ravens
DB Rodney Harrison, Western Illinois -- Chargers, Patriots
DB Benny Sapp, UNI -- Chiefs, Vikings
DB William James, Western Illinois -- Giants, Eagles, Jaguars
DB Ray McElroy, Eastern Illinois -- Colts, Bears, Lions
P Mike Scifres, Western Illinois -- Chargers
P Derrick Frost, UNI -- Browns, Redskins, Packers
LS Brad St. Louis, Missouri State -- Bengals

INSTITUTIONAL GREATS - players from league schools before they were members of the MVFC (or Gateway). Only current league schools' former players are listed

DB Estus Hood, Illinois State -- Packers (1978-84)
OL Dennis Nelson, Illinois State -- Baltimore Colts, Eagles (1970-77)
DB Mike Prior, Illinois State -- Buccaneers, Colts, Packers (1985-98)
OL Tunch Ilkin, Indiana State -- Steelers, Packers (1980-93)
DB Vencie Glenn, INS -- N.E., Chargers, Saints, Vikings, Giants (1986-95)
DL Phil Hansen, North Dakota State -- Bills (1991-01)
WR Stacy Robinson, North Dakota State -- Giants (1985-90)
DB Steve Nelson, North Dakota State -- Patriots (1974-87)
DB Tyrone Braxton, North Dakota State -- Broncos, Dolphins (1987-99)
PK Adam Vinatieri, South Dakota State -- Patriots, Colts (1996-present)
TE Steve Heiden, South Dakota State -- Chargers, Browns (1999-2009)
WR/TE/RB Pete Retzlaff, South Dakota State -- Eagles (1956-66)
OL Jim Langer, South Dakota State -- Dolphins, Vikings (1970-81)
OL Adam Timmerman, South Dakota State -- Packers, Rams (1995-06)
OL Carl Mauck, Southern Illinois -- Colts, Dolphins, Chargers, Oilers (1969-81)
QB Jim Hart, Southern Illinois -- Cardinals, Redskins (1966-84)
WR Kevin House, Southern Illinois -- Buccaneers, LA Rams (1980-87)
DB Terry Taylor, Southern Illinois -- Seahawks, Lions, Browns, Falcons (1984-95)
DB Mike Wagner, Western Illinois -- Steelers (1971-80)
QB Ron Jaworski, Youngstown State -- LA Rams, Eagles, Dolphins, Chiefs (1974-89)
QB Cliff Stoudt, Youngstown State -- Steelers, STL Cardinals, Miami, Dallas (1977-89)
PK Jeff Wilkins, Youngstown State -- Eagles, 49ers, Rams (1994-07)
PK Paul McFadden, Youngstown State -- Eagles, Giants, Falcons (1984-89)

SILVER ANNIVERSARY TEAM

Offense

QB Ryan Helming, UNI (1997-00)
QB Russ Michna, WIU (2000-03)
QB Sean Payton, EIU (1985-86)
QB Joel Sambursky, SIU (2002-05)
QB Eric Sanders, UNI (2004-07)
QB DeAndre Smith, MSU (1987-90)
QB Kurt Warner, UNI (1990-93)
RB Herb Donaldson, WIU (2005-08)
RB Willie High, EIU (1992-95)
RB Corey Lewis, UNI (2005-08)
RB P.J. Mays, YSU (2000-02)
RB Aaron Stecker, WIU (1997-98)
RB Arkee Whitlock, SIU (2004-06)
RB David Wright, INS (1992-95)
TE Clay Harbor, MSU (2006-09)
TE J.R. Niklos, WIU (1998-01)
TE Brad St. Louis, MSU (1996-99)
WR Eddie Berlin, UNI (1997-00)
WR Cornell Craig, SIU (1996-99)
WR Mike Furrey, UNI (1997-99)
WR Laurént Robinson, ILS (2003-06)
WR/RS Kenny Shedd, UNI (1989-92)
WR Detric Ward, UNI (1993-96)
RS Craig Turner, SIU (2004-07)
OL Buster Ashley, WKU (2001-04)
OL Stafford Davis, ILS (2002-05)
OL Fred Layne, WIU (2001-04)
OL Brad Meester, UNI (1996-99)
OL Chad Rinehart, UNI (2004-07)
OL Brad Samsa, YSU (2005-08)
OL Rich Seubert, WIU (1997-00)
OL Frank Winters, WIU (1985-86)
PK Travis Brawner, MSU (1997-99)
PK Craig Coffin, SIU (2002-06)
PK Brian Mitchell, UNI (1989-91)
PK Taylor Rowan, WIU (2005-08)

Defense

DL Danny Batten, SDSU (2008-09)
DL Dan Brandenburg, INS (1992-95)
DL Harry Deligianis, YSU (1997)
DL Shannon Jackson, INS (1996-99)
DL James Jones, UNI (1987-90)
DL John Jurkovic, EIU (1986-89)
DL Kyle Mitchell, INS (2002-05)
DL Mike O'Brien, WIU (2000-03)
DL James Ruffin, UNI (2006-09)
DL Mychal Savage, YSU (2005-07, 2009)
LB Andre Allen, UNI (1991-94)
LB William Freaney, UNI (1990-92)
LB Boomer Grigsby, ILS (2001-04)
LB Edgerton Hartwell, WIU (1998-00)
LB James Milton, WIU (1995-98)
LB Bryce Paup, UNI (1986-89)
LB Matt Pedersen, UNI (1996-99)
LB Lee Russell, WIU (2000-03)
LB James Terry, YSU (2004-07)
LB Jason Williams, WIU (2005-08)
DB Bryan Cox, WIU (1987-90)
DB Rodney Harrison, WIU (1991-93)
DB Ray McElroy, EIU (1991-94)
DB Alexis Moreland, SIU (2001-04)
DB Nick Schommer, NDSU (2008)
DB Dwyte Smiley, YSU (1997-99)
DB Jeff Smith, ILS (1985-88)
DB Adrian Smith, MSU (1990-93)
DB Patrick Stoudamire, WIU (2006-09)
DB Ty Talton, UNI (1995-98)
P Brian Claybourn, WKU (2001-04)
P Tim Mosley, UNI (1990-93)
P Scott Ravanasi, SIU (2006-09)
P Mike Scifres, WIU (1999-02)

To celebrate 30 years of excellence, the league recognized some of its all-time top moments during 2014. The league divided these moments into 10 categories, and selected the Top 3 in each as part of a social media campaign. The lists were announced throughout the season (*so some moments that might qualify from 2014 do not appear.*)

TOP FBS WINS

Aug. 30, 2013 – (NDSU 24, K-State 21) NDSU goes 80 yards in 18 plays and consumes 8:30 of the clock in a game-winning drive at K-State. QB Brock Jensen scores with :28 left in a 24-21 win.

Sept. 16, 2006 – (SIU 35, Indiana 28) Southern Illinois became the first Missouri Valley Football Conference school to beat a Big Ten Conference opponent, rallying from a 14-point deficit behind four touchdown passes by QB Nick Hill.

Sept. 1, 2012 -- (Youngstown State 31, Pittsburgh 17) The Penguins never trailed in the contest in its first-ever program win over a BCS program. They built their lead to 28-10 in the fourth quarter and were never threatened.

TOP CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS

Jan. 7, 2012 – A pair of huge second-half plays against No. 1 and previously undefeated Sam Houston State helped North Dakota State earn its first national championship as a Missouri Valley Football member.

Dec. 20, 1997 - Youngstown State's first year in the conference yielded a third-place finish but a national title. A tough defense and coach Jim Tressel led YSU over McNeese State in the championship.

Jan. 4, 2014 – Behind MVP QB Brock Jensen, North Dakota State wins its third-straight national championship, capping a perfect 15-0 season by beating Towson in the FCS title game in Frisco, Texas, 35-7.

FANTASTIC FINISHES

Sept. 17, 1988 (Western Illinois 35, Missouri State 31) The Leathernecks scored three TDs in the final quarter to overcome a one-time 23-point deficit at MSU. Paul Singer's 28-yard pass to Steve Williams with 1:11 left was the game-winner.

Sept. 27, 2008 – (SDSU 50, SF Austin 48) – SDSU rallied from a 34-6 third quarter deficit to win on the game's final play on a one-yard TD from Kyle Minett. It remains the biggest comeback in league history.

Oct. 18, 2014 (No. 9 Illinois State 37, Western Illinois 34) – ISU rallied from 21 points down with 21 minutes left to improve to 6-0 for the first time since 1967. A 34-yard field goal at 0:00 provided the winning margin.

TOP PLAYOFF MOMENTS

Nov. 29, 2003 • Missoula, Mont. (Western Illinois 43, Montana 40, 2OT) PK Justin Langan set a school record with five field goals as Western recorded its first-ever playoff road win, handing Montana just its third loss in 20 home playoff games.

Dec. 1, 2012 (Illinois St. 38, Appalachian St. 37, ot) – Matt Brown threw for 322 yards and five TDs to lead ISU past APSU in Boone, N.C. Shelby Harris blocked a PAT in the first overtime for the winning margin.

Dec. 17, 2011 (#4 NDSU 35, #2 Georgia Southern 7) – The Bison had a higher playoff seed, but the visiting Eagles had a higher national ranking. NDSU outgained the triple-option threat 314-186 yards on the ground in a blowout victory.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE

Sportsmanship (The Handshake) – In 2004, the league became the NCAA's first conference to institute a full-team, pre-game handshake before all conference games. It continues to be a unique pre-game ritual to this day.

Aug. 30, 2014 – (The Streak) – North Dakota St. beats Iowa State, 34-14, and sets the all-time FCS record with 25 consecutive wins. North Dakota State has kept on winning, starting the 2014 season at 8-0.

Sept. 21, 2013 (Game Day in Fargo) – For just the third time in its history, ESPN's iconic college football pregame show visited an FCS site as the network took its Saturday show to downtown Fargo.

THE NUMBER ONES

Oct. 13, 2012 (Indiana State 17, #1 North Dakota State 14) – Johnny Towalid had two interceptions and returned both for scores as the Sycamores defeated top-ranked and unbeaten NDSU in Fargo. It marked ISU's first win over a No.-1 ranked team.

Oct. 27, 2005. (Southern Illinois 31, #1 Western Kentucky 20). In a nationally televised game on ESPNU, Arkee Whitlock had 207 rushing yards to help down the nation's top-ranked team. It remains SIU's lone win against a No. 1 team.

Dec. 3, 2005 - UNI knocked then No. 1-ranked and No. 1-seeded New Hampshire in the FCS quarterfinals, 24-21. It marks one of two wins for the Panthers against a No. 1 rated team.

CHAMPIONSHIP CLINCHERS

Nov. 22, 2008 (Southern Illinois 17, Illinois State 10 OT) In the final week, SIU clinched the conference title in dramatic fashion, with a 29-yard TD in OT, on 3rd-and-14, and then stopped Illinois State at the goal-line on 4th-and-1.

Nov. 18, 2000 (W. Illinois 44, UNI 41) Punter Mike Scifres hit a 56-yard field goal as time expired to win the league title inside the UNI Dome. It remains the sixth-longest made FG in conference history.

Nov. 15, 2003 - UNI won a share of the Valley Football title with a thrilling 43-40 comeback win over Southern Illinois. SIU led 28-7 but UNI scored 15 points in the final 4:37.

THE TOP 25

Oct. 24, 1992 (UNI 27, Idaho 26) UNI won, 27-26, in the first-ever meeting between the No. 1 and No. 2-ranked NCAA FCS teams. The UNI-Dome was sold out for only the second time in its history.

Sept. 20, 2014 (#1 North Dakota State 22, #3 Montana 10) – In a battle between FCS Super Powers, North Dakota State had the upper hand in Montana's first-ever visit to Fargo. Kicker Adam Keller booted five field goals for the Bison.

Oct. 19, 2013 – (South Dakota 38, #11 UNI 31 2OT) South Dakota trailed 28-7 in the third but rallied to win. It was the first road league win and win over a ranked team for USD as a league member.

STREAK SNAPPERS

Nov. 8, 2014 (Northern Iowa 23, North Dakota State 3) – David Johnson rushed for 133 yards and UNI scored 10 points off turnovers to snap North Dakota State's FCS-record 33-game streak, which dated back to a 2012 Indiana State defeat.

Oct. 5, 2002 (Southern Illinois 54, No. 8 Western Illinois 52) Key turning point in program history - SIU scored three fourth-quarter TDs, including one from Joel Sambursky to Brandon Robinson as time expired. It snapped Western's 18-game series win streak.

Oct. 24, 2009 (Indiana State 17, Western Illinois 14) – ISU snapped a 33-game losing streak with a three-point win vs Western, a springboard for the next three seasons, which saw ISU post winning seasons in 2010, 2011, and 2012.

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Nov. 4, 2006 (Western Illinois 46, Indiana State 41) – Herb Donaldson had 328 rushing yards and became the third (and the most recent) player in league history with six rushing touchdowns as the Leathernecks rallied from a 21-10 deficit.

Sept. 15, 2012 (Indiana State 27, Drake 10) – Shakir Bell scored two TDs and averaged 10.6 yards per carry while setting a league record with 349 rushing yards against Drake. It remains the eight-best figure in FCS history.

Sept. 15, 2012 (#15 Illinois State 54, Eastern Illinois 51 – 2 ot) – A 25-yard TD from Matt Brown to Tyrone Walker sealed the come-from-behind victory. Brown set a school record with 473 yards passing and had seven TDs (5 passing, 2 rushing).

30 IN 30

In addition to selecting the MVFC's Top 30 Moments, during the 30th anniversary season the league recognized the top three players at 10 different positions (30 total players).

QUARTERBACKS

Kurt Warner, UNI (1990-93)
Brock Jensen, N. Dakota State (2010-13)
Matt Brown, Illinois State (2009-12)

RUNNING BACKS

Zach Zenner, S. Dakota State (2011-14)
Herb Donaldson, W. Illinois (2005-08)
Aaron Stecker, Western Illinois (1997-98)

WIDE RECEIVERS

Dedric Ward, UNI (1993-96)
Mike Furrey, UNI (1997-98)
Laurent Robinson, Illinois St. (2003-06)

TIGHT ENDS

MyCole Pruitt, Southern Illinois (2011-14)
Clay Harbor, Missouri State (2007-09)
Brad St. Louis, Missouri State (1996-99)

OFFENSIVE LINEMEN

Brad Meester, UNI (1996-99)
Frank Winters, Western Illinois (1985-86)
Billy Turner, N. Dakota State (2010-13)

PLACEKICKERS

Tyler Sievertsen, UNI (2010-13)
Brian Mitchell, UNI (1989-91)
Taylor Rowan, Western Illinois (2005-08)

DEFENSIVE LINE

John Jurkovic, Eastern Illinois (1988-89)
James Ruffin, UNI (2006-09)
Cole Jirik, North Dakota State (2010-13)

LINEBACKERS

Bryce Paup, UNI (1986-89)
Boomer Grigsby, Illinois State (2001-04)
Edgerton Hartwell, W. Illinois (1998-00)

DEFENSIVE BACKS

Rodney Harrison, W. Illinois (1991-93)
Marcus Williams, NDSU (2010-13)
Bryan Cox, Western Illinois (1987-90)

PUNTERS

Mike Scifres, Western Illinois (1999-02)
Ben LeCompte, NDSU (2012-present)
Scott Ravanese, S. Illinois (2006-09)

To celebrate 35 years of excellence in the Missouri Valley Football Conference, the league recognized some of its all-time top moments, dividing the moments into 10 categories and have selected the top events in each (some categories did not include accomplishments reached during the 2019 campaign.)

Additionally, following a month-long on-line voting campaign, the Conference revealed its five best players at 10 different positions.

STREAKS & STREAK SNAPPERS

1. Nov. 8, 2014 (Northern Iowa 23, North Dakota State 3) – David Johnson rushed for 133 yards and UNI scored 10 points off turnovers to snap North Dakota State's FCS-record 33-game streak, which dated back to a 2012 Indiana State defeat. In back-to-back weeks (Nov. 1-8, 2014) UNI defeated Illinois State (7-0 record) and North Dakota State (9-0 record) in the UNI-Dome. In the league's 34-year history, 15 teams have started a season 6-0 or better. Of those 15, UNI ended a team's streak five times.
2. Oct. 17, 2015 (South Dakota 24, No. 2 North Dakota State 21) – South Dakota place-kicker Miles Bergner drilled a 33-yard field goal as time expired to give the Coyotes a 24-21 win against second-ranked and four-time defending national champion North Dakota State in Fargo, ending the Bison's 26-game home winning streak in MVFC play.
3. NDSU .. VS. FBS -- As an MVFC member, North Dakota State has never lost a game to an FBS foe, posting six-straight wins against FBS members since 2010. That streak includes victories over Kansas, Minnesota, Colorado State, Kansas State, Iowa State and No. 11 Iowa
4. NDSU .. YET ANOTHER STREAK -- North Dakota State established a league an FCS-record with its 33-game winning streak (from 2012-14). Following its 16-0 record in 2019, the Bison extended their current winning streak to 37 games. The Bison hold the three-longest win streaks in MVFC history.
5. Oct. 24, 2009 (Indiana State 17, Western Illinois 14) – ISU snapped a 33-game losing streak with a three-point win vs Western, a springboard for the next three seasons, which saw ISU post winning seasons in 2010, 2011, and 2012.

TOP FBS WINS

1. Aug. 30, 2013 – (North Dakota State 24, Kansas State 21) NDSU goes 80 yards in 18 plays and consumes 8:30 of the clock in a game-winning drive at K-State. QB Brock Jensen scores with :28 left in a 24-21 win.
2. Sept. 17, 2016 – (North Dakota State 23, #11 Iowa 21) North Dakota State became just the fourth FCS program to notch a win against a top-25 FBS program as Cam Pedersen nailed a 37-yard field goal as time expired. It marked the league's fourth win against a member of the Big Ten Conference.
3. 2016 – Four league schools picked up wins at FBS programs, setting a league record for FBS wins in a season. Illinois State won at Northwestern, North Dakota State won at Iowa, UNI won at Iowa State, and Western Illinois won at Northern Illinois. The two wins against Big Ten schools in the same season also established a league mark.
4. Sept. 1, 2012 -- (Youngstown State 31, Pittsburgh 17) The Penguins never trailed in the contest in its first-ever program win over a BCS program. They built their lead to 28-10 in the fourth quarter and were never threatened.
5. Sept. 14, 1985 -- (UNI 10, Kansas State 6) UNI beats Kansas State in Manhattan in the league's first season – in just the second week. Since then, the league has recorded more than 40 additional victories against FBS teams, entering the 2019 season with 45 total FBS wins.
6. Sept. 16, 2006 -- (Southern Illinois 35, Indiana 28) Southern Illinois became the first Missouri Valley Football Conference school to beat a Big Ten Conference opponent, rallying from a 14-point deficit behind four touchdown passes by QB Nick Hill.

TOP FINISHES

1. Jan. 10, 2015 (#2 North Dakota State 29, #5 Illinois State 27) – Illinois State scored on a QB Tre Roberson 58-yard run with 1:38 remaining to take a 27-23 lead in the NCAA title game. Carson Wentz engineered a six-play 78-yard drive capped by his 5-yard TD run with :37 remaining. The Bison picked off Roberson as ISU was approaching field goal range to seal the win.
2. Sept. 27, 2008 – (South Dakota State 50, Stephen F. Austin 48) – SDSU rallied from a 34-6 third quarter deficit to win on the game's final play on a one-yard TD from Kyle Minett. It remains the biggest comeback in league history.
3. Dec. 17, 2016 (#13 Youngstown State 40, #3 Eastern Washington 38) – Youngstown State earned a trip to the FCS Championship Game with this win in Cheney. TE Kevin Rader hauled in a 5-yard TD pass from Hunter Wells, securing the pass on the back of an EWU defender, with :01 left in regulation.
4. Sept. 17, 2016 (North Dakota State 23, #11 Iowa 21) – Cam Pedersen hit a 37-yard field goal as time expired to lift NDSU to just the fourth-ever win by an FCS team over a ranked FBS team. NDSU scored with 3:41 remaining to close within a point at 21-20, but it failed on a two-point conversion. Iowa went three-and-out on its next possession to set up the last-second heroics.
5. Oct. 17, 2015 (South Dakota 24, #2 North Dakota State 21) – South Dakota stunned the Bison in Fargo with a three-point win. USD scored the game's final 10 points in the final 4:47, capped by a 33-yard game-winning field goal by Miles Bergner.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE

1. Aug. 30, 2014 – (The Streak) – North Dakota State beats Iowa State, 34-14, and sets the all-time FCS record with 25 consecutive wins. North Dakota State's winning streak reached 33 games. (Notably, NDSU ended the 2019 season having broken that record, reaching a streak of 37-straight headed into the 2020 campaign.)
2. Jan. 10, 2015 (MVFC Championship Game) – In what was billed the "MVFC Championship Game" that season, Illinois State and North Dakota State played each other for the FCS crown. It has been the only FCS championship game involving two schools from the same conference. NDSU won, 29-27.
3. April 28, 2016 (The NFL Draft) – QB Carson Wentz of North Dakota State becomes the highest drafted player in league history, taken 2nd overall by the Philadelphia Eagles in the 2016 NFL Draft. He remains the only MVFC player to be drafted in the first round.
4. 2014 Dominance – No FCS league has ever been perfect, but in 2014, the MVFC had a non-conference season to remember, going 23-1 against FCS schools, which included 5 wins against top-25 teams. On Sept. 29, eight Valley Football teams crack the Top 25. Before 2014, the league's high-water mark was six ranked teams. The league has had seven or more teams ranked in the same week 16 times in its history.
5. Sportsmanship (The Handshake) – In 2004, the league became the NCAA's first conference to institute a full-team, pre-game handshake before all conference games. It continues to be a unique pre-game ritual to this day.

TOP INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-GAME ACCOMPLISHMENTS

1. Dec. 2, 2017 (#5 Sam Houston State 54, South Dakota 42) Sam Houston State built a 41-14 halftime lead in this second-round playoff game, but QB Chris Streveler led a ferocious comeback that had the Coyotes trailing 44-42 with 10:45 to go. Streveler set a league record with 571 yards of total offense and became just the third in league history to surpass 500 passing yards in a game (with 520).
2. Nov. 4, 2006 (Western Illinois 46, Indiana State 41) – Herb Donaldson had 328 rushing yards and became the third (and the most recent) player in league history with six rushing touchdowns as the Leathernecks rallied from a 21-10 deficit.
3. Jan. 5, 2019 – North Dakota State sets an FCS record with seven national titles, surpassing the previous record of six, held by Georgia Southern. NDSU's Easton Stick became the all-time FCS leader in wins by a QB, capping his career with a 49-3 record as a starter, breaking the 48 by NDSU's Brock Jensen.
4. Sept. 30, 2017 (South Dakota 38, Western Illinois 33) – WR Jaelon Acklin set league records for receptions (19) and yards (343) in a losing effort against visiting South Dakota. Three of his 19 catches went for touchdowns. Western trailed 38-6 before scoring with 5:06 remaining in the third quarter.
5. Nov. 19, 2014 (South Dakota State 47, Montana State 40) – In the penultimate game of his career, RB Zach Zenner had 252 rushing yards and five touchdowns in this playoff road win at Montana State. He established the league career records with 416 points, 6,548 rushing yards and 8,211 all-purpose yards.

NUMBER ONES

1. Oct. 13, 2012 (Indiana State 17, #1 North Dakota State 14) –Johnny Towalid had two interceptions and returned both for scores as the Sycamores defeated top-ranked and unbeaten NDSU in Fargo. It marked ISU’s first win over a No.-1 ranked team.
2. Dec. 20, 2014 (Illinois State 21, #1 New Hampshire 18) – The Redbirds earned a spot in the FCS title game with a come-from-behind road win at New Hampshire. ISU scored the game’s final 15 points, including what turned out to be the game-winning TD – a 47-yard TD run by QB Tre Roberson with 7:55 remaining.
3. Dec. 3, 2005 - UNI knocked then No. 1-ranked and No. 1-seeded New Hampshire in the FCS quarterfinals, 24-21. It marks one of two wins for the Panthers against a No. 1 rated team.
4. Title-Games – Four MVFC victories against a No. 1 team have occurred in a title game, including 2002 (Western Kentucky over McNeese State), 2011 (North Dakota State over Sam Houston State), 2015 (North Dakota State over Jacksonville State), and 2016 (North Dakota State over James Madison).
5. Dec. 6, 1997 (Youngstown State 37, #1 Villanova 34) – After falling behind 21-0, the Penguins stormed back to shock the No. 1 and unbeaten Villanova Wildcats with a three-point win. The Penguins scored their second touchdown on a 10-yard blocked punt return, which seemed to swing the momentum in YSU’s favor. YSU ended up winning the national championship, knocking off McNeese State, 10-9.

TOP PLAYOFF MOMENTS (This was announced before the 2019 playoffs had occurred.)

1. Nov. 29, 2003 • Missoula, Mont. (Western Illinois 43, Montana 40, 2OT) PK Justin Langan set a school record with five field goals as Western recorded its first-ever playoff road win, handing Montana just its third loss in 20 home playoff games.
2. Dec. 6, 2014 – (NDSU 27, South Dakota State 24) – NDSU freshman RJ Urzendowski’s 12-yard touchdown catch with 54 seconds left lifted No. 2 seed North Dakota State to a 27-24 win over South Dakota State. SDSU scored 17 unanswered points after trailing 14-0 then went ahead 24-20 on Jake Wieneke’s 3-yard TD reception from Austin Sumner with 3:18 left in the game before the Bison marched 76 yards in eight plays. John Crockett rushed for 102 yards on 23 carries for NDSU, including three runs on the final drive to run out the clock.
3. Dec. 1, 2012 (Illinois State 38, Appalachian State 37, ot) –Matt Brown threw for 322 yards and five TDs to lead ISU past APSU in Boone, N.C. Shelby Harris blocked a PAT in the first overtime for the winning margin.
4. Dec. 3, 2016 (Youngstown State 40, Jacksonville State 24) – Youngstown State stunned the No. 3 seeded Jacksonville State Gamecocks with a 16-point road win. The Penguins never trailed and scored the game’s final 13 points in the game’s final 19 minutes.
5. Dec. 9, 2005 - UNI advanced to its first-ever title game with a 40-37 overtime win at Texas State. UNI forced overtime with a late TD and Brian Wingert won it with a FG.

AGAINST THE TOP 25 (This was announced before the 2019 playoffs had occurred; as No. 1 NDSU beat No. 2 James Madison in the FCS Championship in 2019.)

1. Oct. 24, 1992 (#1 UNI 27, #2 Idaho 26) UNI won, 27-26, in the first-ever meeting between the No. 1 and No. 2-ranked NCAA FCS teams. The UNI-Dome was sold out for only the second time in its history.
2. Sept. 10, 2016 (#1 North Dakota State 50, #6 E. Washington 44) – NDSU led 41-31 with eight minutes left but visiting EWU reeled off 13-straight points to take a 44-41 lead. Cam Pedersen hit a game-tying 28-yarder to force OT, and after EWU failed on its possession, RB Lance Dunn took the first NDSU OT snap and ran 25 yards for the game-winning TD.
3. Oct. 29, 2011 (#3 North Dakota State 27, #2 UNI 19) – In a matchup between two league teams ranked in the nation’s Top 3, NDSU won its eighth-straight game to start the 2011 campaign with a 27-19 score in the Fargodome.
4. Nov. 11, 2017 (#8 South Dakota State 33, #2 North Dakota State 21) – For the second-straight year, SDSU defeated North Dakota State in regular-season play. Taryn Christian led the Jackrabbits as he threw for 329 yards and two scores and ran for a touchdown.
5. Sept. 20, 2014 (#1 North Dakota State 22, #3 Montana 10) – In a battle between FCS Super Powers, North Dakota State had the upper hand in Montana’s first-ever visit to Fargo. Kicker Adam Keller booted five field goals for the Bison.

TITLE TOWN (This was announced before the 2019 playoffs had occurred; as No. 1 NDSU beat No. 2 James Madison in the FCS Championship in 2019.)

1. Jan. 10, 2015 – The MVFC co-champions met in Frisco in what was the first-ever FCS championship game meeting between two teams from the same conference. North Dakota State beat Illinois State, 29-27.
2. Jan. 7, 2012 – A pair of huge second-half plays against No. 1 and previously undefeated Sam Houston State helped North Dakota State earn its first national championship as a Missouri Valley Football member.
3. Jan. 6, 2018 – North Dakota State defeated defending champion James Madison, 17-13, and tied Georgia Southern with the most FCS titles (6).
4. Dec. 20, 1997 - Youngstown State’s first year in the conference yielded a third-place finish but a national title. A tough defense and coach Jim Tressel led YSU over McNeese State in the championship.
5. Jan. 4, 2014 – Behind MVP QB Brock Jensen, North Dakota State wins its third-straight national championship, capping a perfect 15-0 season by beating Towson in the FCS title game in Frisco, Texas, 35-7.

CHAMPIONSHIP CLINCHERS

1. Nov. 22, 2008. (Southern Illinois 17, Illinois State 10 OT) In the final week, SIU clinched the conference title in dramatic fashion, with a 29-yard TD in OT, on 3rd-and-14, and then stopped Illinois State at the goal-line on 4th-and-1.
2. Nov. 18, 2000 (Western Illinois 44, UNI 41) Punter Mike Scifres hit a 56-yard field goal as time expired to win the league title inside the UNI Dome. It remains the seventh-longest made field goal in conference history.
3. Nov. 15, 2003 - UNI won a share of the Valley Football title with a thrilling 43-40 comeback win over Southern Illinois. SIU led 28-7 but UNI scored 15 points in the final 4:37.
4. Nov. 12, 2005 – UNI clinched a 2005 playoff berth with a 25-24 victory over Southern Illinois. The Salukis led 24-10 in the fourth quarter before UNI rallied, scoring the game winner at :24.
5. Nov. 21, 2015 – For the second-straight year, Illinois State and North Dakota State tied for the league title without playing one another. Both teams won games on the final day of the regular-season in blowout fashion. NDSU shut out Missouri State (55-0) and Illinois State shut out South Dakota (46-0).

35th ANNIVERSARY TOP PLAYERS (top 5 at 10 different positions, as voted on by fans, media and staff)

QUARTERBACKS

Taryn Christian, SDSU, 2015-18
 Brock Jensen, NDSU, 2010-13
 Easton Stick, NDSU, 2015-18
 Kurt Warner, UNI, 1990-93
 Carson Wentz, NDSU, 2012-15

RUNNING BACKS

Shakir Bell, Indiana St., 2010-13
 Marshaun Coprich, ILS, 2012-15
 Herb Donaldson, WIU, 2005-08
 David Johnson, UNI, 2010-14
 Zach Zenner, SDSU, 2011-14

WIDE RECEIVERS

Lance Lenoir Jr., WIU, 2013-16
 Laurent Robinson, ILS, 2003-06
 Darius Shepherd, NDSU, 2015-18
 Dedic Ward, UNI, 1993-96
 Jake Wieneke, SDSU, 2014-17

TIGHT ENDS

Dallas Goedert, SDSU, 2014-17
 Clay Harbor, MSU, 2006-09
 James O’Shaughnessy, ILS, 2010-14
 MyCole Pruitt, SIU, 2011-14
 Brad St. Louis, MSU, 1996-99

OFFENSIVE LINEMEN

Chris Elkins, YSU, 2010-13
 Joe Haeg, NDSU, 2012-15
 Zack Johnson, NDSU, 2012-16
 Brad Meester, UNI, 1996-99
 Billy Turner, NDSU, 2010-13
 Frank Winters, WIU, 1985-86

DEFENSIVE LINEMEN

Kyle Emanuel, NDSU, 2011-14
 John Jurkovic, E. Illinois, 1986-89
 Derek Rivers, YSU, 2013-16
 James Ruffin, UNI, 2006-09
 Xavier Williams, UNI, 2011-14

LINEBACKERS

Nick DeLuca, NDSU, 2013-17
 Boomer Grigsby, ILS, 2001-04
 Edgerton Hartwell, WIU, 1998-00
 Bryce Paup, UNI, 1986-89
 Christian Rozeboom, SDSU, 2015-19

DEFENSIVE BACKS

Bryan Cox, WIU, 1987-90
 Deiondre Hall, UNI, 2012-15
 Rodney Harrison, WIU, 1991-93
 Ty Talton, UNI, 1995-98
 Marcus Williams, NDSU, 2010-13

PLACEKICKERS

Travis Brawner, MSU, 1997-99
 Adam Keller, NDSU, 2011-14
 Brian Mitchell, UNI, 1989-91
 Cam Pedersen, NDSU, 2015-18
 Taylor Rowan, WIU, 2005-08

PUNTERS

Miles Bergner, USD, 2013-16
 Ryan Hoffman, ILS, 2002-05
 Ben LeCompte, NDSU, 2012-15
 Scott Ravanese, SIU, 2006-09
 Mike Scifres, WIU, 1999-02