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# WOMEN'S LEAGUE PRESS RELEASE



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## 62 NAMED TO ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

### *Lisa Beck, Allison Edgar share honor as Top Scholar-Athlete*

Once again demonstrating their merits beyond the ice, 62 female student-athletes crowded the Women's Hockey East All-Academic team, representing a dramatic 25 percent increase from last season's total of 50. To qualify for the team, an individual must achieve a grade point average of at least 3.0 in each of the two academic periods during which she was actively competing.

The impressive total reflects an average of greater than 10 student-athletes per program, a superior academic showing league-wide. The University of Connecticut led the way with an astounding 15 of its 24 players reaching the qualifying mark, including eight repeat honorees from last year. Boston College and Northeastern each had seven repeat honorees.

Among the Huskies' ranks was junior defenseman Lisa Beck (*Tolland, CT*), who achieved a perfect 4.0 over the course of the season. Not to be outdone, defending Top Scholar-Athlete Allison Edgar (*Brigden, ON*) of UNH matched Beck's perfect GPA, and so the two will share the honor of Top Scholar-Athlete for the 2003-04 season.

Beck and Edgar create a firm foundation for the Academic All-Star team, which honors the top GPAs by position. Northeastern's Katy Augustyn is the squad's goaltender for the second straight season, with teammate Chrissy Sands at forward alongside Maine's Emily Stevens and Cheryl White.

#### **Boston College (12)**

Lindsey Bazzone \*\*  
Kristin Blundo  
Sarah Carlson \*\*  
Lisa Davis \*\*  
Jennifer Fischl  
Nancy Gillis  
Sarah McGarrell \*\*  
Kaitlin McGrath \*\*  
Christine Moynihan  
Laura Mueller  
Kerri Sanders \*\*  
Jessica Tychsen \*\*

#### **University of Connecticut (15)**

Janelle Armitage \*\*  
Shannon Connolly \*\*  
Emily Grant  
Jennifer Houlden \*\*  
Nicole Lefave  
Sara Mahoney \*\*  
Julie Marashio \*\*  
Shannon Murphy  
Caitlyn Salazer-Reid  
Stefanie Snow \*\*  
Erika Spaeth \*\*  
Katie Van Deveire  
Natalie Vibert  
Angie Wallace

**Lisa Beck (4.00 GPA) \*\***  
**(2003-04 Top Scholar-Athlete)**

#### **University of Maine (10)**

Sonia Corriveau  
Karen Droog \*\*  
Morgan Janusc \*\*  
Brigitte Laflamme  
Laura Maddin  
Lara Smart  
Andrea Steranko  
Emily Stevens  
Ksenia Tatomir  
Cheryl White

#### **University of New Hampshire (6)**

Shannon Clement  
Martine Garland  
Carolyn Gordon  
Maghan Grahn  
Jaime VanMassenhove \*\*

**Allison Edgar (4.00 GPA) \*\***  
**(2003-04 Top Scholar-Athlete)**

#### **Northeastern University (10)**

Katy Augustyn \*\*  
Jennifer Beaudoin \*\*  
Jessica Coppney  
Lori DiGiacomo \*\*  
Theresa Ella \*\*  
Amy Goodney  
Melissa Jubinville  
Chrissy Sands \*\*  
Kathryn Sands \*\*  
Lindsay Snider \*\*

#### **Providence College (9)**

Mara Amrhein \*\*  
Danielle Bourgette  
Kristin Gigliotti  
Hilary Greaves  
Emily Gryp  
Amy Quinlan  
Meredith Roth  
Darlene Stephenson  
Karen Thatcher

#### **Academic All-Star Team**

(Top GPAs by position)

Goaltender: Katy Augustyn, NU  
Defense: Lisa Beck, UConn  
Defense: Allison Edgar, UNH  
Forward: Chrissy Sands, NU  
Forward: Emily Stevens, Maine  
Forward: Cheryl White, Maine

\*\* - Indicates two-time honoree