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WOMEN'S LEAGUE

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WOMEN'S ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM HONORS 61 Three student-athletes record perfect 4.0 grade-point-average

Once again demonstrating their merits beyond the ice, 61 student-athletes crowded the Women's Hockey East All-Academic team, an impressive average of just over 10 per team. 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 University of Maine led all teams with 16 honorees, including eight repeat honorees. Northeastern was a close second with 15 honorees, nearly half of which have qualified for the team for three straight seasons.

For the second straight year, multiple student-athletes achieved a perfect 4.0 GPA. And for the second straight year, one of those is UConn senior defenseman **Lisa Beck** (*Tolland*, *CT*). Now a two-time Top Scholar-Athlete, Beck shares this year's honor with Maine's **Emily Stevens** (*Hamilton*, *ON*) and Northeastern's **Chrissy Sands** (*Los Gatos*, *CA*). All three recorded a perfect 4.0 during the 2004-05 season.

The trio form half of the 2004-05 Academic All-Star team, representing the top GPAs by position. Northeastern's **Katy Augustyn** (*Antigo, WI*) is the Academic All-Star team's goaltender for the third straight year. NU forward-turned-defenseman **Lori DiGiacomo** (*Temecula, CA*) makes her first appearance on the Academic All-Star team as does Maine forward **Morgan Janusc** (*Dundas, ON*).

Boston College (10)

Lindsey Bazzone ***
Sarah Carlson ***
Lisa Davis ***
Sarah Feldman
Nancy Gillis **
Kim Meagher
Lee J. Mirasolo
Christine Moynihan **
Allison Quandt **
Kerri Sanders ***

University of Connecticut (8)

Janelle Armitage ***
Shannon Connolly ***
Nicole LeFave **
Megan McLeod
Shannon Murphy **
Josette Severyn
Katie Van Deveire **
Lisa Beck *** 4.0 GPA
(2004-05 Top Scholar-Athlete)

Academic All-Star Team

(Top GPAs by position)
Goaltender: Katy Augustyn, NU
Defense: Lisa Beck, UConn
Defense: Lori DiGiacomo, NU
Forward: Morgan Janusc, Maine
Forward: Chrissy Sands, NU
Forward: Emily Stevens, Maine

University of Maine (16)

Sonia Corriveau **

Tristan Desmet Rachel Gettings Morgan Janusc *** Brigitte Laflamme ** Kelly Law Julie Lizotte Laura Maddin ** Julie Poulin Karine Senecal Andrea Steranko ** Ksena Tatomir ** Sheri Wauters Cheryl White ** Jayme Wilmann Emily Stevens ** 4.0 GPA (2004-05 Top Scholar-Athlete)

University of New Hampshire (6)

Brittany Busa Nicole Goguen Maghan Grahn ** Nicole Hekle Diane Saly Jessica Zerafa

Northeastern University (15)

Katy Augustyn ** Jennifer Beaudoin *** Sarah Belliveau Ashley Bielawski Marie Desrosiers Lori DiGiacomo *** Theresa Ella *** Missy Elumba Amy Goodney ** Meredith Miller Nikki Petrich Kathryn Sands *** Lindsay Snider *** Stephanie Wood Chrissy Sands *** 4.0 GPA (2004-05 Top Scholar-Athlete)

Providence College (6)

Danielle Bourgette *
Hilary Greaves **
Emily Gryp **
Christina Redmond
Melissa Smith
Karen Thatcher **

^{** –} two-time honoree
*** – three-time honoree