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Soccer

Augustana's Seidel Hightlights Nine Repeaters On Academic All-NCC Soccer Team

Sioux Falls, S.D. -- Twenty-six student-athletes, highlighed by three-time selection Erin Seidel of Augustana, have been selected to the 2006-2007 Academic All-North Central Conference Soccer Team by a vote of the league's sports information directors.

Seidel becomes the second Augustana player to be at honored at least three times on the Academic All-NCC Soccer team in her career. The other Augustana student-athlete to reach the honor was Katie Hoffman who was named to the select squad four times (2000-03). Eight other student-athletes are making their second showing on the team with this year's election.

Nebraska-Omaha leads the way with six student-athletes on the squad while Augustana has five student-athletes.

The select group has a combined grade point average of 3.69 with one student-athlete, Betsy Blackler of South Dakota, holding a 4.00 grade point average and Danielle McCawley of Nebraska-Omaha having a 3.995 GPA.

Here is the 2006-2007 Academic All-NCC Soccer Team:

2006-2007 Academic All-North Central Conference Soccer Team

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Team</u> | <u>Yr.</u> | <u>GPA</u> | <u>Major</u> | <u>Hometown</u> |
|--------------------|------------------|------------|------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Casey Bigsby | Nebraska-Omaha | So. | 3.728 | PE/Exercise Science | Omaha, Neb. |
| Betsy Blackler | South Dakota | So. | 4.00 | Pre-Nursing | Rapid City, S.D. |
| Mallary Born | Augustana | Sr. | 3.87 | Nursing | Sioux Falls, S.D. |
| Katie Cruikshank* | Augustana | Sr. | 3.51 | Communication Disorders | Marshalltown, Iowa |
| Ashley Ervin* | South Dakota | Jr. | 3.661 | Accounting | Western Springs, III. |
| Katie Freeman* | South Dakota | Jr. | 3.92 | Chemistry | Urbandale, Iowa |
| Tina Harris* | Augustana | Sr. | 3.72 | Biology | Prairie Village, Kan. |
| Ashley Herold | St. Cloud State | So. | 3.45 | Elementary Education | Moorhead, Minn. |
| Amanda Iwansky | Nebraska-Omaha | So. | 3.870 | PE/Exercise Science | Columbus, Neb. |
| Kelly Jauch | Minnesota State | So. | 3.46 | Exercise Science | Middleton, Wis. |
| Lindsey Krueger | St. Cloud State | Sr. | 3.63 | Comm. Psy./Chemical Depen. | Rochester, Minn. |
| Amy Lueking* | Augustana | Sr. | 3.97 | Physics | Sioux Falls, S.D. |
| Cassie Lund | North Dakota | Jr. | 3.30 | Dietetics | Ham Lake, Minn. |
| Danielle McCawley* | Nebraska-Omaha | Jr. | 3.995 | Pre-Dentistry | Ralston, Neb. |
| Beth McGill* | Nebraska-Omaha | Sr. | 3.466 | Sociology | Omaha, Neb. |
| Abby Maruish | St. Cloud State | So. | 3.58 | Pre-Law | Burnsville, Minn. |
| Carly Petersen | Minnesota State | So. | 3.60 | Psychology | Verona, Wis. |
| Leslie Peterson | Minnesota State | So. | 3.69 | Elementary Education | Burnsville, Minn. |
| Stacey Prodaniuk | Minnesota Duluth | So. | 3.467 | Exercise Science | Thunder Bay, Ont. |
| Amber Richardson* | Nebraska-Omaha | Sr. | 3.712 | Family Science | LaVista, Neb. |
| Kelly Sadler | Minnesota State | So. | 3.76 | Elementary Education | Sioux Falls, S.D. |
| Danielle Scheuer | Minnesota Duluth | So. | 3.408 | Biology/Pre-Med | Cloquet, Minn. |
| Erin Seidel** | Augustana | Sr. | 3.74 | Biology | Sioux Falls, S.D. |
| Lara Traczyk | North Dakota | So. | 3.91 | Biology | Markham, Ont. |
| Tara Wegehaupt | Nebraska-Omaha | So. | 3.858 | Exercise Science | Duluth, Minn. |
| Brooke Youds* | South Dakota | Jr. | 3.743 | English Education | Maple Grove, Minn. |

^{*-}indicates two-time selection, **-indicates three-time selection

Class Breakdown: Seniors (8), Juniors (5), Sophomore (13).

Team Breakdown: Augustana (5), Minnesota Duluth (2), Minnesota State (4), Nebraska-Omaha (6), North Dakota (2), St. Cloud State (3), South Dakota (4).