



NATIONAL FOOTBALL
FOUNDATION
COLLEGE FOOTBALL HALL OF FAME

FWAA-NFF SUPER 16 POLL

- GAMES PLAYED THROUGH OCTOBER 1, 2016 -

MARK ANDERSON

Las Vegas Review-Journal

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Houston
5. Washington
6. Michigan
7. Louisville
8. Wisconsin
9. Tennessee
10. Texas A&M
11. Baylor
12. Nebraska
13. Miami (Fla.)
14. Stanford
15. Ole Miss
16. Arkansas

LEE BARFKNECHT

Omaha World-Herald

1. Ohio State
2. Alabama
3. Clemson
4. Houston
5. Michigan
6. Washington
7. Louisville
8. Tennessee
9. Texas A&M
10. Wisconsin
11. Miami (Fla.)
12. Colorado
13. Baylor
14. Nebraska
15. Ole Miss
16. Stanford

ZACH BARNETT

FootballScoop.com

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Michigan
4. Clemson
5. Louisville
6. Houston
7. Washington
8. Texas A&M
9. Miami (Fla.)
10. Tennessee
11. Ole Miss
12. Wisconsin
13. Stanford
14. Oklahoma
15. Baylor
16. Nebraska

TONY BARNHART

GridironNow.com

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Houston
5. Michigan
6. Louisville
7. Washington
8. Tennessee
9. Texas A&M
10. Wisconsin
11. Nebraska
12. Baylor
13. Ole Miss
14. Miami (Fla.)
15. Stanford
16. Boise State

MARK BLAUDSCHUN

TMG Sports

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Louisville
7. Washington
8. Miami (Fla.)
9. Texas A&M
10. Tennessee
11. Oklahoma
12. Baylor
13. Nebraska
14. North Carolina
15. Oklahoma State
16. Pittsburgh

GIL BRANDT

NFL.com

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Houston
5. Michigan
6. Washington
7. Louisville
8. Tennessee
9. Texas A&M
10. Nebraska
11. Miami (Fla.)
12. Wisconsin
13. Ole Miss
14. Baylor
15. Boise State
16. Stanford

AARON BRENNER

Charleston Post & Courier

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Houston
5. Michigan
6. Texas A&M
7. Washington
8. Miami (Fla.)
9. Louisville
10. Tennessee
11. Nebraska
12. Wisconsin
13. Arkansas
14. Colorado
15. Stanford
16. Ole Miss

BRIAN DAVIS

Austin American-Statesman

1. Alabama
2. Clemson
3. Ohio State
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Louisville
7. Washington
8. Texas A&M
9. Tennessee
10. Baylor
11. Miami (Fla.)
12. Nebraska
13. Stanford
14. Ole Miss
15. Arkansas
16. California

JON FINKEL

FootballMatters.org

1. Clemson
2. Ohio State
3. Alabama
4. Houston
5. Louisville
6. Washington
7. Michigan
8. Texas A&M
9. Tennessee
10. Baylor
11. Nebraska
12. Arkansas
13. Wisconsin
14. Florida
15. Miami (Fla.)
16. Ole Miss

BRYAN FISCHER

Freelance

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Houston
5. Michigan
6. Louisville
7. Washington
8. Texas A&M
9. Wisconsin
10. Tennessee
11. Ole Miss
12. Stanford
13. Boise State
14. Oklahoma
15. Miami (Fla.)
16. Arkansas

PETE FIUTAK

CollegeFootballNews.com

1. Ohio State
2. Alabama
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Louisville
6. Houston
7. Washington
8. Texas A&M
9. Tennessee
10. Wisconsin
11. Miami (Fla.)
12. Virginia Tech
13. Arkansas
14. Stanford
15. Nebraska
16. Ole Miss

TOMMIE FRAZIER

2013 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Texas A&M
7. Washington
8. Tennessee
9. Louisville
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Stanford
12. Baylor
13. Nebraska
14. Wisconsin
15. Arkansas
16. Ole Miss

TEDDY GREENSTEIN

Chicago Tribune

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Houston
4. Clemson
5. Washington
6. Michigan
7. Louisville
8. Texas A&M
9. Wisconsin
10. Florida State
11. Tennessee
12. Ole Miss
13. Nebraska
14. Stanford
15. LSU
16. Arkansas

ANDREW GREIF

The Oregonian

1. Alabama
2. Clemson
3. Michigan
4. Ohio State
5. Houston
6. Washington
7. Louisville
8. Texas A&M
9. Tennessee
10. Baylor
11. Wisconsin
12. Ole Miss
13. Miami (Fla.)
14. Nebraska
15. Stanford
16. Arkansas

TIM GRIFFIN

San Antonio Express-News

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Washington
7. Texas A&M
8. Tennessee
9. Louisville
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Nebraska
12. Wisconsin
13. Baylor
14. Ole Miss
15. Stanford
16. Arkansas

MIKE GRIFFITH

AJC - SEC Country

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Texas A&M
5. Michigan
6. Washington
7. Houston
8. Miami (Fla.)
9. Tennessee
10. Louisville
11. Nebraska
12. Wisconsin
13. Baylor
14. West Virginia
15. Boise State
16. Air Force

WALLY HALL

Arkansas Democrat-Gazette

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Michigan
4. Clemson
5. Houston
6. Texas A&M
7. Washington
8. Tennessee
9. Miami (Fla.)
10. Baylor
11. Louisville
12. Ole Miss
13. Nebraska
14. Wisconsin
15. Stanford
16. Arkansas

DAN HARRALSON

Saturday Down South

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Tennessee
5. Michigan
6. Texas A&M
7. Washington
8. Louisville
9. Houston
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Nebraska
12. Ole Miss
13. Wisconsin
14. North Carolina
15. Arkansas
16. West Virginia

TOMMY HICKS

Freelance

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Washington
7. Louisville
8. Texas A&M
9. Tennessee
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Wisconsin
12. Baylor
13. Nebraska
14. Stanford
15. Ole Miss
16. Arkansas

RON HIGGINS

NoLa.com/The Times Picayune

1. Alabama
2. Clemson
3. Ohio State
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Texas A&M
7. Washington
8. Tennessee
9. Miami (Fla.)
10. Louisville
11. Wisconsin
12. Baylor
13. Utah
14. Nebraska
15. Florida State
16. Ole Miss

JOHNNIE JOHNSON
2007 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Michigan
4. Clemson
5. Louisville
6. Houston
7. Washington
8. Texas A&M
9. Tennessee
10. Wisconsin
11. Miami (Fla.)
12. Stanford
13. Baylor
14. Nebraska
15. Utah
16. Arkansas

DAVE JONES
PA Media Group

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Washington
5. Houston
6. Louisville
7. Michigan
8. Miami (Fla.)
9. Texas A&M
10. Wisconsin
11. Tennessee
12. Boise State
13. Colorado
14. Stanford
15. Nebraska
16. Western Michigan

RYAN KARTJE
Orange County Register

1. Alabama
2. Michigan
3. Ohio State
4. Clemson
5. Houston
6. Louisville
7. Washington
8. Texas A&M
9. Tennessee
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Baylor
12. Nebraska
13. Stanford
14. Ole Miss
15. Arkansas
16. Florida

BLAIR KERKHOFF
Kansas City Star

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Washington
6. Houston
7. Tennessee
8. Texas A&M
9. Louisville
10. Wisconsin
11. Miami (Fla.)
12. Baylor
13. Nebraska
14. Stanford
15. West Virginia
16. North Carolina

RACHEL LENZI
Land of 10

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Washington
6. Houston
7. Tennessee
8. Texas A&M
9. Louisville
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Nebraska
12. Wisconsin
13. Baylor
14. Ole Miss
15. Stanford
16. Arkansas

STEFANIE LOH
Seattle Times

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Washington
6. Houston
7. Tennessee
8. Texas A&M
9. Louisville
10. Baylor
11. Miami (Fla.)
12. Nebraska
13. Wisconsin
14. Ole Miss
15. Florida
16. Stanford

KELLY LYELL
Fort Collins Coloradoan

1. Alabama
2. Clemson
3. Ohio State
4. Michigan
5. Washington
6. Houston
7. Texas A&M
8. Tennessee
9. Nebraska
10. Louisville
11. Baylor
12. Wisconsin
13. West Virginia
14. Miami (Fla.)
15. Boise State
16. Western Michigan

MARTY LYONS
2011 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Michigan
4. Clemson
5. Houston
6. Washington
7. Texas A&M
8. Louisville
9. Tennessee
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Baylor
12. Stanford
13. Wisconsin
14. Nebraska
15. Ole Miss
16. Arkansas

KEVIN McGUIRE
NBC Sports College Football Talk

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Louisville
7. Texas A&M
8. Wisconsin
9. Nebraska
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Baylor
12. Arkansas
13. North Carolina
14. Boise State
15. Oklahoma State
16. Stanford

DON McPHERSON
2008 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Houston
5. Michigan
6. Texas A&M
7. Washington
8. Tennessee
9. Louisville
10. Baylor
11. Nebraska
12. Miami (Fla.)
13. Wisconsin
14. Stanford
15. Arkansas
16. TCU

CHET MOELLER
2010 Hall of Fame Class

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Louisville
7. Washington
8. Tennessee
9. Texas A&M
10. Miami (Fla.)
11. Wisconsin
12. Stanford
13. Nebraska
14. Baylor
15. Ole Miss
16. Arkansas

MATT MURSCHERL
Orlando Sentinel

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Clemson
4. Michigan
5. Houston
6. Louisville
7. Washington
8. Texas A&M
9. Tennessee
10. Stanford
11. Baylor
12. Miami (Fla.)
13. Nebraska
14. Florida State
15. Ole Miss
16. Arkansas

MICHAEL PAYTON

2015 Hall of Fame Class

- Alabama
- Ohio State
- Clemson
- Louisville
- Michigan
- Houston
- Wisconsin
- Washington
- Texas A&M
- Tennessee
- Florida State
- Miami (Fla.)
- Stanford
- Baylor
- Nebraska
- Ole Miss

RANDY PETERSON

Des Moines Register

- Alabama
- Ohio State
- Michigan
- Clemson
- Houston
- Texas A&M
- Washington
- Louisville
- Tennessee
- Miami (Fla.)
- Stanford
- Wisconsin
- Nebraska
- Ole Miss
- Baylor
- Florida State

MATT PORTER

The Palm Beach Post

- Alabama
- Ohio State
- Michigan
- Clemson
- Washington
- Louisville
- Houston
- Texas A&M
- Wisconsin
- Miami (Fla.)
- Tennessee
- Ole Miss
- Stanford
- Baylor
- Oklahoma
- Colorado

DAN SILEO

Mighty 1090 Radio

- Alabama
- Michigan
- Clemson
- Ohio State
- Houston
- Washington
- Louisville
- Texas A&M
- Tennessee
- Baylor
- Miami (Fla.)
- Florida
- Nebraska
- Ole Miss
- Wisconsin
- Stanford

R.C. SLOCUM

2012 Hall of Fame Class

- Alabama
- Ohio State
- Clemson
- Michigan
- Houston
- Louisville
- Washington
- Wisconsin
- Texas A&M
- Tennessee
- Baylor
- Nebraska
- Miami (Fla.)
- Ole Miss
- North Carolina
- Florida

JON SOLOMON

CBSSports.com

- Alabama
- Ohio State
- Clemson
- Louisville
- Houston
- Washington
- Michigan
- Texas A&M
- Tennessee
- Wisconsin
- Miami (Fla.)
- Baylor
- Ole Miss
- Nebraska
- Stanford
- Arkansas

PHIL STEELE

Phil Steele Publications

- Alabama
- Ohio State
- Clemson
- Washington
- Louisville
- Michigan
- Texas A&M
- Tennessee
- Miami (Fla.)
- Houston
- Oklahoma
- Wisconsin
- Stanford
- Nebraska
- Baylor
- Ole Miss

PATRICK STEVENS

D1source.com

- Alabama
- Ohio State
- Clemson
- Washington
- Michigan
- Houston
- Tennessee
- Texas A&M
- Louisville
- Miami (Fla.)
- Wisconsin
- Nebraska
- Stanford
- Baylor
- North Carolina
- Florida

DAVID TEEL

Newport News Daily Press

- Alabama
- Ohio State
- Clemson
- Michigan
- Houston
- Washington
- Louisville
- Tennessee
- Texas A&M
- Wisconsin
- Miami (Fla.)
- Nebraska
- Stanford
- Baylor
- Ole Miss
- North Carolina

JOHN WAGNER

Toledo Blade

- Alabama
- Clemson
- Ohio State
- Michigan
- Washington
- Houston
- Miami (Fla.)
- Tennessee
- Louisville
- Wisconsin
- Stanford
- Ole Miss
- Oklahoma
- Texas A&M
- Nebraska
- Baylor

GRAHAM WATSON

Yahoo! Sports

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- Ohio State
- Clemson
- Michigan
- Louisville
- Washington
- Houston
- Texas A&M
- Tennessee
- Miami (Fla.)
- Nebraska
- Baylor
- Wisconsin
- Stanford
- Ole Miss
- Arkansas

DICK WEISS

Blue Star Media

- Ohio State
- Clemson
- Louisville
- Alabama
- Houston
- Washington
- Michigan
- Wisconsin
- Texas A&M
- Tennessee
- Miami (Fla.)
- Nebraska
- Baylor
- West Virginia
- Maryland
- North Carolina

REGGIE WILLIAMS

2007 Hall of Fame Class

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12. Nebraska
13. Arkansas
14. Stanford
15. Wisconsin
16. North Carolina

ABOUT THE FWAA-NFF SUPER POLL: The FWAA-NFF Super Poll was established at the conclusion of the 2013 season by long-time partners, the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA) and the National Football Foundation (NFF). Voters rank the top 16 teams in the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision, and the results will be released every Sunday of the 2016 season; the individual votes of all members will also be made public. The first poll will be released Sept. (to account for Labor Day games), and the final poll will be released Dec. 4. The pollsters consist of FWAA writers and College Football Hall of Famers who were selected to create a balanced-geographical perspective. The poll utilizes a program designed by [Sports Systems](#) to compile the rankings.

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