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2011 NCBWA DIVISION I FRESHMAN ALL-AMERICAN TEAM

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LYNCHBURG, VA. (NCBWA) – A total of 34 standout freshmen college baseball players from every part of the country are featured on the 2011 National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association (NCBWA) Freshman All-American Team, the organization announced today.

The 2011 NCBWA Freshman All-American Team features players from 17 conferences and seven conference championship teams. The two All-American squads are also made up of 14 conference "Rookie of the Year" winners.

Four teams placed two players (overall) on the two teams, while 26 schools placed at least one player on the teams. Jacksonville placed two players on the first team, while Arkansas, Texas and Vanderbilt also each had two players selected to the teams.

The ACC, Atlantic Sun, MEAC and SEC placed two players apiece on the first team. The SEC put six members on the first and second teams, the Atlantic Sun had four and the ACC and Big South had three selections apiece on the two squads.

The 2011 NCBWA National Freshman Player of the Year and National Freshman Pitcher of the Year will be announced on Tuesday, June 14.

Founded in 1962, the NCBWA is dedicated to the advancement of college baseball. Membership is open to writers, broadcasters and publicists of the sport. For more information about the NCBWA, visit the association's official Web site, www.ncbwa.com.

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2011 NCBWA Freshman All-America Team

(Stats through 6/12/11)

First Team

Pos	. Player, School	Avg.	G	AB	R	Н	2B-3B-HR	RBIs	BB	S0	SB/SBA							
С	Matt Wollenzin, Austin Peay	.373	36	83	18	31	4-0-2	19	15	21	0/0							
1B	Dominic Ficociello, Arkansas	.335	61	224	29	75	15-1-4	50	6	45	5/6							
2B	Taylor Ratliff, Jacksonville	.332	55	205	58	68	9-1-1	24	29	34	25/29							
3B	Colin Moran, North Carolina	.335	64	236	46	79	20-2-9	69	46	31	2/4							
SS	Luke Tendler, North Carolina A&T	.380	55	213	33	81	20-5-6	53	11	15	7/8							
OF	Daniel Aldrich, College of Charleston	.347	59	222	43	77	17-2-22	73	18	59	1/1							
OF	Jaycob Brugman, BYU	.317	53	205	37	65	19-5-9	49	16	46	13/15							
OF	Kyle Wren, Georgia Tech	.352	59	250	55	88	11-7-1	32	28	27	14/20							
DH	Brad Zebedis, Presbyterian College	.425	56	212	47	90	23-0-13	57	16	22	1/2							
UT	Marco Gonzales, Gonzaga	.291	36	110	20	32	10-0-0	14	17	19	1/1							
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Pos	. Name School	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	CG	SV	ΙP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO
SP	Tyler Barnette, Charlotte	9-2	2.29	16	16	1	0	109.1	83	27	22	26	92
SP	Scott Gardner, Bethune-Cookman	9-2	2.07	13	13	2	0	78.1	61	27	18	18	48
SP	Karsten Whitson, Florida	8-0	2.45	17	17	0	0	88.0	76	25	24	25	83
RP	Chris Anderson, Jacksonville	4-2	3.78	35	1	0	11	50.0	40	23	21	33	39
RP	Cale Elam, Wichita State	4-1	1.23	28	0	0	5	44.0	23	9	6	18	32
RP	Corey Knebel, Texas	3-2	1.15	37	0	0	19	54.2	27	8	7	12	60

Second Team

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Pos	. Player, School	Avg.	G	AB	R	Н	2B-3B-HR	RBIs	BB	SO	SB/SBA	
С	Austin Barrett, Mercer	.286	52	182	35	52	7-1-8	25	25	47	0/2	
1B	D.J. Peterson, New Mexico	.317	61	246	39	78	32-3-6	48	15	10	0/0	
2B	JaCoby Jones, LSU	.338	56	195	36	66	11-1-4	32	12	37	12/20	
3B	Erich Weiss, Texas	.358	66	218	46	78	12-7-4	44	53	35	11/13	
SS	Logan Kirkland, South Alabama	.339	57	224	43	76	10-2-1	27	25	27	3/7	
OF	Phillip Ervin, Samford	.371	57	213	44	79	15-2-4	41	25	28	7/8	
OF	Alex Bacon, North Florida	.352	52	199	46	70	18-1-9	42	20	45	3/8	
OF	Krey Bratsen, Texas A&M	.335	66	257	43	86	5-3-0	36	23	51	31/40	
DH	Jeff Zimmerman, North Illinois	.326	56	215	34	70	13-0-11	47	23	63	0/0	
UT	Josh Dezse, Ohio State	.332	53	193	30	64	11-2-4	42	27	47	0/1	
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Pos	. Name School	W-L	ERA	APP	GS	CG	SV	ΙP	H	R	ER	BB	<u>SO</u>
SP	T.J. Pecoraro, Vanderbilt	7-0	1.59	17	6	0	0	39.2	26	8	7	13	41
SP	Nick Petree, Missouri State	9-2	2.81	16	11	2	2	96.0	86	36	30	27	81
SP	Adam Plutko, UCLA	7-4	2.01	16	15	1	0	107.2	73	28	24	24	92
SP	Alex Gonzalez, Oral Roberts	8-7	3.41	19	18	5	0	105.2	96	54	40	43	100
RP	Kyle Porter, California	5-0	1.59	24	3	0	2	51.0	42	10	9	14	53
RP	Kevin Poole, Clemson	5-2	1.93	17	3	0	0	32.2	37	9	7	10	17
RP	Kevin Ziomek, Vanderbilt	3-0	1.61	25	5	0	1	44.2	33	9	8	15	46

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