

ILLINOIS WRESTLING

14-15



FIGHTING ILLINI FAST FACTS

Location	Urbana-Champaign	Associate Head Coach (Alma Mater), Experience	Mark Perry (Iowa, '08), 4th Season
Enrollment	43,398	Assistant Coaches (Alma Mater), Experience	Jeremy Hunter (Penn State, '01), 13th
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Colors	Orange and Blue	Wrestling Phone	217.333.5853
Conference	Big Ten	2013-14 Record	11-8
President	Robert Easter	2013-14 Big Ten Record / Finish	3-5 / 6th
Chancellor	Phyllis Wise	2014 NCAA Finish	13th
Athletic Director	Mike Thomas	Lettermen Returning / Lost	17 / 5
Home Arena	Huff Hall (4,500)	All-Americans Returning / Lost	1/0
Head Coach	Jim Heffernan	Starters Returning / Lost	8 / 2
Years as Head Coach	6th Season		
Years at Illinois	23rd Season		
Alma Mater	Iowa '87		



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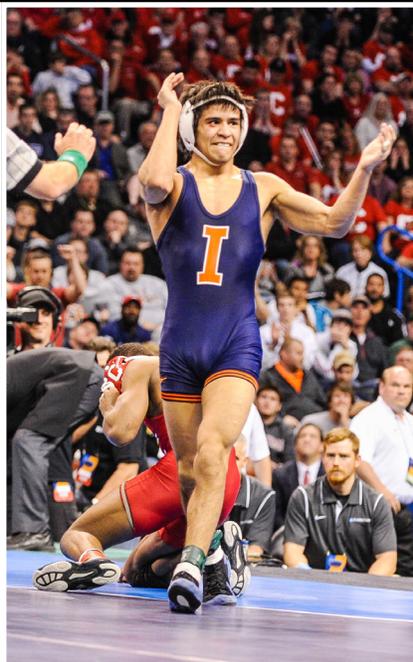
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2014-15 SEASON PREVIEW

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WEIGHT CLASS PREVIEW

The 2014-15 Fighting Illini wrestling team returns eight of 10 starters from the 2013-14 team that finished sixth in the Big Ten and 13th at the NCAA Championships. Ranked No. 11 in WIN Magazine's preseason poll, the Orange and Blue begin the season this Sunday as they play host to the Illini Quad. Northern Illinois, Southern Illinois-Edwardsville and Rider will be traveling to Huff Hall for the competition.

Illinois is led by two-time NCAA and Big Ten Champion Jesse Delgado (125). Zane Richards (133), Steven Rodrigues (141), Caleb Ervin (149), Jackson Morse (165), Zac Brunson (174) and Nikko Reyes (184) also return for the Illini, each having qualified for the NCAA National Championships at least once in their careers

125

Two-time defending NCAA and Big Ten Champion Jesse Delgado returns for his senior season, and he will be looking for a three-peat at 125 pounds. Last year, Delgado accumulated a record of 30-2, with seven wins coming by fall. His .938 win percentage last season is the seventh-best mark in school history. He won the Dike Eddleman award as Illinois' top male athlete last year. Delgado enters his final campaign in an Illini singlet ranked No. 1 by both WIN Magazine and Intermat. He currently sits at 91 career wins and his .875 career win percentage is fourth in school history.

133

Zane Richards will once again man the starting role at 133 pounds for the Orange and Blue. During the 2013-14 campaign, Richards recorded a 27-9 record, qualifying for the NCAA National Championships in the process. He won both the William Penn Open and the Loras Open, and he placed fifth at the Big Ten Championships. Richards scored the third-most points in dual meets for Illinois a season ago. Dominic Olivieri could also see some action at this weight class.

141

An NCAA qualifier a last season, Steven Rodrigues returns at 141 pounds for the Illini in 2014-15. An injury last year forced him to miss nearly a month of action, but Rodrigues still managed to record a 12-11 campaign. He earned a sixth-place finish at the Big Ten Championships and grabbed second at the Midlands Championships.

149

Caleb Ervin is expected to return to the starting lineup after an injury derailed his 2013-14 campaign. Compiling an 8-8 record, Ervin placed eighth at the Big Ten Championships and won the William Penn Open. John Fahy saw action at 141 pounds last year while Rodrigues was injured, and could be called upon at some point this season at 149 pounds. Kyle Landenderfer will also be in the mix here after redshirting in 2013-14.



Two-time reigning NCAA and Big Ten Champion Jesse Delgado will be looking to three-peat in 2014-15.

157

After taking a redshirt season in 2013-14, look for Isaiah Martinez to seize control of the starting job at 157 pounds. Martinez compiled a 13-2 record last year, including winning the William Penn Open. He is ranked ninth in WIN Magazine's preseason poll.

165

Returning for his final season as an Illini, Jackson Morse recorded a career-high 25 wins during the 2013-14 campaign. He qualified for the NCAA Championships after finishing a career-best fifth at the Big Ten Championships. Morse recorded the second-most points at dual meets last year, as well as the fastest fall of the season for the Illini (0:36). He finished a perfect 4-0 at the NWCA National Duals and won the Loras Open.

WEIGHT CLASS PREVIEW

174

After wrestling at 157 pounds last season, Zac Brunson will make the jump up to 174 pounds for the 2014-15 season. Brunson compiled a 24-14 record en route to finishing seventh in the Big Ten and qualifying for the NCAA Championships. He won the Loras Open and finished seventh at the Midlands Championships.

184

Just like last year, Nikko Reyes will be called upon to handle the starting role at 184 pounds. In the 2013-14 season, his first as a starter, Reyes compiled a 22-14 record with five wins by fall. He won the Loras Open, finished sixth in the Big Ten and qualified for the NCAA Championships.

197

Jeff Koepke will have a chance to earn the starting gig at 197 pounds after seeing some time at the weight class last season. He compiled an 8-13 record in 2013-14, including a second-place finish at the Loras Open. Newcomers Andre Lee and Colton Emmerich are also listed at this weight, but it appears Koepke will get the first crack at the job.

HWT

Christopher Lopez is the returning starter at heavyweight for the Illini. Last season he compiled a 13-18 record with a title at the Loras Open. Brooks Black redshirted during the 2013-14 campaign, but could see some action at this weight for the Illini. Black is thought of highly enough that WIN Magazine listed him as its 19th-ranked heavyweight in the preseason poll.



Zac Brunson will be making the leap from 157 pounds to 174 pounds this season.



Jeff Koepke will be looking to establish himself as the starter at 197 pounds after serving as a backup in 2013-14.

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2014 Overall Record: 7-8
2014 Conference Record: 4-3
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 6/3
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 2/0
Last Meeting: Appalachian State 24, Illinois 22 (01/11/85)

BAKERSFIELD

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Head Coach: Mike Mendoza (4th)
2014 Overall Record: 6-8
2014 Conference Record: 1-4
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/3
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 9/1
Last Meeting: Illinois 19, Bakersfield 13 (01/14/95)

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2014 Overall Record: 14-5
2014 Conference Record: N/A

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Head Coach: Pat Santoro (7th)
2014 Overall Record: 10-6
2014 Conference Record: 6-2
Returning All-Americans: Darian Cruz (125), Mason Beckman (133), Mitch Minotti (149)
Last Meeting: #7 Illinois 22, #8 Lehigh 18 (11/20/11)

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2014 Overall Record: 11-5
2014 Conference Record: 5-2
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 8/2
Returning All-Americans: Anthony Perrotti (157)

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2014 Overall Record: 10-9-1
2014 Conference Record: 0-4
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 6/4
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 2/2
Last Meeting: #6 Illinois 30, Indiana 9 (01/27/13)

IOWA

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Head Coach: Tom Brands (9th)
2014 Overall Record: 15-2
2014 Conference Record: 7-1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 22/6
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 7/3
Returning All-Americans: Cory Clark (125), Mike Evans (174), Nathan Burak (197), Bobby Telford (285)
Last Meeting: #2 Iowa 25, #8 Illinois 12 (02/08/13)

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Head Coach: J Robinson (29th)
2014 Overall Record: 14-1
2014 Conference Record: 7-1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 17/5
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 7/2
Returning All-Americans: Chris Dardanes (133), Dylan Ness (149), Logan Storley (174), Tony Nelson (285)
Last Meeting: #4 Minnesota 18, #5 Illinois 14 (01/21/13)

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2014 Overall Record: 12-2
2014 Conference Record: 6-1
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 17/2
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 8/2
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 7/0
Returning All-Americans: James Green (157), Robert Kokesh (174)
Last Meeting: #8 Nebraska 22, #13 Illinois 12 (02/01/14)

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Head Coach: Drew Pariano (5th year)
2014 Overall Record: 9-7
2014 Big Ten Record: 1-7
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 6/4
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 2/2
Returning All-Americans: Jason Tsirtsis
Last Meeting: #15 Illinois 24, #9 Northwestern 12 (02/09/14)

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2014 Overall Record: 9-8
2014 Conference Record: 3-3
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 7/3
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 3/2
Last Meeting: #5 Illinois 31, #15 Purdue 6 (11/24/12)

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2014 Overall Record: 6-8
2014 Big Ten Record: 1-7
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 16/5
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 7/3
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 4/1
Last Meeting: #15 Illinois 18, Purdue 16 (02/07/14)

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2014 Overall Record: 12-6
2014 Big Ten Record: 5-3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 17/3
Dual Starters Returning/Lost: 9/3
NCAA Qualifiers Returning/Lost: 5/3
Returning All-Americans: Isaac Jordan (157)
Last Meeting: #17 Wisconsin 19, #6 Illinois 18 (12/06/13)

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2013 Conference Record: 4-4
Last Meeting: #15 Illinois 24, Kent State 13 (02/17/14)

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JIM HEFFERNAN

HEAD COACH // SIXTH SEASON

Jim Heffernan begins his sixth season as head coach after serving as the top assistant under Mark Johnson for 19 years - 17 at Illinois and two at Oregon State. The 1986 NCAA 150-pound champion and a four-time Big Ten Conference champion, Heffernan garnered the National Wrestling Coaches Association Assistant Coach of the Year honor in 2001 following the Illini's fifth-place national finish and second-place finish in the Big Ten.

During Heffernan's time in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois has finished in the top-10 at the NCAA championships on 11 occasions and in the top 15 in 15 of the last 18 seasons. Heffernan has been a major factor in the renaissance of the Illinois wrestling program, helping lead the team to its greatest prosperity since the post-World War II era.

Heffernan also has mentored eight individual national champions in the last 17 seasons. In 2013, 125-pounder Jesse Delgado joined Matt Lackey (165), Adam Tirapelle (149, 2001), John Lockhart (heavyweight, 2001), Carl Perry (141, 2000), Eric Siebert (150, 1998), Ernest Benion, Jr. (158, 1995) and Steve Marianetti (150, 1995) in earning NCAA titles since 1995.

Last season, eight Illini qualified to compete at the NCAA Championships, the most since the 2009 season. The Illini finished 13th at nationals, while Jesse Delgado won his second straight national title at 125 pounds, becoming Illinois' first back-to-back national champion in 56 years. Delgado also won the Big Ten title for the second straight year, while eight other Illini earned a spot on the podium at the Big Ten Championships. Heffernan also guided Tony Dallago in becoming Illinois' all-time leader in career pins.

In 2012-13, Heffernan guided Illinois to a ninth-place finish at the NCAA Championships, where three Illini were crowned All-Americans, including NCAA Champion Jesse Delgado (125). Jordan Blanton (174) earned his third consecutive All-American honor, while Conrad Polz (165) earned his second. The Illini finished fifth at the Big Ten Championships, with Delgado being named Big Ten Wrestler of the Championships after taking the 125-pound conference title.

Heffernan helped Illinois place seven wrestlers in the 2012 NCAA Championships, and garner four All-America finishes with Jordan Blanton earning his second honor of his career, after placing fourth at 174. B.J. Futrell also earned his second All-America honor, after pinning three opponents in the national championship on his way to taking sixth at 133. In both Jesse Delgado (125) and Conrad Polz' (165) first NCAA Championship, they placed seventh and eighth, respectively, earning their first honor while Tony Dallago (184) and Mario Gonzalez (197) both made it to the round of 12. The Illini also finished fourth at the Big Ten Championships, the highest place since the 2008-09 season while Gonzalez was crowned the conference champion at the 197 weight class for the first time since 2001.

Heffernan guided sophomore B.J. Futrell (125) to All-America honors in 2011 and a pair of Illini in 2009-10, with senior John Dergo (184) and sophomore Jordan Blanton (174) each taking fifth place at the NCAA Championships. Dergo had an incredible season, winning a Big Ten championship and finishing 36-4, including a 22-match winning streak from Dec. 12-March 18. Blanton rebounded from an early injury to finish third at the Big Ten Championships and out-perform his No. 10 seed at the NCAA Championships to earn his first career All-America honor.

Heffernan helped Illinois place nine wrestlers in the 2009 NCAA Championships, all by automatic berths in the first year of the individual RPI rankings, and garner three All-America finishes with Mike Poeta placing second at 157, Jimmy Kennedy taking fifth at 133 and heavyweight John Wise finishing seventh. Kennedy was one of the most impressive wrestlers as the tournament wore on, winning six straight matches after losing his pigtail bout to reach the consolation semifinals and eventually take fifth. Poeta won his second Big Ten title in 2009 and Kennedy had a career year, going 36-6. In addition, Illinois finished second at the Big Ten Championships, its best finish since 2005.

Poeta and Kennedy also starred for the Illini in 2008, finishing second and fourth, respectively, at the NCAA Championships. Poeta won his first Big Ten title after starting the season 22-0, while Kennedy put together an 11-match winning streak that included an undefeated Big Ten dual season.

In 2006-07, Kennedy finished the season ranked No. 9 at 133 pounds and Dergo ended the year No. 11 at 184, marking the first time since Carl Perry in 1997 that at least one true-freshman from Illinois ranked in the Top-20. The Illini qualified eight for the 2007 NCAA Championships and were led by Poeta, who notched a third-place finish at 157 pounds and garnered his first All-America honor.

In 2005-06, the tradition of excellence continued as the Illini took home their third-straight Midlands title, joining Iowa and Iowa State as the only three-peat champions. At Midlands, Alex Tirapelle (157) and Pete Freidl (184) took home individual titles, while Poeta (165) and Tyrone Byrd (197) grappled to runner-up finishes. Rounding out the top-eight finishes for Illinois were Donny Reynolds (174) in fifth and Troy Tirapelle (149) in seventh.

THE HEFFERNAN FILE

COLLEGE COACHING EXPERIENCE

- ❖ Illinois, head coach (2009-present)
- ❖ Illinois, assistant coach (1992-2009)
- ❖ Oregon State, assistant coach (1990-92)
- ❖ Lehigh, assistant coach (1988-89)
- ❖ Iowa, graduate assistant (1987)

HONORS

- ❖ AFLAC Assistant Coach of the Year Award (2003)
- ❖ NWCA Assistant Coach of the Year (1995 & 2001)
- ❖ Iowa's Male Athlete of the Year (1987)
- ❖ NCAA 150-pound Champion (1986)
- ❖ Four-time All-American, University of Iowa (1984-87)

INTERNATIONAL COACHING EXPERIENCE

- ❖ Cadet Wrestling Team, Istanbul, Turkey (1992)
- ❖ USA World Espoir Team (1989)

At Big Tens, the Fighting Illini finished second, just behind top-ranked Minnesota. In all, five Orange and Blue grapplers (Byrd, Freidl, Kyle Ott, Alex Tirapelle and Troy Tirapelle) made conference finals appearances, each finishing second in their respective weight classes.

With the performance at the league tournament, the Illini became the only team to qualify all 10 wrestlers for NCAAs in Oklahoma City in 2006, marking the third time in school history all 10 grapplers made the trip to NCAAs (1995, 2000, 2006). Freidl took home All-America honors with a third-place finish, finishing his career a three-time All-American. On the year, Illinois finished second during the regular season in the Big Ten with a 10-2-1 overall record and 5-2-1 ledger in conference action.

The 2005 squad brought home Illinois' first Big Ten Conference tournament championship in 53 years as Alex Tirapelle (157) and Friedl (174) took home individual league crowns out of five total finalists for the Illini. For the second season in a row, the Illini won the Big Ten regular-season dual meet title with a near-perfect 7-0-1 record. The team finished sixth at the national tournament after qualifying nine wrestlers, while 125-pounder Ott made a repeat appearance in the finals.

The team matched 2004's achievement of five All-Americans in Ott (2nd, 125), Mark Jayne (7th, 133), Cassio Pero (7th, 141), Friedl (4th, 174) and Brian Glynn (3rd, 184).

In what served as a benchmark for the Illini program, the 2004 season served as a year of firsts as Heffernan helped guide the team to a Big Ten regular-season dual meet title and the first Midlands Tournament team title in program history. The squad concluded the season with a seventh-place finish at nationals, including a finals appearance by Ott at 125. The team brought home five All-America honors, a feat which tied 2004 national champion Oklahoma State, and was the most for Illinois since 1948.

During the 2003 season, Illinois took eight qualifiers to the NCAA Championships from a squad that had five freshmen competing most of the year. The 2003 team finished ninth overall with two national finalists. Matt Lackey finished his climb up the ladder with his win in the finals over Troy Letters for his first national title. Alex Tirapelle became the first Illinois freshman to make the finals as he ensured All-America honors with his second-place finish. For his efforts, Heffernan earned AFLAC Assistant Coach of the Year honors in 2003.

In 2002, during a rebuilding year, Heffernan helped lead a reshaped starting lineup to a 12-4 record and 10th-place finish at nationals. With seven new starters, the Illini still managed to qualify nine wrestlers for NCAAs after a fifth-place finish at Big Tens, equaling the 2001 squad's NCAA representation. That year, the Illini crowned three All-Americans, following two straight seasons of awarding four All-Americans, and Heffernan was named the Assistant Coach of the Year by the National Wrestling Coaches Association (NWCA).

The Illinois wrestling team has progressively made school history year after year. In 2000, the team's sixth-place national finish was the best since 1958, only to be topped by the 2001 finish of fifth place, which was the highest since 1948. The 2001 team also took second at the Big Ten Championships, sent nine athletes to the NCAA Championships and posted a 12-2 dual meet record.

In 1996-97, Heffernan guided the Illini to a 14-1 dual meet record, a third-place finish at the Big Ten Championships and a ninth-place effort at the NCAA Championships. At the time, the third-place outing was the best in school history in 39 years.

Illinois has sent 123 wrestlers to the NCAA championships during Heffernan's tenure, an average of nearly seven qualifiers each year. During the past 16 seasons, the Illini have crowned 45 All-Americans and produced seven national champions (out of 17 finalists).

Heffernan also earned NWCA Assistant Coach of the Year honors in 1995 after Illinois posted a pair of national champions in Steve Marianetti (150) and Ernest Benion (158), a 13-2 dual record and a ninth-place finish at NCAAs.

A 1987 graduate of the University of Iowa, Heffernan was a four-time All-American, while being a member of three Hawkeye NCAA and four Big Ten championship teams. Heffernan captained the Hawkeyes as a senior and grabbed Iowa's Male Athlete of the Year honor in 1987.

Heffernan began his coaching career as a graduate assistant at the University of Iowa before becoming an assistant coach at Lehigh University in 1988. He remained at Lehigh until moving to Oregon State in 1990. He joined Johnson in Champaign in 1992.

He also coached the Cadet Wrestling Team at the world championships in Istanbul, Turkey, in 1992, and the USA World Espoir Team in 1989.

Heffernan graduated from national wrestling powerhouse St. Edward High School (Cleveland, Ohio), where he finished as a two-time high school state champion.

Heffernan and his wife, Rebecca, live in Champaign with their son, Sean, and daughter, Alex.



NCAA INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONS

(Since 1993)

- 1. Iowa 31
- 2. Oklahoma State 28
- 3. Penn State 15
- 4. Iowa State 15
- 5. Minnesota 13
- 6. Cornell 11
- Ohio State 11
- 8. **ILLINOIS** 9

NCAA TOP-10 TEAM FINISHES

(Since 1993)

- 1. Iowa 22
- 2. Oklahoma State 21
- 3. Minnesota 19
- 4. Iowa State 15
- 5. Penn State 14
- 6. **ILLINOIS** 13
- 7. Cornell 12
- Oklahoma 12

HEFFERNAN FAST FACTS

It is impossible to ignore the success that Illinois has had during the 22 years that Jim Heffernan has been on staff. In 1993, the Fighting Illini had posted two winning seasons in 10 years. Since then, the Orange and Blue have posted 19 straight seasons with a .500 record or better, and 15 top-15 national finishes.

- ❖ In 2005, Illinois won the Big Ten Championship for the first time since 1952.
- ❖ Led Illinois to a No. 1 national ranking in 2004.
- ❖ Heffernan was named the National Wrestling Coaches Association Assistant Coach of the Year in 1995 and 2001, and was the AFLAC Assistant Coach of the Year in 2003.
- ❖ The 2005-06 season marked the third consecutive year that the Fighting Illini brought home the Midlands Tournament team title. The Illini join Iowa and Iowa State as the only teams to accomplish the three-peat.
- ❖ Heffernan has led Illinois to 15 top-15 finishes and 11 top-10 finishes at the NCAA Wrestling Championships in the last 18 years.
- ❖ Jesse Delgado became the eighth NCAA Champion during Heffernan's tenure at Illinois when he won the title in 2013. He joins Matt Lackey (2003), Adam Tirapelle (2001), John Lockhart (2001), Carl Perry (2000), Eric Siebert (1998), Ernest Benion, Jr. (1995) and Steve Marianetti (1995).
- ❖ In the last 18 years, Illinois has had 49 All-Americans, 37 of which have come over the last 12 seasons. The five All-Americans in 2005 and 2004 tied the school record set in 1948.
- ❖ During Heffernan's 22-year tenure, UI has had an impressive 145 NCAA qualifiers, including 10 in 1995, 2000 and 2006, and nine in 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, 2005 and 2009.

JIM HEFFERNAN AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS



NATIONAL CHAMPIONS (9)

JESSE DELGADO (2013-14)

Matt Lackey (2003)
John Lockhart (2001)
Adam Tirapelle (2001)
Carl Perry (2000)
Eric Siebert (1998)
Ernest Benion (1995)
Steve Marianetti (1995)

NCAA FINALISTS (19)

JESSE DELGADO (2013-14)

Mike Poeta (2008-09)
Kyle Ott (2004-05)
Matt Lackey (2002-03)
Alex Tirapelle (2003)
John Lockhart (2001)
Pat Quirk (2001)
Adam Tirapelle (2000-01)
Carl Perry (2000)
Eric Siebert (1998)
Lindsey Durlacher (1997)
Ernest Benion (1995-96)
Steve Marianetti (1995)

ALL-AMERICANS (49)

Conrad Polz (2013)
Jordan Blanton (2013)
B.J. Futrell (2011-12)
John Dergo (2010)
Jordan Blanton (2010-12)
Comrad Polz (2012)
JESSE DELGADO (2012-14)
Jimmy Kennedy (2008-09)
Mike Poeta (2007-09)
John Wise (2009)
Pete Friedl (2004-06)
Brian Glynn (2004-05)
Mark Jayne (2004-05)
Kyle Ott (2004-05)
Cassio Pero (2005)
Alex Tirapelle (2003-04)
Matt Lackey (2001-03)
John Lockhart (2000-02)
Griff Powell (2002)
Pat Quirk (2000-01)
Adam Tirapelle (1999-2001)
Carl Perry (1998, 2000)
Karl Roesler (1998-99)
Jevon Herman (1998)
Eric Siebert (1997-98)
Ernest Benion (1995-97)
Lindsey Durlacher (1996-97)
Steve Marianetti (1993-95)

BIG TEN CHAMPIONS (16)

JESSE DELGADO (2013-14)

Mario Gonzalez (2012)
John Dergo (2010)
Mike Poeta (2008-09)
Pete Friedl (2005)
Alex Tirapelle (2004-05)
Mark Jayne (2004)
Matt Lackey (2002-03)
Nate Patrick (2001)
Pat Quirk (2001)
Adam Tirapelle (2000)
Ernest Benion (1997)

BIG TEN PLACEWINNERS (164)

Clint Arlis (2010)
Mike Behnke (2005)
Ernest Benion (1995-97)
Ryan Berger (2002)
Jordan Blanton (2009-10, 12-13)
Seth Brady (1994-97)
ZAC BRUNSON (2014)
Patrick Bond (2007-10)
Tyrone Byrd (2002-03, 05-06)
Mike Castillo (2001)
Tony Dallago (2012-14)

JESSE DELGADO (2012-14)

John Dergo (2007-10)
John Deneen (2010)
Anton Dietzen (2004)
Steve Doerrer (1998-99)
Lindsey Durlacher (1994-97)

CALEB ERVIN (2013-14)

Ryan Escobar (2000-01)
Gabe Flores (2006-08)
Jay Ford (1993)
Pete Friedl (2003-06)
B.J. Futrell (2009, '11, '12)
Charles Gary (1993, '95)
Ken Gerdes (1993)
Brian Glynn (2002-05)
Mario Gonzalez (2012-14)
Ben Hay (2004)
Chad Hay (2002)
Jevon Herman (1995-98)
Mark Jayne (2003-05)
Tim Kanke (1996)
Jimmy Kennedy (2007-09)
Ben King (1998, 2000-01)
Matt Lackey (2001-03)
John Lockhart (2000-02)
Steve Marianetti (1993-95)
Michael Martin (2004)
Jeff Monson (1993)
JACKSON MORSE (2012, 14)
Kyle Ott (2004-06)
Cassio Pero (2005-07)

Nate Patrick (1999-2001)

Tony Pedrosa (2003)
Lance Pelton (1994)
Carl Perry (1997-2000)
Twan Pham (2002-03)
Mike Poeta (2006-09)
Conrad Polz (2010, 12, 13)
Jason Potter (2002)
Griff Powell (1999-2002)
Ryan Prater (2009)
Pat Quirk (1998-2001)
NIKKO REYES (2014)
Donny Reynolds (2005-06)
ZANE RICHARDS (2014)
STEVEN RODRIGUES (2014)
Karl Roesler (1996, 98-99)
Steve Rusk (1994-95)
Eric Siebert (1995-98)
Tony Siebert (1997)
Roger Smith-Bergsrud (2007-09)
Brian Stewart (1995)
David Stoltz (1999-2000)
Mike Stonitsch (1994)
Eric Terrazas (2012)
Daryl Thomas (2012-13)
Alex Tirapelle (2003-06)
Adam Tirapelle (1998-2001)
Troy Tirapelle (2006)
Jon Vaughn (1994-97)
Matt Weight (2006)
John Wise (2007-09)
Bill Zeman (1997-2000)

BIG TEN MEDAL OF HONOR WINNERS (4)

John Lockhart (2002)
Eric Siebert (1998)
Seth Brady (1996)
Steve Marianetti (1995)

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS (18)

Seth Brady (1996-97)
Mark Jayne (2004)
Matt Lackey (2001)
John Lockhart (2000-02)
Steve Marianetti (1995)
Kyle Ott (2004)
Karl Roesler (1999)
Adam Tirapelle (2001)
Alex Tirapelle (2003-06)
Jon Vaughn (1995-97)

ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN (99)

ADAM ACHESON (2012-14)
LOGAN ARLIS (2013-14)
Clint Arlis (2008-10)
Ryan Berger (2001-02)
Seth Brady (1994-96)
ZAC BRUNSON (2014)
Jason Butler (1999)
Tyrone Byrd (2003, 06)
Shane Cook (1999)
John Dergo (2008-10)
Anton Dietzen (2004-05)
Evan Ellsworth (2013)
CALEB ERVIN (2013)
Jason Esterl (1996)
B.J. Futrell (2010, 12, 13)
Dave Gleissner (2008)
Brett Hart (1995-96)
Brendan Heffernan (2001-02)
Mark Jayne (2002-05)
GUY KIRBY (2014)
Matt Lackey (2001-03)
Jon Lanning (2000)
Mike LeVanti (2002)
Chris Little (2003-05)
John Lockhart (1999-2002)
Kelly Madden (2001)
Anuj Maniar (1997)
Steve Marianetti (1993-95)
Matt McCarter (2012)
Jeff Monson (1993)
MATT NORA (2013-14)
Eric Novak (2002, 2004)
DOMINIC OLIVIERI (2013)
Kyle Ott (2003-06)
Joe Paun (2001-02)
Conrad Polz (2012-13)
Jason Potter (2001)
Paul Preissner (1995-97)
Jason Provinse (1994)
Zane Richards (2014)
STEVEN RODRIGUES (2013-14)
Karl Roesler (1997, 99)
Wesley Romine (1999)
Brad Sikora (1999)
Martin Smith (2009-10, 12)
Dan Stelter (2010)
Eric Terrazas (2010, 12)
Adam Tirapelle (2001)
Alex Tirapelle (2003-06)
Troy Tirapelle (2006, 2008-09)
Dominic Valvano (2001)
Jon Vaughn (1995-97)
Vince Vercelli (2010)
Matt Weight (2005-06)
Harold White (2009)
Ben Zulauf (2006)

MARK PERRY

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH // FOURTH SEASON

Mark Perry is in his fourth season on the Fighting Illini coaching staff after coming from Cal Poly, where he served as co-head coach in 2010-11 and as an assistant coach in 2009-10.

Perry won a pair of NCAA titles at Iowa, taking the crown at 165 pounds in 2007 and 2008. He was a four-time All-American from 2005-08 and won a Big Ten title in 2007. He helped lead the Hawkeyes to an NCAA team national title in 2008 and was a team captain from 2005-08.

A native of Stillwater, Okla., Perry was the 17th four-time All-American and 14th two-time national champion in NCAA history. He defeated Michigan's Eric Tannenbaum in the championship match in 2008 and took down two-time defending champion Johnny Hendricks of Oklahoma State in the 2007 finals. Perry also defeated Tannenbaum in the 2007 Big Ten championship match. Perry also won the Gorrarian Trophy after he pinned four opponents at the 2007 NCAA Championships.

He was named the NWCA Rookie of the Year in 2005 and the Iowa Athlete of the Year in 2007. Perry also was a four-time finalist at the Midlands Championships, winning two titles.

The former Hawkeye wrestler was an assistant coach at Penn State in 2008-09 before taking the position at Cal Poly in 2009. At Penn State, Perry helped a pair of wrestlers to freshman All-America honors and he has directed Mark Perry Wrestling Camps nationwide for the past four summers.

Perry earned his B.A. in art from Iowa in 2008. He was a two-time high school national champion at Blair Academy in New Jersey and a three-time Asics High School All-American while posting a 169-7 career record.

THE PERRY FILE

COACHING EXPERIENCE

- ❖ Illinois, associate head coach (2011-present)
- ❖ Cal Poly assistant coach (2009-11)
- ❖ Penn State assistant coach (2008-09)

HONORS

- ❖ Two-time NCAA Champion (2007, 2008)
- ❖ Four-time NCAA All-American (2005-08)
- ❖ Big Ten Champion (2007)



JEREMY HUNTER

ASSISTANT COACH // SIXTH SEASON

The 2000 NCAA Champion at 125 pounds, Jeremy Hunter begins his 14th season on the Illinois coaching staff and sixth as an assistant coach. Hunter wrestled post-collegiately for four years (2000-04), competing in two World Team Trials and the 2004 Olympic Trials, where he finished fourth at 55 kg.

Hunter has shown great versatility in his coaching, as he was a big factor in the success of NCAA Champion Jesse Delgado (125), often drilling with him in workouts. Hunter has also guided All-Americans Jimmy Kennedy (133), Mike Poeta (157) and John Wise (HWT).

A three-time All-American at Penn State University, Hunter ended his career ranked third all-time with 62 dual meet wins and 29 career pins. His 123 career victories are tied for fifth and his 14-5 NCAA Tournament record ranks ninth in the Nittany Lion record books. He placed fifth in 1998 and was the NCAA runner-up in 1999.

Hunter won a Big Ten title in 1999 and placed among the top three on four occasions during his Penn State career. He earned Big Ten Wrestler of the Year honors in 2000 after his second-straight 33-1 season and was the conference's Rookie of the Year in 1997. A four-year dual-meet starter, he led the Nittany Lions in scoring for three straight seasons and posted a string of 41-straight dual-meet wins.

Hunter recently married his wife, Leslie, and they have one son, Landan.



THE HUNTER FILE

COACHING EXPERIENCE

- ❖ Illinois, assistant coach (2009-present)
- ❖ Illinois, volunteer assistant coach (2001-08)

HONORS

- ❖ NCAA 125-pound Champion (2000)
- ❖ Three-time All-American (1998-2000)
- ❖ Big Ten champion & Wrestler of the Year (2000)
- ❖ Big Ten Rookie the Year (1997)

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

- ❖ Competed in two World Team Trials
- ❖ Finished fourth at 2004 Olympic Trials (55 KG)



WYNN MICHALAK

VOLUNTEER ASSISTANT COACH

THIRD SEASON

Three-time All-American and four-time Academic All-American Wynn Michalak enters his third season as volunteer assistant coach with the Fighting Illini. At Central Michigan University, he was a graduate assistant coach from 2008-2012 and has spent the last two years as a resident athlete at the Olympic Training

Center.

Post collegiately, Michalak was the 2010 Hargobind International champion and was runner-up at the 2011 Shaheed Bhagat Singh International Open and Sunkist Kids International Open. At Central Michigan, Michalak was a three-time All-American and was the fourth individual in Mid-American Conference history to win four conference titles, the first Chippewa to accomplish the feat. The standout wrestler was also a three-time MAC Wrestler of the Year and the 2005 MAC Freshman of the Year. Michalak also earned the 2007 CMU Dick Enberg Inaugural Scholar-Athlete of the Year award, which is given to a junior student-athlete who has a minimum of 3.20 GPA and who has performed with distinction their sport and considered a team leader.



JIM ZIELINSKI

STRENGTH & CONDITIONING

15TH SEASON

Veteran strength coach Jim Zielinski started at Illinois in the fall of 1999 as the head strength coach for the Division of Intercollegiate Athletics. Zielinski also is in his sixth season as the head strength coach for the Illinois wrestling team after spending six years working with the football program. In 2002, Zielinski was named a master strength coach, the highest accolade in his field.

Over the past 14 seasons, Zielinski has been the main force behind the strengthening of the Illinois wrestling team, something that is evident in every aspect of the program.

Zielinski, a native of Rockford, Ill., graduated from Northern Illinois in 1986, where he was a defensive tackle under legendary coach Bill Mallory, father of former Illinois co-defensive coordinator Curt Mallory. Zielinski helped lead his squad to a win in the California Bowl in 1983. He earned a bachelor of science in business management with an emphasis in exercise physiology.

A 26-year veteran of the business, Zielinski joined Illinois' staff after stints at Oregon State (1995-99), Northern Illinois (1988-95) and Nebraska (1988). He is certified as a strength and conditioning specialist by the National Strength and Conditioning Association.

Zielinski and his wife, Teresa, who also is an Illinois native, have five children, James Edward, Alexandra Marie, Zachary, Christopher and Patrick Joseph.



HOPE HOWELL

ACADEMIC COUNSELOR

SECOND SEASON

Howell joined the Academic services staff in 2013, and will begin her second year working with the wrestling, cheerleading, men's cross country, men's track and field, and men's tennis teams.

Howell has worked as a Student-Athlete Learning Mentor at the University of Georgia, as well as a Learning Specialist at Ohio University. In April of 2012, Howell founded Athena Leadership, LLC., a program dedicated to offering leadership training for female athletes.

A native of Lithonia, Ga, Howell played softball for the University of Illinois from 2007-2010, where she earned All-Big Ten honors each year.

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Administrative Assistant



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Athletic Communications



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2014-15 ILLINOIS ROSTER

NAME	WT.	HT.	YR.	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL/LAST SCHOOL	H.S. COACH
Adam Acheson	174	5-10	R-Sr.	Champaign, Ill./Central	Jeff Scott // Dan Warner
Logan Arlis	141	5-10	R-Sr.	Batavia, Ill./Batavia	Tom Arlis
Bill Barbour	165	5-9	Jr.	Orland Park, Ill./Carl Sandburg	Eric Seibert
Brooks Black	HWT	6-4	R-Fr.	Dover, Pa./Blair Academy	Jeff Burton
Zac Brunson	174	6-0	R-So.	Eugene, Ore./Churchill	Scott Kearney
Jered Cortez	125	5-6	Fr.	Carol Stream, Ill./Glenbard North	Mark Hahn
Jesse Delgado	125	5-5	Sr.	Gilroy, Calif./Gilroy	Greg Vavela
Colton Emmerich	197	6-2	Fr.	Highland Park, Ill./Deerfield	Marc Pechter
Brock Ervin	141	5-6	Fr.	Morganfield, Ky./Union County	Robert Ervin
Caleb Ervin	149	5-10	R-Jr.	Morganfield, Ky./Union County	Robert Ervin
John Fahy	149	5-9	R-So.	Pewee Valley, Ky./Trinity	Richard Brown
Brandon Gilligan	165	5-10	Fr.	Woodridge, Ill./Naperville North	Thomas Champion
Danny Hicks	174	5-10	R-Fr.	Gurnee, Ill./Warren Township	Jim Ouimette // Mike Poeta
Jeff Koepke	184	5-10	R-Jr.	Prospect Heights, Ill./Hersey	Jim Wormsley
Mike Kozyra	165	5-11	Fr.	Oak Park, Ill./Fenwick	Jerry Ruffino
Kyle Langenderfer	149	5-6	R-Fr.	Mokena, Ill./Lincoln-Way East	Tyrone Byrd
Andre Lee	197	5-11	Fr.	Oak Park, Ill./Oak Park River Forest	Mike Powell
Christopher Lopez	HWT	6-1	R-Jr.	Chicago, Ill./Carl Sandburg	Eric Seibert
Isaiah Martinez	157	5-7	R-Fr.	Lemoore, Calif./Lemoore	Marcio Botelho
Jackson Morse	165	5-10	R-Sr.	Alto, Mich./Lowell	Dave Dean
Matt Nora	165	6-0	R-Jr.	La Grange, Ill./Lyons Township	Griff Powell
Dominic Olivieri	125	5-7	R-Jr.	Orland Park, Ill./Marist	Brennden Heffernan
Emery Parker	165/174	5-10	Fr.	Gurnee, Ill./Warren Township	Jim Ouimette // Jake Jobst
Deuce Rachal	HWT	5-10	Fr.	Chicago, Ill./Lindblom Academy	Corey Morrison
Isaac Reinemann	141	5-8	Fr.	Lincolnwood, Ill./Niles West	Anthony Genovesi
Nikko Reyes	184	6-0	R-So.	Fresno, Calif./Clovis West	Ralph Garcia
Zane Richards	133	5-3	R-So.	Carbondale, Ill./Carbondale Community	Dennis Ragan
Steven Rodrigues	141	5-8	R-Jr.	Mount Kisco, N.Y./Fox Lane/Rutgers	Joe Amuso

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Adam Acheson	.....ATCH-uh-sun
Colton Emmerich	.....EM-mer-rick
John Fahy	.....Fah-HEE
Jeff Koepke	.....KEP-key
Mike Kozyra	.....Kuh-ZEER-uh
Dominic Olivieri	.....Ah-luh-very
Isaac Reinemann	.....RI-nuh-men
Deuce Rachal	.....Ruh-SHAHL (sounds like all)



ROSTER (BY WEIGHT)

125

Jered Cortez
Jesse Delgado
Dominic Olivieri

133

Zane Richards

141

Logan Arlis
Brock Ervin
Isaac Reinemann
Steven Rodrigues

149

Caleb Ervin
Kyle Langenderfer
John Fahy

157

Isaiah Martinez

165

Bill Barbour
Brandon Gilligan
Mike Kozyra
Jackson Morse
Matt Nora
Emery Parker

174

Adam Acheson
Zac Brunson
Danny Hicks

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Jeff Koepke
Nikko Reyes

197

Andre Lee
Colton Emmerich

HWT

Brooks Black
Christopher Lopez
Deuce Rachal

ROSTER (BY CLASS)

FRESHMEN

Jered Cortez
Colton Emmerich
Brock Ervin
Brandon Gilligan
Mike Kozyra
Andre Lee
Emery Parker
Deuce Rachel
Isaac Reinemann

REDSHIRT-FRESHMEN

Brooks Black
Danny Hicks
Kyle Langenderfer
Isaiah Martinez

REDSHIRT-SOPHOMORES

Zac Brunson
John Fahy
Nikko Reyes
Zane Richards

JUNIORS

Bill Barbour

REDSHIRT-JUNIORS

Caleb Ervin
Jeff Koepke
Christopher Lopez
Matt Nora
Dominic Olivieri
Steven Rodrigues

SENIORS

Jesse Delgado

REDSHIRT-SENIORS

Adam Acheson
Logan Arlis
Jackson Morse

125 // JESSE DELGADO

SENIOR // GILROY, CALIF. // GILROY HS

TWO-TIME NCAA & BIG TEN CHAMPION



2013-14: Became Illinois' first back-to-back national champion in 56 years after winning the 125-pound NCAA title for the second straight year ... Earned his third-career All-America honors ... Defeated top-seeded Nico Megaludis (PSU) to win his second straight Big Ten title ... Named Outstanding Wrestler at the Grapple at the Garden ... Placed third at the Midlands Championships ... Finished the season with a 30-2 record, the seventh-best single-season win percentage (.938) in school history ... Recorded a 6-1 Big Ten record ... Scored the most dual points on the team this season with 80 ... Was ranked No. 1 by W.I.N. Magazine for 10 consecutive weeks during the season.

2012-13: NCAA Champion at 125, defeating No. 4 Nico Megaludis 7-4 in the finals of the 2013 NCAA Championships ... Became Illinois' first ever national champion at 125 and first on top the podium since Matt Lackey in 2003 ... Also earned his second career All-America honor ... Finished season with a 27-3 record ... Defeated top-seeded Matt McDonough (Iowa) to win the Big Ten 125 title, becoming the first Illini to win an NCAA/Big Ten title in the same year since 2003 ... Was named Big Ten Wrestler of the Championships ... Owned a 6-1 Big Ten dual record and scored 35 dual points for the Illini, the second most on the team this season ... Finished a career-best second place at the Midlands Championship ... Placed runner-up at the Northern Iowa Open.

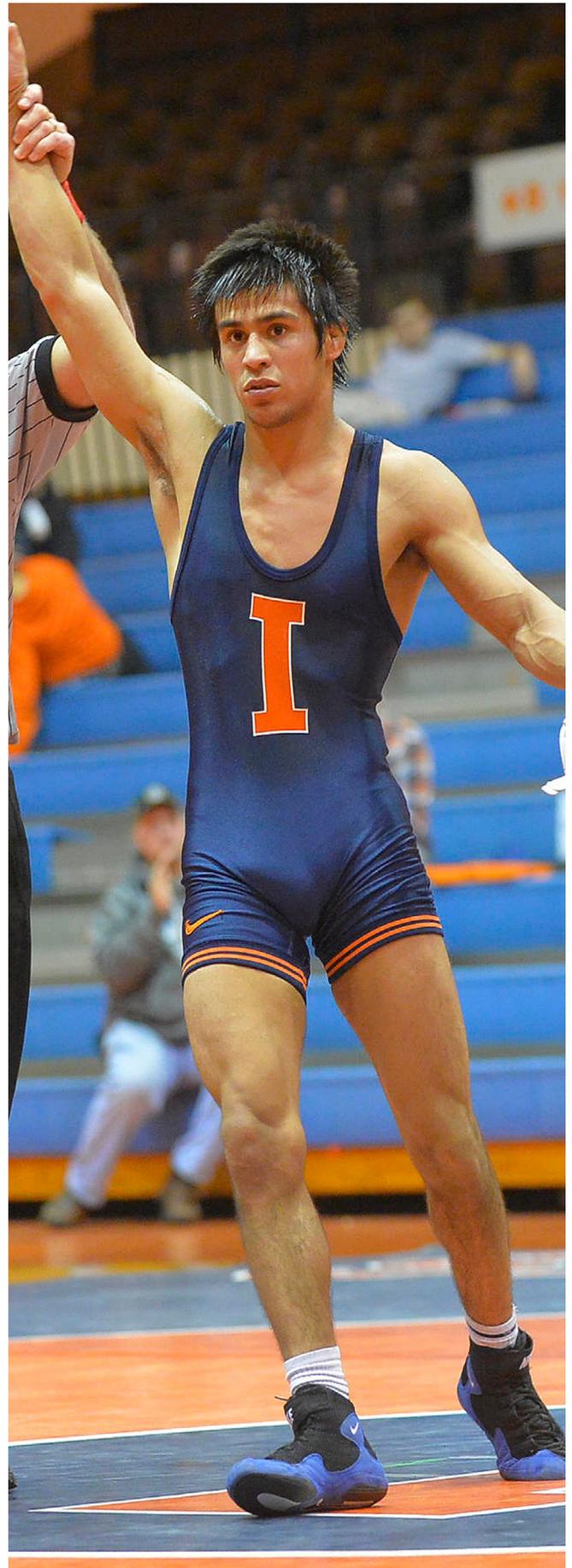
2011-12: Earned his first career All-America honor by placing seventh at the 2012 NCAA Championships ... Went 4-1 at the NCAA Championships, including a win over No. 3 Alan Waters (Missouri) ... Finished third at the Big Ten Championships to qualify automatically for the NCAA Championships ... Went 6-2 during the Big Ten dual season and was the only wrestler this season to defeat No. 1 Matt McDonough (Iowa) ... Placed third at Midlands ... Won the Loras Open.

HIGH SCHOOL: Placed first in the 2011 NWCA National Collegiate Open...Placed first in the FILA Junior Nationals Freestyle Championships in 2011...Placed third in the California State championships in 2007 and 2008...Won a California state title in 2009...Placed fourth in the California State Championships in 2010...Won the NHSCA Senior National title in 2010 and Sophomore title in 2008...Earned four varsity letters in wrestling.

PERSONAL: Born Aug 26, 1992...Parents are Jesus Delgado and Elizabeth Lopez...Has a younger brother, Joseph...Major is undecided...Plans to become a coach or teacher following graduation.

Delgado's Career Record

YEAR	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2011-12	34	7	6	3rd	7th
2012-13	27	3	5	1st	1st
2013-14	30	2	7	1st	1st
Total	91	13	18		



133 // ZANE RICHARDS

REDSHIRT-SOPHOMORE // CARBONDALE. ILL // CARBONDALE HS

2014 NCAA QUALIFIER



2013-14: Full-time starter at 133 pounds ... Qualified for the NCAA Championships after placing fifth at the Big Ten Championships ... Went 2-2 at nationals ... Recorded Illinois' only win at Penn State, a decision over #19 Jimmy Guilbon ... Won the William Penn Open ... Placed first at the Loras Open ... Compiled a 27-9 record, including 6-2 in the Big Ten ... Scored the third-most dual points on the team with 51 ... FILA Junior National Champion in the 60kg/132 lb weight class.

2012-13: Redshirt season ... Recorded a 19-5 overall record ... Won the Loras and Michigan State Open ... Finished runner-up at the Northern Iowa Open ... Placed fourth at the Lindenwood Open.

High School: Won two IHSA Class 2A state championships at 125 and 132 pounds ... Was the 2009 and 2010 Cadet Nationals champion at 125 and 130 pounds ... Crowned 2011 Junior National champion at 130 pounds ... Was a member of the FILA Cadet world team where he competed in the 2011 World Championships in Hungary ... Earned six varsity letters including four in wrestling and two in cross country.

Personal: Born on February 4, 1994 ... Parents are Jerry Richards and Kelley Bushur ... Majoring in general studies ... Has five siblings: Aaron, Hannah, Ryan, Katie, and Maddi ... National Honor Society member.

RICHARD'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2012-13	19	5	5	--	--
2013-14	27	9	0	5th	DNP
TOTAL	46	14	5		



141 // STEVEN RODRIGUES

REDSHIRT-JUNIOR // MOUNT KISCO, N.Y. // FOX LANE

2014 NCAA QUALIFIER



2013-14: Illinois' starter at 141 pounds ... Qualified for the NCAA Championships after placing sixth at the Big Ten Championships ... Recorded three upsets en route to a second-place finish at the Midlands Championships ... Compiled a 12-11 record, including 5-5 in dual meets ... Reached a season-high No. 9 ranking by W.I.N. Magazine ... Missed over a month of action due to injury.

2012-13: Full-time starter at 141 after injury to B.J. Futrell ... Went 30-14 overall ... Defeated Indiana's Alex Gregory by a 14-4 major decision in his Big Ten dual debut ... Dropped three conference matches by two points including Penn State's Bryan Pearsall, Iowa's Mark Ballweg and Northwestern's Pat Greco ... Won the Loras Open ... Finished third at the Lindenwood Open and fifth at the Harold Nichols Cyclone Open ... Academic All-Big Ten honoree.

HIGH SCHOOL: Won the 2011 New York DI State Championship at 130 pounds...Three-time All-State wrestler...Placed 5th at the Junior Nationals in Fargo...Participated in the New York versus New Jersey All-Star Meet.

PERSONAL: Born on November 15, 1992...Parents are Anthony and Darlene Rodrigues...Majoring in sports management...Has one brother, Scott, and one sister, Stacey...Hobbies include hunting and fishing.

RODRIGUES'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2012-13	30	14	1	---	---
2013-14	12	11	0	6th	DNP
TOTAL	42	25	1		



149 // CALEB ERVIN

REDSHIRT-JUNIOR // MORGANFIELD, KY. // UNION COUNTY

2013 NCAA QUALIFIER



2013-14: Illinois' starter at 149 pounds ... Placed eighth at the Big Ten Championships ... Won the William Penn Open ... Posted an 8-8 overall record ... Missed nearly two months of action due to injury.

2012-13: Full time starter at 149 pounds ... Received an at-large bid to the 2013 NCAA Championships ... Went 0-2 at NCAAs ... Placed eighth at the Big Ten Championships ... Defeated No. 7 Dylan Ness (Minnesota) during the regular season by a 11-3 major decision ... Placed third at the Northern Iowa Open ... Won the Harris Open ... Posted a 22-14 overall record ... Academic All-Big Ten honoree.

2011-12: Redshirt season ... Compiled a 11-5 record at open tournaments... Placed first at the Loras Open with a record of 5-0 ... Placed second in the UNI Open ... Went 2-2 at Midlands.

HIGH SCHOOL: Helped Union County to team state championships in 2008 and 2011...National Champion in 2009...Placed second in state as in 2008...State champion in 2009, 2010, 2011...Earned four varsity letters in wrestling...Was the most outstanding wrestler in the region and state.

PERSONAL: Born Aug. 27, 1992...Parents are Robert and Lavra Ervin...Has siblings Thea, Isaac, Elijah, Saul, and twin brothers Micah and Mithias...Father, Robert, wrestled at Southern Illinois University-Evansville...Hobbies include fishing, hunting and reciting poetry.

ERVIN'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2011-12	11	5	4	--	--
2012-13	22	14	3	8th	DNP
2013-14	8	8	1	8th	--
TOTAL	41	27	8		



165 // JACKSON MORSE

REDSHIRT-SENIOR // ALTO, MICH. // LOWELL HS

2011 & 2014 NCAA QUALIFIER



2013-14: Full-time starter at 165 pounds ... Qualified for the NCAA Championships after placing a career-high fifth at the Big Ten Championships ... Went 4-0 at the NWCA National Duals ... Won the Loras Open ... Compiled a 25-8 record, including 4-3 in Big Ten duals ... Finished second on the team in dual points scored with 64 ... Recorded the fastest pin of the season for the Illini (0:36) ... Reached a career-high No. 7 ranking by W.I.N. Magazine.

2012-13: Redshirt season ... Competed in three open tournaments at 165 pounds ... Finished second at the Loras Open, going 3-1 during the tournament ... Went 6-1 at the Lindenwood Open and finished third ... Finished 2-2 at the Midlands Championships.

2011-12: Finished seventh at the 2012 Big Ten Championships ... Went 3-5 in Big Ten duals including a pin over Brandon Zeerip (Michigan), major decision over Sawyer Morris (Indiana) and a decision over Shawn Perry (Wisconsin) ... Defeated two ranked opponents in then No. 18 Brain Tanen (Lehigh) and No. 16 Albert White (Oklahoma State) ... Went 2-2 at Midlands .. Finished the season 14-13.

2010-11: Qualified for 2011 NCAA Championships as an at-large selection after finishing seventh at the Big Ten Championships ... Went 0-2 at NAAs ... Joined starting lineup at 157 in West Virginia dual on Jan. 7 after compiling a 15-5 record wrestling unattached in open tournaments ... Placed fifth in the open division of the Michigan State Open ... Fell one win short of placing at Midlands ... Won the Loras Open ... Placed second at the Lindenwood Open ... Named to Amateur Wrestling News' All-Rookie team.

HIGH SCHOOL: No. 1 national recruit at 152 by InterMat and No. 2 national recruit at 160 pounds by Amateur Wrestling News ... Named a second-team AWN High School All-American in 2010 ... Won the Michigan Division 1 state title at 160 pounds in 2010 after taking home Division 2 state titles at 140 in 2008 and 152 in 2009 ... Finished second at 125 pounds in 2007 ... Won consecutive titles at the Super 32 Challenge, one of the top national high school tournaments, earning the 145-pound title in 2008 and the 152-pound championship in 2009 ... Led Lowell High School to the 2009 Michigan state championship.

PERSONAL: Born Jan. 9, 1992 ... Parents are Roger and Laura Morse ... Has twin brothers, Andrew and Gabe ... Majoring in community health.

MORSE'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2010-11	22	14	3	7th	DNP
2011-12	14	13	7	7th	---
2012-13	11	4	5	---	---
2013-14	25	8	4	5th	DNP
TOTAL	72	39	16		



174 // ZAC BRUNSON

REDSHIRT-SOPHOMORE // EUGENE, ORE. // CHURCHILL

2014 NCAA QUALIFIER



2013-14: Full-time starter at 157 pounds ... Qualified for the NCAA Championships and posted a 2-2 record ... Placed seventh at the Big Ten Championships ... Defeated #7 Dylan Alton (PSU) by a major decision at the conference championships ... Went 5-3 in Big Ten duals ... Placed seventh at the Midlands Championships ... Won the Loras Open ... Reached a season-high No. 13 ranking by W.I.N. Magazine ... Academic All-Big Ten.

2012-13: Redshirt season ... Went 23-4 overall ... Won the Loras and Michigan State Open ... Placed third at the Lindenwood and Northern Iowa Open ... Compiled a 4-2 record at the Midlands Championships.

High School: Was a four-time state champion at 135, 145, 160 and 170 pounds ... Champion of the 2011 Junior Nationals and NW Junior Regional ... 2010 NW Junior Regional champion and placed second at the 2009 Cadet Nationals at 140 pounds ... Earned four varsity letters in wrestling.

Personal: Born on April 6, 1993 ... Parents are Sean and Trisha Brunson ... Major is undecided ... Has three siblings: Jenna, Zoe, and Cael.

BRUNSON'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2012-13	23	4	3	---	---
2013-14	24	14	2	7th	DNP
TOTAL	47	18	5		



184 // NIKKO REYES

REDSHIRT-SOPHOMORE // FRESNO, CALIF. // CLOVIS WEST

2014 NCAA QUALIFIER



2013-14: Full-time starter at 184 pounds ... Qualified for the NCAA Championships after placing sixth at the Big Ten Championships ... Went 2-2 at nationals, including an upset over #9 Ryan Loder (UNI) ... Went 3-1 at the NWCA National Duals ... Won the Loras Open ... Compiled a 22-14 record, including 12-7 in dual meets ... Opened the season with 10 straight wins ... Reached a season-high No. 14 ranking by W.I.N. Magazine ... Placed fourth in the 84kg/185 lb weight class at the FILA Junior National Championships.

2012-13: Redshirt season.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time National High School Coaches Association champion, winning two consecutive titles in 2010 (160 pounds) and 2011 (171 pounds) ... Was the 2009 and 2010 Cadet Nationals champion at 125 and 130 pounds ... Crowned 2011 Junior Nationals champion at 130 pounds ... Was a member of the FILA Cadet world team where he competed in the 2011 World Championships in Hungary...Earned four varsity letters in wrestling.

PERSONAL: Born on February 8, 1994...Parents are Laz and Leticia Reyes ... Has one sister, Kaelah, and one brother, Ryan ... His hobbies include swimming and playing video games ... Major is undecided.

REYES' CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2013-14	22	14	5	6th	DNP
TOTAL	22	14	5		





ADAM ACHESON

174 // R-SR. // CHAMPAIGN, ILL. // CENTRAL

2013-14: Academic All-Big Ten.

2012-13: Competed in two open tournaments this season ... Placed fifth at the Harold Nichols Cyclone Open, going 5-2 overall ... Went 1-2 at the Loras Open ... Academic All-Big Ten honoree.

2011-12: Compiled a 5-3 record this season ... Placed fifth at the Loras Open ... Was part of the starting lineup against Lock Haven, dropped his bout 9-7 against Seth Creasy ... Named an Academic All-Big Ten selection.

2010-11: Redshirt season ... Went 5-8 on the year, wrestling unattached in open tournaments ... Went 3-2 at the Michigan State Open ... Went 1-2 at both the Lindenwood Open and Flash Open, and 0-2 at the Loras Open.

HIGH SCHOOL: Placed fourth at the 2010 IHSA Class 2A state championships at 160 pounds ... Led Central to a fourth-place finish at the 2010 IHSA Class 2A dual team state championships ... Earned six varsity letters: three in wrestling, two in football and one in lacrosse.

PERSONAL: Born Feb. 8, 1992 ... Parents are William and Eva Acheson ... Has an older brother, Alex, who played baseball from 2007-10 at the University of Evansville ... Majoring in kinesiology ... Plans to become a personal trainer following graduation.

ACHESON'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2010-11	5	8	0	---	---
2011-12	5	3	0	---	---
2012-13	6	4	0	---	---
TOTAL	16	15	0		



LOGAN ARLIS

141 // R-SR. // BATAVIA, ILL. // BATAVIA

2013-14: Competed at the UNI Open ... Compiled a 2-2 record at the Midlands Championships ... Academic All-Big Ten.

2012-13: Started at 133 in three matches ... Wrestled at 141 against Nebraska and Minnesota ... Compiled a 14-10 overall record ... Finished third at the Northern Iowa Open ... Placed fourth at the Harold Nichols Cyclone Open ... Finished runner-up at the Loras Open ...

Academic All-Big Ten honoree.

2011-12: Went 7-5 on the year, wrestling unattached in open tournaments ... Went 5-1 at the Loras Open, taking third ... Went 2-2 at the Lindenwood Open and 0-2 at the Midlands.

2010-11: Full-time starter at 125 ... Went 9-20 on the season ... Placed sixth at the Lindenwood Open, going 5-3 at the tournament ... Was third on the team with five pins.

HIGH SCHOOL: Placed second at the 2009 IHSA Class 3A state championships at 112 pounds and third at 119 pounds in 2010 ... Qualified for the IHSA Class 3A state championships in 2008 ... All-Western Sun Conference 2008-10 ... Winningest wrestler in the history of Batavia High School.

PERSONAL: Born March 3, 1992 ... Parents are Tom and Jamie Arlis ... Enrolled in the College of Business ... Has one brother, Clint — a former Illini wrestler — and one sister, Taylor, who also attends the University of Illinois ... His favorite athlete is Michael Jordan because “he always played his hardest, and played to win.” ... High honor roll four years at Batavia.

ARLIS'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2010-11	9	20	5	---	---
2011-12	7	5	0	---	---
2012-13	14	10	6	---	---
2013-14	2	5	0	---	---
TOTAL	32	40	11		



BROOKS BLACK

HWT // R-FR. // DOVER, PA. // BLAIR ACADEMY

2013-14: Redshirt season ... Placed fifth in the 120kg/264.5 lb weight class at the FILA Junior National Championships.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-time Beast of the East Champion at 285 pounds ... Three-time Ironman Champion ... Three-time National Prep Champion ... Two-time Powerade Champion ... Cheesehead Champion ... Two-time Asics All-American ...

Eighth wrestler in Beast of the East history to win three titles; first wrestler to ever win all three titles in the heavyweight class... Second wrestler in American wrestling history to win a combined six titles between the Beast of the East and Ironman tournaments.

PERSONAL: Born on March 5, 1994 ... Parents are Gerry and Pam Black ... Has a brother, Brody, and a sister, Brynn ... Hobbies include fishing, hunting, eating, being with family, and being with the team.



JOHN FAHY

149 // R-SO. // PEWEE VALLEY, KY. // TRINITY

2013-14: Filled in for injured starters at 141 and 149 pounds ... Recorded upsets over #18 Bryce Busler (Bloomsburg) and #19 Michael DePalma (Kent State) at the NWCA National Duals ... Won the Loras Open at 141 pounds ... Posted a 12-11 overall record ... Placed eighth in the 66kg/145.5 lb weight class at the FILA Junior National Championships.

2012-13: Redshirt season ... Finished season 14-2 ... Finished second at the Harris Open and third at the Harold Nichols Cyclone Open.

HIGH SCHOOL: Part of two team state championships in 2009 and 2010 ... Won four individual state championships at 103, 112, 125, and 138 pounds ... Was a two-time Super 32 place winner and a two-time Beast of the East winner ... Four-time varsity letter winner.

PERSONAL: Born February 18, 1994 ... Parents are Brendan and Diane Fahy ... Has four siblings: Julia, Elizabeth, Mary, and Matthew ... Majoring in business ... Hobbies include golf, frisbee, hunting and fishing.

FAHY'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2012-13	14	2	3	---	---
2013-14	12	11	2	--	--
TOTAL	26	13	5		



DANNY HICKS

174 // R-FR. // GURNEE, ILL. // WARREN TOWNSHIP

2013-14: Redshirt season ... Compiled a 4-3 record in open tournaments ... Won the University of Dubuque Open at 184 pounds.

HIGH SCHOOL: 2013 Freestyle State Champion ... 2013 Sectional, Regional, and Conference Champion at 170 pounds ... 2012 Sectional and Regional Champion.

PERSONAL: Born July 12, 1995 ... Parents are Danny and Tillanie Hicks ... Hobbies include spending time with friends and family ... Majoring in Business.

HICKS' CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2013-14	4	3	2	--	--
TOTAL	4	3	2		



JEFF KOEPKE

184 // R-JR. // PROSPECTS HEIGHTS, ILL. // HERSEY

2013-14: Filled in for injured starter Mario Gonzalez at 197 pounds ... Placed second at the Loras Open ... Compiled an 8-13 overall record.

2012-13: Went 12-8 during the season ... Competed in the Binghamton and Chattanooga dual ... Finished second at the Harold Nichols Cyclone Open ... Placed fourth at the Northern Iowa Open.

2011-12: Redshirt season ... Compiled a 6-2 record ... Placed first at the Loras Open ... Went 2-2 at the UNI Open ... Competed in eight matches.

HIGH SCHOOL: 2010-2011 conference champion...2009,2010,2011 regional and sectional champion...2010,2011 state qualifier...Placed 6th in state in 2010 and 5th in 2011 all at 160 pounds...Earned four varsity letters in wrestling.

PERSONAL: Born Jul 16, 1993...Parents are Jeff and Susan Koepke...Has a brother, Tim, and sister, Hayley...Major is undecided.

KOEPKE'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2011-12	6	2	2	---	---
2012-13	12	8	2	---	---
2013-14	8	13	0	---	---
Total	26	23	4		



KYLE LANGENDERFER

149 // R-FR. // MOKENA, ILL. // LINCOLN-WAY EAST

2013-14: Redshirt season ... Won the Loras Open at 157 pounds ... Placed fourth in the 70kg/154 lb weight class at the FILA Junior National Championships.

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time IHSA State Champion (138 pounds in 2012 and 152 pounds in 2013) ... State runner-up at 138 pounds in 2011 ... Four-time All-State ... Three-time sectional champion ... Three-time regional champion ...

Three-time conference champion ... NWCA State Scholastic Award winner ... USA Dream Team member ... Three-time All-Conference in football ... All-State in football in 2012 ... Led football team to runner-up finish at 2012 IHSA State Championships.

PERSONAL: Born May 14, 1994 ... Parents are Rick and Kelly Langenderfer ... Has a brother, Colin, and a sister, Shannon ... Hobbies include hanging with friends and family and fishing.

LANGENDERFER'S CAREER RECORD

YEAR	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2013-14	4	0	2	--	--
Total	4	0	2		



CHRIS LOPEZ

HWT // R-JR. // CHICAGO, ILL. // CARL SANDBURG

2013-14: Full-time starter at heavyweight ... Went 3-1 at the NWCA National Duals, including an upset over #15 Amarveer Dhesi (Oregon State) ... Placed eighth at the Midlands Championships ... Won the Loras Open ... Compiled a 13-18 overall record.

2012-13: Full-time starter at HWT after injury to Pat Walker ... Ended year with an 11-16 overall record ... Placed fifth at the Lindenwood and Northern Iowa Open.

2011-12: Redshirt season ... Compiled a 5-3 record ... Placed second at the Loras Open ... Competed in the UNI Open.

HIGH SCHOOL: Placed second at the 2011 IHSA Class 3A state championships...Placed third at the 2010 IHSA Class 3A state championships...Placed second at the 2010 Junior Nationals... Placed second at the 2011 FloNationals...Was a two-time All-State wrestler...Member of All-Conference football team...Earned five varsity letters: three in wrestling and two in football... Senior record in wrestling was 55-2.

PERSONAL: Born Aug. 21, 1993...Father is Jesse Lopez...Twin brother, Brandon, also wrestles for the Illini...Father, Jesse, wrestled for Eastern Illinois University...Was coached by Eric Siebert and Mike Polze...Majoring in Business Administration...Plans to start his own business following graduation.

LOPEZ'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2011-12	5	3	1	---	---
2012-13	11	16	1	---	---
2013-14	13	18	2	--	--
TOTAL	29	37	4		



ISAIAH MARTINEZ

157/165 // FR. // LEMOORE, CALIF. // LEMOORE

2013-14: Redshirt season ... Compiled a 7-0 record in open tournaments, including a first place finish at the William Penn Open ... Placed fourth at the Midlands Championships ... Finished the season with a 13-2 record ... Placed second in the 74kg/163 lb weight class at the FILA Junior National Championships.

HIGH SCHOOL: Three-time CIF State Champion (140 pounds in 2011, 152 pounds in 2012, and 160 pounds in 2013) ... Placed third at 125 pounds at 2010 CIF State Championships ... 205-7 high school record ... 2012 USA Wrestling Junior National Freestyle Champion and Greco-Roman All-American ... 2010 USAW Cadet Greco-Roman National Champion and Freestyle All-American.

PERSONAL: Born Sept. 2, 1994 ... Parents are Alfred Garcia and Yvonne Martinez ... Has two brothers, Isaac and Steven, and one sister, Alyssa ... Hobbies include being outdoors, swimming, and reading ... Majoring in health care administration.

MARTINEZ'S CAREER RECORD

YEAR	W	L	F	BIG TEN	NCAA
2013-14	13	2	2	--	--
TOTAL	13	2	2		



MATT NORA

165 // R-JR. // NAPERVILLE, ILL. // LYONS TOWNSHIP

2013-14: Filled in at 165 pounds in Illinois' dual against Wisconsin, winning a 4-1 decision over Ben Cox ... Compiled a 2-2 tournament record.

2012-13: Full-time starter at 157 ... Notched an overall record of 12-14 ... Pinned NCAA qualifier Tommy Churchard of Purdue in his Big Ten dual debut ... Finished runner-up at the Northern Iowa Open ... Academic All-Big Ten honoree.

2011-12: Redshirt season ... Compiled a 2-1 record ... Competed in the Loras Open.

HIGH SCHOOL: Placed third in 2011 IHSA state tournament Class 3A...Four time member of the WSSC All-Conference team 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011...Placed seventh at Preseason Nationals... Named team captain and team MVP...Holds the record for most single-season takedowns in Lyons Township history with 223...Member of National Championship Cadet Freestyle Dual Team Conference Champions in 2011...Earned four varsity letters for wrestling.

PERSONAL: Born May 13, 1993...Parents are Matthew and Joanne Nora...Siblings are Mary Grace, Mimi and Paul...Father, Matthew, played water polo at Loyola University...Majoring in Business.

NORA'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2011-12	2	1	0	---	---
2012-13	12	14	3	---	---
2013-14	3	2	1	---	---
TOTAL	17	12	4		



DOMINIC OLIVIERI

125 // R-JR. // ORLAND PARK, ILL. // MARIST

2013-14: Filled in for injured starter Steven Rodrigues at 141 pounds in Illinois' duals against Ohio State and Michigan ... Won the Loras Open ... Compiled a 6-4 overall record.

2012-13: Went 9-8 during the season ... Wrestled at 125 in duals against Chattanooga and Purdue ... Won the Loras Open ... Academic All-Big Ten honoree.

2011-12: Redshirt season ... Compiled a 5-3 record ... Placed second at the Loras Open ... Competed in the UNI Open.

HIGH SCHOOL: Placed fifth at the 2011 IHSA Class 3A State finals ... Three-time IHSA Class 3A state qualifier ... All-State IHSA Class 3A at 119 pounds in 2011 ... Three-time All-Conference at 112 and 119 pounds from 2009-2011 ... Earned four varsity letters in wrestling.

PERSONAL: Born June 30, 1993...Parents are John and Elena Olivieri...Has siblings Johnny, Alyssa, Lexi, Anthony, and Nichalos...Majoring in community health...Plans on becoming a Physical Therapist following graduation.

OLIVIERI'S CAREER RECORD

Year	W	L	F	Big Ten	NCAA
2011-12	5	3	2	---	---
2012-13	9	8	1	---	---
2013-14	6	4	0	---	---
TOTAL	20	15	3		

NEWCOMERS



BILL BARBOUR

165 // JR. // ORLAND PARK, ILL. // CARL SANDBURG

HIGH SCHOOL: Member of Carl Sandburg's 2012 state championship team.

PERSONAL: Son of Joe and Sue Barbour...Born March 10, 1994...Has one brother and one sister...High school coach was Eric Seibert...Majoring in chemical and biomolecular engineering.



JERED CORTEZ

125 // FR. // CAROL STREAM, ILL. // GLENBARD NORTH

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-time IHSA State Champion (2011-'14) ... Cadet Freestyle National Champion ... Junior Freestyle National Champion ... Four-time Fargo All-American ... Two-time Fila Cadet Freestyle All-American ... ASICS First Team All-American 2013 ... Earned varsity letters in wrestling all four years (2011-'14).

PERSONAL: Born August 4th, 1994 ... Son of Robert and Nicole Cortez ... Majoring in Business Marketing ... Favorite athlete is Floyd Mayweather because of his expertise and success and also for the confidence Mayweather enters every fight with ... Biggest thrill in sports is rooted in the pride Jered's family has in seeing him succeed ... Plans to coach a Division I wrestling team after graduating.



COLTON EMMERICH

197 // FR. // HIGHLAND PARK, ILL. // DEERFIELD

HIGH SCHOOL: Won the 182 pound state championship, posting a record of 47-1...Central Suburban League "Athlete of the Year"...Twice earned all-conference and all-state in wrestling...Three-time letterman in wrestling and two-time letterwinner in football...CSL "Lineman of the Year" in football...All-area and all-conference football player.

PERSONAL: Son of Dan and Daniela Emmerich...Father played football at UW-La Crosse...Has one brother and one sister...Wrestling coach was Marc Pechter...Hobbies include napping and lifting weights...Favorite athlete is Mike Tyson...Would like to travel the world after graduation...Majoring in Kinesiology.



BROCK ERVIN

141 // FR. // MORGANFIELD, KY. // UNION COUNTY

HIGH SCHOOL: Five-time state champion...Most outstanding wrestler as a senior...Undeclared against opponents from the state of Kentucky...Junior nationals champ...Part of two Kentucky state championship teams...Four-year letterwinner in wrestling.

PERSONAL: Son of Tim and Vicki Ervin...Born February 3, 1995...Has two brothers and two sisters...High school coach

was Robert Ervin.



BRANDON GILLIGAN

165 // FR. // WOODRIDGE, ILL. // NAPERVILLE NORTH

HIGH SCHOOL: Four-year letterwinner in wrestling...Naperville North Wrestling MVP...Naperville North Wrestling Team Captain... Athletic All-Conference (2011-'14)...Dupage Valley Conference Champion...Two-time Illinois National team Member...2011 USAW Cadet Freestyle National Qualifier...2012 USAW Junior Freestyle National Qualifier.

PERSONAL: Born August 31, 1995...Son of John and Sarita Gilligan...Has four siblings -- one brother and three sisters...Majoring in Political Science...Hobbies include working out as well as spending time with friends and family...Favorite celebrity is Arnold Schwarzenegger because he is an accomplished actor, politician, bodybuilder, businessman and philanthropist...Member of the University of Illinois Pre-Law Club and plans to enroll in Law School after completing his undergraduate requirements.



MIKE KOZYRA

165 // FR. // OAK PARK, ILL. // ???

High School: Finished fourth at the 2013 state meet to earn all-state honors ... Three-time all-conference ... Four-year varsity captain ... All-conference in football and rugby ... Four-year letterwinner in wrestling and football ... Also lettered in baseball and rugby one year.

PERSONAL: Son of David and Maria Kozyra ... Born January 1, 1996 ... Has two sisters ... Hobbies include water skiing, fishing and hanging out with friends and family ... Favorite athlete is Johnny Manziel ... Major is undecided.



ANDRE LEE

197 // FR. // OAK PARK, ILL. // OAK PARK RIVER FOREST

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time freestyle and greco state champion...Two time all-state and all-conference in wrestling and football...Member of the 2013 and 2014 state championship teams.

PERSONAL: Son of William and Adalene Lee...Born May 11, 1996...Has one brother...High school coach was Mike Powell...Majoring in biology.



EMERY PARKER

165/174 // FR. // WADSWORTH, ILL. // WARREN TOWNSHIP

HIGH SCHOOL: 2014 IHSA runner-up... 2014 Conference, Regional and Sectional Champion... Placed fourth at Senior Nationals in 2014... Earned varsity letters in wrestling (2012-'14).

PERSONAL: Born July 8, 1996... Son of Danny and Christine Parker... Cousin Eric Parker plays in the NFL for the San Diego Chargers... Favorite hobby is playing his guitar... Cites former Illini Mike Poeta as the most influential person in his athletic career because Poeta spent a lot of time helping Parker get to the next level.

NEWCOMERS



DEUCE RACHAL

HWT // FR. // CHICAGO, ILL. // LINDBLOM ACADEMY

HIGH SCHOOL: Twice placed third at heavyweight in the IHSA championships...Two-time IHSA qualifier at 220 pounds.

PERSONAL: Son of Stephen and Danielle Rachal...Born and September 24, 1995...Has four brothers and one sister...High school coach was Corey Morrison...Has worked as a karate instructor...A member of the chess club...Is a national and

world champion in Brazilian jiu jitsu...hopes to become a doctor...Majoring in molecular biology.



ISAAC REINEMANN

141 // FR. // LINCOLNWOOD, ILL. // NILES WEST

HIGH SCHOOL: Two-time CSL South Conference Champion...2014 Regional Champion...Niles West Wrestling Team Captain...2014 3A Wrestling State Qualifier...Earned nine total varsity letters in: Wrestling (4), Track (3) and Football (2)...Led high school football team in tackles.

PERSONAL: Born July 5, 1996...Son of Peter and Judy Reinemann...Has one brother and one sister...Favorite

athlete is Brett Favre because Favre simply played for the love of the game...Growing up, Isaac's Fighting Illini hero was Rashard Mendenhall because Mendenhall attended the same high school as Reinemann.



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2013-14 IN REVIEW

DELGADO WINS BACK-TO-BACK NCAA TITLES

University of Illinois junior Jesse Delgado won his second straight 125-pound NCAA title with a 3-2 decision over No. 2 seed Nahshon Garrett of Cornell. With the win, Delgado becomes the first Illinois wrestler to win back-to-back national titles in 56 years. Last season, Delgado became the program's first-ever national champion at 125 pounds. The Illini finished 13th with 41 points.

DELGADO WINS SECOND STRAIGHT BIG TEN TITLE

Second-seed Jesse Delgado won his second straight conference title with a double-overtime victory over Penn State's top-seeded Nico Megaludis. After receiving a first-round bye, the junior went 3-0 at the event with a 9-2 decision over Purdue's Camden Eppert, a 4-3 decision over Iowa's Cory Clark and a 3-2 double-overtime decision over Megaludis.



Jesse Delgado defeated Nahshon Garrett of Cornell to win the 2014 NCAA Championship.

ILLINI PLACE SIXTH AT BIG TENS

Illinois placed sixth at the 2014 Big Ten Championships with 78.5 points, while nine Illini earned spots on the podium. Conference champion Jesse Delgado led the Orange & Blue with a first place finish, followed by fifth-place finishers Zane Richards, Jackson Morse and Tony Dallago. Steven Rodrigues and Nikko Reyes each placed sixth, while Zac Brunson finished seventh. Caleb Ervin and Mario Gonzalez each placed eighth.

Illinois Placewinners

1. Jesse Delgado (125)
5. Zane Richards (133), Jackson Morse (165), Tony Dallago (184)
6. Steven Rodrigues (141), Nikko Reyes (184)
7. Zac Brunson (157)
8. Caleb Ervin (149), Mario Gonzalez (197)

#15 ILLINI GO 2-2 AT NWCA NATIONAL DUALS

The Fighting Illini notched a top-eight finish at the 2014 NWCA National Duals after recording a 2-2 record over the two-day tournament. Illinois dropped its first-round matchup to Central Michigan 13-19, but defeated Bloomsburg 23-8 in the first consolation round to advance. On day two, the Illini edged out Kent State in a 24-13 victory, but lost a 17-18 nail-biter to Oregon State in the consolation semifinals. Jesse Delgado (125) and Jackson (Morse) went undefeated over the weekend, while Nikko Reyes (184) and Christopher Lopez (HWT) each recorded three victories.

#15 ILLINI DEFEAT #9 NORTHWESTERN, 24-12

The Illini ended the conference season on Sunday with a 24-12 win over #9 Northwestern. The #15 Illini notched their third conference win of the season and have now won back-to-back duals for the first time since December. The Illini got wins from Zac Brunson (157), Nikko Reyes (184), Jesse Delgado (125), Zane Richards (133) and Steven Rodrigues (141), while Tony Dallago (174) recorded his 38th career pin to become Illinois' all-time leader in the category.



Tony Dallago became the program's all-time leader in career pins during the 2013-14 season. He ended his career with 40 victories by fall.

#15 ILLINOIS TAKES DOWN PURDUE, 18-16

Illinois notched its second conference win of the season on Friday, defeating Purdue 18-16 at the Holloway Gymnasium. The Illini got wins from Zac Brunson (157), Tony Dallago (174) and Nikko Reyes (184), while Jesse Delgado (125) and Jackson Morse (165) each earned crucial bonus points in their victories.

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Jackson Morse had a career-high 25 wins last season. He needs 28 victories in 2014-15 to hit 100 career wins.

#10 ILLINI DEFEAT MICHIGAN STATE, 29-6

The Fighting Illini moved past Michigan State in a 29-6 victory on Jan. 26, giving Illinois its first conference win of the season. The Illini got wins from #15 Caleb Ervin (149), #15 Zac Brunson (157), #11 Jackson Morse (165), Nikko Reyes (184), #1 Jesse Delgado (125), #11 Zane Richards (133) and John Fahy (141), while #18 Tony Dallago (174) recorded his 37th career pin, tying him with B.J. Futrell as Illinois' all-time leader in the category.

#10 ILLINI FALL TO #1 PENN STATE

Illinois was defeated by #1 Penn State 31-3 in front of a sold-out crowd at Penn State's Rec Hall on Jan. 24. The Illini got a win from #11 Zane Richards (133), but dropped a couple of tight matches to fall to the three-time national champion Nittany Lions.

#10 ILLINOIS DROPS DUAL TO #16 MICHIGAN

The tenth-ranked Fighting Illini wrestling team came up short against #16 Michigan on Jan. 12. The Illini got wins from Tony Dallago (174), #1 Jesse Delgado (125), #11 Zane Richards (133) and #16 Zac Brunson (157), but it wasn't enough as the Illini fell to the Wolverines 13-19.

#10 ILLINI FALL SHORT AGAINST #8 OHIO STATE

The tenth-ranked Fighting Illini wrestling team fell to #8 Ohio State in the first home dual of the season on Jan. 17. The Illini got off to a strong start, winning five of the first seven bouts, but the Buckeyes rallied to win the final three matches and claim the 18-16 victory. The Illini got wins from #1 Jesse Delgado (125), #12 Zane Richards (133), #14 Zac Brunson (157) and #11 Jackson Morse (165), along with a big upset from Tony Dallago (174).

ILLINI FINISH FOURTH AT MIDLANDS

The Fighting Illini placed fourth at the 2013 Midlands Championships after totaling 83 points, just one less point than third-place Michigan. Five Illini placed in the top-eight, as Steven Rodrigues (141) finished second, Jesse Delgado (125) placed third, Mario Gonzalez (197) finished sixth, Zac Brunson (157) placed seventh, and Christopher Lopez (HWT) finished in eighth place.



Nikko Reyes qualified for the NCAA Championships in his first year as a starter.

#6 ILLINI WIN FALL TO #17 WISCONSIN

The sixth-ranked Fighting Illini wrestling team dropped their conference opener to #17 Wisconsin in a hard-fought, back-and-forth battle on Dec. 6. Each team won five individual bouts, but the Badgers scored more points to earn the 18-19 victory at the Camp Randall Memorial Sports Center. The Illini got wins from #15 Tony Dallago, #5 Mario Gonzalez, #1 Jesse Delgado, Steven Rodrigues, and Matt Nora.

#6 ILLINI WIN THREE OF FOUR IN NEW YORK

The Fighting Illini wrestling team competed in two events in New York on Nov. 30 and Dec. 1, with two duals on Saturday and two on Sunday. The Illini began the weekend with two victories at the Journeymen Duals in Troy, N.Y., defeating George Mason 44-0 and #28 North Carolina State 26-15. Jackson Morse highlighted the day, winning each bout by pin and defeating #19 Nijel Jones of North Carolina State.

The squad then traveled to New York, N.Y. to compete at the 'Grapple at the Garden' on Sunday, where they began the day with a 29-18 victory over #23 Bloomsburg. Caleb Ervin and Morse each came away with big wins in the matchup, as Ervin defeated #15 Bryce Busler and Morse defeated #6 Josh Veltre. In the final dual of the weekend, Illinois lost a nail-biter to #9 Cornell 15-18. Jesse Delgado highlighted the matchup, defeating #2 Nahshon Garrett, and was named Outstanding Wrestler of the event.



Zane Richards' 27 wins were the second-most on the team in 2013-14.

HEFFERNAN SIGNS THREE TO NLI

Jered Cortez of Carol Stream, Ill., Brock Ervin of Morganfield, Ky., and Michael Pixley of Blue Springs, Mo., will join the Illini wrestling program in the fall of 2014. All three wrestlers are ranked as five-star recruits according to The Open Mat, and are listed as top-50 recruits for the senior class of 2014.

#8 ILLINI VICTORIOUS AT CHICAGO QUAD

The Fighting Illini began their dual season by going 3-0 at the Chicago Quad meet in Chicago, Ill. Illinois defeated Arizona State 27-11, Ouachita Baptist 41-3 and SIU Edwardsville 38-3 to finish the day undefeated.

NINE ILLINI WIN TITLES AT LORAS OPEN

Nine Illini wrestlers won titles at the Loras Open on Nov. 9, with three others placing in the top-three in their respective weight classes. The Illini recorded 15 pins and 12 tech. falls in their first tournament of the season. Redshirt-sophomore Dominic Olivieri (125), redshirt-freshmen Zane Richards (133), John Fahy (141), Zac Brunson (157) and Nikko Reyes (184), redshirt-junior Jackson Morse (165), redshirt-senior Tony Dallago (174), and redshirt-sophomore Christopher Lopez (HWT) all took the title at their respective weight classes. Redshirt-sophomore Jeff Koepke placed second at 184 pounds, and redshirt-junior Jake Gingerich (157) and redshirt-sophomore Brandon Lopez (165) placed third.

ILLINI RETURN FIVE NCAA QUALIFIERS

Illinois returns five NCAA qualifiers, including NCAA Champion Jesse Delgado (125), two-time NCAA qualifier and 2012 Big Ten Champion Mario Gonzalez (197), three-time NCAA qualifier Tony Dallago (174), 2013 NCAA qualifier Caleb Ervin (149) and 2011 NCAA qualifier Jackson Morse (165).

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LORAS OPEN

NOV. 9, 2013 // DUBUQUE, IOWA

Illini Placemenwinners - Gold Bracket

1st: Dominic Olivieri (125), Zane Richards (133), John Fahy (141), Zac Brunson (157), Jackson Morse (165), Tony Dallago (174), Nikko Reyes (184), Christopher Lopez (HWT)

2nd: Jeff Koepeke (184)

3rd: Jake Gingerich (157), Brandon Lopez (HWT)

Illini Placemenwinners - Silver Bracket

1st: Kyle Langenderfer (157)

6th: Adeyemi Sosina (157)

CHICAGO QUAD

NOV. 16, 2013 // LOMBARD, ILLINOIS

#8 Illinois 27, Arizona State 11

#8 Illinois 41, Ouachita Baptist 3

#8 Illinois 38, SIU Edwardsville 3

JOURNEYMAN DUALS

NOV. 30, 2013 // TROY, N.Y.

#6 Illinois 44, George Mason 0

#6 Illinois 26, North Carolina State 15

GRAPPLE AT THE GARDEN

DEC. 1, 2013 // NEW YORK, N.Y.

#6 Illinois 29, #23 Bloomsburg 18

#9 Cornell, #8, #6 Illinois 15

MIDLANDS CHAMPIONSHIPS

DEC. 29-30, 2013 // EVANSTON, ILL.

Team Scores

1. Iowa	187.5
2. Edinboro	102.5
3. Michigan	84.0
4. ILLINOIS	83.0

Illini Placemenwinners

2nd: Steven Rodrigues (141)

3rd: Jesse Delgado (125)

6th: Mario Gonzalez (197)

7th: Zac Brunson (157)

8th: Christopher Lopez (HWT)

#8 OHIO STATE 18, #10 ILLINOIS 16

JAN. 12, 2014 // CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

125: #1 Jesse Delgado (ILL) dec. #13 Nick Roberts (OSU), 11-7	3-0
133: #12 Zane Richards (ILL) tech. fall Kyle Visconte (OSU), 24-9 (7:00)	7-0
141: #1 Logan Stieber (OSU) pinned Dominic Olivieri (ILL), 2:02	7-6
149: #20 Ian Paddock (OSU) dec. #14 Caleb Ervin (ILL), 10-4	7-9
157: #14 Zac Brunson (ILL) dec. Randy Languis (OSU), 4-2	10-9
165: #11 Jackson Morse (ILL) dec. Joe Grandominico (OSU), 5-2	13-9
174: Tony Dallago (ILL) dec. #16 Mark Martin (OSU), 7-6 TBI	16-9
184: #9 Kenny Courts (OSU) dec. #18 Nikko Reyes (ILL), 8-1	16-12
197: #6 Nick Heflin (OSU) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 2-1	16-15
HWT: Nick Tavanello (OSU) dec. Christopher Lopez (ILL), 3-1 SV1	16-18

#16 MICHIGAN 19, #10 ILLINOIS 13

JAN. 17, 2014 // CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

174: Tony Dallago (ILL) maj. dec. Collin Zeerip (MICH), 21-1	4-0
184: Domenic Abounader (MICH) dec. #18 Nikko Reyes (ILL), 3-1	4-3
197: Chris Heald (MICH) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 7-4	4-6
HWT: #3 Adam Coon (MICH) maj. dec. Christopher Lopez (ILL), 12-3	4-10
125: #1 Jesse Delgado (ILL) dec. Conor Youtsey (MICH), 2-1	7-9*
133: #11 Zane Richards (ILL) dec. Rossi Bruno (MICH), 7-1	10-9
141: Steve Dutton (MICH) maj. dec. Dominic Olivieri (ILL), 14-0	10-13
149: #12 Eric Grajales (MICH) dec. #15 Caleb Ervin (ILL), 8-4	10-16
157: #16 Zac Brunson (ILL) dec. #13 Brian Murphy (MICH), 2-0	13-16
165: #8 Dan Yates (MICH) dec. #11 Jackson Morse (ILL), 7-3	13-19

*Michigan was deducted one team point for unsportsmanlike conduct.

#1 PENN STATE 31, #10 ILLINOIS 3

JAN. 24, 2014 // COLLEGE PARK, PA.

125: #3 Nico Megaludis (PSU) dec. #1 Jesse Delgado (ILL), 5-4	0-3
133: #11 Zane Richards (ILL) dec. #19 Jimmy Guilbon (PSU), 3-1 SV1	3-3
141: #3 Zain Retherford (PSU) maj. dec. John Fahy (ILL), 15-3	7-3
149: Zack Bartz (PSU) dec. #15 Caleb Ervin (ILL), 4-2	10-3
157: #6 Dylan Alton (PSU) dec. #15 Zac Brunson (ILL), 5-2	13-3
165: #1 David Taylor (PSU) maj. dec. #11 Jackson Morse (ILL), 11-3	17-3
174: #3 Matt Brown (PSU) maj. dec. #18 Tony Dallago (ILL), 12-2	21-3
184: #1 Ed Ruth (PSU) maj. dec. Nikko Reyes (ILL), 14-3	25-3
197: #7 Morgan McIntosh (PSU) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 10-3	28-3
HWT: Jon Gingrich (PSU) dec. Christopher Lopez (ILL), 6-1	31-3

#10 ILLINOIS 29, MICHIGAN STATE 6

JAN. 26, 2014 // EAST LANSING, MICH.

149: #15 Caleb Ervin (ILL) dec. Nick Trimble (MSU), 8-6	3-0
157: #15 Zac Brunson (ILL) dec. Roger Wildmo (MSU), 11-7	6-0
165: #11 Jackson Morse (ILL) dec. Bobby Nash (MSU), 6-3	9-0
174: #18 Tony Dallago (ILL) pinned Nick Kaczanowski (MSU), 2:56	15-0
184: Nikko Reyes (ILL) dec. #18 John Rizqallah (MSU), 3-1	18-0
197: Nick McDiarmid (MSU) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 9-6	18-3
HWT: #8 Mick McClure (MSU) dec. Christopher Lopez (ILL), 6-1	18-6
125: #1 Jesse Delgado (ILL) tech. fall. Brenan Lyon (MSU), 23-6 (6:46)	23-6
133: #11 Zane Richards (ILL) dec. Garth Yenter (MSU), 7-2	26-6
141: John Fahy (ILL) dec. Brian Gibbs (MSU), 8-3	29-6

#7 NEBRASKA 22, #13 ILLINOIS 13

FEB. 7, 2014 // CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

149: #3 Jake Suelhofn (NEB) dec. #17 Caleb Ervin (ILL), 4-3	0-3
157: #1 James Green (NEB) dec. #15 Zac Brunson (ILL), 10-3	0-6
165: #10 Jackson Morse (ILL) maj. dec. Austin Wilson (NEB), 17-4	4-6
174: #4 Robert Kokesch (NEB) tech. fall #17 Tony Dallago (ILL), 18-2	4-11
184: #12 T.J. Dudley (NEB) maj. dec. Nikko Reyes (ILL), 10-1	4-15
197: #5 Mario Gonzalez (ILL) dec. Caleb Kolb (NEB), 3-2 TBI	7-15
HWT: Collin Jensen (NEB) dec. Christopher Lopez (ILL), 3-1	7-18
125: #3 Jesse Delgado (ILL) dec. #10 Tim Lambert (NEB), 3-1 TBI	10-18
133: #10 Zane Richards (ILL) dec. Shawn Nagel (NEB), 4-2	13-18
141: Colton McCrystal (NEB) maj. dec. John Fahy (ILL), 12-3	13-22

#15 ILLINOIS 18, PURDUE 16

FEB. 7, 2014 // WEST LAFAYETTE, IND.

125: #3 Jesse Delgado (ILL) tech fall Luke Schroder (PUR), 19-4	5-0
157: #17 Cashie Quiroga (PUR) maj. dec. #9 Zane Richards (ILL), 19-6	5-4
141: Danny Sabatello (PUR) dec. #9 Steven Rodrigues (ILL), 10-6	5-7
149: Brandon Nelsen (PUR) dec. John Fahy (ILL), 3-1	5-10
157: #15 Zac Brunson (ILL) dec. Alex Griffin (PUR), 6-2	8-10
165: #10 Jackson Morse (ILL) maj. dec. Chad Welch (PUR), 18-5	12-10
174: Tony Dallago (ILL) dec. Patrick Kissel (PUR), 13-7	15-10
184: Nikko Reyes (ILL) dec. Tanner Lynde (PUR), 9-5	18-10
197: #14 Braden Atwood (PUR) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 3-1	18-13
HWT: Alex White (PUR) dec. Christopher Lopez (ILL), 3-1 SV1	18-16

#15 ILLINOIS 24, #9 NORTHWESTERN 12

FEB. 9, 2014 // CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

149: #4 Jason Tsirtsis (NU) dec. John Fahy (ILL), 7-2	0-3
157: #15 Zac Brunson (ILL) dec. Ben Sullivan (NU), 11-4	3-3
165: #7 Pierce Harger (NU) dec. #10 Jackson Morse (ILL), 10-4	3-6
174: Tony Dallago (ILL) pinned David Helmer (NU), 2:22	9-6
184: Nikko Reyes (ILL) dec. Jacob Berkowitz (NU), 5-2	12-3
197: #15 Alex Polizzi (NU) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 7-6	12-9
HWT: #1 Mike McMullan (NU) dec. Christopher Lopez (ILL), 4-0	12-12
125: #3 Jesse Delgado (ILL) tech. fall Garrison White (NU), 21-5 (4:48)	17-12
133: #9 Zane Richards (ILL) maj. dec. Dominick Malone (NU), 14-5	21-12
141: #9 Steven Rodrigues (ILL) dec. Pat Greco (NU), 7-2	24-12

NWCA NATIONAL DUALS

FEB. 16-17, 2014 // COLUMBUS, OHIO

CENTRAL MICHIGAN 19, #15 ILLINOIS 13

125: #3 Jesse Delgado (ILL) dec. Corey Keener (CMU), 11-4	3-0
133: #12 Joe Roth (CMU) dec. #11 Zane Richards (ILL), 6-5	3-3
141: #8 Zach Horan (CMU) dec. #12 Steven Rodrigues (ILL), 7-5 SV1	3-6
149: Scott Mattingly (CMU) dec. Logan Arlis (ILL), 5-1	3-9
157: #19 Luke Smith (CMU) maj. dec. #15 Zac Brunson (ILL), 8-0	3-13
165: #10 Jackson Morse (ILL) maj. dec. Nick Becker (CMU), 14-3	7-13
174: #9 Mike Ottinger (CMU) dec. Tony Dallago (ILL), 12-7	7-16
184: Craig Kelliher (CMU) dec. Nikko Reyes (ILL), 4-3	7-19
197: Jeff Koepeke (ILL) dec. Jackson Lewis (CMU), 9-4	10-19
HWT: Christopher Lopez (ILL) dec. Adam Robinson (CMU), 3-1 SV1	13-19

#15 ILLINOIS 23, BLOOMSBURG 8

125: #3 Jesse Delgado (ILL) maj. dec. Sean Boylan (BLOOM), 20-6	4-0
133: #11 Zane Richards (ILL) dec. Nick Wilcox (BLOOM), 8-5	7-0
141: #12 Steven Rodrigues (ILL) maj. dec. Matthew Hicks (BLOOM), 17-7	11-0
149: John Fahy (ILL) dec. #18 Bryce Busler (BLOOM), 6-4	14-0
157: Kevin Hartnett (BLOOM) dec. Zac Brunson (ILL), 5-4	14-2*
165: #10 Jackson Morse (ILL) dec. #15 Josh Veltre (BLOOM), 7-4	17-2
174: Tony Dallago (ILL) dec. Mike Dessino (BLOOM), 7-3	20-2
184: Nikko Reyes (ILL) dec. Sam Shirey (BLOOM), 7-0	23-2
197: #7 Richard Perry (BLOOM) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 8-4	23-5
HWT: Justin Grant (BLOOM) dec. Christopher Lopez (ILL), 7-0	23-8

*Bloombsburg deducted one team point for unsportsmanlike conduct

#15 ILLINOIS 24, KENT STATE 13

125: #3 Jesse Delgado (ILL) pinned Edilberto Vinas (KSU), 6:22	6-0
133: #11 Zane Richards (ILL) dec. #19 Mack McGuire (KSU), 7-5	9-0
141: #11 Tyler Small (KSU) dec. #12 Steven Rodrigues (ILL), 7-2	9-3
149: John Fahy (ILL) maj. dec. #19 Michael DePalma (KSU), 9-0	13-3
157: #11 Ian Miller (KSU) maj. dec. #15 Zac Brunson (ILL), 15-5	13-7
165: #10 Jackson Morse (ILL) maj. dec. Thaddeus Keklak (KSU), 15-2	17-7
174: Caleb Marsh (KSU) dec. Tony Dallago (ILL), 9-6	17-10
184: Nikko Reyes (ILL) maj. dec. Cory Campbell (KSU), 9-0	21-10
197: Cole Baxter (KSU) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 5-4	21-13
HWT: Christopher Lopez (ILL) dec. Mimmo Lytle (KSU), 3-2 TBI	24-13

ORGEON STATE 18, #15 ILLINOIS 17

125: #3 Jesse Delgado (ILL) pinned Pat Rollins (OSU), 3:00	6-0
133: Joey Palmer (OSU) dec. #11 Zane Richards (ILL), 10-4	6-3
141: Joey Delgado (OSU) dec. Steven Rodrigues (ILL), 4-1	6-6
149: #9 Scott Sakaguchi (OSU) dec. John Fahy (ILL), 2-1	6-9
157: #10 Roger Pena (OSU) dec. #15 Zac Brunson (ILL), 6-1	6-12
165: #10 Jackson Morse (ILL) maj. dec. Toney Chay (OSU), 10-2	10-12
174: #20 Joe Latham (OSU) dec. Tony Dallago (ILL), 10-3	10-15
184: Nikko Reyes (ILL) maj. dec. Austin Morehead (OSU), 9-1	14-15
197: #9 Taylor Meeks (OSU) dec. Jeff Koepeke (ILL), 5-4	14-18
HWT: Christopher Lopez (ILL) dec. #15 Amarver Dhesi (OSU), 7-1	17-18

BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

MARCH 8-9, 2014 // MADISON, WIS.

Team Scores

1. Penn State	140.5
2. Iowa	134
3. Minnesota	114.5
4. Ohio State	86.5
5. Nebraska	79.0
6. ILLINOIS	78.5

Illini Placemenwinners

1st: Jesse Delgado (125)

5th: Zane Richards (133), Jackson Morse (165), Tony Dallago (174)

6th: Steven Rodrigues (141), Nikko Reyes (184)

7th: Zac Brunson (157)

8th: Caleb Ervin (149), Mario Gonzalez (197)

NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

MARCH 20-22, 2014 // OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.

Team Scores

1. Penn State	109.5
2. Minnesota	104
3. Oklahoma State	96.5
4. Iowa	78.5
5. Edinboro	62
6. Ohio State	57
7. Cornell	53
8. Virginia Tech.	49
9. Northwestern	46
10. Oklahoma	45
13. ILLINOIS	41

Illini Placemenwinners

1st: Jesse Delgado (125)

2013-14 FIGHTING ILLINI (11-8, 3-5 BIG TEN)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 3	@ Loras Open	NTS (9 champions, 12 placemenwinners)
Nov. 16	@ Chicago Quad Meet	
	vs. Arizona State	W, 27-11
	vs. Ouachita Baptist	W, 41-3
	vs. SIU Edwardsville	W, 38-3
Nov. 30	@ Journey Man Duals	
	vs. George Mason	W, 44-0
	vs. North Carolina State	W, 26-15
Dec. 1	@ Grapple at the Garden	
	vs. Bloomsburg	W, 29-18
	vs. Cornell	L, 15-18
	at Wisconsin	L, 18-19
Dec. 6	@ Midlands	4th of 47, 83 points
Dec. 29-30	JAN. 12	OHIO STATE
	JAN. 17	MICHIGAN
	Jan. 24	@ Penn State
	Jan. 26	@ Michigan State
FEB. 1	NEBRASKA	L, 13-22
Feb. 7	@ Purdue	W, 18-16
FEB. 9	NORTHWESTERN	W, 24-12
Feb. 16-17	@ NWCA National Duals	
	vs. Central Michigan	L, 13-19
	vs. Bloomsburg	W, 23-8
	vs. Kent State	W, 24-13
	vs. Oregon State	L, 17-18
Feb. 12	@ NWCA National Duals vs. Oklahoma State	L, 33-3
March 8-9	@ Big Ten Championships	6th of 12, 78.5 points
March 20-22	@ NCAA Championships	13th of 66 (Delgado wins 125 pound title)

2013-14 RESULTS

TEAM RESULTS											
WT	WRESTLER	OVERALL RECORD	DUAL RECORD	BIG TEN DUAL	DUAL PTS. SCORED	DEC. W-L	MD W-L	TF W-L	PINS W-L	OT W-L	FASTEST FALL
125	Delgado, Jesse	30-2	17-1	7-1	80	14-2	2-0	7-0	7-0	2-0	0:44
125	Olivieri, Dominic	6-4	1-2	0-2	3	6-1	0-1	--	0-2	1-0	--
133	Richards, Zane	27-9	14-5	6-2	51	13-6	7-1	7-0	0-2	2-1	---
141	Rodrigues, Steven	12-11	5-5	2-1	18	7-8	4-1	1-1	0-1	0-1	--
141	Fahy, John	12-11	5-9	1-5	17	3-9	7-2	--	2-0	--	1:07
141	Arlis, Logan	2-3	0-1	--	--	1-3	1-0	--	--	--	--
149	Ervin, Caleb	8-8	3-5	1-4	9	4-7	1-1	2-0	1-0	--	3:11
149	Kirby, Guy	0-3	0-3	--	--	0-2	--	0-1	--	--	--
149	Qian, Erik	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
157	Brunson, Zac	24-14	10-8	5-3	34	13-6	6-3	2-0	2-4	--	1:28
157	Gingerich, Jake	7-3	1-0	--	3	4-1	--	2-0	0-2	0-1	--
157	Sosina, Adeyemi	4-3	--	--	--	1-2	0-1	--	2-0	--	0:41
157	Langenderfer, Kyle*	4-0	--	--	--	1-0	--	1-0	2-0	--	0:46
157	Martinez, Isaiah*	13-2	--	--	--	5-2	4-0	2-0	2-0	1-0	1:34
165	Morse, Jackson	25-8	15-3	4-3	64	8-4	6-2	7-0	4-2	--	0:36
165	Acheson, Adam	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
165	Lopez, Brandon	5-1	--	--	--	--	2-1	--	2-0	--	1:53
165	Nora, Matt	3-2	1-0	1-0	3	2-2	--	--	1-0	--	2:31
174	Dallago, Tony	23-13	12-7	3-5	44	15-9	2-3	0-1	5-1	2-0	1:00
174	LaManna, Joe	3-4	--	--	--	1-1	0-3	--	2-0	--	2:07
174	Hicks, Danny*	4-3	--	--	--	1-1	1-1	--	2-1	--	2:50
184	Reyes, Nikko	22-14	12-7	6-2	51	10-6	3-3	2-1	8-3	1-0	0:40
184	Mahaney, Brendan	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
197	Gonzalez, Mario	14-3	5-0	2-0	17	10-3	2-0	--	1-0	3-0	3:30
197	Koepke, Jeff	8-13	4-10	0-6	17	4-13	--	2-0	--	--	--
HWT	Lopez, Christopher	13-18	6-13	0-8	21	10-15	0-2	--	2-1	5-3	2:30
HWT	Black, Brooks	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
TEAM		248-151	111-79	38-42	432	126-102	43-24	32-5	39-19	16-6	0:36

* Redshirting this season (team totals don't include redshirt numbers)

2014 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

2014 BIG TEN FINAL STANDINGS

1. Penn State	140.5
2. Iowa	135.0
3. Minnesota	118.5
4. Ohio State	86.5
5. Nebraska	79.0
6. ILLINOIS	78.5
7. Wisconsin	73.0
8. Michigan	71.5
9. Northwestern	58.0
10. Indiana	37.0
11. Purdue	34.5
12. Michigan State	21.5

Coch of the Year:

Cael Sanderson, Penn State

Freshman of the Year:

Jason Tsirtsis, Northwestern

Wrestler of the Year:

David Taylor, Penn State

Wrestler of the Championships:

David Taylor, Penn State

125 POUNDS

1. **JESSE DELGADO (ILLINOIS)**
2. Nico Megaludis (Penn State)
3. Ryan Taylor (Wisconsin)
4. Cory Clark (Iowa)
5. Tim Lambert (Nebraska)
6. Nick Roberts (Ohio State)
7. Conor Youtsey (Michigan)
8. Camden Eppert (Purdue)

133 POUNDS

1. Tony Ramos (Iowa)
2. Tyler Graff (Wisconsin)
3. Cashe Quiroga (Purdue)
4. David Thorn (Minnesota)
5. **ZANE RICHARDS (ILLINOIS)**
6. Johnni DiJulius (Ohio State)
7. Jimmy Gulibon (Penn State)
8. Dominick Malone (Northwestern)

141 POUNDS

1. Logan Stieber (Ohio State)
2. Zain Retherford (Penn State)
3. Chris Dardanes (Minnesota)
4. Stephen Dutton III (Michigan)
5. Josh Dziewa (Iowa)
6. **STEVEN RODRIGUES (ILLINOIS)**
7. Jesse Thielke (Wisconsin)
8. Danny Sabatello (Purdue)

149 POUNDS

1. Jason Tsirtsis (Northwestern)
2. Jake Suefloh (Nebraska)
3. Nick Dardanes (Minnesota)
4. Eric Grajales (Michigan)
5. James English (Penn State)
6. Ryan Lubeck (Wisconsin)
7. Ian Paddock (Ohio State)
8. **CALEB ERVIN (ILLINOIS)**

157 POUNDS

1. James Green (Nebraska)
2. Derek St. John (Iowa)
3. Isaac Jordan (Wisconsin)
4. Brian Murphy (Michigan)
5. Taylor Walsh (Indiana)
6. Dylan Ness (Minnesota)
7. **ZAC BRUNSON (ILLINOIS)**
8. Dylan Alton (Penn State)

165 POUNDS

1. David Taylor (Penn State)
2. Nick Moore (Iowa)
3. Danny Zilverberg (Minnesota)
4. Pierce Harger (Northwestern)
5. **JACKSON MORSE (ILLINOIS)**
6. Austin Wilson (Nebraska)
7. Dan Yates (Michigan)
8. Ryan LeBlanc (Indiana)

174 POUNDS

1. Robert Kokesh (Nebraska)
2. Mike Evans (Iowa)
3. Matt Brown (Penn State)
4. Logan Storley (Minnesota)
5. **TONY DALLAGO (ILLINOIS)**
6. Scott Liegel (Wisconsin)
7. Mark Martin (Ohio State)
8. Collin Zeerip (Michigan)

184 POUNDS

1. Ed Ruth (Penn State)
2. Ethen Lofthouse (Iowa)
3. Domenic Abounader (Michigan)
4. Kevin Steinhaus (Minnesota)
5. Kenny Courts (Ohio State)
6. **NIKKO REYES (ILLINOIS)**
7. John Rizqallah (Michigan State)
8. Luke Sheridan (Indiana)

197 POUNDS

1. Nick Heflin (Ohio State)
2. Morgan McIntosh (Penn State)
3. Scott Schiller (Minnesota)
4. Alex Polizzi (Northwestern)
5. Nathan Burak (Iowa)
6. Braden Atwood (Purdue)
7. Timmy McCall (Wisconsin)
8. **MARIO GONZALEZ (ILLINOIS)**

HEAVYWEIGHT

1. Tony Nelson (Minnesota)
2. Adam Chalfant (Indiana)
3. Bobby Telford (Iowa)
4. Mike McClure (Michigan State)
5. Mike McMullan (Northwestern)
6. Jon Gingrich (Penn State)
7. Connor Medberry (Wisconsin)
8. Nick Tavanello (Ohio State)

2014 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

2014 FINAL TEAM STANDINGS

1. Penn State	109.5
2. Minnesota	104.0
3. Oklahoma State	96.5
4. Iowa	78.5
5. Edinboro	62.0
6. Ohio State	57.0
7. Cornell	53.0
8. Virginia Tech	49.0
9. Northwestern	46.0
10. Oklahoma	45.0
13 Illinois	41.0

Coch of the Year: Tim Flynn, Edinboro

Outstanding Wrestler: David Taylor, Penn State

125 POUNDS

1. **JESSE DELGADO (ILLINOIS)**
2. Nahshon Garrett (Cornell)
3. Nicholas Megaludis (Penn State)
4. Joey Dance (Virginia Tech)
5. Cory Clark (Iowa)
6. Dylan Peters (Northern Iowa)
7. Darian Cruz (Lehigh)
8. Earl Hall (Iowa State)

133 POUNDS

1. Tony Ramos (Iowa)
2. Tyler Graff (Wisconsin)
3. Joe Colon (Northern Iowa)
4. A.J. Schoop (Edinboro)
5. David Thorn (Minnesota)
6. Mason Beckman (Lehigh)
7. Joe Roth (Central Michigan)
8. Cody Brewer (Oklahoma)

141 POUNDS

1. Hunter Stieber (Ohio State)
2. Devin Carter (Virginia Tech)
3. Mitchell Port (Edinboro)
4. Evan Henderson (North Carolina)
5. Zain Retherford (Penn State)
6. Joey Lazor (Northern Iowa)
7. Stephen Dutton III (Michigan)
8. Richard Durson (Franklin & Marshall)

149 POUNDS

1. Jason Tsirtsis (Northwestern)
2. Joshua Kindig (Oklahoma State)
3. Eric Grajales (Michigan)
4. David Habat (Edinboro)
5. Drake Houdashelt (Missouri)
6. Mitchell Minotti (Lehigh)
7. James English (Penn State)
8. Kendric Maple (Oklahoma)

157 POUNDS

1. Alex Deringer (Oklahoma State)
2. Dylan Ness (Minnesota)
3. James Green (Nebraska)
4. Ian Miller (Kansas State)
5. Derek St. John (Iowa)
6. Brian Realbuto (Cornell)
7. Isaac Jordan (Wisconsin)
8. Anthony Perrotti (Rutgers)

165 POUNDS

1. David Taylor (Penn State)
2. Tyler Caldwell (Oklahoma State)
3. Steven Monk (North Dakota State)
4. Nicholas Sulzer (Virginia)
5. Michael Moreno (Iowa State)
6. Turtogtokh Luvsandorj (Citadel)
7. Daniel Zilverberg (Minnesota)
8. Pierce Harger (Northwestern)

174 POUNDS

1. Chris Perry (Oklahoma State)
2. Andrew Howe (Oklahoma)
3. Logan Storley (Minnesota)
4. Robert Kokesh (Nebraska)
5. Matt Brown (Penn State)
6. Michael Evans (Iowa)
7. Tyler Wipps (Pittsburgh)
8. Bryce Hammond (CSU Bakersfield)

184 POUNDS

1. Ed Ruth (Penn State)
2. Jimmy Sheptock (Maryland)
3. Gabriel Dean (Cornell)
4. Jack Dechow (Old Dominion)
5. Kevin Steinhaus (Minnesota)
6. Lawrence Thomas (Pennsylvania)
7. Jacob Swartz (Boise State)
8. Ophir Bernstein (Brown)

197 POUNDS

1. J'Den Cox (Missouri)
2. Nick Heflin (Ohio State)
3. Scott Schiller (Minnesota)
4. Kyven Gadson (Iowa State)
5. Conner Hartmann (Duke)
6. Chris Penny (Virginia Tech)
7. Morgan McIntosh (Penn State)
8. Nathan Burak (Iowa)

HEAVYWEIGHT

1. Nick Gwiazdowski (North Carolina State)
2. Anthony Nelson (Minnesota)
3. Michael McMullan (Northwestern)
4. Bobby Telford (Iowa)
5. Mike McClure (Michigan State)
6. Adam Chalfant (Indiana)
7. Jeremy Johnson (Ohio)
8. Austin Marsden (Oklahoma State)



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COACHING RECORDS

YEAR	COACH	DUAL	BIG TEN	NCAA
1911	R.N. Fargo	0-1-0	---	---
1912	A. Elston	1-1-0	---	---
1913	A. Elston	1-0-0	First*	---
1914	T. Paulsen	1-0-0	Fourth	---
1915	Walter Evans	2-0-1	---	---
1916	Walter Evans	1-2-1	Third	---
1917	Walter Evans	4-0-0	First	---
1918	Did not compete in intercollegiate wrestling			
1919	Did not compete in intercollegiate wrestling			
1920	Paul Prehn	3-0-0	First	---
1921	Paul Prehn	2-1-0	Fifth	---
1922	Paul Prehn	6-0-0	First	---
1923	Paul Prehn	4-2-0	---	---
1924	Paul Prehn	5-0-0	First	---
1925	Paul Prehn	5-0-0	First	---
1926	Paul Prehn	4-2-0	First	---
1927	Paul Prehn	6-0-0	First	---
1928	Paul Prehn	7-0-0	First	---
1929	H.E. Kenney	6-1-0	Second	Fourth
1930	H.E. Kenney	7-0-0	First	Second
1931	H.E. Kenney	6-1-0	---	---
1932	H.E. Kenney	5-0-0	First	Eighth
1933	H.E. Kenney	5-3-1	---	---
1934	H.E. Kenney	7-2-1	Second	10th
1935	H.E. Kenney	5-1-0	First	Third
1936	H.E. Kenney	5-2-0	Third	---
1937	H.E. Kenney	6-2-0	First	Fifth
1938	H.E. Kenney	7-2-0	Third	Second
1939	H.E. Kenney	6-3-0	Second	Third
1940	H.E. Kenney	6-4-0	Fourth	11th
1941	H.E. Kenney	6-6-0	Fourth	13th
1942	H.E. Kenney	8-0-0	Second	Eighth
1943	H.E. Kenney	4-1-0	Fourth	***
1944	Glenn Law	4-3-0	Second	***
1945	Glenn Law	4-1-0	Third	***
1946	Glenn Law	4-4-0	First	Third
1947	H.E. Kenney	6-2-1	First	Sixth
1948	Glenn Law	4-4-0	Second	Third
1949	Glenn Law	6-1-2	Fifth	10th
1950	Glenn Law	8-2-0	Ninth	10th
1951	B.R. Patterson	5-4-1	Fourth	---
1952	B.R. Patterson	5-5-2	First	Sixth
1953	B.R. Patterson	7-5-2	Fourth	10th
1954	B.R. Patterson	6-5-0	Sixth	11th
1955	B.R. Patterson	13-2-0	Third	Ninth
1956	B.R. Patterson	6-6-1	Eighth	Eighth
1957	B.R. Patterson	6-3-1	Fourth	Sixth
1958	B.R. Patterson	8-3-1	Second	Sixth
1959	B.R. Patterson	4-7-1	Fifth	25th
1960	B.R. Patterson	3-11-0	Ninth	---
1961	B.R. Patterson	10-1-0	Fifth	21st
1962	B.R. Patterson	6-6-0	Eighth	30th
1963	B.R. Patterson	6-6-2	10th	40th
1964	B.R. Patterson	6-6-1	Seventh	46th
1965	B.R. Patterson	3-11-0	Fourth	22nd
1966	B.R. Patterson	2-11-0	10th	---
1967	B.R. Patterson	2-10-0	Ninth	55th
1968	B.R. Patterson	2-11-0	Eighth	---
1969	Jack Robinson	9-11-1	Seventh	---
1970	Jack Robinson	5-9-0	Eighth	40th
1971	Jack Robinson	2-13-0	Ninth	---
1972	Jack Robinson	3-9-0	10th	---
1973	Jack Robinson	8-8-0	10th	---
1974	Tom Porter	7-13-0	Seventh	---
1975	Tom Porter	11-9-1	10th	---
1976	Tom Porter	10-9-0	Ninth	49th



Mark Johnson



B.R. Patterson



H.E. Kenney



Paul Prehn

ALL-TIME COACHING RECORDS

Coach	Seasons	Years	Record	Pct.
Mark Johnson	1993-2009	17	203-44-3	.818
B.R. Patterson	1951-68	18	100-113-12	.471
H.E. Kenney	1929-43, 47	16	95-30-3	.760
JIM HEFFERNAN	2010-PRESENT	5	48-31-2	.605
Ron Clinton	1984-92	9	47-83-0	.362
Paul Prehn	1920-28	9	42-5-0	.894
Tom Porter	1974-78	5	39-50-1	.438
Greg Johnson	1979-83	5	37-52-2	.428
Glenn Law	1944-46, 48-50	6	30-15-2	.660
Jack Robinson	1969-73	5	27-50-1	.351
Walter Evans	1915-17	3	7-2-2	.727
A. Elston	1912-13	2	2-1-0	.663
T. Paulsen	1914	1	1-0-0	1.000
R.N. Fargo	1911	1	0-1-0	.000

YEAR	COACH	DUAL	BIG TEN	NCAA
1977	Tom Porter	3-11-0	Ninth	---
1978	Tom Porter	8-8-0	Eighth	37th
1979	Greg Johnson	12-10-0	Sixth	24th
1980	Greg Johnson	8-12-0	Eighth	---
1981	Greg Johnson	7-9-1	10th	66th
1982	Greg Johnson	9-8-0	Ninth	---
1983	Greg Johnson	1-13-1	Eighth	46th
1984	Ron Clinton	4-8-0	Ninth	---
1985	Ron Clinton	11-10-0	Sixth	52nd
1986	Ron Clinton	5-8-0	Eighth	38th
1987	Ron Clinton	13-7-0	Fourth	40th
1988	Ron Clinton	3-9-0	Seventh	33rd
1989	Ron Clinton	3-10-0	10th	28th
1990	Ron Clinton	3-9-0	10th	19th
1991	Ron Clinton	3-11-0	Ninth	19th
1992	Ron Clinton	2-11-0	Eighth	T-54th
1993	Mark Johnson	9-4-0	Eighth	T-23rd
1994	Mark Johnson	7-5-1	Ninth	T-37th
1995	Mark Johnson	13-2-0	Fourth	Ninth
1996	Mark Johnson	11-6-0	Fourth	12th
1997	Mark Johnson	14-1-0	Third	Ninth
1998	Mark Johnson	11-3-0	Sixth	Seventh
1999	Mark Johnson	13-2-0	Fourth	12th
2000	Mark Johnson	14-1-0	Third	Sixth
2001	Mark Johnson	12-2-0	Second	Fifth
2002	Mark Johnson	12-4-0	Fifth	10th
2003	Mark Johnson	11-3-0	Fifth	Ninth
2004	Mark Johnson	13-1-0	Third	Seventh
2005	Mark Johnson	16-1-1	First	Sixth
2006	Mark Johnson	10-2-1	Second	23rd
2007	Mark Johnson	11-1-0	Seventh	19th
2008	Mark Johnson	13-4-0	Fourth	14th
2009	Mark Johnson	13-2-0	Second	Eighth
2010	Jim Heffernan	8-8-0	Eighth	23rd
2011	Jim Heffernan	6-5-1	Sixth	22nd
2012	Jim Heffernan	16-4-0	Fourth	Seventh
2013	Jim Heffernan	7-6-1	Fifth	Ninth
2014	Jim Heffernan	11-8-0	Sixth	13th

100 years — 678-477-28 (.585)

Bold indicates Big Ten Championship seasons

* - Team championships were determined in the "Western Intercollegiate Wrestling, Gymnastics and Fencing Association," in an open meet, from 1912-1921. From 1922 -1933 team championships were based on dual meet records. In 1926, the conference sponsored its own meet, but only individual champions were named until 1934, when a point system was adopted to name a team champion in that meet. ** - The NCAA officially began recognizing team championships in 1928.

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

1910-11 (0-1)

Head Coach: R.N. Fargo
 April 8 @ Indiana L 1-2

1911-12 (1-1)

Head Coach: A. Elston
 March 1 @ Chicago L 1-2
 March 30 Indiana W 3-1

1912-13 (1-0)

Head Coach: A. Elston
 March 13 Indianapolis YMCA W 5-0
 April 12 Chicago W 4-0
 April 19 Big Ten Championships 1st

1913-14 (1-0)

Head Coach: T. Paulsen
 March 21 @ Chicago W 2-0
 Big Ten Championships 4th

1914-15 (2-0-1)

Head Coach: Walter Evans
 Feb. 20 Indiana W 3-1
 March 5 @ Wisconsin W 2-1
 March 26 Chicago T 1-1

1915-16 (1-2-1)

Head Coach: Walter Evans
 Feb. 26 @ Chicago T 10-10
 March 4 @ Indiana L 10-13
 March 11 @ Purdue L 10-18
 March 25 Wisconsin W 24-0
 April 8 Big Ten Championships 3rd

1916-17 (4-0)

Head Coach: Walter Evans
 Feb. 5 Indiana W 4-2
 Feb. 17 Purdue W 5-1
 Feb. 24 @ Wisconsin W 5-1
 March 10 Chicago W 5-1
 March 24 Big Ten Championships 1st

1917-18

NO WRESTLING

1918-19

NO WRESTLING

1919-20 (3-0)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 March 6 Iowa W 21-16
 March 12 @ Chicago W 27-10
 March 27 @ Purdue W 22-16
 April 9-10 Big Ten Championships 1st

1920-21 (2-1)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 Feb. 12 @ Iowa L 28-38
 Feb. 26 Chicago W 38-0
 March 4 Purdue W 28-20
 March 10-11 Big Ten Championships 5th

1921-22 (6-0)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 Jan. 7 @ Northwestern W 36-14
 Jan. 14 @ Ohio State W 30-22
 Jan. 20 @ Purdue W 30-14
 Feb. 10 @ Chicago W 34-8
 Feb. 17 Indiana W 24-18
 Feb. 11 Iowa W 34-8
 March 17-18 Big Ten Championships 1st

1922-23 (4-2)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 Jan. 5 @ Northwestern W 17-10
 Jan. 14 Ohio State L 13-14
 Jan. 19 Purdue W 19-9
 Feb. 10 Chicago W 17-8
 Feb. 16 @ Indiana L 9-16
 March 3 @ Iowa W 16-11
 March 16 Big Ten Championships N/A

1923-24 (5-0)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 Jan. 12 @ Purdue W 16-4
 Feb. 16 Michigan W 26-0
 Feb. 22 @ Chicago W 18-5
 March 1 @ Ohio State W 9-8
 March 8 Iowa W 11-9
 March 20 Big Ten Championships 1st

1924-25 (5-0)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 Jan. 17 Purdue W 19-4
 Jan. 17 Chicago W 27-2
 Feb. 23 @ Michigan W 25-7
 March 7 Ohio State W 14-6
 March 14 @ Iowa W 11-9

1925-26 (4-2)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 Jan. 23 Minnesota W 18-2
 Feb. 6 @ West Virginia L 6-19
 Feb. 20 Iowa W 9-8
 Feb. 24 @ Chicago W 14-6
 Feb. 27 Wisconsin L 11-13
 March 5 @ Ohio State W 8-6
 March 12-13 Big Ten Championships 1st

1926-27 (6-0)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 Jan. 22 @ Wisconsin W 17-8
 Feb. 5 @ West Virginia W 24-3
 Feb. 12 Chicago W 19.5-7.5
 Feb. 19 Minnesota W 17-6
 Feb. 26 @ Iowa W 12-9
 March 5 Michigan W 12-9
 March 12 Big Ten Championships 1st

1927-28 (7-0)

Head Coach: Paul Prehn
 Jan. 7 Missouri W 24-3
 Feb. 4 @ West Virginia W 25-0
 Feb. 11 @ Minnesota W 16.5-6.5
 Feb. 18 Wisconsin W 18.5-4.5
 Feb. 25 @ Chicago W 22-5
 March 3 Iowa W 24-3
 March 10 Michigan W 12-9
 March 23-24 Big Ten Championships 1st
 March 31 NCAA Championships No Points
 Awarded

1928-29 (6-1)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Jan. 12 @ Missouri W 19-9
 Jan. 19 @ Wisconsin W 25-5
 Feb. 9 @ West Virginia W 24-8
 Feb. 16 Minnesota W 27-3
 Feb. 23 @ Iowa W 17-9
 March 1 Chicago W 23-5
 March 9 Michigan L 11-15
 March 14-16 Big Ten Championships 2nd
 March 29-30 NCAA Championships 4th

1929-30 (7-0)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Jan. 11 @ Cornell College W 21.5-4.5
 Jan. 18 Iowa State Teachers W 26.5-7.5
 Feb. 8 @ Minnesota W 28-0
 Feb. 15 Wisconsin W 21.5-4.5
 Feb. 22 @ Chicago W 26-8
 March 1 Chicago W 31-5
 March 8 @ Indiana W 16-12
 March 14-15 Big Ten Championships 1st
 March 28-29 NCAA Championships 2nd

1930-31 (6-1)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Jan. 10 @ Iowa State Teachers W 23.5-4.5
 Jan. 17 Cornell College W 22-6
 Jan. 24 @ Wisconsin W 25-3
 Feb. 14 Minnesota W 25-3
 Feb. 21 Iowa W 23.5-4.5
 Feb. 28 @ Chicago W 20-6
 March 7 Indiana L 9-15
 March 13-14 Big Ten Championships No Team Scores
 March 27-28 NCAA Championships No Points
 Awarded

1931-32 (5-0)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Jan. 9 Morton JC W 36-0
 Jan. 16 Missouri W 24-8
 Feb. 19 @ Minnesota W 21-11
 Feb. 27 Chicago W 25-3
 March 4 @ Iowa W 24.5-7.5
 March 11-12 Big Ten Championships 1st
 March 24-26 NCAA Championships 8th

1932-33 (5-3-1)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Jan. 14 Minnesota W 24-10

Jan. 16 @ Northwestern W 21-11
 Jan. 21 Chicago W 30-0
 Feb. 4 @ Chicago T 16-16
 Feb. 10 @ Oklahoma A&M L 8-18
 Feb. 13 @ Missouri W 36-0
 Feb. 18 Indiana L 7.5-18.5
 Feb. 25 Northwestern W 29-5
 March 4 @ Indiana L 8-18
 March 10-11 Big Ten Championships No Team Scores
 March 24-25 NCAA Championships No Points
 Awarded

1933-34 (7-2-1)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Dec. 14 Wheaton College W 27-3
 Jan. 13 @ Chicago T 18-18
 Jan. 20 Northwestern W 25-3
 Feb. 1 @ Ohio State W 15-11
 Feb. 3 @ Lehigh L 11-23
 Feb. 5 @ West Virginia W 23-3
 Feb. 10 Chicago W 31-5
 Feb. 23 @ Northwestern W 24-8
 Feb. 24 @ Wisconsin W 34-0
 March 3 Indiana L 6-20
 March 10-11 Big Ten Championships 2nd
 March 23-24 NCAA Championships 10th

1934-35 (5-1)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Jan. 12 Wisconsin W 74-0
 Feb. 2 @ Chicago W 29-0
 Feb. 9 @ Missouri W 23-5
 Feb. 16 Iowa State W 25-3
 Feb. 23 Ohio State W 27.5-6.5
 March 2 @ Indiana L 10.5-13.5
 March 8-9 Big Ten Championships 1st
 March 21-23 NCAA Championships 3rd

1935-36 (5-2)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Jan. 17 @ Iowa State W 25.5-4.5
 Jan. 18 @ Cornell College L 12.5-15.5
 Feb. 8 Cornell College W 13.5-10.5
 Feb. 15 @ Ohio State W 19-11
 Feb. 21 Indiana L 9-21
 Feb. 29 Chicago W 22-10
 March 7 @ Minnesota W 23-3
 March 13-14 Big Ten Championships 3rd
 March 20-21 NCAA Championships No Points
 Awarded

1936-37 (6-2)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Dec. 19 Iowa State W 24-6
 Jan. 9 Missouri W 34-0
 Jan. 15 Cornell W 28-0
 Feb. 6 @ Kansas State L 12.5-17.5
 Feb. 13 Ohio State W 25-5
 Feb. 20 @ Indiana L 12.5-18.5
 Feb. 27 @ Chicago W 23.5-6.5
 March 6 Minnesota W 18-6
 March 12-13 Big Ten Championships 1st
 March 19-20 NCAA Championships 5th

1937-38 (7-2)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Dec. 18 Normal W 30-0
 Jan. 8 @ Normal W 26-8
 Jan. 17 @ Iowa State W 18.5-7.5
 Jan. 18 @ Cornell W 19-9
 Feb. 5 @ Oklahoma A&M L 3-27
 Feb. 15 Kansas State W 18.5-7.5
 Feb. 19 @ Ohio State W 14-12
 Feb. 26 Indiana L 6-20
 March 5 Iowa W 26-6
 March 11-12 Big Ten Championships 3rd
 March 25-26 NCAA Championships 2nd

1938-39 (6-3)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney
 Jan. 6 Iowa State Teachers W 20-6
 Jan. 7 @ Illinois State W 26-8
 Jan. 21 Iowa State W 23-3
 Feb. 3 @ Kansas State L 11-17
 Feb. 4 @ Nebraska W 23-3
 Feb. 11 Ohio State W 18-8
 Feb. 18 @ Indiana L 6-20
 Feb. 25 Oklahoma A&M L 6-20
 March 4 @ Iowa W 16.5-7.5
 March 10-11 Big Ten Championships 2nd
 March 17-18 NCAA Championships 3rd

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

1939-40 (6-4)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney

Dec. 6	Normal	W	26-8
Jan. 6	Morton JC	W	38-0
Jan. 13	@ Michigan	W	16-14
Jan. 17	Kansas	L	10-18
Feb. 2	@ Iowa State Teachers	L	10.5-13.5
Feb. 3	@ Iowa State	W	14.5-13.5
Feb. 10	Nebraska	W	29-0
Feb. 16	Iowa	W	20-6
Feb. 21	Indiana	L	6-20
March 2	@ Oklahoma A&M	L	3-25
March 8-9	Big Ten Championships		4th
March 29-30	NCAA Championships		11th

1940-41 (6-6)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney

Jan. 11	Cornell	W	20-6
Jan. 18	Iowa State Teachers	L	12-14
Feb. 1	@ Franklin Marshall	L	9-23
Feb. 3	@ Washington & Lee	W	23-11
Feb. 4	@ VMI	W	21-3
Feb. 5	@ Ohio State	L	12-14
Feb. 10	Oklahoma A&M	L	6-18
Feb. 14	Vanderbilt	W	39-0
Feb. 15	Michigan	L	8-18
Feb. 22	@ Indiana	L	9-17
Feb. 24	Purdue	W	23-9
March 1	@ Iowa	W	14-13
March 7-8	Big Ten Championships		4th
March 21-22	NCAA Championships		13th

1941-42 (8-0)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney

Dec. 18	@ Normal	W	19-11
Jan. 10	@ Vanderbilt	W	38-0
Feb. 7	@ Iowa Teachers	W	24-6
Feb. 9	@ Cornell	W	23-5
Feb. 14	Ohio State	W	15-9
Feb. 17	@ Purdue	W	14-12
Feb. 28	Indiana	W	31-3
March 7	Iowa	W	22-6
March 13-14	Big Ten Championships		2nd
March 27-28	NCAA Championships		8th

1942-43 (4-1)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney

Jan. 16	Northwestern	W	32-0
Feb. 15	Michigan	W	25-3
Feb. 20	Purdue	W	16-12
Feb. 26	@ Ohio	L	12-18
Feb. 27	@ Ohio State	W	28-6
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships		4th
	NCAA Championships		No Tournament

1943-44 (4-3)

Head Coach: Glenn Law

Dec. 11	@ Iowa	L	8-22
Jan. 8	@ Illinois State	W	31-5
Jan. 14	@ Purdue	L	8-22
Jan. 21	@ Wheaton College	W	28-10
Jan. 22	@ Northwestern	W	19-13
Feb. 5	Illinois State	W	35-5
Feb. 12	Ohio State	L	11-17
Feb. 19	Big Ten Championships		2nd
	NCAA Championships		No Tournament

1944-45 (4-1)

Head Coach: Glenn Law

Jan. 6	@ Iowa	L	3-27
Jan. 13	Purdue	W	15-9
Jan. 20	@ Michigan	W	21-10
Feb. 3	Illinois Tech	W	27-3
Feb. 10	Indiana	W	22-6
Feb. 17	Big Ten Championships		3rd
	NCAA Championships		No Tournament

1945-46 (4-4)

Head Coach: Glenn Law

Dec. 8	Wheaton College	W	19-13
Jan. 12	@ Purdue	L	6-20
Jan. 19	Michigan State	L	11-15
Jan. 26	Iowa State Teachers	L	11-17
Feb. 9	Michigan	W	19-9
Feb. 16	@ Indiana	L	13-19
Feb. 23	Purdue	W	14-12
March 1	@ Ohio State	W	19-9
March 8-9	Big Ten Championships		1st
March 22-23	NCAA Championships		3rd

1946-47 (6-2-1)

Head Coach: H.E. Kenney

Dec. 18	Illinois Normal	W	36-0
Jan. 31	@ Cornell College	L	11-19
Feb. 1	@ Iowa State Teachers	T	14-14
Feb. 6	Indiana	W	14-12
Feb. 14	@ Michigan State	L	12-14
Feb. 15	@ Michigan	W	15-11
Feb. 21	Purdue	W	23-9
Feb. 27	Iowa	W	16-12
March 1	Ohio State	W	24-6
March 7-8	Big Ten Championships		1st
March 28-29	NCAA Championships		6th

1947-48 (4-4)

Head Coach: Glenn Law

Dec. 19	@ Illinois Normal	L	9-15
Jan. 17	Michigan	W	16-12
Jan. 24	Cornell College	L	9-17
Feb. 7	Michigan State	L	11-17
Feb. 14	@ Ohio State	W	24-15
Feb. 21	@ Iowa	W	19-18
Feb. 27	@ Purdue	W	21-17
Feb. 28	@ Indiana	L	17-22
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships		2nd
March 18-20	NCAA Championships		3rd

1948-49 (6-1-2)

Head Coach: Glenn Law

Jan. 7	@ Michigan State	T	13-13
Jan. 8	@ Michigan	W	25-3
Jan. 15	Iowa State Teachers	L	10-18
Feb. 4	@ Wisconsin	W	20-6
Feb. 5	@ Minnesota	W	18-12
Feb. 12	Ohio State	W	16-13
Feb. 22	Purdue	T	12-12
Feb. 26	Iowa	W	14-11
Feb. 28	Indiana	W	21-8
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships		5th
March 25-26	NCAA Championships		10th

1949-50 (8-2)

Head Coach: Glenn Law

Jan. 6	Wisconsin	W	22-8
Jan. 20	Michigan	W	14-11
Jan. 21	Michigan State	W	16-12
Feb. 3	@ Iowa State Teachers	L	2-23
Feb. 4	@ Iowa	W	19-8
Feb. 11	@ Ohio State	L	11-17
Feb. 17	Minnesota	W	16-11
Feb. 18	Northwestern	W	25-3
Feb. 24	@ Indiana	W	26-5
Feb. 25	@ Purdue	W	16-14
March 3-4	Big Ten Championships		9th
March 24-25	NCAA Championships		10th

1950-51 (5-4-1)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson

Jan. 6	Iowa State Teachers	L	9-15
Jan. 13	Ohio State	L	12-14
Jan. 20	Iowa	W	17-11
Feb. 3	@ Minnesota	W	25-3
Feb. 9	@ Michigan State	L	9-15
Feb. 10	@ Michigan	L	2-23
Feb. 16	@ Northwestern	W	26-5
Feb. 17	@ Wisconsin	T	12-12
Feb. 21	Purdue	W	15-9
Feb. 24	Indiana	W	30-5
March 2-3	Big Ten Championships		4th
March 23-24	NCAA Championships		Did Not Score

1951-52 (5-5-2)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson

Dec. 14	Wisconsin	W	18-12
Jan. 29	@ Ohio State	W	18-10
Jan. 30	@ Pittsburgh	L	9-17
Jan. 31	@ Franklin & Marshall	L	11-17
Feb. 1	@ Millersville	W	15-9
Feb. 2	@ Navy	L	8-25
Feb. 8	Michigan	L	9-15
Feb. 9	Michigan State	T	15-15
Feb. 11	@ Purdue	W	19-8
Feb. 16	@ Indiana	L	12-18
Feb. 18	@ Iowa	T	12-12
Feb. 29	Northwestern	W	16-11
March 8-9	Big Ten Championships		1st
March 28-29	NCAA Championships		6th

1952-53 (7-5-2)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson

Dec. 17	@ Cornell College	T	12-12
Dec. 18	@ Iowa State Teachers	T	14-14

Jan. 10	Purdue	W	14-12
Jan. 17	Wisconsin	W	23-9
Jan. 31	@ Memphis	W	17-9
Feb. 2	@ Arkansas State College	W	18-13
Feb. 4	@ Oklahoma A&M	L	10-18
Feb. 6	@ Oklahoma	L	5-24
Feb. 7	@ Kansas State	W	16-11
Feb. 13	@ Michigan State	L	6-18
Feb. 14	@ Michigan	L	3-23
Feb. 20	Indiana	W	19-9
Feb. 21	Iowa	L	13-17
Feb. 28	Northwestern	W	22-8
March 6-7	Big Ten Championships		4th
March 27-28	NCAA Championships		10th

1953-54 (6-5)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson

Dec. 5	Great Lakes	W	24-6
Dec. 12	Cornell College	W	19-11
Dec. 17	@ Indiana	W	14-12
Jan. 9	Michigan	L	11-19
Jan. 15	@ Minnesota	W	18-14
Jan. 16	@ Wisconsin	W	21-11
Feb. 1	@ Iowa	L	8-19
Feb. 6	Ohio State	W	21-9
Feb. 9	@ Purdue	L	8-21
Feb. 13	Michigan State	L	10-20
Feb. 20	Oklahoma A&M	L	4-26
Feb. 27	@ Northwestern	W	20-6
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships		6th
March 26-27	NCAA Championships		11th

1954-55 (13-2)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson

Dec. 11	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
Dec. 16	Indiana	W	16-14
Jan. 15	Purdue	W	24-6
Jan. 29	Iowa	L	12-14
Jan. 31	@ Toledo	W	19-9
Feb. 2	@ Franklin & Marshall	W	20-6
Feb. 3	@ Pittsburgh	L	8-18
Feb. 4	@ Ohio	W	28-5
Feb. 5	@ Ohio State	W	27-8
Feb. 7	@ Michigan	W	14-11
Feb. 8	@ Michigan State	W	16-10
Feb. 12	Wisconsin	W	17-11
Feb. 19	Minnesota	W	18-10
Feb. 26	Northwestern	W	24-7
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships		3rd
March 12	Iowa State Teachers	W	17-9
March 19	Oklahoma	W	18-12
March 25-26	NCAA Championships		9th

1955-56 (6-6-1)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson

Dec. 11	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
Dec. 17	@ Indiana	L	6-27
Jan. 7	@ Great Lakes	W	17-16
Jan. 9	@ Purdue	L	17-23
Jan. 14	Michigan	W	21-16
Feb. 2	@ Iowa State Teachers	L	8-26
Feb. 4	@ Minnesota	L	6-32
Feb. 6	@ Grinnell College	W	20-11
Feb. 7	@ Iowa	L	10-28
Feb. 11	Michigan State	T	17-17
Feb. 17	Penn State	L	3-23
Feb. 18	Ohio State	W	24-14
Feb. 24	@ Northwestern	W	25-11
Feb. 25	@ Wisconsin	W	20-19
March 2-3	Big Ten Championships		8th
March 17	Kansas State	W	25-8
March 23-24	NCAA Championships		8th

1956-57 (6-3-1)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson

Dec. 15	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
Jan. 5	@ Penn State	L	12-14
Jan. 11	Purdue	W	23-3
Jan. 12	Iowa	L	13-17
Feb. 2	@ Michigan	W	19-11
Feb. 4	@ Michigan State	L	5-26
Feb. 5	@ Western Ontario	W	22-10
Feb. 9	Wisconsin	W	24-7
Feb. 15	Minnesota	T	14-14
Feb. 23	Indiana	W	18-11
March 2	Northwestern	W	18-12
March 8-9	Big Ten Championships		4th
March 22-23	NCAA Championships		6th

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1957-58 (8-3-1)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 7	Illini Invite No Team Scores
Dec. 21	@ Iowa W. 14-12
Jan. 4	Penn State W. 19-8
Jan. 6	@ Purdue W. 24-7
Jan. 11	Michigan W. 17-11
Jan. 31	@ Minnesota W. 24-6
Feb. 1	@ Carleton W. 25-3
Feb. 3	@ Iowa State Teachers T. 12-12
Feb. 8	Pittsburgh L. 14-16
Feb. 15	Michigan State L. 9-19
Feb. 17	@ Wisconsin W. 20-11
Feb. 21	@ Indiana L. 13-17
March 1	@ Northwestern W. 21-8
March 7-8	Big Ten Championships 2nd
March 21-22	NCAA Championships 6th

1958-59 (4-7-1)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 6	Illini Invite No Team Score
Dec. 20	Iowa L. 10-18
Jan. 10	Purdue W. 23-5
Jan. 28	@ Auburn W. 15-13
Jan. 30	@ Southern Illinois L. 4-24
Feb. 2	Iowa State Teachers L. 12-19
Feb. 5	@ Western Ontario W. 32-0
Feb. 6	@ Michigan State L. 5-16
Feb. 7	@ Michigan L. 11-16
Feb. 14	Minnesota L. 3-25
Feb. 20	Wisconsin T. 14-14
Feb. 21	Northwestern W. 16-11
Feb. 28	Indiana L. 10-18
March 6-7	Big Ten Championships 5th
March 26-28	NCAA Championships 25th

1959-60 (3-11)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 5	Illini Invite No Team Score
Dec. 12	@ Purdue W. 21-8
Dec. 18	@ Iowa L. 9-23
Dec. 19	@ Wisconsin W. 19-11
Jan. 16	Michigan State L. 5-22
Feb. 3	@ Kansas State L. 3-23
Feb. 5	@ Oklahoma State L. 3-25
Feb. 6	@ Oklahoma L. 0-30
Feb. 8	@ Missouri W. 23-3
Feb. 13	@ Army L. 10-16
Feb. 15	@ Cornell L. 8-21
Feb. 19	Michigan L. 3-23
Feb. 20	Minnesota L. 12-18
Feb. 24	@ Indiana L. 6-20
Feb. 27	Northwestern L. 7-21
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships 9th
March 24-26	NCAA Championships Did Not Score

1960-61 (10-1)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 3	Illini Invite No Team Scores
Dec. 9	Indiana W. 23-14
Dec. 16	Wisconsin W. 25-11
Dec. 17	Iowa W. 20-18
Jan. 9	@ Eastern Illinois W. 18-6
Jan. 14	@ Minnesota W. 20-16
Jan. 30	@ Colorado School of Mines W. 20-8
Jan. 31	@ Colorado State L. 9-19
Feb. 1	@ Air Force W. 18-10
Feb. 4	Army W. 17-11
Feb. 11	Quadrangular Meet 2nd/4
Feb. 18	Missouri W. 28-0
Feb. 23	Northwestern W. 24-16
March 3-4	Big Ten Championships 5th
March 24-25	NCAA Championships 21st

1961-62 (6-6)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 2	Illini Invite No Team Scores
Dec. 9	Indiana W. 14-11
Dec. 16	@ Iowa L. 13-14
Jan. 6	Kansas State W. 16-10
Jan. 13	Eastern Illinois W. 25-11
Jan. 27	Minnesota W. 15-11
Jan. 27	Wisconsin L. 9-15
Jan. 27	Air Force L. 11-15
Feb. 2	@ Notre Dame W. 21-10
Feb. 3	@ Michigan State L. 8-22
Feb. 17	Iowa State Teachers W. 20-6
Feb. 19	Purdue L. 12-14
Feb. 24	@ Northwestern L. 6-18
March 2-3	Big Ten Championships 8th
March 22-24	NCAA Championships 30th

1962-63 (6-6-2)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 1	Illini Invite No Team Scores
Dec. 14	Iowa L. 12-14
Dec. 15	@ Indiana W. 20-10
Jan. 5	Ohio State W. 21-11
Jan. 26	@ Eastern Illinois W. 17-16
Jan. 28	@ Iowa State L. 3-23
Jan. 29	@ Kansas State L. 10-16
Jan. 31	@ Oklahoma State L. 11-17
Feb. 2	@ Missouri W. 23-3
Feb. 7	@ Wisconsin W. 19-8
Feb. 9	Michigan State L. 11-14
Feb. 16	@ Purdue T. 13-13
Feb. 23	@ Minnesota T. 12-12
Feb. 25	@ State College of Iowa L. 13-14
Feb. 28	Northwestern W. 20-8
March 8	Big Ten Championships 10th
March 22-23	NCAA Championships 40th

1963-64 (6-6-1)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 7	Illini Invite No Team Scores
Jan. 6	@ Iowa L. 10-16
Jan. 7	@ State College of Iowa L. 13-17
Jan. 22	@ Eastern Illinois W. 22-14
Jan. 24	@ Ohio State L. 10-21
Jan. 25	@ Michigan State T. 12-12
Jan. 27	@ Michigan L. 6-24
Feb. 1	Kansas State L. 13-15
Feb. 7	Wisconsin W. 16-13
Feb. 15	Purdue W. 16-11
Feb. 22	Missouri W. 20-6
Feb. 22	Indiana W. 17-11
Feb. 22	Minnesota W. 17-12
Feb. 29	@ Northwestern L. 12-16
March 6-7	Big Ten Championships 7th
March 21	Iowa State L. 4-28
March 26-28	NCAA Championships 46th

1964-65 (3-11)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 5	Illini Invite No Team Score
Dec. 18	Iowa L. 10-16
Jan. 9	Ohio State L. 8-24
Jan. 11	State College of Iowa W. 15-11
Jan. 15	Michigan L. 7-23
Jan. 16	Michigan State L. 8-20
Jan. 30	@ Indiana L. 8-22
Feb. 1	@ Purdue L. 5-24
Feb. 8	@ Wisconsin L. 11-19
Feb. 9	Eastern Illinois L. 12-14
Feb. 13	@ Missouri W. 18-11
Feb. 20	@ Minnesota L. 6-20
Feb. 20	vs. Army L. 9-17
Feb. 20	vs. Purdue L. 10-16
Feb. 27	Northwestern W. 16-11
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships 2nd
March 25-26	NCAA Championships 22nd

1965-66 (2-11)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 4	Illini Invite No Team Score
Dec. 11	Air Force L. 17-21
Dec. 17	@ Iowa L. 9-17
Dec. 18	@ State College of Iowa L. 15-17
Jan. 8	@ Ohio State L. 8-21
Jan. 15	Indiana L. 2-23
Jan. 27	@ Eastern Illinois L. 11-20
Feb. 4	@ Michigan L. 0-30
Feb. 5	@ Michigan State L. 3-25
Feb. 12	Purdue W. 20-8
Feb. 12	Missouri W. 17-11
Feb. 12	Wisconsin L. 6-22
Feb. 19	Minnesota L. 3-25
Feb. 24	@ Northwestern L. 8-26
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships 10th
March 24-26	NCAA Championships Did Not Score

1966-67 (2-10)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 3	Illini Invite No Team Scores
Dec. 16	Iowa L. 6-23
Dec. 17	State College of Iowa L. 15-16
Jan. 7	Ohio State L. 15-16
Jan. 14	@ Purdue W. 22-9
Jan. 28	@ Indiana L. 0-37
Feb. 4	@ Minnesota L. 9-20

Feb. 4	vs. State College of Iowa L. 6-22
Feb. 9	@ Missouri W. 18-16
Feb. 11	@ Air Force L. 8-30
Feb. 17	Michigan L. 2-36
Feb. 18	Michigan State L. 3-32
Feb. 20	@ Wisconsin L. 14-21
March 3-4	Big Ten Championships 9th
March 23-25	NCAA Championships 55th

1967-68 (2-11)

Head Coach: B.R. Patterson	
Dec. 2	Illini Invite No Team Scores
Dec. 15	@ Iowa L. 6-27
Dec. 16	@ Northern Iowa L. 8-25
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands 16th/ 36 Teams
Jan. 5	@ Michigan L. 5-29
Jan. 6	@ Ohio State L. 3-30
Jan. 13	Indiana L. 9-24
Jan. 27	Minnesota L. 6-27
Feb. 3	@ Michigan State L. 2-30
Feb. 5	Wisconsin L. 9-24
Feb. 10	Purdue W. 27-5
Feb. 10	Missouri L. 9-24
Feb. 10	Kansas State L. 11-17
Feb. 17	Air Force W. 20-19
Feb. 24	@ Northwestern L. 5-27
March 1-2	Big Ten Championships 8th
March 21-23	NCAA Championships Did Not Score

1968-69 (9-11-1)

Head Coach: Jack Robinson	
Dec. 7	Illini Invite No Team Score
Dec. 14	@ Indiana L. 9-20
Dec. 14	vs. Indiana State L. 11-17
Dec. 14	vs. Purdue W. 18-16
Dec. 19	@ Eastern Illinois W. 25-8
Dec. 20	Iowa L. 3-28
Dec. 27-28	@ Midlands 12th/34
Jan. 3	Michigan L. 3-30
Jan. 4	Ohio State T. 16-16
Jan. 11	@ Wisconsin L. 3-26
Jan. 11	vs. Marquette W. 30-3
Jan. 11	vs. Wisconsin-Whitewater W. 24-3
Jan. 23	@ Southern Illinois L. 3-28
Jan. 25	@ Auburn W. 17-11
Jan. 27	@ Troy State W. 20-9
Jan. 28	@ Georgia W. 19-12
Feb. 1	Michigan State L. 3-32
Feb. 8	@ Minnesota L. 14-18
Feb. 8	vs. Wisconsin W. 17-16
Feb. 8	vs. Indiana L. 10-22
Feb. 14	@ Kansas State L. 11-17
Feb. 15	@ Air Force W. 18-11
Feb. 22	Northwestern L. 5-27
Feb. 28-March 1	Big Ten Championships 7th
March 27-29	NCAA Championships Did Not Score

1969-70 (5-9)

Head Coach: Jack Robinson	
Dec. 6	Illini Invite No Team Score
Dec. 13	Indiana W. 22-12
Dec. 18	@ Drake L. 11-23
Dec. 19	@ Iowa L. 11-22
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands 9th
Jan. 10	Wisconsin W. 17-16
Jan. 17	@ Ohio State L. 16-18
Jan. 30	@ Michigan L. 6-26
Jan. 31	@ Michigan State L. 0-40
Feb. 2	@ Southern Illinois L. 14-21
Feb. 4	@ Missouri L. 14-18
Feb. 13	Purdue W. 22-18
Feb. 14	Minnesota L. 11-20
Feb. 20	Northern Illinois W. 19-13
Feb. 21	Eastern Illinois W. 22-11
Feb. 26	@ Northwestern L. 14-20
March 6-7	Big Ten Championships 8th
March 26-28	NCAA Championships 40th

1970-71 (2-13)

Head Coach: Jack Robinson	
Dec. 5	Illini Invite No Team Scores
Dec. 12	@ Indiana L. 15-17
Dec. 18	Iowa L. 0-32
Jan. 9	@ Wisconsin L. 10-25
Jan. 9	vs. Illinois State L. 14-22
Jan. 12	@ Eastern Illinois L. 16-21
Jan. 16	Ohio State L. 8-23
Jan. 29	Missouri W. 19-16
Jan. 20	Michigan State L. 11-26
Feb. 3	Southern Illinois L. 11-24
Feb. 6	@ Minnesota L. 13-23

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Feb. 12	Michigan	L	5-30
Feb. 16	@ Purdue	L	8-32
Feb. 19	@ Northern Illinois	W	18-16
Feb. 20	Drake	L	16-22
Feb. 24	Northwestern	L	14-19
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships		9th
March 25-27	NCAA Championships		Did Not Score

1971-72 (3-9)

Head Coach: Jack Robinson

Dec. 4	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
Dec. 11	@ McMurray Invite		2nd/4
Dec. 17	@ Iowa	L	9-28
Jan. 7	Indiana	L	13-22
Jan. 8	Wisconsin	W	17-15
Jan. 15	@ Ohio State	W	30-12
Jan. 28	@ Michigan	L	5-29
Jan. 29	@ Michigan State	L	0-36
Feb. 3	@ Southern Illinois	L	9-25
Feb. 5	@ Missouri	L	17-20
Feb. 8	Purdue	L	11-21
Feb. 12	Minnesota	L	11-22
Feb. 18	Eastern Illinois	W	30-7
Feb. 19	@ Northwestern	L	14-24
Feb. 25-26	Big Ten Championships		10th
March 9-11	NCAA Championships		Did Not Score

1972-73 (8-8)

Head Coach: Jack Robinson

Dec. 2	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
Dec. 9	@ MacMurray	W	35-2
Dec. 9	vs. Meramec CC	W	44-2
Dec. 9	vs. Northeast Missouri State	W	27-6
Dec. 15	Iowa	L	11-24
Dec. 16	Indiana Central	W	24-10
Dec. 19	Eastern Illinois	W	18-15
Jan. 6	@ Northwestern Quad		4th/4
Jan. 12	SIU-Edwardsville	L	34-42
Jan. 12	Southern Illinois	L	16-22
Jan. 13	Ohio State	L	18-19
Jan. 26	Michigan State	L	11-23
Jan. 27	Michigan	L	3-39
Jan. 31	Purdue	W	24-10
Feb. 2	Wisconsin	L	5-38
Feb. 3	Northern Illinois	L	9-26
Feb. 3	Wisconsin-Milwaukee	L	14-20
Feb. 9	Indiana	W	24-17
Feb. 16	Northwestern	W	18-16
Feb. 22-24	Big Ten Championships		10th
March 8-10	NCAA Championships		Did Not Score

1973-74 (7-13)

Head Coach: Tom Porter

Nov. 23-24	@ Northern Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 1	Illinois Invitational		No Team Scores
Dec. 7	@ Indiana Central	W	27-12
Dec. 8	Northern Iowa	L	11-30
Dec. 13	@ Iowa	L	0-43
Jan. 5	vs. Minnesota	L	15-24
Jan. 10	@ Southern Illinois	W	18-16
Jan. 12	@ Ohio State	W	23-18
Jan. 17	@ Western Illinois	W	38-6
Jan. 19	Purdue	L	17-22
Jan. 25	@ Michigan State	L	2-33
Jan. 26	@ Michigan	L	5-29
Jan. 29	@ Eastern Illinois	L	16-19
Feb. 2	Indiana	W	30-6
Feb. 2	Drake	L	11-23
Feb. 2	Northern Illinois	L	13-28
Feb. 9	Wisconsin	L	8-31
Feb. 16	@ Maverick Classic		1st/4
	vs. Nebraska-Omaha	W	24-18
	vs. South Dakota	W	34-9
	vs. Northwestern	L	17-19
Feb. 22	SIU-Edwardsville	L	18-27
Feb. 23	@ Northwestern	L	9-26
March 1-2	Big Ten Championships		7th
March 14-16	NCAA Championships		Did Not Score

1974-75 (11-9-1)

Head Coach: Tom Porter

Nov. 30	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
	vs. Missouri	W	26-12
Dec. 5	@ SIU-Edwardsville	T	16-16
Dec. 7	Indiana State	W	18-17
Dec. 13	Iowa	L	9-25
Dec. 21	@ Ball State Invite		No Team Scores
Dec. 27-28	@ Midlands		No Team Scores
Jan. 8	vs. DePauw	W	38-3
Jan. 11	vs. Southern Illinois	W	21-11
Jan. 14	@ Northern Iowa	W	20-13

Jan. 15	@ Drake	W	17-15
Jan. 18	@ Purdue	L	14-20
Jan. 18	vs. Ohio State	L	14-20
Jan. 24	Michigan State	L	15-19
Jan. 25	Michigan	L	14-21
Jan. 29	@ Illinois State	W	19-14
Jan. 31	Eastern Illinois	W	34-16
Feb. 1	@ Indiana	W	23-17
Feb. 1	vs. Cleveland State	L	9-24
Feb. 7	@ Minnesota	L	13-21
Feb. 7	vs. Wisconsin	L	6-29
Feb. 14	Western Illinois	W	27-8
Feb. 15	@ Northern Illinois	L	14-21
Feb. 20	Northwestern	W	21-14
Feb. 28-March 1	Big Ten Championships		10th
March 13-15	NCAA Championships		Did Not Score

1975-76 (10-9)

Head Coach: Tom Porter

Nov. 25	Moorhead State	W	36-4
Nov. 29	@ Northern Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 3	@ Eastern Illinois	W	25-16
Dec. 6	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
Dec. 9	@ Iowa	L	3-40
Dec. 20	@ Ball State Tourney		No Team Scores
Dec. 27-28	@ Midlands		8th/39
Jan. 7	@ Southern Illinois	L	17-19
Jan. 10	Northern Iowa	W	19-17
Jan. 14	Purdue	W	27-10
Jan. 17	@ WIU Invite		1st/8
Jan. 23	@ Michigan State	L	6-30
Jan. 24	@ Michigan	L	13-26
Jan. 24	vs. Ohio State	W	23-11
Jan. 28	Illinois State	L	17-24
Jan. 31	Indiana	W	23-13
Jan. 31	Drake	W	24-18
Feb. 6	SIU-Edwardsville	W	25-22
Feb. 7	Wisconsin	L	8-33
Feb. 10	@ Indiana State	L	16-20
Feb. 14	Northern Illinois	W	35-7
Feb. 18	@ Northwestern	L	14-24
Feb. 20	vs. Minnesota	L	14-25
Feb. 20	vs. Ball State	W	24-17
Feb. 28-29	Big Ten Championships		9th
March 11-13	NCAA Championships		49th

1976-77 (3-11)

Head Coach: Tom Porter

Nov. 27	@ Northern Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 1	Eastern Illinois	L	14-21
Dec. 4	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
Dec. 10	@ Drake	W	28-10
Dec. 11	@ Northern Iowa	L	10-24
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands		12th/39
Jan. 15	@ WIU Invite		2nd/8
Jan. 20	@ SIU-Edwardsville	L	17-19
Jan. 22	@ Purdue	W	23-14
Jan. 25	@ Illinois State	L	6-34
Jan. 28	Michigan State	L	15-24
Feb. 3	Southern Illinois	W	18-13
Feb. 5	@ Indiana	L	9-32
Feb. 11	@ Northern Illinois	L	10-28
Feb. 12	@ Wisconsin	L	6-39
Feb. 17	Indiana State	L	8-23
Feb. 17	Northwestern	L	8-24
Feb. 24	Iowa	L	6-36
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships		9th
March 17-19	NCAA Championships		Did Not Score

1977-78 (8-8)

Head Coach: Tom Porter

Nov. 19	@ St. Louis Open		No Team Scores
Nov. 26	@ Northern Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 2	Illini Invite		No Team Scores
Dec. 8	Eastern Illinois	L	6-25
Dec. 15	Western Illinois	W	25-11
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands		23rd/50
Jan. 9	@ Northern Iowa	W	24-12
Jan. 13	@ Leatherneck Invitational		1st/6
Jan. 17	@ Ball State	L	14-21
Jan. 18	@ Indiana State	W	16-15
Jan. 21	Purdue	W	39-2
Jan. 21	Drake	W	34-0
Jan. 23	@ Eastern Illinois	L	6-25
Feb. 2	@ Southern Illinois	W	20-16
Feb. 3	Illinois State	W	22-13
Feb. 4	Indiana	W	24-14
Feb. 10	Missouri	L	9-28
Feb. 11	Wisconsin	L	8-34
Feb. 11	Northern Illinois	L	16-30
Feb. 16	SIU-Edwardsville	L	15-23

Feb. 18	@ Northwestern	L	12-28
Feb. 23	Iowa	L	2-37
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships		8th
March 16-18	NCAA Championships		37th

1978-79 (12-10)

Head Coach: Greg Johnson

Nov. 18	@ St. Louis Open		No Team Scores
Nov. 25	@ Northern Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 2	Illini Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 7	@ Western Illinois	L	19-20
Dec. 8	@ Augustana	W	32-6
Dec. 9	@ Iowa	L	3-50
Dec. 10	@ Drake	W	25-11
Dec. 30	@ Midlands		32nd/53
Jan. 10	vs. Notre Dame	W	39-2
Jan. 13	@ Indiana	W	30-12
Jan. 13	vs. Ohio State	L	18-23
Jan. 17	@ SIU-Edwardsville	W	21-16
Jan. 18	@ Missouri	L	6-35
Jan. 20	@ Purdue	W	33-6
Jan. 20	vs. Valparaiso	W	43-6
Jan. 26	Michigan State	L	14-25
Jan. 27	Michigan	L	13-29
Feb. 1	Southern Illinois	W	25-14
Feb. 3	Eastern Illinois	L	14-24
Feb. 7	Ball State	W	21-15
Feb. 9	@ Northern Illinois	L	17-21
Feb. 10	@ Wisconsin	L	0-43
Feb. 14	@ Illinois State	W	28-14
Feb. 15	Northwestern	W	25-15
Feb. 16	Taylor	W	34-11
Feb. 16	Indiana State	L	21-24
Feb. 24	Big Ten Championships		6th
March 8-10	NCAA Championships		24th

1979-80 (8-12)

Head Coach: Greg Johnson

Nov. 17	@ St. Louis Open		No Team Scores
Nov. 24	@ Northern Open		No Team Scores
Nov. 30	Illini Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 7	Illinois State	L	14-18
Dec. 29	@ Midlands		34th/55
Jan. 9	vs. Notre Dame	W	28-12
Jan. 11	@ Clarion State	L	12-32
Jan. 12	@ Ohio Northern University	W	21-14
Jan. 12	vs. Akron	W	36-3
Jan. 12	vs. West Virginia	L	13-21
Jan. 13	@ Ohio State	L	9-26
Jan. 19	Drake	W	27-21
Jan. 19	Purdue	L	23-24
Jan. 25	@ Michigan State	L	8-36
Jan. 26	@ Michigan	L	11-31
Jan. 30	Missouri	L	3-42
Feb. 1	Indiana	L	11-28
Feb. 3	@ Eastern Illinois	L	3-39
Feb. 8	Northern Illinois	W	30-17
Feb. 9	Wisconsin	L	6-35
Feb. 11	@ Iowa	L	8-43
Feb. 14	SIU-Edwardsville	W	24-18
Feb. 21	@ Northwestern	W	25-14
Feb. 22	@ Indiana State	W	29-13
March 1-2	Big Ten Championships		8th
March 13-15	NCAA Championships		Did Not Score

1980-81 (7-9-1)

Head Coach: Greg Johnson

Nov. 22	@ St. Louis Open		No Team Scores
Nov. 29	@ Northern Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 5-6	Illinois Open		No Team Scores
Dec. 10	@ Illinois State	W	30-6
Dec. 28-29	@ Orange Bowl Classic		5th/22
Jan. 3	@ Sun Blazers Tourney		1st/16
Jan. 7	@ Tenn.-Chatt.	W	39-6
Jan. 11	Ohio State	L	8-28
Jan. 12	Western Illinois	W	37-5
Jan. 17	@ Purdue	L	16-25
Jan. 18	@ Indiana	T	22-22
Jan. 23	Michigan State	L	13-25
Jan. 24	Michigan	L	12-23
Jan. 30	Iowa	L	5-35
Feb. 1	Indiana State	W	21-15
Feb. 7	@ Southern Illinois	W	29-14
Feb. 8	@ SIU-Edwardsville	W	28-16
Feb. 9	@ Missouri	L	9-23
Feb. 13	@ Northern Illinois	L	16-21
Feb. 14	@ Wisconsin	L	15-27
Feb. 18	Eastern Illinois	L	18-28
Feb. 19	Northwestern	W	22-17
March 1-2	Big Ten Championships		10th
March 12-14	NCAA Championships		66th

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

1981-82 (9-8)

Head Coach: Greg Johnson

Nov. 20-21	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Score
Nov. 27-28	@ Southern Open	No Team Score
Dec. 4-5	Illini Open	No Team Score
Dec. 11	Illinois State	W. 25-10
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands	32nd
Jan. 6	@ Ball State	W. 35-11
Jan. 7	@ Northwestern	L. 14-22
Jan. 10	@ Ohio State	W. 18-16
Jan. 10	Cincinnati	W. 47-0
Jan. 17	Indiana	W. 30-8
Jan. 22	@ Michigan State	L. 0-33
Jan. 23	@ Michigan	L. 18-19
Jan. 29	@ Northern Iowa	L. 3-40
Jan. 30	@ Iowa	L. 4-46
Feb. 5	Purdue	W. 23-13
Feb. 7	@ Indiana State	W. 23-13
Feb. 12	Northern Illinois	W. 16-15
Feb. 13	Wisconsin	L. 4-32
Feb. 17	Northwestern	W. 21-13
Feb. 18	@ Eastern Illinois	L. 8-24
Feb. 18	vs. Southern Illinois	W. 34-6
Feb. 26-27	Big Ten Championships	9th
March 11-13	NCAA Championships	Did Not Score

1982-83 (1-13-1)

Head Coach: Greg Johnson

Nov. 19-20	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 27	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 2	Northwestern	L. 16-20
Dec. 3-4	Illini Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 8	@ Illinois State	T. 18-18
Dec. 9	SIU-Edwardsville	L. 11-30
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands	43rd/52
Dec. 31	Oklahoma State	L. 0-44
Jan. 9	Ohio State	L. 16-26
Jan. 15	@ Purdue	L. 20-23
Jan. 16	@ Indiana	L. 15-20
Jan. 17	Northern Iowa	L. 10-27
Jan. 21	Michigan State	L. 11-29
Jan. 22	Michigan	W. 21-15
Jan. 28	Iowa	L. 13-39
Jan. 29	Eastern Illinois	L. 8-29
Feb. 11	@ Northern Illinois	L. 15-25
Feb. 12	@ Wisconsin	L. 7-38
Feb. 18	@ Northwestern	L. 13-21
Feb. 25-26	Big Ten Championships	8th
March 10-12	NCAA Championships	46th

1983-84 (4-8)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 18-19	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 25	@ Southern Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 2-3	Illini Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 8	Illinois State	L. 9-29
Dec. 28-30	@ Midlands	36th/50
Jan. 7	@ Air Force Tourny	6th/10
Jan. 14	Purdue	L. 19-26
Jan. 15	Indiana	W. 27-12
Jan. 20	@ Michigan State	L. 0-44
Jan. 21	@ Michigan	L. 9-29
Jan. 27	@ Augustana	W. 24-17
Jan. 28	@ Iowa	L. 0-52
Jan. 31	@ Ohio State	L. 13-28
Feb. 10	Northern Illinois	W. 21-15
Feb. 11	Wisconsin	L. 11-25
Feb. 15	@ Eastern Illinois	L. 16-23
Feb. 16	Northwestern	W. 30-10
Feb. 24-25	Big Ten Championships	9th
March 8-10	NCAA Championships	Did Not Score

1984-85 (11-10)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 16-17	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 23-24	@ Southern Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 24	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 30-Dec. 1	Illini Open	4th/18
Dec. 11	@ Olivet Nazarene	W. 37-6
Dec. 31-Jan. 2	Hawaii Tournament	
	vs. Minnesota	W. 21-6
	vs. BYU	W. 18-15
	vs. Utah State	W. 33-8
	vs. Boise State	W. 32-5
	vs. Navy	W. 47-2
	@ Hawaii All-Stars	W. 38-0
Jan. 11-12	Virginia Duals	
	vs. North Carolina	L. 15-19
	vs. Appalachian State	L. 22-24
	vs. Old Dominion	W. 27-17
Jan. 18	Michigan State	L. 14-24

Jan. 19	Michigan	L. 11-27
Jan. 23	@ Indiana	W. 27-18
Jan. 27	@ Wisconsin	L. 12-31
Jan. 30	@ Purdue	L. 18-22
Feb. 1	Iowa	L. 6-48
Feb. 3	Ohio State	W. 27-20
Feb. 6	@ SIU-Edwardsville	L. 13-27
Feb. 8	@ Northern Illinois	L. 20-22
Feb. 13	@ Illinois State	W. 24-18
Feb. 17	@ Northwestern	L. 12-32
March 1-2	Big Ten Championships	6th
March 14-16	NCAA Championships	52nd

1985-86 (5-8)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 23	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 30	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 6-7	Illini Classic	2nd/15
Dec. 27-28	@ Midlands	33rd/51
Jan. 7	@ Illinois State	W. 29-11
Jan. 11	Drake	W. 31-9
Jan. 17	@ Michigan State	W. 19-16
Jan. 18	@ Michigan	L. 9-31
Jan. 19	@ Ohio State	L. 18-19
Jan. 22	Indiana	W. 30-9
Jan. 26	Purdue	W. 20-18
Feb. 1	@ Iowa	L. 2-45
Feb. 2	vs. Northern Iowa	L. 9-24
Feb. 8	Wisconsin	L. 9-27
Feb. 14	Minnesota	L. 18-23
Feb. 19	Northwestern	L. 20-22
Feb. 20	Eastern Illinois	L. 18-24
March 1-2	Big Ten Championships	8th
March 13-15	NCAA Championships	38th

1986-87 (13-7)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 22	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 29	@ Southern Open	1st/15 Teams
Dec. 6	Illini Open	1st/10 Teams
Jan. 8	Mankato State	W. 36-3
Jan. 9	Redbird Dual Team Tourny	
	vs. Central Missouri	W. 39-6
	vs. Miami (Ohio)	W. 50-0
	vs. Eastern Illinois	W. 29-12
	vs. SW Missouri St.	W. 38-7
Jan. 11	Tennessee-Chattanooga	W. 27-16
Jan. 16	Michigan State	W. 18-15
Jan. 17	Michigan	W. 18-16
Jan. 20	@ Eastern Illinois	W. 24-13
Jan. 24	@ Purdue	L. 18-21
Jan. 24	vs. Ohio State	L. 17-19
Jan. 30	@ Drake	W. 29-14
Feb. 2	vs. Iowa	L. 14-27
Feb. 2	vs. Northwestern	L. 15-19
Feb. 7	@ Northern Illinois	L. 40-7
Feb. 8	@ Wisconsin	L. 15-24
Feb. 11	Edinboro	L. 13-23
Feb. 11	Illinois State	W. 49-0
Feb. 15	@ Northwestern	L. 12-21
Feb. 18	Indiana	W. 30-8
March 6-7	Big Ten Championships	4th
March 19-21	NCAA Championships	40th

1987-88 (3-9)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 19	vs. Missouri	L. 15-19
Nov. 20	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 27	@ Southern Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 4-5	Illini Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 18	SIU-Edwardsville	L. 18-20
Dec. 28-29	@ Midlands	No Team Scores
Jan. 12	@ Ohio State	L. 6-32
Jan. 15	@ Michigan State	W. 27-13
Jan. 16	@ Michigan	L. 6-32
Jan. 23	@ Indiana	L. 15-23
Jan. 23	vs. Villanova	W. 37-8
Jan. 30	@ Northwestern	L. 12-33
Jan. 30	vs. Iowa	L. 5-42
Feb. 5	Wisconsin	L. 9-28
Feb. 7	Purdue	L. 12-29
Feb. 11	@ Illinois State	W. 37-7
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships	7th
March 17-19	NCAA Championships	33rd

1988-89 (3-10)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 12	Air Force	W. 24-13
Nov. 12	Olivet Nazarene	W. 30-14
Nov. 18	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 26	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores

Dec. 2-3	Illini Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 28-29	@ Midlands Classic	No Team Scores
Jan. 11	SIU-Edwardsville	L. 13-27
Jan. 12	Eastern Illinois	L. 13-30
Jan. 15	@ Purdue	L. 10-29
Jan. 20	Michigan State	L. 13-26
Jan. 21	Michigan	L. 9-36
Jan. 27	vs. Ohio State	L. 15-29
Jan. 28	vs. Northwestern	L. 16-29
Feb. 3	Ohio State	L. 18-26
Feb. 3	Northern Illinois	W. 23-11
Feb. 8	Indiana	L. 13-26
Feb. 16	Northwestern	L. 13-29
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships	10th
March 16-18	NCAA Championships	28th

1989-90 (3-9)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 17-18	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 24	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 2	Illini Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 29-30	@ Sunshine Open	No Team Scores
Jan. 7	@ Iowa	L. 0-51
Jan. 12	Northern Illinois	W. 23-20
Jan. 13	Purdue	L. 14-25
Jan. 19	@ Michigan State	L. 13-24
Jan. 20	@ Michigan	L. 3-30
Jan. 26	@ Ohio State	L. 3-35
Feb. 5	@ All Star Classic	No Team Scores
Feb. 8	@ Illinois State	W. 18-16
Feb. 9	@ Indiana	L. 3-28
Feb. 18	@ Wisconsin	L. 7-35
Feb. 21	@ Eastern Illinois	W. 20-18
Feb. 25	@ Northwestern	L. 5-41
Feb. 28	Notre Dame	L. 16-20
March 10-11	Big Ten Championships	10th
March 22-24	NCAA Championships	19th

1990-91 (3-11)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 16-17	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 30-Dec. 1	@ Las Vegas Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 6	@ Northern Illinois	W. 20-13
Dec. 9	@ Southwest Missouri St.	W. 27-6
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands Classic	No Team Scores
Jan. 4	@ Sun Devil Open	No Team Scores
Jan. 9	@ Purdue	L. 0-43
Jan. 13	Wisconsin	L. 10-34
Jan. 18	Michigan State	L. 16-20
Jan. 19	@ Michigan	L. 15-28
Jan. 25	vs. Northern Iowa	L. 3-43
Jan. 25	Ohio State	L. 6-40
Feb. 1	@ Northwestern	L. 23-25
Feb. 1	vs. Iowa	L. 6-45
Feb. 7	@ Illinois State	L. 12-25
Feb. 8	Indiana	L. 9-29
Feb. 13	@ Notre Dame	L. 16-29
Feb. 14	Eastern Illinois	W. 26-20
March 2-3	Big Ten Championships	9th
March 14-16	NCAA Championships	19th

1991-92 (2-11)

Head Coach: Ron Clinton

Nov. 22-23	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 30	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 6-7	@ Las Vegas Invitational	No Team Scores
Dec. 28-29	@ Midlands Classic	No Team Scores
Jan. 17	@ Michigan State	L. 19-20
Jan. 18	@ Michigan	L. 5-59
Jan. 18	vs. Central Michigan	L. 10-34
Jan. 25	Purdue	L. 12-30
Jan. 25	Northern Illinois	W. 24-17
Jan. 31	vs. Northwestern	L. 15-25
Jan. 31	vs. Iowa	L. 0-52
Feb. 2	Notre Dame	L. 11-24
Feb. 5	@ Eastern Illinois	L. 16-24
Feb. 7	@ Indiana	L. 12-27
Feb. 13	Illinois State	W. 25-17
Feb. 16	@ Wisconsin	L. 0-44
Feb. 29	@ Ohio State	L. 13-27
March 7-8	Big Ten Championships	8th
March 19-21	NCAA Championships	54th

1992-93 (9-4)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 20-21	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores
Nov. 28	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 5	@ Northern Iowa Open	No Team Scores
Dec. 13	Marquette	W. 40-7
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands Classic	20th/52
Jan. 9	@ Great Plains Invite	No Team Scores
Jan. 15	@ Northern Illinois	W. 33-10

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Jan. 17	@ Purdue	L	10-26
Jan. 23	@ Northwestern	L	12-21
Jan. 23	vs. Minnesota	L	9-35
Jan. 29	Eastern Illinois	W	23-12
Jan. 30	Michigan State	W	19-15
Feb. 6	Indiana	W	23-10
Feb. 6	Michigan	L	12-29
Feb. 11	@ Illinois State	W	24-7
Feb. 12	@ SIU-Edwardsville	W	38-4
Feb. 21	@ Missouri	W	25-14
Feb. 21	vs. Oklahoma State	W	22-17
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships		8th
March 18-20	NCAA Championships		23rd

1993-94 (7-5-1)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 20	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores	
Nov. 27	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 12	SIU-Edwardsville	W	36-7
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands Classic	No Team Scores	
Jan. 8	@ Sooner Open	No Team Scores	
Jan. 14	Northern Illinois	W	28-6
Jan. 15	Purdue	L	19-23
Jan. 18	@ Eastern Illinois	W	30-16
Jan. 22	@ Minnesota	L	13-29
Jan. 22	vs. Northwestern	T	19-19
Jan. 30	@ Michigan State	L	10-30
Jan. 30	vs. Ferris State	W	23-18
Feb. 5	@ Indiana	L	7-28
Feb. 11	Illinois State	W	22-9
Feb. 13	@ Ohio State	L	6-24
Feb. 13	vs. Northern Iowa	W	24-15
Feb. 17	Valparaiso	W	48-3
March 5-6	Big Ten Championships		9th
March 17-19	NCAA Championships		37th

1994-95 (13-2)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 19	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores	
Nov. 26	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 10	@ Michigan	W	17-16
Dec. 11	Eastern Illinois	W	43-3
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands Classic	No Team Scores	
Jan. 7	Indiana	W	27-6
Jan. 13-14	@ Virginia Duals	3rd/16	
	vs. VMI	W	28-10
	vs. Edinboro	W	19-12
	vs. Minnesota	L	13-19
	vs. Navy	W	20-13
	vs. Cal State Bakersfield	W	19-13
Jan. 21	Northwestern	W	20-14
Jan. 21	Minnesota	L	14-21
Jan. 29	Ohio State	W	30-5
Feb. 1	@ Northern Illinois	W	27-6
Feb. 3	Michigan State	W	19-12
Feb. 10	@ SIU-Edwardsville	W	39-3
Feb. 11	@ Purdue	W	32-3
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships		4th
March 16-18	NCAA Championships		9th

1995-96 (11-6)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 18	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores	
Nov. 24	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 9	SIU-Edwardsville	W	38-6
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands	No Team Scores	
Jan. 7	Purdue	W	19-13
Jan. 12-13	@ Virginia Duals	2nd/16	
	vs. Missouri	W	30-9
	vs. Michigan	W	19-16
	vs. Oklahoma	W	21-10
	vs. Minnesota	L	16-21
Jan. 20	@ Northwestern	W	19-14
Jan. 20	vs. Minnesota	L	18-19
Jan. 26	Michigan	L	17-19
Jan. 27	Northern Illinois	W	43-3
Feb. 2	@ Eastern Illinois	W	35-6
Feb. 4	@ Michigan State	L	11-26
Feb. 10	@ Indiana	L	15-16
Feb. 10	vs. Nebraska	L	15-19
Feb. 15	Eastern Michigan	W	30-6
Feb. 24	@ Ohio State	W	22-9
Feb. 24	Northern Iowa	W	35-6
March 9-10	Big Ten Championships		4th
March 21-23	NCAA Championships		12th

1996-97 (14-1)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 23	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores	
Nov. 24	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 6-7	@ Las Vegas Invitational	2nd/45	
Dec. 14	Indiana	W	20-15

Dec. 28-29	@ Midlands Classic		6th/56
Jan. 11	@ Peach State Duals		
	vs. Virginia	W	34-3
	vs. Chattanooga	W	40-0
	vs. Georgia State	W	49-4
	vs. Nebraska	W	32-11
Jan. 16	@ Purdue	W	22-10
Jan. 18	Northwestern	W	34-5
Jan. 23	Eastern Illinois	W	38-0
Jan. 25	Ohio State	W	34-6
Feb. 1	Michigan State	W	28-9
Feb. 8	@ Iowa	L	10-25
Feb. 9	vs. Northern Illinois	W	40-7
Feb. 12	@ SIU-Edwardsville	W	39-6
Feb. 20	@ Michigan	W	24-10
Feb. 21	@ Eastern Michigan	W	41-1
March 8-9	Big Ten Championships		3rd
March 20-22	NCAA Championships		9th

1997-98 (11-3)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 23	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores	
Nov. 29	@ Northern Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 5-6	@ Las Vegas Invitational	3rd/41	
Dec. 13	Eastern Michigan	W	35-9
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands Classic	2nd/53	
Jan. 10	@ Peach State Duals		
	vs. Chattanooga	W	34-8
	vs. VMI	W	41-3
	vs. Georgia State	W	34-12
	vs. Miami of Ohio	W	37-4
Jan. 17	Purdue	L	13-18
Jan. 18	@ Northwestern	W	29-9
Jan. 24	Michigan	L	15-19
Jan. 28	@ Eastern Illinois	W	34-9
Feb. 1	@ Michigan State	W	22-13
Feb. 7	Iowa	L	12-26
Feb. 8	@ Indiana	W	31-6
Feb. 14	SIU-Edwardsville	W	39-6
Feb. 22	@ Ohio State	W	28-8
March 7-8	Big Ten Championships		6th
March 19-21	NCAA Championships		7th

1998-1999 (13-2)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 14	vs. Missouri	W	33-3
Nov. 21	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 4-5	@ Las Vegas Invitational	1st/43	
Dec. 5	@ Northern Iowa Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 12	Central Missouri	W	42-0
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands Classic	4th/55	
Jan. 7-8	@ Virginia Duals	1st/15	
	vs. North Carolina State	W	32-6
	vs. Northern Iowa	W	18-13
	vs. #21 Cornell	W	20-15
	vs. #11 Michigan	W	22-17
Jan. 16	@ Chattanooga	W	37-7
Jan. 24	#15 Northwestern	W	31-10
Jan. 29	#22 Indiana	W	22-9
Jan. 31	@ #9 Michigan	L	16-20
Feb. 5	@ #2 Minnesota	L	6-30
Feb. 7	@ Wisconsin	W	26-10
Feb. 12	#10 Penn State	W	20-14
Feb. 14	#3 Iowa	W	20-16
Feb. 21	@ #13 Purdue	W	24-15
March 6-7	Big Ten Championships		4th
March 18-20	NCAA Championships		12th

1999-2000 (14-1)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 12	@ Missouri	W	27-12
Nov. 19-20	@ St. Louis Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 3-4	@ Las Vegas Invitational	2nd/47	
Dec. 4	@ Northern Iowa Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 11	Marquette	W	37-3
Dec. 11	Southern Illinois	W	51-0
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands Classic	2nd/57	
Jan. 13	@ Air Force Academy	W	33-9
Jan. 16	@ Fresno State	W	39-6
Jan. 16	vs. San Francisco	W	43-0
Jan. 21	@ #22 Indiana	W	31-9
Jan. 23	@ Ohio State	W	36-3
Jan. 23	vs. Brown	W	31-6
Jan. 28	#10 Michigan	W	26-9
Feb. 4	#15 Wisconsin	W	32-7
Feb. 6	#12 Michigan State	W	25-6
Feb. 11	@ #1 Iowa	L	9-27
Feb. 13	@ Northwestern	W	36-3
Feb. 17	Purdue	W	30-3
March 4-5	Big Ten Championships		3rd
March 16-18	NCAA Championships		6th

2000-2001 (12-2)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 10	vs. Missouri	W	33-6
Nov. 19	@ Missouri Open	No team scores	
Dec. 1-2	@ Las Vegas Invitational	1st/52	
Dec. 2	@ Northern Iowa Open	No team scores	
Dec. 10	SIU-Edwardsville	W	56-0
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands	6th/50	
Jan. 11	@ UNC-Greensboro	W	47-0
Jan. 13	N.C. State Duals		
	vs. Ohio	W	37-3
	vs. Princeton	W	37-0
	@ North Carolina State	W	33-6
Jan. 19	Northwestern	W	40-3
Jan. 21	#23 Indiana	W	39-0
Jan. 26	@ #8 Michigan State	L	16-15
Jan. 28	@ #17 Penn State	W	32-3
Feb. 4	#1 Minnesota	L	22-12
Feb. 9	@ #21 Purdue	W	32-10
Feb. 11	@ Wisconsin	W	27-11
Feb. 18	#8 Ohio State	W	25-6
March 3-4	Big Ten Championships		2nd
March 15-17	NCAA Championships		5th

2001-2002 (12-4)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 9	@ #21 Missouri	L	13-20
Nov. 18	@ Missouri Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 3	@ Northern Iowa Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 8	Eastern Illinois	W	35-3
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands	7th/60	
Jan. 11	@ Oregon Classic	1st/16	
	vs. Pacific	W	36-3
	vs. Oregon State	W	26-10
	vs. Brown	W	28-6
	vs. Air Force	W	26-13
Jan. 18	@ SIU-Edwardsville	W	44-3
Jan. 18	vs. Missouri Valley	W	44-0
Jan. 25	@ Northwestern	W	27-6
Feb. 1	@ #3 Michigan	L	6-25
Feb. 3	#24 Penn State	W	25-10
Feb. 8	#16 Wisconsin	W	23-9
Feb. 10	@ Indiana	W	29-9
Feb. 17	@ Minnesota	L	6-27
Feb. 22	#14 Purdue	W	18-13
Feb. 24	#3 Iowa	L	10-24
March 9-10	Big Ten Championships		5th
March 21-23	NCAA Championships		10th

2002-2003 (11-3)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 24	@ Missouri Open	No Team Scores	
Dec. 6-7	@ Las Vegas Invitational	2nd/46	
Dec. 14	SIU-Edwardsville	W	48-3
Dec. 28-29	@ Midlands	3rd/50	
Jan. 10-11	@ Virginia Duals	3rd/16	
	vs. North Carolina	W	22-12
	vs. Lock Haven	W	32-3
	vs. #13 Nebraska	L	17-20
	vs. Edinboro	W	32-9
	vs. #10 Penn State	W	19-12
Jan. 18	@ Chattanooga	W	31-6
Jan. 24	#9 Michigan	L	13-19
Jan. 26	@ #2 Iowa	L	4-40
Jan. 31	@ #20 Purdue	W	20-15
Feb. 7	Northwestern	W	37-3
Feb. 9	@ #19 Wisconsin	W	29-7
Feb. 13	@ #4 Ohio State	W	21-15
Feb. 23	#6 Michigan State	W	17-16
March 8-9	Big Ten Championships		5th
March 20-22	NCAA Championships		9th/75

2003-2004 (13-1)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Dec. 5-6	@ Las Vegas Invitational	4th/43	
Dec. 13	Chattanooga	W	38-6
Dec. 29-30	@ Midlands	1st/61	
Jan. 10	N.C. State Duals		
	at N.C. State	W	41-3
	vs. Drexel	W	38-3
	vs. UNC-Greensboro	W	40-3
Jan. 16	@ SIU-Edwardsville	W	50-0
Jan. 16	vs. McKendree	W	43-4
Jan. 23	@ #6 Penn State	W	26-13
Jan. 25	@ #24 Michigan State	W	22-10
Jan. 31	@ Indiana	W	24-13
Feb. 1	@ Northwestern	W	32-7
Feb. 6	#15 Minnesota	L	16-19

Feb. 8	.....#12 Wisconsin	.....W	.....30-9
Feb. 13	.....#23 Ohio State	.....W	.....19-14
Feb. 22	.....#18 Purdue	.....W	.....W 26-9
March 6-7	.....Big Ten Championships	.....	.....3rd
March 18-20	.....NCAA Championships	.....	.....7th /73

2004-05 (16-1-1)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 21	.....@ Missouri Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 5	.....@ Northern Iowa Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 11	.....Central Missouri State	.....W	.....51-0
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....1st/60
Jan. 8	.....Buckeye Duals	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. Chattanooga	.....W	.....27-9
.....	.....vs. Clarion	.....W	.....37-7
.....	.....vs. Wyoming	.....W	.....47-0
Jan. 14	.....@ #15 Wisconsin	.....W	.....25-12Jan. 15N.C. State
.....	.....W	.....	.....40-0
Jan. 16	.....@ Augustana (reserve squad)	.....W	.....39-0
Jan. 22	.....National Duals	.....	.....2nd/16
.....	.....vs. #22 West Virginia	.....W	.....34-6
.....	.....vs. #10 Oklahoma	.....W	.....21-12
.....	.....vs. #8 Minnesota	.....W	.....20-15
.....	.....vs. #1 Oklahoma State	.....L	.....15-22
Jan. 28	.....#9 Iowa	.....W	.....25-7
Feb. 4	.....@ Purdue	.....W	.....32-6
Feb. 6	.....@ #5 Michigan	.....T	.....17-17
Feb. 11	.....#14 Penn State	.....W	.....26-6
Feb. 13	.....#19 Indiana	.....W	.....37-0
Feb. 17	.....#18 Northwestern	.....W	.....29-6
Feb. 20	.....@ #10 Minnesota	.....W	.....24-13
March 5-6	.....Big Ten Championships	.....	.....1st
March 17-19	.....NCAA Championships	.....	.....6th/74

2005-06 (10-2-1)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 20	.....@ Missouri Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 2-3	.....@ Las Vegas Invitational	.....6th/52 teams	
Dec. 4	.....@ Northern Iowa Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 11	.....Augustana	.....W	.....45-0
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....1st/66
Jan. 13	.....@ San Francisco State	.....W	.....43-0
Jan. 13	.....@ Fresno St.	.....W	.....33-3
Jan. 15	.....@ Stanford	.....W	.....39-0
Jan. 20	.....Purdue	.....W	.....27-7
Jan. 26	.....@ Harper College	.....W	.....30-9
Jan. 27	.....@ #15 Indiana	.....W	.....26-6
Jan. 29	.....@ Ohio State	.....W	.....27-12
Feb. 3	.....#4 Michigan	.....L	.....17-18Feb. 5 @ #16 Northwestern
.....	.....L	.....	.....16-19
Feb. 10	.....@ #9 Iowa	.....W	.....24-13
Feb. 12	.....#18 Michigan State	.....W	.....22-15
Feb. 19	.....#23 Wisconsin	.....T	.....15-15
March 4-5	.....Big Ten Championships	.....	.....2nd
March 17-19	.....NCAA Championships	.....	.....25th/69

2006-07 (11-1)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 19	.....@ Missouri Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 3	.....@ Northern Iowa Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 9	.....Findlay	.....W	.....38-6
Dec. 9	.....Central Missouri State	.....W	.....48-0
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....6th/56
Jan. 13	.....@ North Carolina	.....W	.....32-3
Jan. 13	.....@ Maryland	.....W	.....26-0
Jan. 19	.....#8 Northwestern	.....W	.....21-13
Jan. 21	.....#13 Indiana	.....W	.....22-9
Jan. 26	.....@ #23 Michigan State	.....W	.....22-13
Jan. 28	.....@ #12 Penn State	.....W	.....18-16
Feb. 4	.....#1 Minnesota	.....L	.....12-28
Feb. 9	.....@ Purdue	.....W	.....29-7
Feb. 11	.....@ #6 Wisconsin	.....W	.....21-16
Feb. 18	.....#16 Ohio State	.....W	.....19-18
March 3-4	.....Big Ten Championships	.....	.....7th
March 15-17	.....NCAA Championships	.....	.....19th/74

2007-08 (13-4)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 18	.....@ Missouri Open	.....No Team Scores	
Nov. 30-Dec. 1	.....@ Las Vegas Invitational	.....	.....6th/50
Dec. 8	.....Findlay	.....W	.....30-10
Dec. 8	.....McKendree	.....W	.....31-9
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....4th/52
Jan. 11-12	.....@ Virginia Duals	.....	.....2nd/16
.....	.....vs. Lehigh	.....W	.....28-3
.....	.....vs. Kent State	.....W	.....19-15
.....	.....vs. #23 Old Dominion	.....W	.....29-9
.....	.....vs. #3 Oklahoma State	.....L	.....12-21
Jan. 20	.....@ Wendy's Duals	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. Cleveland State	.....W	.....37-0
.....	.....vs. Liberty	.....W	.....41-0
.....	.....vs. Ashland	.....W	.....46-0

Feb. 1	.....@ #6 Michigan	.....L	.....16-22
Feb. 3	.....#8 Penn State	.....W	.....18-15
Feb. 8	.....#13 Wisconsin	.....W	.....24-13
Feb. 10	.....@ #17 Indiana	.....W	.....23-9
Feb. 15	.....@ #4 Minnesota	.....W	.....19-17
Feb. 17	.....@ #12 Northwestern	.....L	.....11-22
Feb. 22	.....Purdue	.....W	.....31-6
Feb. 24	.....#1 Iowa	.....L	.....12-21
March 8-9	.....Big Ten Championships	.....	.....4th
March 20-22	.....NCAA Championships	.....	.....14th/74

2008-09 (13-2)

Head Coach: Mark Johnson

Nov. 15	.....@ ACC/Big Ten Clash	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. North Carolina State	.....W	.....40-7
.....	.....vs. #21 Virginia	.....W	.....39-7
.....	.....vs. North Carolina	.....W	.....26-9
Nov. 23	.....@ Missouri Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 5-6	.....@ Las Vegas Invitational	.....	.....13th/44
Dec. 7	.....@ Northern Iowa Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 13	.....Findlay	.....W	.....32-6
Dec. 13	.....McKendree	.....W	.....39-9
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....10th/47
Jan. 9	.....@ West Virginia	.....W	.....26-19
Jan. 10	.....@ #25 Pittsburgh	.....W	.....26-10
Jan. 25	.....@ #1 Iowa	.....L	.....4-32
Jan. 30	.....@ #25 Purdue	.....W	.....29-11
Feb. 6	.....#16 Northwestern	.....W	.....22-13
Feb. 8	.....@ #17 Wisconsin	.....W	.....24-16
Feb. 13	.....#20 Indiana	.....W	.....25-6
Feb. 15	.....@ #6 Ohio State	.....L	.....13-26
Feb. 20	.....#17 Michigan	.....W	.....20-15
Feb. 22	.....Michigan State	.....W	.....26-12
March 7-8	.....Big Ten Championships	.....	.....2nd
March 19-21	.....NCAA Championships	.....	.....8th/74

2009-10 (8-8)

Head Coach: Jim Heffernan

Oct. 30	.....@ Lindenwood Open	.....No Team Scores	
Nov. 7	.....@ Eastern Michigan Open	.....No Team Scores	
Nov. 12	.....@ #10 Missouri	.....L	.....16-18
Nov. 22	.....@ Sprawl and Brawl	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. Pittsburgh	.....L	.....15-18
.....	.....vs. Davidson	.....W	.....47-0
.....	.....vs. West Virginia	.....W	.....23-15
Nov. 22	.....@ Missouri Open	.....NTR	.....
Dec. 4-5	.....@ Las Vegas Invitational	.....	.....19th/42
Dec. 12	.....Findlay	.....W	.....46-3
Dec. 12	.....McKendree	.....W	.....29-16
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....10th/54
Jan. 8	.....SIUE	.....W	.....48-0
Jan. 16	.....@ #2 Iowa State	.....L	.....9-33
Jan. 22	.....@ #13 Penn State	.....L	.....11-24
Jan. 24	.....@ Michigan State	.....W	.....23-12
Jan. 29	.....@ #14 Indiana	.....L	.....13-22
Jan. 31	.....@ Northwestern	.....W	.....30-6
Feb. 5	.....#5 Minnesota	.....L	.....13-27
Feb. 7	.....#13 Wisconsin	.....W	.....19-18
Feb. 12	.....#3 Ohio State	.....L	.....3-38
Feb. 18	.....#23 Purdue	.....L	.....11-25
March 6-7	.....@ Big Ten Championships	.....	.....8th/11
March 18-20	.....@ NCAA Championships	.....	.....23rd/78

2010-11 (6-5-1)

Head Coach: Jim Heffernan

Nov. 12	.....vs. #11 Missouri	.....W	.....18-13
Dec. 3-4	.....@ Las Vegas Invitational	.....	.....5th/36
Dec. 19	.....Purdue	.....W	.....26-15
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....10th/44
Jan. 7	.....West Virginia	.....L	.....15-18
Jan. 14	.....@ #22 Northwestern	.....L	.....13-27
Jan. 16	.....@ #3 Wisconsin	.....T	.....19-19
Jan. 21	.....SIUE	.....W	.....50-0
Jan. 23	.....#5 Minnesota	.....L	.....16-21
Jan. 30	.....@ Michigan State	.....L	.....15-21
Feb. 4	.....Ohio State	.....W	.....21-12
Feb. 11	.....@ #3 Penn State	.....L	.....13-23
Feb. 12	.....@ Lock Haven	.....W	.....34-7
Feb. 17	.....Indiana	.....W	.....23-12
March 5-6	.....@ Big Ten Championships	.....	.....5th/11
March 17-19	.....@ NCAA Championships	.....	.....22nd/73

2011-12 (16-4)

Head Coach: Jim Heffernan

Nov. 5	.....@ Loras Open	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. North Carolina	.....W	.....32-9
.....	.....vs. #24 Kent State	.....W	.....24-18
.....	.....vs. The Citadel	.....W	.....48-3
.....	.....vs. Utah Valley	.....W	.....41-3
Nov. 20	.....@ Lehigh	.....W	.....22-18
Nov. 20	.....vs. Clarion	.....W	.....34-13
Dec. 2	.....@ #1 Iowa	.....L	.....20-13

Dec. 18	.....vs. Chattanooga	.....W	.....30-6
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....6th/50
Jan. 8	.....@ #8 Michigan	.....W	.....31-9
Jan. 13	.....#3 Minnesota	.....L	.....9-26
Jan. 22	.....Michigan State	.....W	.....26-13
Jan. 27	.....#18 Northwestern	.....W	.....26-10
Jan. 29	.....@ Indiana	.....W	.....29-10
Feb. 3	.....Wisconsin	.....W	.....38-3
Feb. 12	.....@ NWCA National Duals	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. #11 Oklahoma	.....W	.....21-18
.....	.....@ #5 Cornell	.....W	.....19-16
Feb. 19	.....@ NWCA National Duals	.....	.....
Feb. 19	.....@ #1 Oklahoma State	.....L	.....19-15
Feb. 19	.....vs. #2 Iowa	.....L	.....28-6
March 3-4	.....@ Big Ten Championships	.....	.....4th/12
March 15-17	.....@ NCAA Championships	.....	.....7th/64

2012-13 (7-6-1)

Head Coach: Jim Heffernan

Nov. 3	.....@ Loras Open	.....No Team Scores	
Nov. 10	.....@ Cyclone Open	.....No Team Scores	
Nov. 17	.....@ Lindenwood Open	.....No Team Scores	
Nov. 24	.....@ Journeyman Duals	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. Princeton	.....W	.....46-0
.....	.....vs. Maryland	.....W	.....31-6
.....	.....vs. Binghamton	.....W	.....39-10
Dec. 8	.....@ Northern Iowa Open	.....No Team Scores	
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....1st/48
Jan. 6	.....@ Chattanooga	.....W	.....29-10
Jan. 11	.....Purdue	.....W	.....29-10
Jan. 18	.....@ #14 Nebraska	.....L	.....15-18
Jan. 21	.....@ #4 Minnesota	.....L	.....14-18
Jan. 27	.....Indiana	.....W	.....30-9
Feb. 1	.....@ #5 Ohio State	.....L	.....9-25
Feb. 3	.....#1 Penn State	.....L	.....0-37
Feb. 8	.....#2 Iowa	.....L	.....12-25
Feb. 10	.....@ #17 Northwestern	.....W	.....24-10
Feb. 22	.....@ NWCA National Duals	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. #1 Oklahoma State	.....L	.....3-33
March 9-10	.....@ Big Ten Championships	.....	.....5th/12
March 21-23	.....@ NCAA Championships	.....	.....9th/66

2013-14 (11-8)

Head Coach: Jim Heffernan

Nov. 9	.....@ Loras Open	.....No Team Scores	
Nov. 16	.....@ Chicago Quad	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. Arizona State	.....W	.....27-11
.....	.....vs. Ouachita Baptist	.....W	.....41-3
.....	.....vs. SIU Edwardsville	.....W	.....38-3
Nov. 30	.....@ Journeyman Duals	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. George Mason	.....W	.....44-0
.....	.....vs. North Carolina State	.....W	.....26-15
Dec. 1	.....@ Grapple at the Garden	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. Bloomsburg	.....W	.....29-18
.....	.....vs. #9 Cornell	.....L	.....15-18
.....	.....@ #17 Wisconsin	.....L	.....18-19
Dec. 29-30	.....@ Midlands	.....	.....4th/47
Jan. 12	.....#8 Ohio State	.....L	.....16-18
Jan. 17	.....#16 Michigan	.....L	.....13-19
Jan. 24	.....@ #1 Penn State	.....L	.....3-31
Jan. 26	.....@ Michigan State	.....W	.....29-6
Feb. 1	.....#7 Nebraska	.....L	.....13-22
Feb. 7	.....at Purdue	.....W	.....18-16
Feb. 9	.....@ #9 Northwestern	.....W	.....24-12
Feb. 16-17	.....@ NWCA National Duals	.....	.....
.....	.....vs. Central Michigan	.....L	.....13-19
.....	.....vs. Bloomsburg	.....W	.....23-8
.....	.....vs. Kent State	.....W	.....24-13
.....	.....vs. Oregon State	.....L	.....17-18
March 8-9	.....@ Big Ten Championships	.....	.....6th/12
March 21-23	.....@ NCAA Championships	.....	.....13th/66

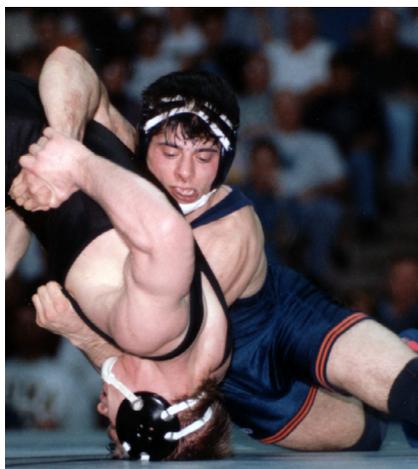
ALL-TIME RECORDS VS. OPPONENTS

OPPONENT	FIRST MTG	W	L	T	WIN PCT.	OPPONENT	FIRST MTG	W	L	T	WIN PCT.
Akron	1980	1	0	0	1.000	Memphis Naval	1953	1	0	0	1.000
Appalachian State	1985	0	1	0	.000	Miami (Ohio)	1987	2	0	0	1.000
Arizona State	2013	1	0	0	1.000	Michigan	1924	25	41	1	.381
Arkansas	1953	1	0	0	1.000	Michigan State	1946	18	40	3	.320
Army	1960	1	2	0	.333	Minnesota	1926	23	29	2	.426
Ashland	2008	1	0	0	1.000	Missouri	1928	20	9	0	.689
Auburn	1959	2	0	0	1.000	Missouri Valley	2001	1	0	0	1.000
Augustana (Ill.)	1979	4	0	0	1.000	Moorhead State	1976	1	0	0	1.000
Ball State	1976	3	1	0	.750	Morton J.C.	1932	2	0	0	1.000
Binghamton	2012	1	0	0	1.000	Navy Service Team	1985	1	0	0	1.000
Bloomsburg	2013	2	0	0	1.000	Nebraska	1939	3	4	0	.429
Boise State	1985	1	0	0	1.000	Nebraska-Omaha	1974	1	0	0	1.000
BYU	1985	1	0	0	1.000	North Carolina	1985	5	1	0	.833
Brown	1999	2	0	0	1.000	North Carolina-Greensboro	2001	1	0	0	1.000
Cal State-Bakersfield	1995	1	0	0	1.000	North Carolina State	2000	5	0	0	1.000
Carleton	1958	1	0	0	1.000	Northern Illinois	1970	16	9	0	.640
Central Michigan	1992	1	1	0	.500	Northern Iowa	1930	11	20	3	.368
Central Missouri	1987	4	0	0	1.000	Northwestern	1922	44	32	2	.577
Chicago	1912	22	1	3	.904	Notre Dame	1962	3	3	0	.500
Cincinnati	1982	1	0	0	1.000	Ohio	1922	7	2	0	.778
Clarion	2011	1	0	0	1.000	Ohio State	1934	32	31	1	.508
Clarion State	1980	1	1	0	.500	Oklahoma	1953	3	2	0	.600
Cleveland State	1975	1	1	0	.500	Oklahoma State	1960	1	14	0	.067
Colorado School of Mines	1961	1	0	0	1.000	Old Dominion	1985	2	0	0	1.000
Colorado State	1961	0	1	0	.000	Olivet Nazarene	1985	2	0	0	1.000
Cornell College	1930	9	4	1	.692	Oregon State	2001	1	1	0	.500
Cornell University	2013	0	1	0	.000	Ouachita Baptist	2013	1	0	0	1.000
Davidson	2009	1	0	0	1.000	Pacific	2001	1	0	0	1.000
DePauw	1975	1	0	0	1.000	Penn State	1952	9	5	0	.643
Drake	1970	8	3	0	.727	Pittsburgh	1952	1	4	0	.200
Drexel	2004	1	0	0	1.000	Princeton	2000	2	0	0	1.000
Eastern Illinois	1961	21	16	0	.561	Purdue	1916	52	27	2	.654
Eastern Michigan	1996	3	0	0	1.000	San Francisco	1999	1	0	0	1.000
Edinboro	1987	2	1	0	.667	San Francisco State	2006	1	0	0	1.000
Ferris State	1994	1	0	0	1.000	South Dakota	1974	1	0	0	1.000
Findlay University	2006	4	0	0	1.000	Southern Illinois	1959	6	8	0	.428
Franklin-Marshall	1941	1	2	0	.333	Stanford	2006	1	0	0	1.000
Fresno State	1999	3	0	0	1.000	SIU Edwardsville	1974	17	6	1	.729
George Mason	2013	1	0	0	1.000	SW Missouri State	1987	2	0	0	1.000
Georgia	1969	1	0	0	1.000	Taylor	1979	1	0	0	1.000
Georgia State	1997	2	0	0	1.000	Tenn-Chattanooga	1981	10	0	0	1.000
Great Lakes	1954	1	0	0	1.000	The Citadel	2011	1	0	0	1.000
Great Lakes Naval	1956	1	0	0	1.000	Toledo	1955	1	0	0	1.000
Grinnell	1956	1	0	0	1.000	Troy State	1969	1	0	0	1.000
Harper College	2006	1	0	0	1.000	U.S. Air Force Academy	1961	6	3	0	.667
Hawaii All Stars	1985	1	0	0	1.000	U.S. Naval Academy	1952	1	1	0	.500
Illinois State	1938	22	5	2	.776	Utah State	1985	1	0	0	1.000
Illinois Tech.	1945	1	0	0	1.000	Utah Valley	2011	1	0	0	1.000
Indiana	1911	45	41	1	.517	Virginia Military Institute	1941	3	0	0	1.000
Indiana Central	1973	2	0	0	1.000	Valparaiso	1979	2	0	0	1.000
Indiana State	1969	5	4	0	.556	Vanderbilt	1941	2	0	0	1.000
Indiana, YMCA	1913	1	0	0	1.000	Villanova	1988	1	0	0	1.000
Iowa	1920	27	47	1	.360	Virginia	1997	2	0	0	1.000
Iowa Pre-Flight	1945	0	1	0	.000	Western Ontario	1957	2	0	0	1.000
Iowa Seahawks	1944	0	1	0	.000	Washington Lee	1941	1	0	0	1.000
Iowa State	1935	7	2	0	.778	West Virginia	1926	8	2	0	.800
Kansas State	1937	3	8	0	.273	Western Illinois	1974	4	1	0	.800
Kent State	2008	3	0	0	1.000	Wheaton	1934	4	0	0	1.000
Lehigh	1934	2	1	0	.667	Wisconsin	1915	39	26	3	.596
Liberty	2008	1	0	0	1.000	Wisconsin-Whitewater	1969	1	0	0	1.000
Lock Haven	2003	2	0	0	1.000	Wisconsin-Milwaukee	1973	0	1	0	.000
Mankato State	1987	1	0	0	1.000	Wyoming	2005	1	0	0	1.000
Maryland	2006	2	0	0	1.000						
Marquette	1969	3	0	0	1.000						
McKendree	2004	4	0	0	1.000						

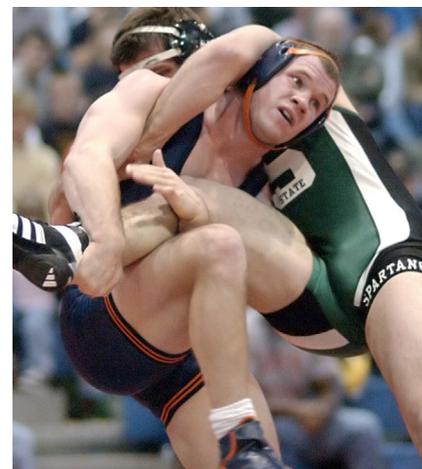
INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

SINGLE-SEASON WINS

	NAME	WT	YEAR	WINS
1.	Steve Marianetti	142	1992-93	44
2.	Adam Tirapelle	149	1999-00	39
3.	Pete Friedl	174	2004-05	38
	Matt Lackey	165	2002-03	38
	Matt Lackey	165	2001-02	38
6.	Eric Siebert	150	1997-98	37
	Eric Siebert	150	1996-97	37
	Kevin Puebla	126	1978-79	37
9.	John Dergo	184	2009-10	36
	Jimmy Kennedy	133	2008-09	36
11.	Mike Poeta	157	2007-08	35
	Brian Glynn	184	2004-05	35
	Brian Glynn	184	2003-04	35
	Alex Tirapelle	157	2003-04	35
	Jon Llewellyn	HWT	1990-91	35
16.	John Lockhart	HWT	2001-02	34
	Nate Patrick	184	1999-00	34
	Adam Tirapelle	149	1998-99	34
	Steve Marianetti	142	1993-94	34
	Kevin Puebla	126	1975-76	34
21.	Mark Jayne	133	2004-05	33
	Mark Jayne	133	2003-04	33
	Alex Tirapelle	157	2002-03	33
	Nate Patrick	184	2000-01	33
	Ernest Benion	158	1996-97	33
	Ernest Benion	158	1994-95	33
	Jon Llewellyn	HWT	1988-89	33
	Kevin Pancratz	HWT	1975-76	33



Steve Marianetti won 44 matches during the 1993 season, a record that has been untouchable for over a decade.



National champion Matt Lackey finished his career with .896 winning percentage, which broke the school record.

SINGLE-SEASON PINS

	NAME	WT	YEAR	PINS
1.	Adam Tirapelle	149	1999-00	15
2.	Keith Healy	134	1984-85	14
	Bob Norman	157	1957-58	14
4.	B.J. Futrell	133	2011-12	13
	Larry TenPas	157	1954-55	13
6.	Adam Tirapelle	149	2000-01	10
	Mike O'Brien	126	1986-87	10
	Tony Dallago	184	2012-13	10
9.	John Dergo	184	2009-10	9
	Nate Patrick	184	2000-01	9
	Nate Patrick	184	1999-00	9
	Karl Roesler	HWT	1998-99	9
	Karl Roesler	HWT	1997-98	9

SINGLE-SEASON WIN PERCENTAGE

	NAME	WT	YEAR	REC	PCT
1.	Matt Lackey	165	2002-03	38-0	1.000
	Eric Siebert	150	1997-98	37-0	1.000
3.	Jon Llewellyn	HWT	1990-91	35-1	.972
4.	Matt Lackey	165	2001-02	38-2	.950
5.	Alex Tirapelle	157	2003-04	35-2	.946
6.	Adam Tirapelle	149	2000-01	31-2	.939
7.	Jesse Delgado	125	2013-14	30-2	.938
8.	Adam Tirapelle	149	1999-00	39-3	.924
9.	Mike Poeta	157	2007-08	35-3	.921
10.	Ernest Benion	158	1996-97	33-3	.917
11.	Steve Marianetti	150	1994-95	29-3	.906
12.	Jesse Delgado	125	2012-13	27-3	.900
	John Dergo	184	2009-10	36-4	.900
14.	Mike Poeta	157	2006-07	25-3	.893
15.	Mark Jayne	133	2003-04	33-4	.892
	Nate Patrick	184	2000-01	33-4	.892
17.	Pete Friedl	174	2004-05	38-5	.884
18.	Alex Tirapelle	157	2005-06	30-4	.882
	Alex Tirapelle	157	2004-05	30-4	.882
20.	Brian Glynn	184	2004-05	35-5	.875
21.	Nate Patrick	184	1999-00	34-5	.872
22.	Jon Llewellyn	HWT	1989-90	27-4	.871
23.	Mark Jayne	133	2004-05	33-5	.868
24.	Pete Friedl	184	2005-06	32-5	.865
25.	Kevin Puebla	126	1978-79	37-5-2	.864

CAREER WINS

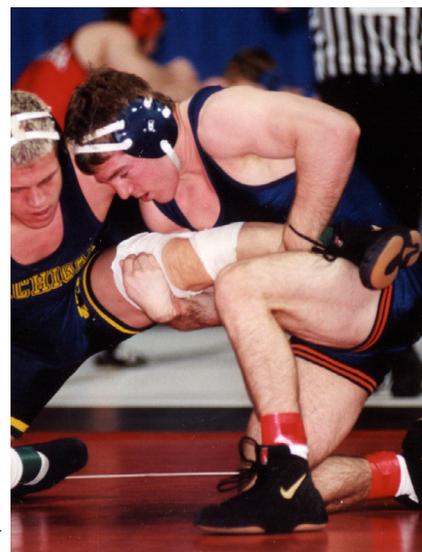
	NAME	WT	YEARS	WINS
1.	Alex Tirapelle	157	2003-06	128
2.	Adam Tirapelle	149	1998-01	127
3.	Pete Friedl	174/184	2003-06	125
4.	Jimmy Kennedy	133	2006-11	124
5.	John Lockhart	HWT	1999-02	122
6.	Ernest Benion	158	1994-97	121
7.	Matt Lackey	165	2000-03	120
8.	Steve Marianetti	134/150	1992-95	118
9.	Brian Glynn	174/184	2002-05	116
10.	Jordan Blanton	174	2008-13	115
11.	Eric Siebert	150	1995-98	112
12.	Jevon Herman	177	1995-98	110
13.	B.J. Futrell	125/133/141	2008-13	108
	Mark Jayne	133	2002-05	108
15.	Pat Quirk	197	1998-01	107
16.	Jon Llewellyn	HWT	1988-91	106
17.	John Dergo	174/184	2007-10	105
	Mike Poeta	157	2004-08	105
	Kevin Puebla	126	1977-80	105
20.	Griff Powell	157	1999-02	103
21.	Carl Perry	126/141	1997-00	98
22.	Nate Patrick	184	1998-01	96
23.	Jesse Delgado	125	2011-present	91
	Tony Dallago	174/184	2009-14	91
	Kirk Azinger	142/150	1985-88	91
	Seth Brady	HWT	1994-97	91

CAREER PINS

	NAME	WT	YEARS	PINS
1.	Tony Dallago	174/184	2009-13	40
2.	B.J. Futrell	125/133/141	2008-13	38
3.	Adam Tirapelle	149	1998-01	33
4.	Keith Healy	134	1985-88	31
5.	Larry TenPas	157	1953-56	26
	Jordan Blanton	174	2008-13	26
7.	Bob Norman	157	1956-58	22
8.	Karl Roesler	HWT	1996-99	21
	Nate Patrick	184	1998-01	21
10.	Troy Tirapelle	141/149	2006-09	20

CAREER WIN PERCENTAGE

	NAME	WT	YEARS	REC	PCT
1.	Matt Lackey	165	2000-03	120-14	.896
2.	Mike Poeta	157	2006-09	105-14	.882
3.	Alex Tirapelle	157	2003-06	128-18	.877
4.	Jesse Delgado	125	2011-present	91-13	.875
5.	Adam Tirapelle	142/149	1998-01	127-21	.858
6.	Jimmy Kennedy	133	2006-11	124-25	.832
7.	John Lockhart	HWT	1999-02	123-26	.826
8.	Jon Llewellyn	HWT	1988-91	106-22-3	.821
9.	Pete Friedl	174/184	2003-06	125-28	.817
10.	Nate Patrick	184	1998-01	96-22	.814
11.	Steve Marianetti	134/150	1992-95	118-28	.808
12.	Ernest Benion	158	1994-97	121-30	.801
13.	Eric Siebert	142/150	1995-98	112-29	.794
14.	Kyle Ott	125	2002-05	78-21	.788
15.	Kevin Puebla	126	1976-79	105-27-4	.787
16.	Mark Jayne	133	2002-05	108-31	.777
17.	B.J. Futrell	125/133/144	2008-13	108-35	.755
18.	Brian Glynn	174/184	2002-05	116-38	.753
19.	Carl Perry	126/141	1997-00	98-33	.748
20.	Steve Hankenson	150	1986-89	81-28-4	.735
21.	Jordan Blanton	174	2008-13	115-44	.723



2001 graduate and NCAA champion Adam Tirapelle held the Illinois school records for career wins upon graduating. He also held the single-season pins record for over a decade.

TEAM RECORDS

POINTS SCORED AT NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

	POINTS	YEAR	COACH
1.	89.0	2001	Mark Johnson
2.	70.5	2005	Mark Johnson
3.	69.5	2004	Mark Johnson
4.	62.0	2011	Jim Heffernan
5.	59.5	2000	Mark Johnson
6.	55.0	2009	Mark Johnson
7.	53.0	2003	Mark Johnson
8.	52.5	1995	Mark Johnson
9.	48.9	1998	Mark Johnson
10.	47.5	2002	Mark Johnson

POINTS SCORED AT BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

	POINTS	YEAR	COACH
1.	130.5	2001	Mark Johnson
2.	130.0	2005	Mark Johnson
3.	125.0	2006	Mark Johnson
4.	113.5	2009	Mark Johnson
5.	105.5	2011	Jim Heffernan
6.	105.5	1997	Mark Johnson
7.	98.5	2004	Mark Johnson
8.	97.5	2000	Mark Johnson
9.	94.0	2008	Mark Johnson
10.	92.0	2003	Mark Johnson
11.	91.5	2002	Mark Johnson



In 2001, nine Illini placed at the Big Ten Tournament and qualified for the NCAA Championships, setting the school record for most points scored at both events.

DUAL MEET POINTS SCORED

	POINTS	OPPONENT
1.	74	vs. Wisconsin (1934-35)
2.	56	vs. SIU-Edwardsville (2000-01)
3.	50	vs. Miami (Ohio) (1986-87)
4.	50	vs. SIU-Edwardsville (2010-11)
5.	51	vs. Central Missouri State (2004-05)
6.	49	vs. Georgia State (1996-97)
7.	48	vs. The Citadel (2011-12)
8.	48	vs. SIU Edwardsville (2009-10)
9.	48	vs. Central Missouri State (2006-07)
10.	47	vs. Valparaiso (1993-94)
11.	47	vs. Davidson (2009-10)
12.	47	vs. Wyoming (2004-05)
13.	47	vs. UNC-Greensboro (2000-01)
14.	47	vs. Navy (1984-85)
15.	47	vs. Cincinnati (1981-82)

PINS IN A DUAL

	PINS	OPPONENT
1.	5	vs. McKendree (2008-09)
2.	5	vs. Central Missouri State (2006-07)
3.	5	vs. SIU-Edwardsville (2003-04)
4.	5	vs. UNC-Greensboro (2000-01)
5.	5	vs. Wisconsin (1934-35)
6.	4	vs. The Citadel (2011-12)
7.	4	vs. Central Missouri State (2004-05)
8.	4	vs. UNC-Greensboro (2003-04)
9.	4	vs. UT-Chattanooga (2003-04)
10.	4	vs. McKendree College (2003-04)
11.	4	vs. Princeton (2000-01)
12.	4	vs. Fresno State (1999-2000)
13.	4	vs. Georgia State (1996-97)
14.	4	vs. UT-Chattanooga (1980-81)
15.	4	vs. Ohio State (1934-35)
16.	4	vs. Illinois-Chicago (1934-35)

SINGLE-SEASON PINS

	PINS	YEAR	COACH
1.	67	2012	Jim Heffernan
2.	64	2013	Jim Heffernan
3.	51	2007	Mark Johnson
4.	51	2000	Mark Johnson
5.	50	2001	Mark Johnson
6.	48	2004	Mark Johnson
7.	45	2006	Mark Johnson
8.	44	2005	Mark Johnson
9.	43	1997	Mark Johnson
10.	39	2014	Jim Heffernan

SINGLE-SEASON DUAL WINS

	WINS	YEAR	COACH
1.	16	2011	Jim Heffernan
2.	16	2005	Mark Johnson
3.	14	2000	Mark Johnson
4.	14	1997	Mark Johnson
5.	13	2009	Mark Johnson
6.	13	2008	Mark Johnson
7.	13	2004	Mark Johnson
8.	13	1999	Mark Johnson
9.	13	1995	Mark Johnson
10.	13	1987	Ron Clinton
11.	13	1955	B.R. Patterson

SINGLE-SEASON BIG TEN DUAL WINS

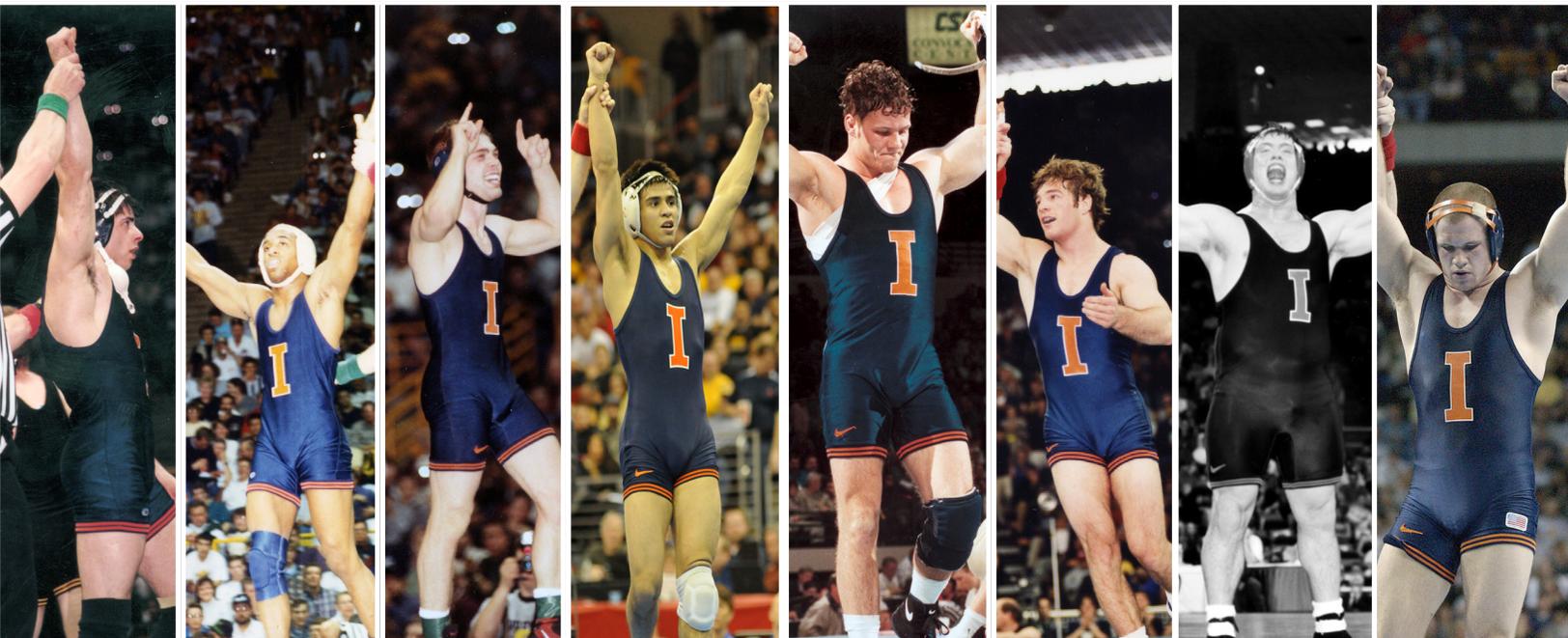
	WINS	YEAR	COACH
1.	8	1954-55	B.R. Patterson
2.	8	1949-50	B.R. Patterson
3.	7	2006-07	Mark Johnson
4.	7	2004-05	Mark Johnson
5.	7	2003-04	Mark Johnson
6.	7	1999-2000	Mark Johnson
7.	7	1957-58	B.R. Patterson
8.	6	2008-09	Mark Johnson
9.	6	2002-03	Mark Johnson
10.	6	2000-01	Mark Johnson
11.	6	1998-99	Mark Johnson
12.	6	1996-97	Mark Johnson
13.	6	1994-95	Mark Johnson
14.	6	1948-49	Glenn Law
15.	6	1921-22	Paul Prehn

BIG TEN DUAL WIN PERCENTAGE

	PCT.	REC	YEAR	COACH
1.	1.000	5-0	1960-61	B.R. Patterson
2.	1.000	3-0	1931-32	H.E. Kenney
3.	1.000	4-0	1927-28	Paul Prehn
4.	1.000	5-0	1926-27	Paul Prehn
5.	1.000	5-0	1924-25	Paul Prehn
6.	1.000	5-0	1923-24	Paul Prehn
7.	1.000	6-0	1921-22	Paul Prehn
8.	1.000	3-0	1919-20	Paul Prehn
9.	.938	7-0-1	2004-05	Mark Johnson
10.	.888	8-1	1954-55	B.R. Patterson
11.	.888	8-1	1949-50	B.R. Patterson

DUAL WIN PERCENTAGE (MINIMUM OF 10 MEETS)

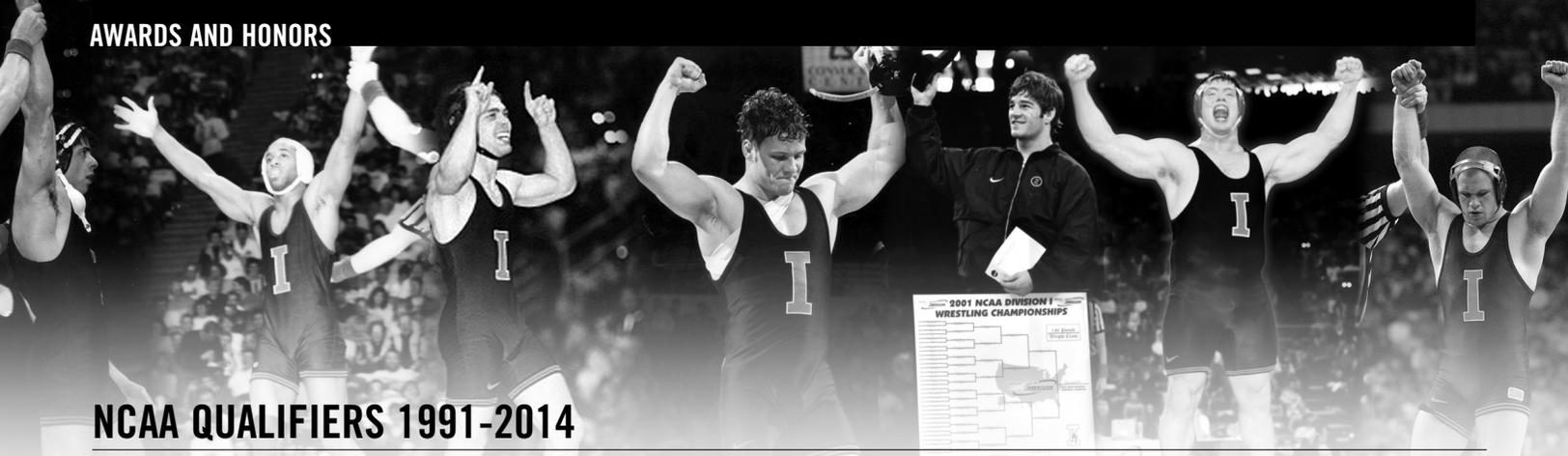
	PCT.	REC	YEAR	COACH
1.	.933	14-1	1999-2000	Mark Johnson
2.	.933	14-1	1996-97	Mark Johnson
3.	.929	13-1	2003-04	Mark Johnson
4.	.916	11-1	2006-07	Mark Johnson
5.	.917	16-1-1	2004-05	Mark Johnson
6.	.909	10-1	1960-61	B.R. Patterson
7.	.867	13-2	2008-09	Mark Johnson
8.	.867	13-2	1998-99	Mark Johnson
9.	.867	13-2	1994-95	Mark Johnson
10.	.867	13-2	1954-55	B.R. Patterson



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AWARDS AND HONORS



NCAA QUALIFIERS 1991-2014

During the last 24 years, the University of Illinois has been one of the most successful and consistent programs at the NCAA Wrestling Championships. During that time, Illinois has crowned 10 national champions and had 20 NCAA finalists, 55 All-Americans and 154 NCAA qualifiers. As a team, Illinois has had 12 top-10 finishes and 16 top-15 placings at the NCAA Championships.

1991	Jon Llewellyn, HWT	Ben King, 174	John Dergo, 184
1992	Greg Rudin, 118 Steve Marianetti, 134 Geoff Woodcock, 167	Nate Patrick, 184 Pat Quirk, 197 John Lockhart, HWT	Patrick Bond, 197 John Wise, HWT
1993	Steve Marianetti, 142 Charles Gary, 150 Jeff Monson, 190	2001	2008
1994	Lindsey Durlacher, 118 Jon Vaughn, 134 Steve Marianetti, 142 Steve Rusk, 177 Lance Pelton, 190	Ryan Escobar, 125 Mike Castillo, 141 Adam Tirapelle, 149 Griff Powell, 157 Matt Lackey, 165 Ben King, 174 Nate Patrick, 184 Pat Quirk, 197 John Lockhart, HWT	Gabe Flores, 125 Jimmy Kennedy, 133 Mike Poeta, 157 Roger Smith-Bergsrud, 165 John Dergo, 184 Patrick Bond, 197 John Wise, HWT
1995	Lindsey Durlacher, 118 Brian Stewart, 126 Jon Vaughn, 134 Eric Siebert, 142 Steve Marianetti, 150 Ernest Benion, 158 Charles Gary, 167 Jevon Herman, 177 Steve Rusk, 190 Seth Brady, HWT	2002	2009
1996	Lindsey Durlacher, 118 Jon Vaughn, 142 Eric Siebert, 150 Ernest Benion, 158 Jevon Herman, 177 Karl Roesler, 190 Seth Brady, HWT	Twan Pham, 125 Chad Hay, 133 Ryan Berger, 149 Griff Powell, 157 Matt Lackey, 165 Brian Glynn, 174 Jason Potter, 184 Tyrone Byrd, 197 John Lockhart, HWT	B.J. Futrell, 125 Jimmy Kennedy, 133 Ryan Prater, 141 Mike Poeta, 157 Roger Smith-Bergsrud, 165 John Dergo, 174 Jordan Blanton, 184 Patrick Bond, 197 John Wise, HWT
1997	Lindsey Durlacher, 118 Carl Perry, 126 Tony Siebert, 134 Jon Vaughn, 142 Eric Siebert, 150 Ernest Benion, 158 Jevon Herman, 177 Seth Brady, HWT	2003	2010
1998	Steve Doerrer, 118 Carl Perry, 126 Adam Tirapelle, 142 Eric Siebert, 150 Bill Zeman, 158 Ben King, 167 Jevon Herman, 177 Pat Quirk, 190 Karl Roesler, HWT	Twan Pham, 125 Mark Jayne, 133 Tony Pedrosa, 149 Alex Tirapelle, 157 Matt Lackey, 165 Brian Glynn, 174 Pete Friedl, 184 Tyrone Byrd, 197	Jordan Blanton, 174 John Dergo, 184 Patrick Bond, 197
1999	Steve Doerrer, 125 Dave Stoltz, 133 Carl Perry, 141 Adam Tirapelle, 149 Griff Powell, 157 Bill Zeman, 165 Nate Patrick, 184 Pat Quirk, 197 Karl Roesler, HWT	2004	2011
2000	Ryan Escobar, 125 Dave Stoltz, 133 Carl Perry, 141 Adam Tirapelle, 149 Griff Powell, 157 Bill Zeman, 165	Kyle Ott, 125 Mark Jayne, 133 Michael Martin, 141 Anton Dietzen, 149 Alex Tirapelle, 157 Ben Hay, 165 Pete Friedl, 174 Brian Glynn, 184	B.J. Futrell, 133 Jimmy Kennedy, 141 Eric Terrazas, 149 Jackson Morse, 165 Tony Dallago, 184
		2005	2012
		Kyle Ott, 125 Mark Jayne, 133 Cassio Pero, 141 Alex Tirapelle, 157 Donny Reynolds, 165 Pete Friedl, 174 Brian Glynn, 184 Tyrone Byrd, 197 Mike Behnke, HWT	Jordan Blanton, 174 Tony Dallago, 184 Jesse Delgado, 125 B.J. Futrell, 133 Mario Gonzalez, 197 Conrad Polz, 165 Eric Terrazas, 149
		2006	2013
		Kyle Ott, 125 Gabe Flores, 133 Cassio Pero, 141 Troy Tirapelle, 149 Alex Tirapelle, 157 Mike Poeta, 165 Donny Reynolds, 174 Pete Friedl, 184 Tyrone Byrd, 197 Matt Weight, HWT	Jordan Blanton, 174 Tony Dallago, 184 Jesse Delgado, 125 Caleb Ervin, 149 Mario Gonzalez, 197 Conrad Polz, 165 Daryl Thomas, 133
		2007	2014
		Gabe Flores, 125 Jimmy Kennedy, 133 Cassio Pero, 141 Mike Poeta, 157 Roger Smith-Bergsrud, 165	Jesse Delgado, 125 Zane Richards, 133 Steven Rodrigues, 141 Zac Brunson, 157 Jackson Morse, 165 Tony Dallago, 174 Nikko Reyes, 184 Mario Gonzalez, 197

ILLINOIS HAS CROWNED 22 NCAA CHAMPIONS SINCE 1929



George Minot
1929
135 lbs.



Joe Sapora
1929, 1930
115 lbs.



Joe Puerta
1932
121 lbs.



Ralph Silverstein
1935
175 lbs.



John Ginay
1938
165 lbs.



Allen Sapora
1938
126 lbs.



Archie Deutschman
1939
136 lbs.



David Shapiro
1946
165 lbs.

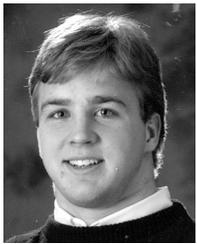
NCAA CHAMPIONS BY YEAR		
Year	Wrestler	Weight
1929	Joe Sapora	115
	George Minot	135
1930	Joe Sapora	115
1932	Joe Puerta	121
1935	Ralph Silverstein	175
1938	John Ginay	165
	Allen Sapora	126
1939	Archie Deutschman	136
1946	David Shapiro	165
1956	Larry Tenpas	157
1957	Bob Norman	HWT
1958	Bob Norman	HWT
1991	Jon Llewellyn	HWT
1995	Steve Marianetti	150
	Ernest Benion	158
1998	Eric Siebert	150
2000	Carl Perry	141
2001	John Lockhart	HWT
	Adam Tirapelle	149
2003	Matt Lackey	165
2013	Jesse Delgado	125
2014	Jesse Delgado	125



Larry Tenpas
1956
157 lbs.



Bob Norman
1957, 1958
Heavyweight



Jon Llewellyn
1991
Heavyweight



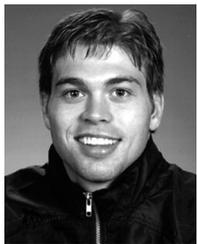
Ernest Benion
1995
158 lbs.



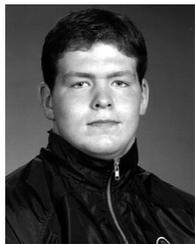
Steve Marianetti
1995
150 lbs.



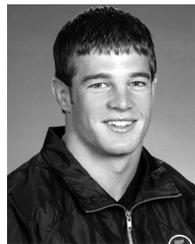
Eric Siebert
1998
150 lbs.



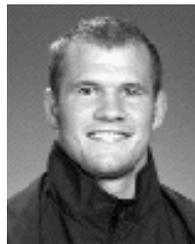
Carl Perry
2000
141 lbs.



John Lockhart
2001
Heavyweight



Adam Tirapelle
2001
149 lbs.



Matt Lackey
2003
165 lbs.



Jesse Delgado
2013, 2014
125 lbs.

THE HISTORY OF WRESTLING IN THE BIG TEN CONFERENCE

A meeting of seven university presidents in 1895, at the Palmer House Hotel in Chicago, was the first development of what would become one of organized sports' most successful undertakings.

Those seven men established the principles for which the Intercollegiate Conference of Faculty Representatives, more popularly known as the Big Ten Conference, was founded. Football and baseball were the most popular sports prior to 1900. Since then, many different athletic events have become popular on Big Ten campuses. Today, the Big Ten sponsors 12 championships for men and 11 for women.

The Big Ten began sponsoring wrestling in 1913, with Illinois and Minnesota tying for the first conference championship. Since then, the Big Ten has developed into the premier wrestling conference in the country. Big Ten teams have won 27 NCAA team championships and over 272 individual championships since the NCAA started sponsoring a national wrestling championship in 1928, including Iowa's three consecutive team titles from 2008-10. At the 2008 NCAA Championships, the top three teams represented the Big Ten. Similarly, in the 2011-12, 2012-13, 2013-14 seasons, three of the top-five finishing teams came from the Big Ten.

In 2014, over a third of the All-America honors awarded at the NCAA Championships (34 of 80) were given to Big Ten wrestlers. The 2015 Big Ten Championships will be held at Ohio State University, while the 2015 NCAA Championships will be held in St. Louis, Mo.

BIG TEN INDIVIDUAL CHAMPS

1.	Iowa	189
2.	Michigan	121
3.	Minnesota	92
4.	ILLINOIS	73
5.	Michigan State	67
	Wisconsin	67
7.	Indiana	53
8.	Northwestern	38
9.	Ohio State	36
10.	Purdue	35
11.	Penn State	34
12.	Nebraska	2

BIG TEN TEAM CHAMPS

1.	Iowa	34
2.	ILLINOIS	17
3.	Indiana	13
4.	Michigan	11
5.	Minnesota	10
6.	Michigan State	8
7.	Purdue	6
8.	Penn State	4
9.	Ohio State	2
10.	Wisconsin	0
	Northwestern	0
	Nebraska	0

ILLINOIS BIG TEN CHAMPIONS

1913	G.W. Schroeder (Lwt)
1917	E.V. Kurtzrock (145)
	L.V. Cope (158)
1920	H.L. Hoffman (175)
1927	Theodore Hesmer (125)
	J.H. Ritz (175)
1928	Allie Morrison (135)
1929	Joe Sapora (115)
	G.O. Minot (135)
1930	Joe Sapora (115)
	L.M. Bauerle (135)
	L.S. Burdick (HWT)
1931	Wilbur Dooley (126)
	Bob Emmons (135)
1932	J.L. Puerta (118)
	Bob Emmons (126)
	Barney Cosneck (165)
1933	Glen Orth (118)
	Bob Emmons (126)
1934	Pete Pakutinsky (118)
	Bill Adams (126)
	Barney Cosneck (HWT)
1935	Pete Pakutinsky (126)
	Jack McIlvoy (145)
	Ralph Silverstein (175)
	A.W. Dahl (HWT)
1936	Ralph Silverstein (HWT)
1937	Allen Sapora (126)
	Jack McIlvoy (145)
	John Ginay (165)
1938	Archie Deutschman (135)
	John Ginay (165)
1939	Dave Helsman (121)
	Archie Deutschman (136)
1941	John Sikish (HWT)
1942	Ted Seabrooke (155)
	Norm Anthonisen (165)



1943	Tom Smerdel (165)
1945	Robert Burwell (121)
1946	Lou Kachiroubas (128)
	Dave Shapiro (165)
	Norm Anthonisen (175)
1947	Lou Kachiroubas (128)
	Dave Shapiro (165)
1948	Kenneth Marlin (155)
	Charles Gottfreid (HWT)
1951	Richard Picard (130)
1952	Norton Compton (137)
1953	Norton Compton (137)
1955	Larry TenPas (167)
1957	Werner Holzer (147)
	Bob Norman (HWT)
1958	Werner Holzer (157)
	Bob Norman (HWT)
1961	Mike O'Laughlin (157)
1988	Kirk Azinger (142)
1989	Jon Llewellyn (HWT)
1990	Jon Llewellyn (HWT)
1991	Jon Llewellyn (HWT)
1997	Ernest Benion (158)
2000	Adam Tirapelle (149)
2001	Nate Patrick (184)
	Pat Quirk (197)
2002	Matt Lackey (165)
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Three-time Big Ten Champion Jon Llewellyn (1989, 1990, 1991).

2004	Mark Jayne (133)
	Alex Tirapelle (157)
2005	Alex Tirapelle (157)
	Pete Friedl (174)
2008	Mike Poeta (157)
2009	Mike Poeta (157)
2010	John Dergo (184)
2012	Mario Gonzalez (197)
2013	Jesse Delgado (125)
2014	Jesse Delgado (125)

INDIVIDUAL HONORS

ALL-AMERICANS (BY FINISHES)

FIRST-PLACE

Joe Sapora (115) 1929
 Joe Sapora (115) 1930
 George Minot (135) 1929
 Joe Puerta (123) 1932
 Ralph Silverstein (175) 1935
 John Ginay (1965) 1938
 Allen Sapora (126) 1938
 Archie Deutschman (136) 1939
 David Shapiro (165) 1946
 Larry TenPas (157) 1956
 Bob Norman (HWT) 1957
 Bob Norman (HWT) 1958
 Jon Llewellyn (HWT) 1991
 Steve Marianetti (150) 1995
 Ernest Benion (158) 1995
 Eric Siebert (150) 1998
 Carl Perry (141) 2000
 Adam Tirapelle (149) 2001
 John Lockhart (HWT) 2001
 Matt Lackey (165) 2003
Jesse Delgado (125) 2013
Jesse Delgado (125) 2014

SECOND-PLACE

Ralph Webster (HWT) 1928
 Louis Bauerle (135) 1930
 Lloyd Burdick (HWT) 1930
 Joe Puerta (118) 1933
 R.L. Emmons (126) 1933
 Jack McIlvoy (145) 1937
 John Ginay (175) 1937
 Archie Deutschman (135) 1938
 John Sikich (HWT) 1939
 Theodore Seabrooke (155) 1942
 Lou Kachiroubas (128) 1947
 Charles Gottfried (191) 1948
 William Mann (114.5) 1948
 Norton Compton (137) 1953
 Larry TenPas (167) 1955
 Ernest Benion (158) 1996
 Lindsey Durlacher (118) 1997
 Adam Tirapelle (149) 2000
 Pat Quirk (197) 2001
 Matt Lackey (165) 2002
 Alex Tirapelle (157) 2003
 Kyle Ott (125) 2004
 Kyle Ott (125) 2005
 Mike Poeta (157) 2008, 2009

THIRD-PLACE

Albert Campbell (145) 1928
 Barney Cosneck (HWT) 1934
 George Ledbetter (118) 1935
 Pete Pakutinsky (126) 1935
 Jack McIlvoy (145) 1935
 Paul Petry (128) 1939
 Theodore Seabrooke (155) 1941
 Lou Kachiroubas (123) 1952
 Gilbert Gaumer (165) 1949
 William Vohaska (175) 1950
 Richard Meeks (115) 1952
 Richard Meeks (115) 1953
 Richard Meeks (123) 1955
 Larry TenPas (157) 1954

Werner Holzer (147) 1957
 William Gabberd (157) 1958
 Jon Llewellyn (HWT) 1989
 Jon Llewellyn (HWT) 1990
 Ernest Benion (158) 1997
 Adam Tirapelle (149) 1999
 Karl Roesler (HWT) 1999
 Matt Lackey (165) 2001
 John Lockhart (HWT) 2002
 Brian Glynn (184) 2005
 Pete Friedl (184) 2006
 Mike Poeta (157) 2007

FOURTH-PLACE

Kenneth Marlin (155) 1947
 David Schapiro (165) 1947
 Charles Gottfried (HWT) 1947
 Joe Garcia (136.5) 1948
 Gilbert Gaumer (174) 1948
 Arthur Archer (HWT) 1948
 Norton Compton (137) 1952
 Dave Moore (115) 1957
 Clayton Beattie (157) 1965
 Steve Marianetti (142) 1993
 Lindsey Durlacher (118) 1996
 Alex Tirapelle (157) 2004
 Pete Friedl (174) 2005
 Jimmy Kennedy (133) 2008
 Jordan Blanton (174) 2012

FIFTH-PLACE

Kevin Puebla (126) 1979
 Steve Marianetti (142) 1994
 Eric Siebert (150) 1997
 Jimmy Kennedy (133) 2009
 Jordan Blanton (174) 2010
 John Dergo (184) 2010
 Jimmy Kennedy (141) 2011
 Conrad Polz (165) 2013

SIXTH-PLACE

William Roy (167) 1963
 Phil Callahan (134) 1986
 Jevon Herman (177) 1998
 Brian Glynn (184) 2004
 B.J. Futrell (133) 2012

SEVENTH-PLACE

Kirk Azinger (142) 1988
 Carl Perry (126) 1998
 Karl Roesler (HWT) 1998
 John Lockhart (HWT) 2000
 Pete Friedl (174) 2004
 Mark Jayne (133) 2004
 Mark Jayne (133) 2005
 Cassio Pero (141) 2005
 John Wise (HWT) 2009
JESSE DELGADO (125) 2012
 Jordan Blanton (174) 2013

EIGHTH-PLACE

Pat Quirk (197) 2000
 Griff Powell (157) 2002
 B.J. Futrell (133) 2011
 Conrad Polz (165) 2012

TWO-TIME ALL-AMERICANS

Joe Sapora (115) 1929, 1930
 Joe Puerta (123) 1932 (118) 1933
 Jack McIlvoy (145) 1935, 1937
 John Ginay (175) 1937, (165) 1938
 Archie Deutschman (135) 1938, (136) 1939
 Theodore Seabrooke (155) 1941, 1942
 David Schapiro (165) 1946, 1947
 Charles Gottfried (HWT) 1947, (191) 1948
 Gilbert Gaumer (174) 1948, (165) 1949
 Norton Compton (137) 1952, 1953
 Bob Norman (HWT) 1957, 1958
 Lindsay Durlacher (118) 1996, 1997
 Eric Siebert (150) 1997, 1998
 Carl Perry (126) 1998, (141) 2000
 Karl Roesler (HWT) 1998, 1999
 Pat Quirk (197) 2000, 2001
 Alex Tirapelle (157) 2003, 2004
 Kyle Ott (125) 2004, 2005
 Mark Jayne (133) 2004, 2005
 Brian Glynn (184) 2004, 2005
 B.J. Futrell (125/133) 2011, 2012
 Conrad Polz (165) 2012, 2013

THREE-TIME ALL-AMERICANS

Richard Meeks (115) 1952, 1953 (123) 1955
 Larry TenPas (157) 1954, 1956 (167) 1955
 Jon Llewellyn (HWT) 1989, 1990, 1991
 Steve Marianetti (142) 1993, 1994 (150) 1995
 Ernest Benion (158) 1995, 1996, 1997
 Adam Tirapelle (149) 1999, 2000, 2001
 John Lockhart (HWT) 2000, 2001, 2002
 Matt Lackey (165) 2001, 2002, 2003
 Pete Friedl (174/184) 2004, 2005, 2006
 Mike Poeta (157) 2007, 2008, 2009
 Jimmy Kennedy (133) 2008, 2009 (141) 2011
 Jordan Blanton (174) 2010, 2012, 2013
Jesse Delgado (125) 2012, 2013, 2014

TWO-TIME BIG TEN CHAMPIONS

Joe Sapora (115) 1929, 1930
 Barney Cosneck (165) 1932, (HWT) 1934
 Pete Pakutinsky (118) 1934, (126) 1935
 Archie Deutschman (135) 1938 (136) 1939
 Norton Compton (137) 1952, 1953
 Jack McIlvoy (145) 1935, 1937
 Ralph Silverstein (175) 1935, (HWT) 1936
 John Ginay (165) 1937, 1938
 Norm Anthonisen (165) 1942, (175) 1946
 Lou Kachiroubas (128) 1946, 1947
 Dave Shapiro (165) 1946, 1947
 Werner Holzer (147) 1957, (157) 1958
 Bob Norman (HWT) 1957, 1958
 Matt Lackey (165) 2002, 2003
 Alex Tirapelle (157) 2004, 2005
 Mike Poeta (157) 2008, 2009
 Jesse Delgado (125) 2013, 2014

THREE-TIME BIG TEN CHAMPIONS

Bob Emmons (126) 1931, 1932, 1933
 Jon Llewellyn (HWT) 1989, 1990, 1991

NCAA & BIG TEN CHAMPIONS

(During the Same Season)

George Minot (135) 1929
 Joe Sapora (115) 1929
 Joe Sapora (115) 1930
 Ralph Silverstein (175) 1935
 John Ginay (165) 1938
 Archie Deutschman (136) 1939
 Dave Shapiro (165) 1946
 Bob Norman (HWT) 1957
 Bob Norman (HWT) 1958
 Jon Llewellyn (HWT) 1991
 Matt Lackey (165) 2003
JESSE DELGADO (125) 2013
JESSE DELGADO (125) 2014

ILLINOIS ALL-AMERICANS

Illinois has had at least one individual All-American every season for 23 consecutive years.



Ralph Webster
1928: HWT (2nd)



Joe Sapora
1929: 115 (1st)
1930: 115 (1st)



George Minot
1929: 135 (1st)



Louis Bauerle
1930: 135 (2nd)



Lloyd Burdick
1930: HWT (2nd)



Joe Puerta
1932: 123 (1st)
1933: 118 (2nd)



R.L. Emmons
1933: 126 (2nd)



Barney Cosneck
1934: HWT (3rd)



George Ledbetter
1935: 118 (3rd)



Pete Pakutinsky
1935: 126 (3rd)



Jack McIlvoy
1935: 145 (3rd)
1937: 145 (2nd)



Ralph Silverstein
1935: 175 (1st)



John Giny
1937: 175 (2nd)
1938: 165 (1st)



Allen Sapora
1938: 126 (1st)



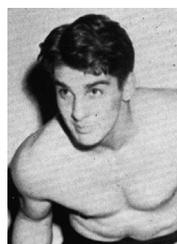
Archie Deutschman
1938: 135 (2nd)
1939: 136 (1st)



Paul Petry
1939: 128 (3rd)



John Sikich
1939: HWT (2nd)
1940: HWT (3rd)



Theodore Seabrooke
1941: 155 (3rd)
1942: 155 (2nd)



Ken Berry
1942: 175 (4th)



Bill Tomeras
1946: 121 (3rd)



Norman Anthonisen
1946: 175 (2nd)



David Shapiro
1946: 165 (1st)
1947: 165 (4th)



Kenneth Marlin
1946: 155 (4th)
1947: 155 (4th)



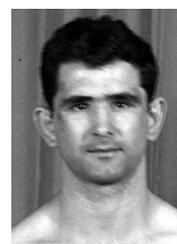
Lou Kachiroubas
1946: 128 (2nd)
1952: 123 (3rd)



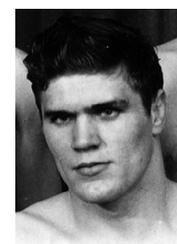
Charles Gottfried
1947: HWT (4th)
1948: 191 (2nd)



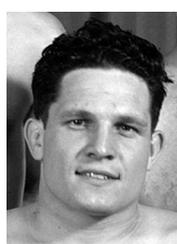
William Mann
1948: 114.5 (2nd)



Joe Garcia
1948: 136.5 (4th)



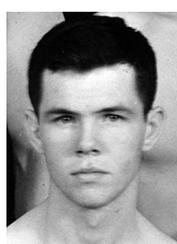
Gilbert Gaumer
1948: 174 (4th)
1949: 165 (3rd)



Arthur Archer
1948: HWT (4th)



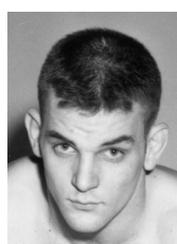
William Vohaska
1950: 175 (3rd)



Richard Meeks
1952: 115 (3rd)
1953: 155 (3rd)
1955: 123 (3rd)



Norton Compton
1952: 137 (4th)
1953: 137 (2nd)



Larry TenPas
1954: 157 (3rd)
1955: 167 (2nd)
1956: 157 (1st)



Dave Moore
1957: 115 (4th)

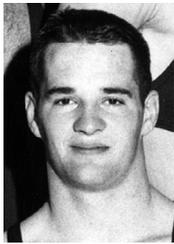


Werner Holzer
1957: 147 (3rd)

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Bob Norman
1957: HWT (1st)
1958: HWT (1st)



William Gabberd
1958: 157 (3rd)



William Roy
1963: 167 (6th)



Clayton Beattie
1965: 157 (4th)



Kevin Puebla
1979: 126 (5th)



Phil Callahan
1986: 134 (6th)



Kirk Azinger
1988: 142 (7th)



Jon Llewellyn
1989: HWT (3rd);
1990: HWT (3rd);
1991: HWT (1st)



Steve Marianetti
1993: 142 (4th)
1994: 142 (5th)
1995: 150 (1st)



Ernest Benion
1995: 158 (1st)
1996: 158 (2nd)
1997: 158 (3rd)



Lindsey Durlacher
1996: 118 (4th)
1997: 118 (2nd)



Eric Siebert
1997: 150 (5th)
1998: 150 (1st)



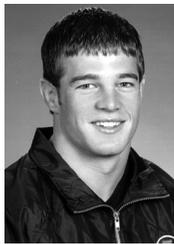
Jevon Herman
1998: 177 (6th)



Carl Perry
1998: 126 (7th)
2000: 141 (1st)



Karl Roesler
1998: HWT (7th)
1999: HWT (3rd)



Adam Tirapelle
1999: 149 (3rd)
2000: 149 (2nd)
2001: 149 (1st)



Pat Quirk
2000: 197 (8th)
2001: 197 (2nd)



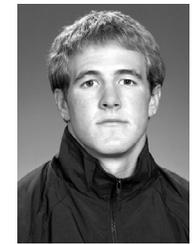
John Lockhart
2000: HWT (7th)
2001: HWT (1st)
2002: HWT (3rd)



Matt Lackey
2001: 165 (3rd)
2002: 165 (2nd)
2003: 165 (1st)



Griff Powell
2002: 157 (8th)



Alex Tirapelle
2003: 157 (2nd)
2004: 157 (4th)



Kyle Ott
2004: 125 (2nd)
2005: 125 (2nd)



Mark Jayne
2004: 133 (7th)
2005: 133 (7th)



Brian Glynn
2004: 184 (6th)
2005: 184 (3rd)



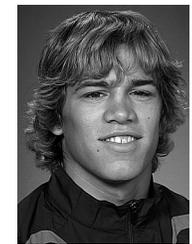
Pete Friedl
2004: 174 (7th)
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2006: 184 (3rd)



Cassio Pero
2005: 141 (7th)



Mike Poeta
2007: 157 (3rd)
2008: 157 (2nd)
2009: 157 (2nd)



Jimmy Kennedy
2008: 133 (4th)
2009: 133 (5th)
2011: 141 (7th)



John Wise
2009: HWT (7th)



John Dergo
2010: 184 (5th)



B.J. Futrell
2011: 125 (8th)
2012: 133 (6th)



Jesse Delgado
2012: 125 (7th)
2013: 125 (1st)
2014: 125 (1st)



Conrad Polz
2012: 165 (8th)
2013: 165 (5th)



Jordan Blanton
2010: 174 (5th)
2012: 174 (4th)
2013: 174 (7th)

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

SAPORA BROTHERS // MOST VALUABLE WRESTLER

The Illini's most valuable wrestler receives the Sapora Brothers Most Valuable Wrestler Award, in honor of the national championship-winning brothers.

Joe Sapora earned three letters for the Illini from 1928-30. He also won two Big Ten titles and became Illinois' first national wrestling champion when he won the NCAA 115-pound title in 1929. He went on to win a second title at the same weight in 1930. Al Sapora earned three letters, from 1936-38, was a Big Ten champion and won the 1938 126-pound NCAA title.



Al Sapora



Joe Sapora

Year	Wrestler (Wt)
1993	Steve Marianetti (142)
1994	Steve Marianetti (142)
1995	Steve Marianetti (150)
1996	Ernest Benion (158)
1997	Ernest Benion (158)
1998	Eric Siebert (150)
1999	Karl Roesler (HWT)
2000	Adam Tirapelle (149)
2001	Adam Tirapelle (149)
2002	Matt Lackey (165)
2003	Matt Lackey (165)
2004	Alex Tirapelle (157)
2005	Brian Glynn (184)
2005	Kyle Ott (125)
2006	Tyrone Byrd (197), Pete Friedl (184), Kyle Ott (125), Alex Tirapelle (157)
2007	Mike Poeta (157)
2008	Mike Poeta (157)
2009	Mike Poeta (157), Jimmy Kennedy (133)
2010	John Dergo (184)
2011	Jordan Blanton (174), B.J. Futrell (133)
2012	Jordan Blanton (174), B.J. Futrell (141)
2013	Jesse Delgado (125)
2014	Jesse Delgado (125)

KEN GERDES // TEAM CAPTAINS AWARD

Beginning in 1998, the Fighting Illini team captains were named in honor of former Illinois letterwinner Ken Gerdes, who passed away in 1995. Gerdes, a native of Orland Park, Ill., was a junior during Mark Johnson's first year as head coach in 1992-93. He placed at the Big Ten Championships in 1991 and 1993 at 134 pounds.



Ken Gerdes

Year	Wrestler (Wt)
1998	Carl Perry (126), Karl Roesler (HWT)
1999	Carl Perry (126), Adam Tirapelle (149)
2000	Nate Patrick (184), Pat Quirk (197), Adam Tirapelle (149)
2001	Adam Tirapelle (149), Nate Patrick (184), Pat Quirk (197)
2002	John Lockhart (HWT), Griff Powell (157), Matt Lackey (165)
2003	Matt Lackey (165)
2004	Brian Glynn (184), Mark Jayne (133), Jason Potter (197)
2005	Brian Glynn (184), Mark Jayne (133)
2006	Tyrone Byrd (197), Pete Friedl (184), Kyle Ott (125), Alex Tirapelle (157)
2007	Cassio Pero (141), Mike Poeta (157)
2008	Mike Poeta (157)
2009	Mike Poeta (157), Jimmy Kennedy (133), John Dergo (174)
2010	John Dergo (184)
2011	B.J. Futrell (133), Eric Terrazas (149), Jordan Blanton (174), Conrad Polz (165)
2012	B.J. Futrell (141), Jordan Blanton (174), Conrad Polz (165)
2013	B.J. Futrell (144), Conrad Polz (165), Jordan Blanton (174)
2014	Jesse Delgado (125), Tony Dallago (174)

LARRY TENPAS // MOST FALLS AWARD

The Illini wrestler with the most pins in a season receives the Larry TenPas Most Falls Award. A three-year letterman for the Illini, from 1954-56, TenPas accumulated 26 career pins, which ranks fifth all-time on the Illinois list. He also won the 157-pound NCAA title in 1956.



Larry TenPas

Year	Wrestler (Wt)
1993	Lance Pelton (190/HWT)
1994	Ernest Benion (158)
1995	Steve Marianetti (150)
1996	Jevon Herman (177)
1997	Eric Siebert (150), Ernest Benion (158)
1998	Karl Roesler (HWT)
1999	Karl Roesler (HWT)
2000	Adam Tirapelle (149)
2001	Adam Tirapelle (149), Nate Patrick (184)
2002	Matt Lackey (165)
2003	Matt Lackey (165)
2004	Alex Tirapelle (157)
2005	Mark Jayne (133)
2006	Troy Tirapelle (149)
2007	Troy Tirapelle (149)
2008	Grant Paswall (149), Mike Poeta (157), John Wise (HWT)
2009	Jordan Blanton (184)
2010	John Dergo (184)
2011	B.J. Futrell (133)
2012	B.J. Futrell (141)
2013	Tony Dallago (184)
2014	Tony Dallago (174)

JON LLEWELLYN // MOST IMPROVED WRESTLER

The most improved wrestler award is titled after Illinois heavyweight Jon Llewellyn. Llewellyn earned four letters for the Illini from 1988-91. After a freshman campaign of 12-13-3, Llewellyn went on to become a three-time Big Ten champion and All-American, winning the NCAA title in 1991 with a perfect 33-0 record.



Jon Llewellyn

Year	Wrestler (Wt)
1993	Charles Gary (150)
1994	Tim Kanke (150)
1995	Brian Stewart (126)
1996	Jevon Herman (177)
1997	Tony Siebert (134)
1998	Steve Doerrer (118), Ben King (167), Pat Quirk (190)
1999	Bill Zeman (165)
2000	Ben King (174), Griff Powell (157), Nate Patrick (184)
2001	Matt Lackey (165)
2002	Twan Pham (125)
2003	Mark Jayne (133), Brian Glynn (174)
2004	Anton Dietzen (149), Ben Hay (165)
2005	Cassio Pero (141)
2006	Matt Weight (HWT)
2007	Roger Smith-Bergsrud (165)
2008	John Wise (HWT)
2009	John Wise (HWT)
2010	Clint Arlis (157)
2011	Tony Dallago (184)
2012	Eric Terrazas (149)
2013	Jeff Koepke (184)
2014	Jeff Koepke (184)

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

BIG TEN MEDAL OF HONOR



John Lockhart, an NCAA champion and three-time Academic All-American, was Illinois' Big Ten Medal of Honor winner in 2002.

In 1914, the Big Ten Conference endowed a Medal of Honor, to be awarded annually at each institution to the student demonstrating proficiency in scholarship and academics. The award takes into consideration academic excellence, athletic awards and contribution to the community.

In the 86-year history of the award, nine Fighting Illini wrestlers have earned the award, including national champions Al Sapora, Steve Marianetti, Eric Siebert and John Lockhart. Since the arrival of Mark Johnson and Jim Heffernan, the squad has produced four winners.

Lockhart was the most recent recipient of the award for the wrestling squad. He was a three-time All-American for the Illini whose national title at heavyweight in 2001 helped lead the team to a fifth-place finish at the NCAA Championships. Lockhart placed third in 2002 and seventh in 2000 and completed his career with a 123-26 record. He also was a two-time Academic All-American, posting a 3.43 GPA in kinesiology. Currently, he is a

resident at the Cleveland Clinic in Cleveland, Ohio.

Beginning in 1982, a woman athlete from each institution has also been awarded the Conference Medal of Honor. There has been one father-son UI Medal of Honor duo, Lee Sentman (track) in 1931 and his son, Lee Sentman III (fencing) in 1958. Gymnast Howard Beck (1974 and 1975) is the only two-time recipient of the award.

BIG TEN MEDAL OF HONOR RECIPIENTS

1938	Al Sapora
1939	Archie Deuschman
1955	Edwin G. Jackson, Jr.
1969	Dennis A. Rott
1981	John Kakacek
1995	Steve Marianetti
1997	Seth Brady
1998	Eric Siebert
2002	John Lockhart

ILLINOIS DIKE EDDLEMAN ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

The University of Illinois Athlete of the Year was first given in 1940 to Bill Hapac, who played basketball and baseball. The award was given annually until it was discontinued in 1973. There were no awards given until 1982, when the Big Ten began a Conference Athlete of the Year, in which each school nominated a male and female athlete.

Since 1982, the University of Illinois has recognized a Male and Female Athlete of the Year. In 1993, the awards were renamed the Dike Eddleman Athlete of the Year awards in honor of the 11-time UI letterman and former Olympian. The awards are announced each June and presented at the annual Varsity "I" banquet in the fall.

ILLINOIS ATHLETES OF THE YEAR (WRESTLING)

1947	Alex Agase
1991	Jon Llewellyn
1995	Steve Marianetti
1997	Ernest Benion
1998	Eric Siebert
2001	Adam Tirapelle
2003	Matt Lackey
2014	Jesse Delgado



Adam Tirapelle, the 2001 award winner, is pictured with Director of Athletics Ron Guenther.

ILLINOIS OLYMPIANS

1928	Allie Morrison (gold medal)
1968	Werner Holzer

ILLINOIS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS TEAM MEMBERS

1998	Steve Marianetti
2005	Lindsey Durlacher
2006	Lindsey Durlacher (bronze medal)
2007	Lindsey Durlacher

ILLINOIS JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS TEAM MEMBERS

1995	Karl Roesler
1998	Adam Tirapelle
1999	John Lockhart
2000	Matt Lackey
2003	Donny Reynolds
2010	Conrad Polz

BIG TEN JESSE OWENS MALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

2003	Matt Lackey
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 Agase, Louis - 1945
 Alexander, Jeff - 1993
 Alexander, Robert - 1955-56
 Allen, Earl - 1981-82
 Allen, Guy - 1981
 Aloia, Alex - 1941-42
 Ambler, Basil - 1931
 Anastasia, Dana - 1985
 Anderson, Darin - 1989
 Anderson, Kerry - 1967-68
 Anderson, Rob - 1996
 Andrew, Arthur - 1954
 Andrews, Charles - 1934-35
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 Aprati, Fred - 1964-66
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 Battaglia, Frank - 1937-38
 Bauerle, Louis - 1929-30
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Delgado, Jesse - 2012-14
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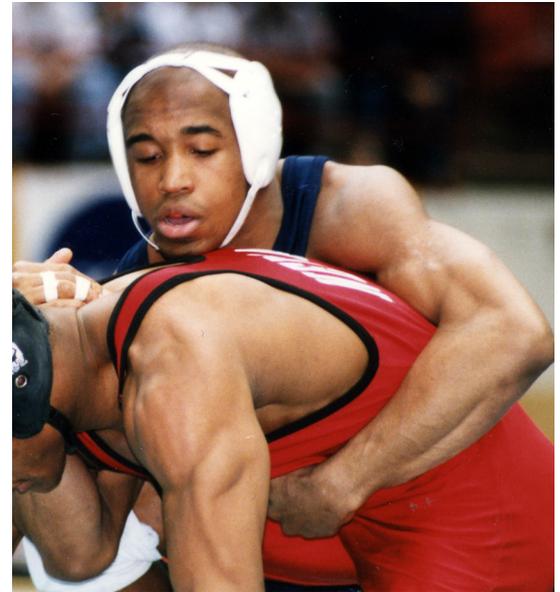
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Ernest Benion Jr. won the 1995 NCAA Championship at 158 pounds.

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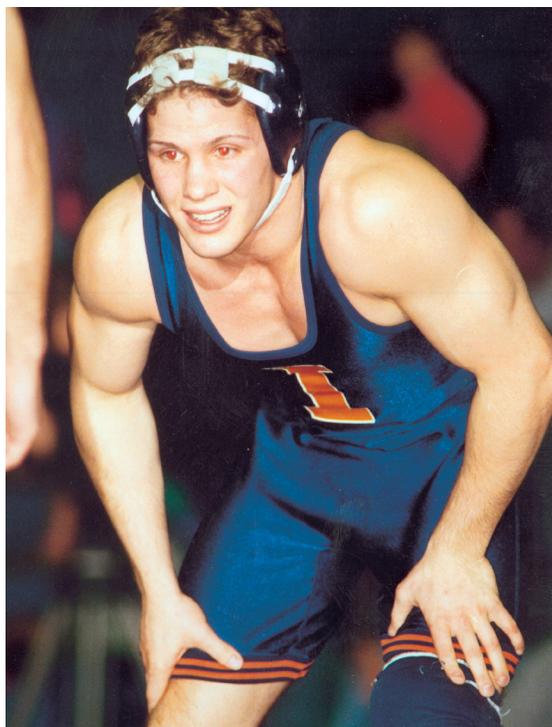
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Eric Siebert, a 150-pound national champion, lettered in 1995-98.

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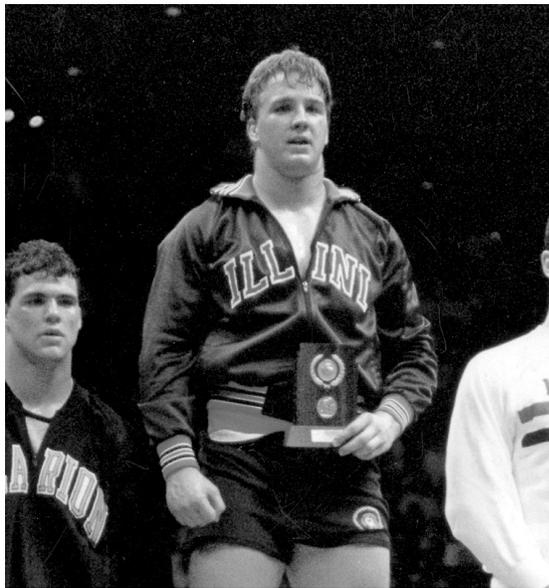
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Jon Llewellyn, 1988-91, was the 1991 NCAA Heavyweight champion.

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 Pero, Jason - 1996, 1998
 Perry, Carl - 1997-2000
 Perry, Joe - 1967
 Perry, Thomas - 1942-43
 Petry, Jack - 1946
 Petry, Paul - 1939-41
 Pham, Twan - 2002-03
 Picard, Richard - 1949-51
 Pierre, Don - 1956, 1958
 Pigozzi, Ray - 1950-51
 Pillath, Jerry - 1967, 1969
 Pineda, Ron - 1960
 Player, John - 1923-24
 Poeta, Mike - 2006-09
 Polkwalski, H. - 1912
 Polz, Chris - 1990
 Polz, Clinton - 2008-10
 Polz, Conrad - 2010-13
 Polz, Jeff - 1963, 1965
 Polz, John - 1960-62
 Ponder, Max - 1952
 Porter, Tom - 1961
 Potter, Jason - 2001-04
 Powell, Griff - 1999-02
 Powers, John - 1983
 Prater, Ryan - 2008-10
 Preissner, Paul - 1994-97
 Price, Dale - 1940
 Price, Henry - 1951
 Prout, Charles - 1936

Provinse, Jason - 1994-96
 Puebla, Kevin - 1976-79
 Puerta, Joe - 1931-33
 Puracchio, Lou - 2004, 2006
 Purvin, Theodore - 1940-41
 Pusey, Frank - 1911-12

Q

Quirk, Pat - 1998-01

R

Radell, Will - 1965
 Rallo, Charlie - 1999-01
 Rasmussen, Chuck - 1959
 Ray, Andy - 2001
 Rayburn, Roland - 1942-43
 Read, Richard - 1951-52
 Redman, Louis - 1933
 Rehling, C.H. - 1915
 Resner, Peter - 1977
Reyes, Nikko - 2014
 Reynolds, Donny - 2004-06
Richards, Zane - 2014
 Riggins, Paul - 1950-51
 Ritz, John - 1926-27
 Robinson, Darrell - 1970
 Robinson, Frank - 1956
Rodriguez, Steven - 2013-14
 Roesler, Karl - 1996-99
 Rome, Wade - 1990
 Romersberger, Richard - 1942
 Romine, Wesley - 1999
 Roth, Michael - 1973, 1975-76
 Rott, Dennis - 1967-69
 Rotter, G.E. - 1915
 Rowan, Zeke - 2009
 Roy, Willie - 1963
 Rubiner, John - 1987
 Rudin, Greg - 1989-91
 Rundquist, Elmer - 1916
 Runneberg, Elton - 1915
 Rusk, Steve - 1994-95
 Russell, Dave - 1963-64
 Ryan, Dean - 1947-48
 Ryan, Eric - 1995-98

S

Salata, Bob - 1959
 Salomente, D. - 1931
 Sapora, Allen - 1936-38
 Sapora, Joe - 1928-30
 Sargent, Norbert - 1955-57
 Saric, Robert - 1978
 Sauer, Andrew - 1943
 Scamen, Warren - 1976
 Schram, Bill - 1959
 Schrieder, G.W. - 1912
 Schroeder, Bill - 1971
 Schroeder, G.W. - 1913-14
 Schultz, Alfred - 1925
 Schultz, Arthur - 1931

Schwartz, Martin - 1950-51
 Schwartz, Richard - 1952
 Seabrooke, Theodore - 1940-42
 Sears, John - 1999-01
 Shapiro, David - 1946-48
 Shatiko, Basil - 1924
 Shaub, Mike - 2008
 Shaw, Ward - 1925
 Sheahan, Pat - 1998
 Sheahan, Tim - 1995-97
 Shively, Bernie - 1926-27
 Shively, Bob - 1965
 Siebert, Eric - 1995-98
 Siebert, Tony - 1997-2000
 Sikich, John - 1939-41
 Sikora, Brad - 1997-99
 Silverstein, Ralph - 1935-37
 Siml, Art - 1961
 Sizer, Richard - 1941
 Ksiskak, Chris - 1973-74
 Slomski, Dennia - 1995
 Smerdel, Mathew - 1943
 Smith, George (Kent) - 1970
 Smith, Martin - 2009-10, 2012
 Smith-Bergsruud, Roger - 2006-09
 Snyder, Ray - 1945
 Soga, Susumu - 1926-27
 Stangle, Solomon - 1926
 Stelter, Dan - 2010-12
 Stelzer, Robert - 1960
 Stewart, Brian - 1991, 1993-95
 Stitzel, Stan - 1966
 Stoltz, David - 1999-01
 Stonitsch, Mike - 1991-94
 Strange, Robert - 1949
 Strong, H.D. - 1914
 Struznik, Mark - 1993
 Sulaver, Randy - 1972-75
 Sullivan, Albert - 1977-78
 Sullivan, Dave - 1992-94
 Sullivan, Paul - 1990-91
 Sullivan, Robert - 1976
 Swartz, Joel - 1960
 Szabo, Steve - 1955-57

T

Taylor, Trent - 1979-82
 Temmler, Bernard - 1961
 TenPas, Larry - 1954-56
 Terrazas, Eric - 2009-10, 2012
 Thacker, Edgar - 1926-27
 Thomas, Daryl - 2010, 2013
 Thomas, Harry - 1916
 Thompson, Earl - 1942
 Tiernan, Terry - 1962
 Tirapelle, Adam - 1998-01
 Tirapelle, Alex - 2003-06
 Tirapelle, Troy - 2006-09
 Tofft, Leonard - 1935
 Tomala, Andy - 1978
 Tomaras, William - 1941-42, 1946
 Toncoff, Jean - 1929-30
 Tosetti, Arthur - 1924-25
 Townsell, William - 1988
 Treadman, Jack - 1944
 Trenkle, Howard - 1922
 Trousil, Tom - 1959-60
 Trowbridge, Sam - 1931
 Turner, Bill - 1954-55

U

Unruh, Dan - 1979-81

V

Valvano, Dominic - 2000-03
 Vandersteeg, Jeff - 1969-70
 Vaughn, Jon - 1994-97
 Veercruysee, Bob - 1973
 Vercelli, Vince - 2009-10
 Vestuto, Paul - 1977-79
 Vincens, Jason - 2002-03
 Vogt, Gary - 1962-63
 Vohaska, William - 1949-50
 Voorhees, George - 1944-45

W

Wagemann, Matt - 2005-06
 Walker, Carl - 1961-62
 Walker, Pat - 2010, 2012-13
 Walsh, Kevin - 1989
 Watts, James - 1945
 Watts, Larry - 1966-67
 Weber, Joe - 2001-02
 Weber, Ron - 1994-96
 Webster, Ralph - 1926-28
 Wedell, John - 1952

W

Wedell, Mark - 1975
 Weight, Matt - 2001, 2004-06
 Weitz, L.J. - 1929
 Welsh, Roger - 1915
 Werner, Franklin - 1938
 White, Harold - 2009
 Whitelatch, Rex - 1958-59
 Whitson, Herman - 1920
 Wiesenborn, Kurt - 1977
 Williams, Derrick - 1984-86
 Williams, Elvie - 1976-77
 Williams, Marty - 1978
 Willman, Dean - 1952-53
 Wilson, Bob - 1946
 Winterhalter, Matt - 2004-07
 Wise, John - 2006-09
 Witt, Terry - 1966
 Wolff, Quentin - 1969-71
 Woodcock, Geoff - 1990, 1992
 Woodcock, Gregg - 1989, 1990
 Wright, Ernie - 1967
 Wyller, Tim - 1998-99

Y

Yates, Michael - 1982-84

Z

Zander, Andy - 1965, 1967
 Zander, John - 1960-62
 Zanetakos, William - 1952
 Zeman, Bill - 1997-2000
 Zeman, Dan - 2005-08
 Zuidema, Greg - 1970-72
 Zulauf, Ben - 2006-07

HUFF HALL



Huff Hall is named for long-time Illinois athletic director and coach George Huff, who served as athletic director from 1901-1935. During that time, the athletic programs enjoyed unparalleled success, including 12 Big Ten wrestling titles. Illinois athletics enjoys a proud tradition in Huff Hall.

The gymnasium served as home for Illinois basketball from 1925-63. During that period, Fighting Illini teams won eight Big Ten championships and earned two NCAA Final Four appearances.

Huff Hall also was the longtime home of the Illinois High School state basketball tournament, creating the circus-like atmosphere that fostered the term “March Madness.” The facility also hosted nine IHSA state wrestling tournaments – in 1948, ’49, ’51, ’53, ’55, ’57, ’61, ’63 and ’65 – before the championships moved to the Assembly Hall (now State Farm Center). Collegiately, Huff Hall was the site of numerous championships, including the 1930, ’33, ’46, ’48 and ’58 Big Ten Wrestling championships. In 1940 and ’47, the Fighting Illini hosted the NCAA national wrestling championships at Huff Hall.

“HUFF HALL PROVIDES US WITH AN IDEAL VENUE TO COMPETE IN. IT’S LOUD AND THE FANS ARE CLOSE TO THE MAT, WHICH MAKES IT A GREAT ENVIRONMENT FOR WRESTLING.”

- Head Coach Jim Heffernan

WRESTLING ATTENDANCE RANKED IN TOP 20 FOR FIFTH-STRAIGHT YEAR

The largest attendance in school history came on Jan. 28, 2005, when 3,573 fans packed Huff Hall to watch Illinois defeat Iowa, 25-7.

SINGLE-MATCH ATTENDANCE RECORDS

	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	<u>DATE</u>
1.	3,573	Iowa	Jan. 28, 2005
2.	2,469	Purdue	Feb. 18, 2010
3.	2,341	Iowa	Feb. 24, 2008
4.	2,309	Michigan	Feb. 3, 2006
5.	2,048	Northwestern	Feb. 17, 2005
6.	2,037	Minnesota	Feb. 4, 2001
7.	1,669	Minnesota	Feb. 6, 2004
8.	1,623	Purdue	Feb. 17, 2000
9.	1,533	Iowa	Feb. 24, 2002
10.	1,512	Marquette/SIUE	Dec. 11, 1999

ILLINOIS RADIO/TV ROSTER



174

Adam Acheson
5-10 // R-Sr.
Champaign, Ill.



141

Logan Arlis
5-10 // R-Sr.
Batavia, Ill.



165

Bill Barbour
5-9 // Jr.
Orland Park, Ill.



HWT

Brooks Black
6-4 // R-Fr.
Dover, Pa.



174

Zac Brunson
6-0 // R-So.
Eugene, Ore.



125

Jered Cortez
5-6 // Fr.
Carol Stream, Ill.



125

Jesse Delgado
5-5 // Sr.
Gilroy, Calif.



197

Colton Emmerich
6-2 // Fr.
Highland Park, Ill.



141

Brock Ervin
5-6 // Fr.
Morganfield, Ky.



149

Caleb Ervin
5-10 // R-Jr.
Morganfield, Ky.



149

John Fahy
5-9 // R-So.
Pewee Valley, Ky.



165

Brandon Gilligan
5-10 // Fr.
Woodridge, Ill.



174

Danny Hicks
5-10 // R-Fr.
Gurnee, Ill.



134

Jeff Koepke
5-10 // R-Jr.
Prospect Heights, Ill.



165

Mike Kozyra
5-11 // Fr.
Oak Park, Ill.



149

Kyle Langenderfer
5-6 // R-Fr.
Mokena, Ill.



197

Andre Lee
5-11 // Fr.
Oak Park, Ill.



HWT

Christopher Lopez
6-1 // R-Jr.
Chicago, Ill.



157

Isaiah Martinez
5-7 // R-Fr.
Lemoore, Calif.



165

Jackson Morse
5-10 // R-Sr.
Alto, Mich.



165

Matt Nora
6-0 // R-Jr.
La Grange, Ill.



125

Dominic Olivieri
5-7 // R-So.
Orland Park, Ill.



165/174

Emery Parker
5-10 // Fr.
Wadsworth, Ill.



HWT

Deuce Rachal
5-10 // Fr.
Chicago, Ill.



141

Isaac Reinemann
5-8 // Fr.
Lincolnwood, Ill.



134

Nikko Reyes
6-0 // R-So.
Fresno, Ca.



163

Zane Richards
5-3 // R-So.
Carbondale, Ill.



141

Steven Rodrigues
5-8 // R-Jr.
Mount Kisco, N.Y.



Jim Heffernan
Head Coach
23rd Year at Illinois



Mark Perry
Associate Head Coach
Fourth Year at Illinois



Jeremy Hunter
Assistant Coach
14th Year at Illinois