

MPSF ALL-ACADEMIC HONOREES

1998
 Parsa Bonderson
 Aaron Harries
 Neil Hueston
 Sean Kern

1999
 Matt Armato
 Parsa Bonderson
 Neil Hueston
 Sean Kern

2000
 Brandon Brooks
 Sean Kern
 Alfonso Tucay

2001
 Alfonso Tucay

2002
 Ted Peck

2003
 Joseph Axelrad
 John Blanchette
 Thomas Foley
 Brad Greiner
 Michael March
 Ted Peck
 David Pietsch
 Christian Pulido

2004
 Joseph Axelrad
 Matthew Jacobs
 Ted Peck
 David Pietsch
 Christian Pulido

2005
 John Blanchette
 David Pietsch

2006
 Brad Greiner
 Matthew Jacobs
 Tyler Krikorian
 Michael March
 Krsto Sbutega

2007
 Matthew Jacobs
 Tyler Jemmett
 Jacob Murphy
 Krsto Sbutega

2008
 Cullen Hennessy
 Ben Hohl
 Tyler Jemmett

Jacob Murphy
 Krsto Sbutega
 Nick Zakula

2009
 Cullen Hennessy
 Ben Hohl
 Tyler Jemmett
 Clinton Jorth
 Jacob Murphy

2010
 Cullen Hennessy
 Ben Hohl
 Jacob Murphy
 Matt Preciado
 Chris Wendt

2011
 Aimone Barabino
 Cullen Hennessy
 Cristiano Mirarchi
 Paul Pickell
 Chris Wendt
 Griffin White

2012
 Aimone Barabino
 Chris Fahlsing
 Christopher Meinhold
 Paul Pickell
 Paul Reynolds
 Chris Wendt
 Griffin White

2013
 Aimone Barabino
 Chris Fahlsing
 Daniel McClintick
 Cristiano Mirarchi
 Paul Pickell
 Paul Reynolds
 Chris Wendt

2014
 Chris Fahlsing
 Daniel McClintick
 Christopher Meinhold
 Cristiano Mirarchi
 Paul Reynolds
 Stephen White
 Alec Zwaneveld

2015
 Garrett Danner
 Daniel McClintick
 Austin Rone
 Patrick Woepse
 Alec Zwaneveld



CULLEN HENNESSY
 Four-time MPSF All-Academic Selection (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011)



CHRIS WENDT
 Four-time MPSF All-Academic Selection (2010, 2011, 2012, 2013)



AIMONE BARABINO
 Three-time MPSF All-Academic Selection (2011, 2012, 2013)



DANIEL McCLINTICK
 Three-time MPSF All-Academic Selection (2013, 2014, 2015)



CHRIS FAHLSING
 Three-time MPSF All-Academic Selection (2012, 2013, 2014)

ACWPC ALL-ACADEMIC SELECTIONS

The Association of Collegiate Water Polo Coaches selects three All-Academic teams per year: Outstanding (3.71-4.00 GPA), Superior (3.41-3.70 GPA) and Excellent (3.20-3.40 GPA)

2001
Joseph Axelrad (Superior)
Ted Peck (Excellent)
Reyn Kurihara (Excellent)

2003
Joseph Axelrad (Superior)
John Blanchette (Excellent)
Ted Peck (Excellent)
Christian Pulido (Superior)

2004
Joseph Axelrad (Superior)
Ted Peck (Excellent)

2005
Krsto Sbutega (Superior)
David Pietsch (Excellent)

2006
Krsto Sbutega (Superior)
Brad Greiner (Excellent)
Matthew Jacobs (Excellent)

2007
Krsto Sbutega (Superior)
Matthew Jacobs (Excellent)
Tyler Jemmett (Excellent)

2008
Ben Hohl (Superior)
Krsto Sbutega (Superior)
Nick Zakula (Superior)
Cullen Hennessy (Excellent)
Tyler Jemmett (Excellent)

2009
Cullen Hennessy (Superior)
Ben Hohl (Superior)

2010
Cristiano Mirarchi (Outstanding)
Cullen Hennessy (Superior)
Ben Hohl (Superior)

2011
Cristiano Mirarchi (Outstanding)

2012
Christopher Meinhold (Superior)
Chris Fahlsing (Excellent)
Paul Reynolds (Excellent)
Chris Wendt (Excellent)

2013
Cristiano Mirarchi (Superior)
Aimone Barabino (Excellent)
Chris Fahlsing (Excellent)
Chris Wendt (Excellent)

2014
Cristiano Mirarchi (Superior)
Christopher Meinhold (Superior)
Chris Fahlsing (Excellent)
Paul Reynolds (Excellent)
Alec Zwaneveld (Excellent)

2015
Spencer Farrar (Superior)
Daniel McClintick (Excellent)
Austin Rone (Excellent)
Patrick Woepse (Excellent)
Alec Zwaneveld (Excellent)



PAUL REYNOLDS
Two-time ACWPC All-Academic Selection (2013, 2014)



ALEC ZWANEVELD
Two-time ACWPC All-Academic Selection (2014, 2015)



PARISA BONDERSON
Two-time CoSIDA All-America Selection (1998, 1999)



CRISTIANO MIRARCHI
Four-time ACWPC All-Academic Selection (2010, 2011, 2013, 2014)



KRSTO SBUTEGA
Four-time ACWPC All-Academic Selection (2005, 2006, 2007, 2008)

DR. JAMES PUFFER LOYALTY & CONTRIBUTION AWARD

Dr. James Puffer was a three-year water polo letterwinner (1969-71) and member of two national championship teams (1969, 1971) at UCLA. He earned his doctorate degree from UCLA Medical School in 1976, attaining a family practice residency at UCLA Medical Center upon his graduation. He was named Chief of the Division of Family Medicine in 1983 and helped to make the discipline a department in 1997, of which he chaired until 1998.

An instrumental figure within the UCLA Athletic Department, Dr. Puffer served as a team physician and Chief of Sports Medicine until his departure in 2001. He was an Olympic team physician during the 1988 Olympics in Seoul, Korea. In 1991, Dr. Puffer was instrumental in raising funds to endow the men's water polo program when its existence was at risk. He served as a mentor to UCLA student-athletes and coaches alike.

In December of 2001, Dr. Puffer left UCLA to assume the position of Executive Director of the American Board of Family Practice in Lexington, Kentucky. Puffer said at the time that he could not pass up "the opportunity to provide effective and dynamic leadership to my discipline." In his honor of leadership and devotion to UCLA, the Dr. James Puffer Loyalty and Contribution Award was established in 2001.

Award Recipients

- Jeff Pflueger (2001)
- Jon Puffer (2001)
- Brandon Brooks (2002)
- Joseph Axelrad (2003)
- Peter Belden (2004)
- Brett Ormsby (2004)
- Will Didinger (2005)
- David Pietsch (2005)
- James Palmer (2006)
- Russell Simpkins (2007, 08)
- Krsto Sbutega (2008)
- Scott Swanson (2009)
- Jacob Murphy (2010)
- Brett Hays (2011)
- Andrew Mesesan (2011)
- Matt Rapacz (2012)
- Griffin White (2012)

- Bret Lathrope (2012)
- Paul Pickell (2013)
- Christopher Meinhold (2014)
- Anthony Daboub (2015)

JACK BARITEAU MOST INSPIRATIONAL AWARD

Jack Bariteau was a three-year water polo letterwinner (1968-70) for the Bruins, helping guide UCLA to its first-ever NCAA championship in men's water polo in 1969. Bariteau played for the Bruins under long-time head coach Bob Horn. Since his days as a student at UCLA, he has been a tremendous benefactor to the men's water polo program.

Bariteau, along with a group of other former men's water polo players, helped launch a campaign in the early 1990s to preserve the men's water polo program at UCLA as an NCAA sport. Bariteau's name now graces the team's "Most Inspirational Award," in honor of his service to UCLA and commitment to the men's water polo program as an alumnus.

Award Recipients

- Alfonso Tucay (2001)
- Matt Flesher (2002)
- Joseph Axelrad (2003)
- Brett Ormsby (2004)
- John Blanchette (2005)
- Will Didinger (2006)
- Michael March (2006)
- Matt Kellogg (2007)
- Chris Allen (2008)

- Chay Lapin (2009)
- Clay Jorth (2010)
- Cullen Hennessy (2011)
- Josh Samuels (2012)
- Chris Wendt (2013)
- Paul Reynolds (2014)
- Daniel McClintick (2015)



CHAY LAPIN
2009 Jack Bariteau Most Inspirational Award Recipient



JON PUFFER
2001 Dr. James Puffer Loyalty and Contribution Award Co-Recipient



The Dr. James Puffer Award (right) is on display in the UCLA Athletics Hall of Fame with the Jack Bariteau Most Inspirational Award (left).

UCLA WATER POLO HONORS



SEAN KERN (2000 National Player of the Year)



MATT SWANSON (three-time All-American)

ALL-AMERICANS

Matt Armato	'97, '99-hm
Greg Arth	'69, '70, '71
Dave Ashleigh	'63, '64, '65
Joseph Axelrad	'03-hm, '04
Andy Bailey	'00
Aimone Barabino	'13-hm
Bruce Bradley	'66, '67
Paul Becskehazy	'69, '70, '71
Boogie Black	'81, '82
Jeremy Braxton-Brown	'95, '96
Brandon Brooks	'99-hm, '00, '01, '02
Brian Brown	'99-hm, '00
Fernando Carsalade	'85, '86, '87, '88
Jeff Chase	'85
Stan Cole	'65, '66, '67
Wyn Condict	'64, '65
Cole Consani	'09-hm
Rick Coyle	'75
Kevin Craig	'69, '70, '71, '72
Anthony Daboub	'14, '15
Garrett Danner	'13-hm, '14, '15
Scott Davidson	'07-hm, '08-hm, '09
Will Didinger	'05-hm
Patrick Fellner	'15
Jim Ferguson	'68, '69, '70
Matt Flesher	'00-hm, '01, '02
Albert Garcia	'04
Corbin Graham	'96
Sam Grayeli	'98
Dan Hackett	'90, '91
Cullen Hennessy	'09-hm, '11
Jim Hester	'75
Josh Hewko	'04-hm
Ben Hohl	'08-hm, '09, '10
Max Irving	'15
Justin Johnson	'07
Chris Kellerman	'92, '93
Sean Kern (#00)	'97, '98, '99, '00
Adam Krikorian	'95
Kurt Krumpholz	'72, '73, '74
Chay Lapin	'06-hm, '07, '08-hm, '09
Robin Leamy	'82
Eric Lindroth	'71, '72
Danny McClintick	'13, '14-hm, '15
Brian McKinley	'75
Michael March	'03-hm, '04, '06
Gordon Marshall	'14, '15
Scott Massey	'71
Cristiano Mirarchi	'10-hm, '11-hm, '13, '14
Jacob Murphy	'10
Dick Najarian	'79
Bob Neumann	'72, '73
John Norris	'76
Gary O'Brien	'91
Brett Ormsby (#04)	'01, '02, '03, '04
Tom Panchak	'83
Dave Parker	'00-hm
Ted Peck	'04

Hank Peterson	'88
Peter Peyton	'77
David Pietsch	'05
Jeff Pflueger	'01-hm
Stefan Pollmann	'90
Logan Powell	'05-hm, '06
Chris Pulido	'05-hm
Chancellor Ramirez	'14-hm, '15-hm
Matt Rapacz	'11, '12
John Reese	'72
Paul Reynolds	'11-hm, '12, '13, '14
Gary Roberts	'83
Ryder Roberts	'14, '15
Ed Robinson	'78, '79, '80
Alex Roelse	'15-hm
David Rosen	'76, '79, '80
Alexis Rousseau	'86, '87, '88, '89
Marco Santos	'06-hm, '07
Josh Samuels	'10-hm, '11, '12
Krsto Sbutega	'06-hm, '07-hm, '08
Rich Sherburne	'79
Jim Slaton	'66, '67, '68
Kenny Smith	'66, '67
John Stephens	'76
Brett Stern	'97
Mark Sutter	'95
Matt Swanson	'94, '95, '96
Scott Thornton	'83, '84
Vince Tonne	'79, '80, '81
Jim Toring	'95, '96
Scott Turner	'94
Alfonso Tucay	'01
Joe Vargas	'76
Russ Webb	'65, '66, '67
Torey Webb	'66, '68, '69
Robert Webb	'75
Blake Wellen	'99-hm, '00-hm
Chris Wendt	'12-hm, '13
Griffin White	'09-hm, '11, '12
Oliver Will	'91
Mike Wilmink	'91
Adam Wright	'97, '98, '99, '00-hm
Monty Yort	'85
Grant Zider	'05-hm, '06-hm

National Player of the Year

UCLA's Olympians

Antwerp, 1920

Clyde Swendson

Berlin, 1936

Clyde Swendson, Dixon Fiske

London, 1948

Dixon Fiske, Eddie Knox, Devere Christianson

Helsinki, 1952

John Spargo, Pete Stange, Urho Saari (coach)

Melbourne, 1956

Bob Horn

Rome, 1960

Bob Horn, James Kelsey, Urho Saari (coach)

Tokyo, 1964

Dave Ashleigh, Stan Cole, Daniel Drown, Urho Saari (coach)

Mexico City, 1968

Dave Ashleigh, Bruce Bradley, Russell Webb, Stan Cole, Bob Horn (coach), Monte Nitzkowski (coach)

Munich, 1972 (bronze)

Bruce Bradley, Stan Cole, Russell Webb, James M. Ferguson, James Slatton, Eric Lindroth, Monte Nitzkowski (coach)

Moscow, 1980 (boycott)

Jeff Stites, Joe Vargas, Eric Lindroth, Monte Nitzkowski (coach)

Los Angeles, 1984 (silver)

Joe Vargas, Fernando Carsalade (Brazil), Rich Corso (coach), Monte Nitzkowski (coach)

Barcelona, 1992

Alex Rousseau, Guy Baker (coach)

Atlanta, 1996

Dan Hackett, Alex Rousseau, Rich Corso (head coach)

Sydney, 2000

Dan Hackett, Sean Kern, Guy Baker (women's head coach)

Athens, 2004

Brandon Brooks, Adam Wright, Brett Ormsby, Guy Baker (women's head coach)

Beijing, 2008 (silver)

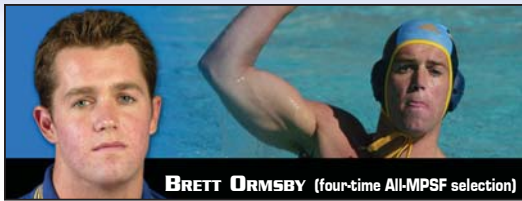
Brandon Brooks, Adam Wright, Guy Baker (women's head coach)

London, 2012

Chay Lapin, Adam Wright, Adam Krikorian (women's head coach)

Rio, 2016

Alex Roelse, Josh Samuels, Adam Krikorian (women's head coach)



BRETT ORMSBY (four-time All-MPSF selection)



BRANDON BROOKS (four-time All-MPSF selection)

ALL-MPSF SELECTIONS

1992

Chris Kellerman
Scott Turner

1993

Chris Kellerman
Jim Toring

1995

Jeremy Braxton-Brown
Adam Krikorian
Mark Sutter
Matt Swanson*
Jim Toring
Thomas Wong

1996

Corbin Graham
Jim Toring

1997

Matt Armato
Sean Kern
Brett Stern
Adam Wright

1998

Sam Grayeli
Sean Kern
Adam Wright

1999

Matt Armato
Brian Brown
Sean Kern
Adam Wright

2000

Andy Bailey
Brandon Brooks
Brian Brown
Sean Kern*
Dave Parker
Adam Wright

2001

Alfonso Tucay (1st team)
Brandon Brooks (2nd team)
Brett Ormsby (2nd team)
Jeff Pflueger (2nd team)
Matt Flesher (2nd team)
Albert Garcia (hm)

2002

Brandon Brooks (1st team)
Brett Ormsby (1st team)
Matt Flesher (2nd team)

Ted Peck (hm)
Dan Yeilding (hm)

2003

Brett Ormsby (1st team)
Joseph Axelrad (3rd team)
Michael March (3rd team)
Ted Peck (hm)

2004

Joseph Axelrad (1st team)
Brett Ormsby (1st team)
Michael March (2nd team)
Albert Garcia (3rd team)
Josh Hewko (hm)
Ted Peck (hm)

2005

David Pietsch (2nd team)
Will Didingler (3rd team)
Logan Powell (hm)
Chris Pulido (hm)
Logan Powell (hm)
Grant Zider (hm)

2006

Michael March (1st team)
Krsto Sbutega (1st team)
Chay Lapin (2nd team)
Marco Santos (2nd team)
Grant Zider (3rd team)
Justin Johnson (hm)
Logan Powell (hm)

2007

Scott Davidson (2nd team)
Chay Lapin (2nd team)
Marco Santos (2nd team)
Krsto Sbutega (2nd team)
Justin Johnson (3rd team)

2008

Krsto Sbutega (1st team)
Chay Lapin (2nd team)

2009

Scott Davidson (1st team)*
Ben Hohl (2nd team)
Chay Lapin (2nd team)
Cullen Hennessy (hm)

2010

Jacob Murphy (1st team)
Ben Hohl (2nd team)
Cullen Hennessy (hm)
Cristiano Mirarchi (hm)
Emilio Vieira (hm)

2011

Josh Samuels (2nd team)
Griffin White (2nd team)
Matt Rapacz (2nd team)
Cullen Hennessy (2nd team)
Cristiano Mirarchi (hm)
Paul Reynolds (hm)
Aimone Barabino (hm)
Adam Wright (Coach of the Year)

2012

Josh Samuels (1st team)
Matt Rapacz (2nd team)
Paul Reynolds (2nd team)
Aimone Barabino (hm)

2013

Cristiano Mirarchi (2nd team)
Paul Reynolds (2nd team)
Garrett Danner (Newcomer of the Year/hm)
Danny McClintick (hm)
Chris Wendt (hm)

2014

Garrett Danner (1st team)
Gordon Marshall (1st team)
Paul Reynolds (1st team)
Anthony Daboub (2nd team)
Cristiano Mirarchi (2nd team)
Ryder Roberts (2nd team)

2015

Garrett Danner* (1st team)
Gordon Marshall (1st team)
Ryder Roberts (1st team)
Anthony Daboub (2nd team)
Daniel McClintick (2nd team)
Patrick Fellner (hm)
Max Irving (hm)

*MPSF Player of the Year