

NCAA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

Jan. 6, 2009

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Northern Kentucky University (26)	1	11-0	674
2.	University of Alaska Anchorage (1)	3	13-1	644
3.	Washburn University (Kan.)	2	12-1	590
4.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	7	12-1	581
5.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	t9	12-0	529
6.	West Texas A&M University	4	11-2	502
7.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	6	10-1	493
8.	California University of Pennsylvania	5	8-2	460
9.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	13	11-1	434
10.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	t9	11-2	402
11.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	8	9-2	366
12.	Rollins College (Fla.)	19	12-0	337
13.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	22	11-1	316
14.	University of Central Oklahoma	12	9-2	283
15.	Barry University (Fla.)	16	11-2	258
16.	Michigan Technological University	14	9-2	257
17.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	11	11-2	229
18.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	17	7-2	228
19.	University of Tampa (Fla.)	24	10-1	224
20.	University of South Carolina, Aiken	18	10-3	158
21.	Clayton State University (Ga.)	NR	9-1	149
22.	Arkansas Tech University	20	10-3	92
23.	University of Indianapolis (Ind.)	NR	14-2	72
24.	Harding University (Ark.)	NR	12-0	62
25.	University of District of Columbia	NR	11-2	55

Dropped Out: Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania, Drury University (Mo.), Franklin Pierce University (N.H.), Wingate University (N.C.).

Others Receiving Votes: Franklin Pierce University (N.H.) - 44; University of California-San Diego - 42; Wingate University (N.C.) - 42; Francis Marion University (S.C.) - 38; Drury University (Mo.) - 30; Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania - 26; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 23; Kentucky State University - 21; Molloy College (N.Y.) - 16; Florida Institute of Technology - 15; University of Central Missouri - 14; Columbus State University (Ga.) - 13; Millersville University of Pennsylvania - 13; Ashland University (Ohio) - 9; Gannon University (Pa.) - 7; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 6; Northwood University (Mich.) - 6; Pittsburg State University (Kan.) - 5; Armstrong Atlantic State University (Ga.) - 4; St. Cloud State University (Minn.) - 2; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 1; Grand Valley State University (Mich.) - 1; Lenoir-Rhyne College (N.C.) - 1; Texas Woman's University - 1.

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1.	Northern Kentucky University (26)	1	13-0	674
2.	University of Alaska Anchorage (1)	2	15-1	649
3.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	5	14-0	618
4.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	7	12-1	571
5.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	9	12-1	503
6.	California University of Pennsylvania	8	11-2	499
7.	Washburn University (Kan.)	3	13-2	465
8.	Rollins College (Fla.)	12	12-0	456
9.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	10	13-2	434
10.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	4	13-2	427
11.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	13	12-1	397
12.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	11	11-2	393
13.	Barry University (Fla.)	15	12-2	330
14.	West Texas A&M University	6	12-3	316
15.	Michigan Technological University	16	11-2	285
16.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	18	9-2	257
17.	Clayton State University (Ga.)	21	10-1	221
18.	University of South Carolina, Aiken	20	12-3	218
19.	University of Indianapolis (Ind.)	23	16-2	162
20.	University of Central Oklahoma	14	10-3	144
21.	Arkansas Tech University	22	11-3	129
22.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	17	12-3	106
23.	University of District of Columbia	25	12-2	88
24.	Gannon University	NR	12-1	75
25.	University of California, San Diego	NR	13-2	60

Dropped Out: University of Tampa (Fla.), Harding University (Ark.).

Others Receiving Votes: Harding University (Ark.) - 44; Saint Cloud State University (Minn.) - 42; Franklin Pierce University (N.H.) - 26; University of Tampa (Fla.) - 23; Francis Marion University (S.C.) - 22; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 21; Armstrong Atlantic State University (Ga.) - 20; Millersville University of Pennsylvania - 19; Grand Valley State University (Mich.) - 15; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 15; Northwood University (Mich.) - 12; Molloy College (N.Y.) - 9; Florida Institute of Technology - 8; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 8; Kentucky State University - 7; Bentley College (Mass.) - 2; Lenoir-Rhyne College (N.C.) - 2; University of Central Missouri - 1; Drury University (Mo.) - 1; Virginia State University - 1.

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Northern Kentucky University (27)	1	15-0	699
2.	University of Alaska Anchorage (1)	2	16-1	671
3.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	3	16-0	642
4.	California University of Pennsylvania	6	13-2	581
5.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	9	14-2	557
6.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	11	14-1	537
7.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	4	13-2	472
8.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	5	13-1	439
9.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	12	13-2	436
t10.	Michigan Technological University	15	13-2	402
t10.	Washburn University (Kan.)	7	14-3	402
12.	Rollins College (Fla.)	8	14-1	372
13.	West Texas A&M University	14	13-3	339
14.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	16	11-2	338
15.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	10	14-3	311
16.	Arkansas Tech University	21	13-3	266
17.	University of Central Oklahoma	20	12-3	216
18.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	22	13-3	204
19.	University of South Carolina, Aiken	18	13-4	194
20.	University of District of Columbia	23	15-2	175
21.	University of California, San Diego	25	15-2	137
22.	University of Indianapolis (Ind.)	19	17-3	89
23.	Barry University (Fla.)	13	12-4	76
24.	Clayton State University (Ga.)	17	11-3	74
25.	Grand Valley State University (Mich.)	NR	13-2	69

Dropped Out: Gannon University (Mich.).

Others Receiving Votes: Francis Marion University (S.C.) - 66; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 56; Gannon University (Mich.) - 56; Franklin Pierce University (N.H.) - 41; Saint Cloud State University (Minn.) - 30; Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.) - 28; University of Tampa (Fla.) - 27; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 25; Northwood University (Mich.) - 20; Molloy College (N.Y.) - 17; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 14; Harding University (Ark.) - 7; Armstrong Atlantic State University (Ga.) - 6; College of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 4; Georgia College & State University - 2; Virginia State University - 2; Drury University (Mo.) - 1.

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Jan. 27, 2009

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	University of Alaska Anchorage (23)	2	18-1	671
2.	Northern Kentucky University (4)	1	16-1	610
3.	California University of Pennsylvania	4	15-2	606
4.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	5	16-2	586
5.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	6	16-1	568
6.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	3	17-1	550
7.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	7	15-2	508
8.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	8	16-2	462
9.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	9	15-2	438
10.	Michigan Technological University	t10	15-2	430
t11.	Rollins College (Fla.)	12	16-1	385
t11.	Washburn University (Kan.)	t10	15-3	385
13.	West Texas A&M University	13	15-3	340
14.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	14	12-3	299
15.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	15	16-3	298
16.	University of Central Oklahoma	17	14-3	250
17.	University of California, San Diego	21	17-2	233
18.	University of District of Columbia	20	15-2	207
19.	Francis Marion University (S.C.)	NR	14-1	136
t20.	Arkansas Tech University	16	14-4	134
t20.	Grand Valley State University (Mich.)	25	15-2	134
22.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	18	14-4	115
23.	University of South Carolina-Aiken	19	14-5	74
24.	Clark Atlanta University (Ga.)	NR	15-1	55
25.	Saint Mary's University (Texas)	NR	16-2	41

Dropped Out: Barry University (Fla.), University of Indianapolis (Ind.), Clayton State University (Ga.).

Others Receiving Votes: Franklin Pierce University (N.H.) - 37; Barry University (Fla.) - 29; Quincy University (Ill.) - 27; Saint Cloud State University (Minn.) - 27; Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.) - 21; Clayton State University - (Ga.) - 17; Delta State University (Miss.) - 15; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 11; University of Tampa (Fla.) - 10; University of Indianapolis (Ind.) - 8; Bentley College (Mass.) - 7; Georgia College & State University - 7; Northwood University (Mich.) - 7; American International College (Mass.) - 6; Fayetteville State University (N.C.) - 6; College of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 5; Gannon University (Pa.) - 5; University of Central Missouri - 4; Florida Southern College - 3; Florida Institute of Technology - 2; Pittsburg State University (Kan.) - 2; Virginia State University - 2; Molloy College (N.Y.) - 1; Pace University (N.Y.) - 1.

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1.	University of Alaska Anchorage (27)	1	20-1	675
2.	California University of Pennsylvania	3	17-2	621
3.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	5	18-1	593
4.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	4	18-2	579
5.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	6	19-1	570
6.	Northern Kentucky University	2	17-2	529
7.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	7	17-2	519
8.	Michigan Technological University	10	17-2	481
9.	West Texas A&M University	13	17-3	399
10.	Washburn University (Kan.)	t11	17-3	396
11.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	15	17-3	348
12.	University of California, San Diego	17	19-2	313
13.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	9	16-3	307
14.	University of Central Oklahoma	16	15-3	305
15.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	8	17-3	300
16.	University of District of Columbia	18	17-2	273
17.	Francis Marion University (S.C.)	19	16-1	254
18.	Rollins College (Fla.)	t11	17-2	247
19.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	14	13-4	174
20.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	22	16-4	144
21.	Saint Mary's University (Texas)	25	18-2	130
22.	Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.)	NR	18-2	100
23.	University of South Carolina-Aiken	23	16-5	88
24.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	NR	15-4	60
25.	Delta State University (Miss.)	NR	17-5	48

Dropped Out: Arkansas Tech University, Grand Valley State University (Mich.), Clark Atlanta University (Ga.).

Others Receiving Votes: Quincy University (Ill.) - 45; Saint Cloud State University (Minn.) - 36; Arkansas Tech University - 35; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 32; Clayton State University (Ga.) - 30; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 22; Grand Valley State University (Mich.) - 20; Fayetteville State University (N.C.) - 17; Virginia State University - 15; American International College (Mass.) - 11; Georgia College & State University - 11; Northwood University (Mich.) - 10; University of Arkansas, Monticello - 9; College of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 7; Bentley College (Mass.) - 6; Fort Valley State University (Ga.) - 5; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 4; University of Indianapolis (Ind.) - 3; Augustana College (S.D.) - 1; Florida Southern College - 1; Pace University (N.Y.) - 1; Pittsburg State University (Kan.) - 1.

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Feb. 10, 2009

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1.	University of Alaska Anchorage (28)	1	22-1	700
2.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	3	18-1	667
3.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	5	21-1	637
4.	Northern Kentucky University	6	19-2	591
5.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	7	19-2	569
6.	California University of Pennsylvania	2	18-3	526
7.	West Texas A&M University	9	19-3	510
8.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	4	19-3	472
9.	Washburn University (Kan.)	10	19-3	465
10.	University of California, San Diego	12	21-2	459
11.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	13	18-3	385
12.	Michigan Technological University	8	17-2	364
13.	University of Central Oklahoma	14	18-3	353
14.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	15	18-3	314
15.	Francis Marion University (S.C.)	17	19-1	310
16.	Saint Mary's University (Texas)	21	19-2	241
17.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	19	15-4	220
18.	University of District of Columbia	16	19-3	189
19.	Quincy University (Ill.)	NR	20-3	179
20.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	11	17-5	160
21.	Rollins College (Fla.)	18	18-3	126
22.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	20	17-5	83
23.	Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.)	22	19-3	72
24.	Clayton State University (Ga.)	NR	17-4	67
25.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	24	16-5	53

Dropped Out: Delta State University (Miss.), University of South Carolina-Aiken.

Others Receiving Votes: Holy Family University (Pa.) - 52; Gannon University (Pa.) - 39; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 35; Fayetteville State University (N.C.) - 32; Virginia State University - 32; Arkansas Tech University - 26; Saint Cloud State University (Minn.) - 25; University Of South Carolina Aiken - 23; Delta State University (Miss.) - 15; Georgia College & State University - 15; Fort Valley State University (Ga.) - 13; Bentley University (Mass.) - 11; University Of Arkansas - Monticello 11; Augustana College (S.D.) - 10; Molloy College (N.Y.) - 10; Grand Valley State University (Mich.) - 9; University of West Georgia - 8; Pittsburg State University (Kan.) - 7; Northwood University (Mich.) - 6; American International College (Mass.) - 3; University Of Indianapolis (Ind.) - 3; University Of Tampa (Fla.) - 2; Drury University (Mo.) - 1.

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4.	Northern Kentucky University	4	21-2	582
5.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	5	21-2	560
6.	California University of Pennsylvania	6	20-3	533
7.	West Texas A&M University	7	21-3	515
8.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	8	21-3	480
9.	Washburn University (Kan.)	9	21-3	442
10.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	11	20-3	339
11.	Francis Marion University (S.C.)	15	21-1	355
12.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	14	21-3	347
13.	University of California, San Diego	10	22-3	336
14.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	17	16-4	280
15.	Quincy University (Ill.)	19	21-3	273
16.	Michigan Technological University	12	19-4	232
17.	University of Central Oklahoma	13	19-4	206
18.	Rollins College (Fla.)	21	20-3	189
19.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	20	19-5	188
20.	Saint Mary's University (Texas)	16	20-3	155
21.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	22	19-5	136
22.	Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.)	23	21-3	135
23.	University of District of Columbia	18	20-4	104
24.	Clayton State University (Ga.)	24	19-4	88
25.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	25	18-5	66

Dropped Out: None

Others Receiving Votes: Fort Valley State University (Ga.) - 42; Fayetteville State University (N.C.) - 26; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 24; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 20; Delta State University (Miss.) - 19; University of West Georgia - 18; Molloy College (N.Y.) - 13; Carson-Newman College (Tenn.) - 11; Gannon University (Pa.) - 11; Grand Valley State University (Mich.) - 10; University of South Carolina Aiken - 9; University of Tampa (Fla.) - 9; University of Arkansas, Monticello - 7; Northwood University (Mich.) - 6; Georgia College & State University - 4; American International College (Mass.) - 2; Bentley University (Mass.) - 1.

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NCAA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

Feb. 24, 2009

USA TODAY ESPN Division II Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes to the right, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th.

Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Minnesota State University-Mankato (24)	3	24-1	693
2.	Northern Kentucky University (1)	4	23-2	645
3.	California University of Pennsylvania	6	22-3	603
4.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.) (2)	2	23-1	597
5.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	8	22-3	570
6.	University of Alaska-Anchorage	1	24-2	558
7.	Francis Marion University (S.C.) (1)	11	24-1	536
8.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	5	22-3	478
9.	University of California, San Diego	13	24-3	463
10.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	14	18-4	423
11.	West Texas A&M University	7	21-3	408
12.	Quincy University (Ill.)	15	23-3	391
13.	Washburn University (Kan.)	9	22-4	356
14.	University of Central Oklahoma	17	21-4	310
15.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	12	22-4	267
16.	Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.)	22	22-3	230
17.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	10	20-5	223
18.	Saint Mary's University (Texas)	20	21-4	202
19.	University of District of Columbia	23	22-4	187
20.	Michigan Technological University	16	20-5	184
21.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	25	21-5	144
22.	Rollins College (Fla.)	18	20-3	130
23.	Fort Valley State University (Ga.)	NR	22-4	107
24.	Gannon University (Pa.)	NR	22-3	71
25.	Holy Family University (Pa.)	NR	24-4	69

Dropped Out: Stonehill College (Mass.), Minnesota State University-Moorhead, Clayton State University (Ga.).

Others Receiving Votes: Minnesota State University-Moorhead - 36; Stonehill College (Mass.) - 33; Clayton State University (Ga.) - 31; Delta State University (Miss.) - 29; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 26; Fayetteville State University (N.C.) - 24; University of Arkansas- Monticello - 18; Bentley University (Mass.) - 17; University of West Georgia - 16; University of Tampa (Fla.) - 11; Virginia State University - 5; Northwood University (Mich.) - 4; American International College (Mass.) - 3; College of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 2.

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NCAA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

March 3, 2009

USA TODAY ESPN Division II Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes to the right, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th.

Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Minnesota State University-Mankato (27)	1	26-1	675
2.	Northern Kentucky University	2	25-2	638
3.	California University of Pennsylvania	3	24-3	610
4.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	4	25-2	592
5.	University of Alaska-Anchorage	6	26-3	548
6.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	8	24-3	517
7.	University of California, San Diego	9	26-3	503
8.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	10	19-4	454
9.	Quincy University (Ill.)	12	24-3	447
10.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	5	23-3	437
11.	Washburn University (Kan.)	13	23-4	406
12.	University of Central Oklahoma	14	23-4	369
13.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	15	23-4	302
14.	Francis Marion University (S.C.)	7	24-3	279
15.	West Texas A&M University	11	22-4	264
t16.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	17	22-5	234
t16.	Saint Mary's University (Texas)	18	23-4	234
18.	Michigan Technological University	20	22-5	195
19.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	21	21-5	166
20.	University of District of Columbia	19	22-4	162
21.	Fort Valley State University (Ga.)	23	23-4	138
22.	Rollins College (Fla.)	22	23-4	120
t23.	Gannon University (Pa.)	24	24-3	108
t23.	Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.)	16	23-4	108
25.	Holy Family University (Pa.)	25	25-4	89

Dropped Out: None

Others Receiving Votes: Stonehill College (Mass.) - 32; Delta State University (Miss.) - 29; University of Tampa (Fla.) - 28; Clayton State University (Ga.) - 25; Bentley University (Mass.) - 13; Northwood University (Mich.) - 11; University of West Georgia - C 11; University of Arkansas- Monticello - 10; College of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 7; Minnesota State University, Moorhead - 6; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 3; Arkansas Tech University - 2; American International College (Mass.) - 1; University of Charleston (W.Va.) - 1; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 1.

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NCAA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

March 10, 2009

USA TODAY ESPN Division II Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes to the right, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th.

Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Northern Kentucky University (24)	2	27-2	648
2.	University of Alaska-Anchorage	5	27-3	591
3.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	6	27-3	569
4.	Minnesota State University-Mankato (1)	1	26-2	563
5.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	8	21-4	531
6.	California University of Pennsylvania (1)	3	26-4	521
7.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	4	26-3	484
8.	Washburn University (Kan.)	11	26-4	453
9.	Quincy University (Ill.)	9	26-4	417
10.	University of California, San Diego	7	26-4	385
11.	West Texas A&M University	15	25-5	382
12.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	t16	24-5	351
13.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	10	25-5	328
14.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	19	24-5	291
15.	University of Central Oklahoma	12	25-5	275
16.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	13	23-4	238
17.	Francis Marion University (S.C.)	14	25-4	188
18.	Fort Valley State University (Ga.)	21	26-4	174
19.	Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.)	t23	26-4	162
20.	University of District of Columbia	20	24-4	160
21.	Saint Mary's University (Texas)	t16	23-4	153
22.	Michigan Technological University	18	24-6	144
23..	Rollins College (Fla.)	22	23-4	100
24.	Delta State University (Miss.)	NR	26-6	80
25.	University of Tampa (Fla.)	NR	25-5	65

Dropped Out: Gannon University (Pa.); Holy Family University (Pa.).

Others Receiving Votes: Gannon University (Pa.) - 54; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 28; Bentley University (Mass.) - 23; University of Arkansas-Monticello - 15; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 13; Clayton State University (Ga.) - 10; College of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 10; Lander University (S.C.) - 9; Northwood University (Mich.) - 9; University of South Carolina Aiken - 6; University of The Incarnate Word (Texas) - 5; Saint Cloud State University (Minn.) - 4; Minnesota State University, Moorhead - 3; Colorado State University-Pueblo - 3; University of Charleston (W.Va.) - 2; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 2; American International College (Mass.) - 1.

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NCAA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

March 31, 2009

CONGRATULATIONS TO MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY-MANKATO FOR TAKING HOME THE DII CROWN!

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Minnesota State University-Mankato (27)	4	32-2	697
2.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	14	29-6	657
3.	University of Alaska-Anchorage	2	31-4	638
4.	California University of Pennsylvania	6	29-5	561
5.	West Texas A&M University	11	28-6	528
6.	Delta State University (Miss.)	24	30-7	517
7.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	5	23-4	474
8.	Michigan Technological University	22	27-7	467
9.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	7	28-3	462
10.	Northern Kentucky University	1	29-3	416
11.	Clayton State University (Ga.)	NR	26-7	361
12.	University of Central Oklahoma	15	23-5	347
13.	Washburn University (Kan.)	8	27-5	285
14.	Francis Marion University (S.C.)	17	27-5	265
15.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	3	27-4	254
16.	University of California - San Diego	10	27-5	247
17.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	13	26-6	225
18.	Quincy University (Ill.)	9	27-5	224
19.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	12	26-6	201
20.	Gannon University (Pa.)	NR	30-4	180
21.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	16	26-5	162
22.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	NR	22-8	153
23..	Lenoir-Rhyne University (N.C.)	19	27-5	138
24.	University of Indianapolis (Ind.)	NR	24-10	120
25.	Ouachita Baptist University (Ark.)	NR	23-9	90

Dropped Out: University of District of Columbia; Saint Mary's University (Texas); Fort Valley State University (Ga.); Rollins College (Fla.); University of Tampa (Fla.).

Others Receiving Votes: University of District of Columbia - 83; Fort Valley State University (Ga.) - 78; University Of Tampa (Fla.) - 64; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 45; Rollins College (Fla.) - 34; Minnesota State University, Moorhead - 24; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 18; Johnson C. Smith University (N.C.) - 12; University Of Arkansas-Monticello - 12; Winona State University (Minn.) - 12; American International College (Mass.) - 11; Northwood University (Mich.) - 10; Lander University (S.C.) - 8; Bentley University (Mass.) - 6; Clark Atlanta University (Ga.) - 6; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 6; College Of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 2.

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NCAA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

Nov. 5, 2008

USA TODAY ESPN Division II Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes to the right, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th.

Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Last Year's Final Rank	Last Year's Final Record	Points
1.	Northern Kentucky University (22)	1	28-8	625
2.	California University of Pennsylvania (1)	8	27-7	541
3.	Washburn University (Kan.)	5	26-7	506
4.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	6	27-5	494
5.	University of Alaska Anchorage	4	30-5	479
6.	West Texas A&M University (3)	18	26-5	474
7.	Drury University (Mo.)	11	27-3	405
8.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	13	27-5	402
9.	Delta State University (Miss.)	3	33-1	376
10.	Holy Family University (Pa.)	9	32-1	335
11.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	23	27-5	334
12.	Michigan Technological University	NR	23-8	298
t13.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	NR	26-5	280
t13.	Wingate University (N.C.)	10	26-8	280
t15.	Arkansas Tech University	16	26-6	223
t15.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	22	23-8	223
17.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	NR	23-5	196
18.	University of West Georgia	20	25-5	193
19.	University of Central Oklahoma	NR	24-8	185
20.	University of South Carolina, Aiken	NR	20-8	158
21.	Augustana College (S.D.)	NR	22-9	149
22.	Seattle Pacific (Wash.)	7	29-1	120
23.	Clayton State University (Ga.)	24	20-11	104
24.	Anderson University (S.C.)	19	28-4	93
25.	University of Nebraska, Kearney	NR	27-7	85

Others Receiving Votes: Minnesota State University, Mankato - 83; Nova Southeastern University (Fla.) - 81; California State University, Chico - 64; Fort Lewis College (Colo.) - 63; Shaw University (N.C.) - 55; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 50; Lake Superior State University (Mich.) - 35; Concordia University (Minn.) - 29; Johnson C. Smith University (N.C.) - 27; Millersville University of Pennsylvania - 22; Northwood University (Mich.) - 22; Shepherd University (W.Va.) - 22; Assumption College (Mass.) - 21; Fairmont State University (W. Va.) - 21; Kentucky State University - 20; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 18; University of Indianapolis (Ind.) - 18; Rollins College (Fla.) - 17; University of District of Columbia - 17; Fort Valley State University (Ga.) - 14; Texas A&M University-Commerce - 14; Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania - 11; Bentley College (Mass.) - 8; Francis Marion University (S.C.) - 8; College of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 7; Ashland University (Ohio) - 6; Fayetteville State University (N.C.) - 6; Sonoma State University (Calif.) - 6; West Virginia Wesleyan - 6; Quincy University (Ill.) - 5; Gannon University (Penn.) - 4; Carson-Newman College (Tenn.) - 3; Dominican College (N.Y.) - 3; Abilene Christian University (Texas) - 2; Colorado State University, Pueblo - 2; Barry University (Fla.) - 1; Northwest Missouri State University - 1.

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NCAA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

Nov. 25, 2008

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Preseason Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Northern Kentucky University (24)	1	2-0	643
2.	Washburn University (Kan.)	3	2-0	611
3.	West Texas A&M University (2)	6	3-0	556
4.	Drury University (Mo.)	7	3-0	553
5.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	8	4-0	535
6.	California University of Pennsylvania	2	3-1	441
7.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	4	2-1	409
8.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	11	2-0	401
9.	University of Alaska Anchorage	5	5-1	397
10.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	t15	3-0	353
11.	University of South Carolina, Aiken	20	6-0	346
12.	Arkansas Tech University	t15	3-0	343
13.	Wingate University (N.C.)	t13	2-0	336
14.	University of Central Oklahoma	19	3-0	292
15.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	17	2-0	287
16.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	t13	3-1	262
17.	Holy Family University (Pa.)	10	3-1	255
18.	Augustana College (S.D.)	21	3-0	221
t19.	Michigan Technological University	12	2-1	177
t19.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	22	3-0	177
21.	University of West Georgia	18	3-1	155
22.	Lake Superior State University (Mich.)	NR	6-0	140
23.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	NR	3-0	77
24.	Assumption College (Mass.)	NR	4-0	42
25.	Shaw University (N.C.)	NR	2-0	40

Dropped Out: Clayton State University (Ga.), Anderson University (S.C.), University of Nebraska, Kearney.

Others Receiving Votes: Minnesota State University - Mankato 39; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 36; Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania - 35; University of District Of Columbia - 35; Clayton State University (Ga.) - 31; University Of Nebraska, Kearney - 29; Barry University (Fla.) - 26; Minnesota State University - Moorhead - 19; Quincy University (Ill.) - 18; Northwood University (Mich.) - 17; Millersville University Of Pennsylvania - 16; Texas A&M University-Commerce - 16; Rollins College (Fla.) - 15; University Of Indianapolis (Ind.) - 12; University Of New Haven (Conn.) - 11; Carson-Newman College (Tenn.) - 9; Ashland University (Ohio) - 7; College Of Saint Rose (N.Y.) - 6; American International College (Mass.) - 5; Kentucky State University - 5; Gannon University (Pa.) - 4; Anderson University (S.C.) - 3; Delta State University (Miss.) - 2; Columbus State University (Ga.) - 1; Francis Marion University (S.C.) - 1; Northwest Missouri State University - 1; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 1; University Of California-San Diego - 1.

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NCAA Division II Top 25 Coaches Poll

Dec. 2, 2008

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Northern Kentucky University (22)	1	2-0	664
2.	Washburn University (Kan.) (2)	2	5-0	648
3.	West Texas A&M University (3)	3	5-0	623
4.	California University of Pennsylvania	6	4-1	530
5.	University of Alaska Anchorage	9	7-1	517
6.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	7	3-1	484
7.	University of South Carolina, Aiken	11	6-0	481
8.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	5	5-1	442
9.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	8	4-1	432
10.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	15	4-0	405
11.	University of Central Oklahoma	14	4-0	395
12.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	10	5-1	314
13.	Lake Superior State University (Mich.)	22	6-0	296
14.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	16	5-1	290
15.	Seattle Pacific University (Wash.)	t19	3-0	288
16.	Wingate University (N.C.)	13	4-1	217
t17.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	NR	6-0	192
t17.	Shaw University (N.C.)	25	4-0	192
19.	Michigan Technological University	t19	2-1	164
20.	Drury University (Mo.)	4	3-3	161
21.	Arkansas Tech University	12	4-2	150
22.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	NR	6-0	122
23.	Shippensburg Univ. of Pennsylvania	NR	4-0	112
24.	Barry University (Fla.)	NR	6-1	100
25.	Augustana College (S.D.)	18	4-1	97

Dropped Out:

Holy Family University (Pa.), University of West Georgia, Fort Lewis College (Colo.), Assumption College (Mass.).

Others Receiving Votes: Fort Lewis College (Colo.) - 75; Carson-Newman College (Tenn.) - 58; University Of District Of Columbia - 57; Clayton State University (Ga.) - 36; University of West Georgia - 30; Assumption College (Mass.) - 25; Ashland University (Ohio) - 23; University Of California-San Diego - 21; Rollins College (Fla.) - 20; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 19; University Of New Haven (Conn.) - 18; Northwood University (Mich.) - 16; Millersville University Of Pennsylvania - 14; University Of Nebraska - Kearney - 9; Kentucky State University - 6; Le Moyne College (N.Y.) - 6; University Of Indianapolis (Ind.) - 6; University Of Tampa (Fla.) - 6; American International College (Mass.) - 4; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 3; Columbus State University (Ga.) - 2; Quincy University (Ill.) - 2; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 2; Francis Marion University (S.C.) - 1.

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Dec. 9, 2008

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1.	Northern Kentucky University (22)	1	4-0	663
2.	Washburn University (Kan.) (1)	2	7-0	647
3.	West Texas A&M University (4)	3	5-0	627
4.	University of Alaska Anchorage	5	7-1	575
5.	California University of Pennsylvania	4	5-1	563
6.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	8	7-1	510
7.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	10	6-0	494
8.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	9	4-1	472
9.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	12	7-1	400
10.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	t17	7-0	382
11.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	14	7-1	356
12.	University of Central Oklahoma	11	6-1	352
13.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	22	8-0	293
14.	Michigan Technological University	19	4-1	269
15.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	6	4-2	265
16.	Shippensburg Univ. of Pennsylvania	23	5-0	259
17.	University of South Carolina, Aiken	7	6-2	195
t18.	Barry University (Fla.)	24	7-1	139
t18.	Seattle Pacific University	15	3-1	139
20.	Arkansas Tech University	21	5-2	133
21.	Drury University (Mo.)	20	5-3	132
22.	Carson-Newman College (Tenn.)	NR	7-0	131
23.	Rollins College (Fla.)	NR	7-0	105
24.	Lake Superior State University (Mich.)	13	6-2	100
25.	Wingate University (N.C.)	16	5-2	99

Dropped Out: Shaw University (N.C.), Augustana College (S.D.).

Others Receiving Votes: Fort Lewis College (Colo.) - 94; Shaw University (N.C.) - 61; Quincy University (Ill.) - 39; Millersville University Of Pennsylvania - 33; University Of California-San Diego - 33; University Of Tampa (Fla.) - 32; Clayton State University (Ga.) - 30; University Of Indianapolis (Ind.) - 25; Kentucky State University - 15; Assumption College (Mass.) - 14; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 12; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 12; University Of District Of Columbia - 10; University Of New Haven (Conn.) - 9; Columbus State University (Ga.) - 8; Le Moyne College (N.Y.) - 8; Holy Family University (Pa.) - 7; Newberry College (S.C.) - 7; Florida Institute of Technology - 6; Northwood University (Mich.) - 6; Armstrong Atlantic State University (Ga.) - 3; Augustana College (S.D.) - 3; University Of Nebraska - Kearney - 3; University of Central Missouri - 2; Francis Marion University (S.C.) - 2; Molloy College (N.Y.) - 1.

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Dec. 16, 2008

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1.	Northern Kentucky University (23)	1	7-0	667
2.	Washburn University (Kan.) (3)	2	8-0	651
3.	University of Alaska Anchorage	4	9-1	598
4.	West Texas A&M University (1)	3	8-1	556
5.	California University of Pennsylvania	5	5-1	549
6.	Hillsdale College (Mich.)	7	8-0	543
7.	Stonehill College (Mass.)	6	8-1	537
8.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	8	7-1	474
t9.	Emporia State University (Kan.)	9	8-1	448
t9.	Minnesota State University-Mankato	10	9-0	448
11.	Minnesota State University-Moorhead	13	10-0	379
12.	University of Central Oklahoma	12	7-1	361
13.	Tusculum College (Tenn.)	11	9-1	342
14.	Michigan Technological University	14	6-1	315
15.	Shippensburg Univ. of Pennsylvania	16	5-0	302
16.	Barry University (Fla.)	t18	8-1	223
17.	Seattle Pacific University	t18	5-1	219
18.	University of South Carolina, Aiken	17	7-2	208
19.	Rollins College (Fla.)	23	8-0	149
20.	Arkansas Tech University	20	6-2	146
21.	Drury University (Mo.)	21	6-3	100
22.	Fort Lewis College (Colo.)	NR	7-1	99
23.	Franklin Pierce University (N.H.)	15	4-3	49
24.	University of Tampa (Fla.)	NR	8-1	48
25.	Wingate University (N.C.)	25	5-2	42

Dropped Out: Carson-Newman College (Tenn.), Lake Superior State University (Mich.).

Others Receiving Votes: Shaw University (N.C.) - 40; Millersville University of Pennsylvania - 35; Clayton State University (Ga.) - 24; Quincy University (Ill.) - 23; University of California-San Diego - 23; Assumption College (Mass.) - 20; University of District of Columbia - 19; Columbus State University (Ga.) - 18; University Of Indianapolis (Ind.) - 18; Kentucky State University - 17; Valdosta State University (Ga.) - 14; Lake Superior State University (Mich.) - 12; Harding University (Ark.) - 10; Carson-Newman College (Tenn.) - 9; Northwood University (Mich.) - 7; Colorado State University - Pueblo 7; Newberry College (S.C.) - 6; Florida Institute of Technology - 5; University of Nebraska - Kearney - 4; Armstrong Atlantic State University (Ga.) - 3; Saint Mary's University (Texas) - 3; Molloy College (N.Y.) - 2; University of Central Missouri - 1; Francis Marion University (S.C.) - 1; Virginia State University - 1.

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