

2022-23 WBCA NCAA Division III Preseason Top 25 Coaches Poll

The WBCA NCAA Division III Preseason Top 25 Women's Basketball Coaches Poll, with teams' RECORDS FROM LAST YEAR in parentheses, total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th, ranking in last year's final poll, and first-place votes received.

Rank	School (2021-22 Record)	Total Points	2021-22 Final Rank	First-Place Votes
1	Hope (32-1)	243	1	7
2	Trine (28-4)	223	2t	0
3	Amherst (25-4)	206	4	0
4	Christopher Newport (26-1)	204	7	3
5	Transylvania (27-1)	197	5	0
6	Trinity, TX (28-3)	195	8	0
7	NYU (25-2)	194	6	0
8	UW-Whitewater (28-5)	190	2t	0
9	Smith (25-3)	176	9	0
10	Tufts (22-5)	139	11	0
11	Whitman (27-2)	132	16	0
12	Scranton (27-3)	124	10	0
13	Simpson (26-2)	115	12	0
14	Mary Hardin-Baylor (23-5)	100	17	0
15	Baldwin-Wallace (23-5)	90	13	0
16	DePauw (23-4)	87	20	0
17	St. John Fisher (26-3)	78	21	0
18	UW-Oshkosh (22-7)	73	15	0
19	Messiah (23-4)	71	22	0
20	Springfield (24-5)	64	14	0
21	Babson (20-8)	50	NR	0
22t	Ithaca (25-4)	41	23	0
22t	John Carroll (23-5)	41	18	0
24	Rhodes (23-3)	39	25	0
25	Wisconsin Lutheran (23-2)	38	19	0

Dropped out: No. 24 Millikin (23-7)

Others receiving votes: Millikin (23-7) 29; UC Santa Cruz (16-4) 17; Hardin-Simmons (21-5) 15; DeSales (22-4) 14; Bates (18-8) 12; Puget Sound (20-5) 12; Albertus Magnus (17-

9)10; Roger Williams (25-3) 10; Johns Hopkins (22-5) 8; Redlands (19-5) 6; Gettysburg (25-4) 4; Montclair State (14-10) 2; Illinois Wesleyan (20-9) 1.

The WBCA NCAA Division III Coaches Poll Committee is composed of one head coach from each of the 10 NCAA Division III conferences. The committee for the 2022-23 season: Samantha Crough, Regis; Karin Harvey, Montclair State; Casey Kushiyama, Puget Sound; Jen McCormick, Illinois College; Bobbi Morgan, Ursinus; Alex Richey, Oglethorpe; Mia Smith, Illinois Wesleyan; Daphne Thompson, SUNY Oneonta; Kelly Thompson, Roger Williams; Suzy Venet, Mount Union.

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