

## NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Jan. 6, 2009

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1	Illinois Wesleyan University - 6	t2	10-0	222
2	University of Rochester (N.Y.) - 2	t2	8-0	212
3	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire - 1	6	11-0	203
4	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	5	12-1	201
5	Hope College (Mich.)	1	8-1	181
6	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	9	11-1	173
t7	Amherst College (Mass.)	11	11-0	164
t7	Brandeis University (Mass.)	t12	9-0	164
9	Thomas More College (Ky.)	4	10-1	155
t10	New York University	t12	10-0	137
t10	Simpson College (Iowa)	7	11-1	137
12	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	16	10-1	115
13	Tufts University (Mass.)	15	7-1	106
14	DeSales University (Pa.)	14	8-1	102
15	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	10	9-1	98
16	George Fox University (Ore.)	24	11-0	89
17	Howard Payne University (Texas)	19	11-1	83
18	Moravian College (Pa.)	20	10-1	73
19	Messiah College (Pa.)	18	8-2	70
20	Marymount University (Va.)	17	9-2	51
21	University of Chicago (Ill.)	25	9-2	37
22	University of Southern Maine	21	10-1	34
t23	Kean University (N.J.)	8	9-3	30
t23	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	22	7-2	30
25	Washington University (Mo.)	NR	8-3	18

**Dropped Out:** Whitman College (Wash.).

**Others Receiving Votes:** City College of New York - 16; Whitman College (Wash.) - 10; Bowdoin College (Maine) - 9; College of St. Benedict (Minn.) - 4; York College (Pa.) - 1.

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Jan. 13, 2009

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
t1	Illinois Wesleyan University -3	1	12-0	219
t1	University of Rochester (N.Y.) - 6	2	11-0	219
3	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	4	14-1	204
4	Hope College (Mich.)	5	10-1	191
5	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	6	13-1	189
6	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	3	12-1	186
7	Amherst College (Mass.)	t7	13-0	171
8	Brandeis University (Mass.)	t7	11-1	156
9	Simpson College (Iowa)	t10	13-1	155
10	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	12	13-1	146
t11	George Fox University (Ore.)	16	13-0	125
t11	New York University	t10	11-1	125
t11	Tufts University (Mass.)	13	9-1	125
14	Moravian College (Pa.)	18	12-1	105
15	Messiah College (Pa.)	19	11-2	82
16	Thomas More College (Ky.)	9	11-2	81
17	University of Southern Maine	22	12-1	77
18	Marymount University (Va.)	20	10-2	66
19	DeSales University (Pa.)	14	10-2	52
20	Washington University (Mo.)	25	9-3	39
21	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	15	10-2	35
22	York College (Pa.)	NR	12-1	33
23	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	t23	9-2	32
t24	Howard Payne University (Texas)	17	11-2	29
t24	Kean University (N.J.)	t23	11-3	29

**Dropped Out:** University of Chicago (Ill.).

**Others Receiving Votes:** College of St. Benedict (Minn.) - 20; Whitman College (Wash.) - 19; University of Chicago (Ill.) - 6; Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.) - 4; Bowdoin College (Maine) - 2; DePauw University (Ind.) - 1; University of Scranton (Pa.) - 1; University of Texas - Dallas - 1.

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# NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Jan. 20, 2009

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
t1	Illinois Wesleyan University - 4	t1	14-0	243
t1	University of Rochester (N.Y.) - 6	t1	14-0	243
3	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	3	15-1	232
4	Hope College (Mich.)	4	12-1	217
5	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	5	15-1	210
6	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	6	14-1	201
7	Simpson College (Iowa)	9	15-1	179
8	Amherst College (Mass.)	7	16-0	173
9	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	10	15-1	169
10	George Fox University (Ore.)	t11	15-0	162
11	New York University	t11	13-1	148
t12	Brandeis University (Mass.)	8	11-2	137
t12	Tufts University (Mass.)	t11	11-1	137
14	Messiah College (Pa.)	15	13-2	115
15	Thomas More College (Ky.)	16	13-2	98
t16	DeSales University (Pa.)	19	12-2	83
t16	Marymount University (Va.)	18	12-2	83
18	Moravian College (Pa.)	14	14-2	79
19	Washington University (Mo.)	20	11-3	71
20	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	21	12-2	66
21	York College (Pa.)	22	14-1	62
t22	Kean University (N.J.)	25	13-3	38
t22	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	23	9-2	38
24	Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.)	NR	14-1	29
25	University of Chicago (Ill.)	NR	11-3	11

**Dropped Out:** University of Southern Maine, Howard Payne University (Texas).

**Others Receiving Votes:** DePauw University (Ind.) - 7; University of Texas - Dallas - 6; Howard Payne University (Texas) - 4; University of Scranton (Pa.) - 4; Whitman College (Wash.) - 3; Bowdoin College (Maine) - 1; Greensboro College (N.C.) - 1.

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1	Illinois Wesleyan University - 10	t1	16-0	250
2	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	3	17-1	240
3	Hope College (Mich.)	4	14-1	223
4	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	9	17-1	213
5	Amherst College (Mass.)	8	18-0	211
6	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	t1	15-1	206
7	George Fox University (Ore.)	10	17-0	195
8	New York University	11	15-1	174
9	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	6	15-2	166
10	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	5	16-2	163
11	Messiah College (Pa.)	14	16-2	146
12	Simpson College (Iowa)	7	16-2	144
13	Thomas More College (Ky.)	15	15-2	118
14	York College (Pa.)	21	16-1	116
15	DeSales University (Pa.)	t16	14-2	109
16	Moravian College (Pa.)	18	16-2	98
17	Tufts University (Mass.)	t12	13-2	78
18	Brandeis University (Mass.)	t12	12-3	76
19	Kean University (N.J.)	t22	15-3	65
t20	University of Chicago (Ill.)	25	11-3	53
t20	Washington University (Mo.)	19	12-4	53
22	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	t22	14-3	45
23	University of Texas - Dallas	NR	15-2	35
24	DePauw University (Ind.)	NR	15-3	24
t25	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	20	14-3	13
t25	Marymount University (Va.)	t16	13-4	13
t25	University of Scranton (Pa.)	NR	13-4	13

**Dropped Out:** Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.).

**Others Receiving Votes:** Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.) - 4; Eastern Connecticut State University - 3; Greensboro College (N.C.) - 2; The College of New Jersey - 1.

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## NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Feb. 3, 2009

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1	Illinois Wesleyan University - 10	1	18-0	250
2	Hope College (Mich.)	3	16-1	235
3	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	4	18-1	230
4	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	6	17-1	221
5	George Fox University (Ore.)	7	19-0	209
6	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	9	17-2	205
7	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	10	18-2	188
8	Messiah College (Pa.)	11	17-2	174
9	Simpson College (Iowa)	12	18-2	157
10	Amherst College (Mass.)	5	19-1	152
11	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	2	17-3	147
12	York College (Pa.)	14	19-1	141
13	Thomas More College (Ky.)	13	17-2	135
14	New York University	8	16-2	117
15	Tufts University (Mass.)	17	15-2	105
16	Washington University (Mo.)	t20	14-4	103
17	Kean University (N.J.)	19	17-3	89
18	DeSales University (Pa.)	15	16-2	68
19	DePauw University (Ind.)	24	17-3	67
20	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	22	17-3	58
21	Brandeis University (Mass.)	18	13-4	44
22	Moravian College (Pa.)	16	17-3	38
23	University of Scranton (Pa.)	t25	15-4	27
24	Marymount University (Va.)	t25	15-4	21
25	Eastern Connecticut State University	NR	17-2	20

**Dropped Out:** University of Chicago (Ill.), University of Texas-Dallas, University of Mary Washington (Va.).

**Others Receiving Votes:** Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.) - 16; Mississippi College - 12; Greensboro College (N.C.) - 6; University of Mary Washington (Va.) - 6; University of Chicago (Ill.) - 6; University of Texas-Dallas - 2; Baldwin-Wallace College (Ohio) - 1.

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## NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Feb. 10, 2009

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1	Illinois Wesleyan University - 10	1	20-0	250
2	Hope College (Mich.)	2	18-1	236
3	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	4	19-1	230
4	George Fox University (Ore.)	5	21-0	224
5	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	7	19-2	208
6	Messiah College (Pa.)	8	20-2	195
7	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	3	19-2	188
8	Amherst College (Mass.)	10	21-1	180
9	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	6	19-3	163
10	York College (Pa.)	12	20-1	160
11	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	11	18-3	154
12	Thomas More College (Ky.)	13	19-2	140
13	Washington University (Mo.)	16	16-4	137
14	DePauw University (Ind.)	19	19-3	112
15	Simpson College (Iowa)	9	19-3	100
16	New York University	14	17-3	92
17	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	20	18-3	84
18	Tufts University (Mass.)	15	17-3	83
19	University of Scranton (Pa.)	23	17-4	64
20	Eastern Connecticut State University	25	19-2	60
21	Marymount University (Va.)	24	17-4	46
22	Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.)	NR	19-2	40
23	Greensboro College (N.C.)	NR	18-1	23
24	Kean University (N.J.)	17	18-4	21
25	University of Texas - Dallas	NR	18-3	15

**Dropped Out:** DeSales University (Pa.), Brandeis University (Mass.), Moravian College (Pa.).

**Others Receiving Votes:** DeSales University (Pa.) - 13; University of Mary Washington (Va.) - 10; Mississippi College - 5; University of Chicago (Ill.) - 5; Brandeis University (Mass.) - 4; Baldwin-Wallace College (Ohio) - 3; Bowdoin College (Maine) - 2; Moravian College (Pa.) - 2; College of St. Benedict (Minn.) - 1.

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Feb. 17, 2009

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1	Illinois Wesleyan University - 9	1	22-0	225
t2	George Fox University (Ore.)	4	23-0	210
t2	Hope College (Mich.)	2	20-1	210
4	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	5	21-2	197
5	Amherst College (Mass.)	8	23-1	181
6	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	3	20-2	175
7	York College (Pa.)	10	22-1	172
8	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	11	20-3	166
9	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	7	20-3	156
10	Thomas More College (Ky.)	12	21-2	137
11	Washington University (Mo.)	13	18-4	133
12	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	9	19-4	129
13	Messiah College (Pa.)	6	20-3	127
14	Simpson College (Iowa)	15	20-3	107
t15	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	17	20-3	87
t15	Tufts University (Mass.)	18	19-3	87
17	Eastern Connecticut State University	20	21-2	70
18	University of Scranton (Pa.)	19	20-4	68
19	New York University	16	18-4	60
20	DePauw University (Ind.)	14	19-4	51
21	Marymount University (Va.)	21	19-4	43
22	Greensboro College (N.C.)	23	22-1	39
23	Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.)	22	20-3	34
24	University of Texas - Dallas	25	20-3	28
25	Mississippi College	NR	20-3	12

**Dropped Out:** Kean University (N.J.).

**Others Receiving Votes:** Bowdoin College (Maine) - 7; DeSales University (Pa.) - 7; College of St. Benedict (Minn.) - 2; Kean University (N.J.) - 2; Moravian College (Pa.) - 2; Brandeis University (Mass.) - 1.

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1	Illinois Wesleyan University - 10	1	24-0	250
2	George Fox University (Ore.)	t2	25-0	236
3	Hope College (Mich.)	t2	22-1	234
4	Amherst College (Mass.)	5	24-1	212
5	York College (Pa.)	7	24-1	206
6	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	8	22-3	200
7	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	9	22-3	187
8	Washington University (Mo.)	11	20-4	173
t9	Thomas More College (Ky.)	10	23-2	165
t9	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	6	21-3	165
11	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	4	22-3	155
12	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	12	21-4	148
13	Messiah College (Pa.)	13	22-3	135
14	Simpson College (Iowa)	14	22-3	118
15	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	t15	22-3	99
16	Tufts University (Mass.)	t15	21-3	97
17	Eastern Connecticut State University	17	23-2	84
18	University of Scranton (Pa.)	18	21-4	74
19	DePauw University (Ind.)	20	21-4	73
20	New York University	19	20-4	71
21	Greensboro College (N.C.)	22	24-1	47
22	Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.)	23	22-3	43
23	Mississippi College	25	22-3	22
24	Marymount University (Va.)	21	20-5	15
25	Bowdoin College (Maine)	NR	21-4	14

**Dropped Out:** University of Texas-Dallas.

**Others Receiving Votes:** DeSales University (Pa.) - 12; College of St. Benedict (Minn.) - 7; Brandeis University (Mass.) - 5; University of Texas- Dallas - 3.

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2	George Fox University (Ore.)	2	27-0	239
3	Hope College (Mich.)	3	25-1	231
4	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	7	24-3	217
5	Washington University (Mo.)	8	21-4	206
6	Thomas More College (Ky.)	t9	26-2	190
7	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	t9	22-3	188
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10	York College (Pa.)	5	25-2	155
11	Simpson College (Iowa)	14	24-3	142
12	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	6	22-4	140
13	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	12	23-5	131
14	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	15	24-3	115
15	University of Scranton (Pa.)	18	23-4	111
16	New York University	20	21-4	108
17	Bowdoin College (Maine)	25	21-4	79
18	Messiah College (Pa.)	13	22-4	76
19	Tufts University (Mass.)	16	21-4	72
20	Eastern Connecticut State University	17	25-3	60
21	DePauw University (Ind.)	19	22-5	50
22	College of St. Benedict (Minn..)	NR	24-3	32
23	DeSales University (Pa.)	NR	23-4	29
24	Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.)	22	24-4	27
25	The College of New Jersey	NR	23-4	16

**Dropped Out:** Greensboro College (N.C.), Mississippi College, Marymount University (Va.).

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**CONGRATULATIONS TO GEORGE FOX UNIVERSITY FOR TAKING HOME THE DIII CROWN!**

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5	Hope College (Mich.)	3	28-2	215
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12	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	7	24-4	141
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t15	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	13	24-6	110
17	College of St. Benedict (Minn.)	22	26-4	108
18	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	12	23-5	88
19	Tufts University (Mass.)	19	22-5	69
20	Messiah College (Pa.)	18	23-5	52
21	Bowdoin College (Maine)	17	25-5	47
22	Simpson College (Iowa)	11	24-4	40
23	Greensboro College (N.C.)	NR	27-3	17
24	DePauw University (Ind.)	21	22-5	16
25	Kean University (N.J.)	NR	22-7	15

**Dropped Out:** Eastern Connecticut State University, DeSales University (Pa.), Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.).

**Others Receiving Votes:** Eastern Connecticut State University - 14; Baldwin-Wallace College (Ohio) - 10; DeSales University (Pa.) - 9; Washington & Jefferson College (Pa.) - 5; Concordia University (Wis.) - 4; Capital University (Ohio) - 2; State University of New York at Cortland - 2; University of Puget Sound - (Wash.) - 2.

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# NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Nov. 5, 2008

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Last Year's Final Rank	Last Year's Final Record	Points
1.	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater - 5	3	29-4	228
2.	Oglethorpe University (Ga.) - 2	6	27-7	212
3.	Kean University (N.J.)	7	28-4	201
4.	Washington University (Mo.) - 2	25	19-8	197
5.	DePauw University (Ind.)	5	28-4	196
6.	Hope College (Mich.)	4	30-1	181
7.	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	18	26-6	178
8.	Baldwin-Wallace College (Ohio)	13	27-3	163
9.	Thomas More College (Ky.)	9	29-1	145
10.	University of Chicago (Ill.)	14	22-6	140
11.	DeSales University (Pa.)	20	26-4	132
12.	Illinois Wesleyan University	17	26-3	119
13.	Messiah College (Pa.)	2	30-3	116
14.	Howard Payne University (Texas)	1	33-0	115
15.	Tufts University (Mass.)	8	26-4	97
16.	Simpson College (Iowa)	11	27-3	94
17.	Saint Norbert College (Wis.)	NR	22-5	69
18.	Amherst College (Mass.)	12	27-3	68
19.	The College of New Jersey	NR	22-7	66
20.	College of St. Benedict (Minn.)	NR	20-6	60
21.	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	10	28-3	49
22.	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	23	23-7	45
t23.	Bowdoin College (Maine)	NR	19-9	44
t23.	Marymount University (Va.)	NR	23-5	44
25.	Hardin-Simmons University (Texas)	NR	21-6	42

**Others Receiving Votes:** Randolph-Macon College (Va.) - 29; University of Southern Maine - 29; William Smith College (N.Y.) - 29; McMurry University (Texas) - 18; New York University - 16; Muhlenberg College (Pa.) - 15; University of Puget Sound (Wash.) - 12; Albion College (Mich.) - 11; George Fox University (Ore.) - 11; University of Scranton (Pa.) - 11; University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point - 10; Chapman University (Calif.) - 9; Eastern Connecticut State University - 8; Maryville University (Mo.) - 8; State University of New York at Cortland - 8; Emmanuel College (Mass.) - 7; Medaille College (N.Y.) - 4; Carthage College (Wisc.) - 3; Franklin & Marshall College (Pa.) - 3; Saint Lawrence University (N.Y.) - 2; William Paterson University (N.J.) - 2; Emory University (Ga.) - 1; Greensboro College (N.C.) - 1; Salem State College (Mass.) - 1; Western Connecticut State University - 1.

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## NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Nov. 25, 2008

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater - 6	1	3-0	245
2	Oglethorpe University (Ga.) - 3	2	4-0	236
3	Kean University (N.J.) - 1	3	3-0	235
4	Hope College (Mich.)	6	2-0	215
5	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	7	2-0	212
6	Illinois Wesleyan University	12	2-0	205
7	Thomas More College (Ky.)	9	2-0	172
8	DeSales University (Pa.)	11	3-0	160
9	Washington University (Mo.)	4	2-1	158
10	DePauw University (Ind.)	5	1-1	156
11	Messiah College (Pa.)	13	3-0	145
12	Howard Payne University (Texas)	14	2-0	136
13	Baldwin-Wallace College (Ohio)	8	1-1	133
14	Simpson College (Iowa)	16	2-0	122
15	Tufts University (Mass.)	15	2-0	116
16	Saint Norbert College (Wis.)	17	2-0	99
17	Amherst College (Mass.)	18	4-0	82
t18	Marymount University (Va.)	t23	3-0	72
t18	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	22	2-0	72
20	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	21	4-0	58
21	University of Chicago (Ill.)	10	2-1	44
22	New York University	NR	4-0	35
23	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	NR	2-0	23
24	Hardin-Simmons University (Texas)	25	1-0	20
25	The College of New Jersey	19	3-1	19

**Dropped Out:** College of St. Benedict (Minn.), Bowdoin College (Maine).

**Others Receiving Votes:** University of Southern Maine - 18; University of Scranton (Pa.) - 13; Brandeis University (Mass.) - 12; Randolph-Macon College (Va.) - 9; George Fox University (Ore.) - 8; Emory University (Ga.) - 6; Albion College (Mich.) - 4; Carroll University (Wis.) - 3; College of St. Benedict (Minn.) - 3; Carthage College (Wis.) - 2; Greensboro College (N.C.) - 1; University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point - 1.

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## NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Dec. 2, 2008

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater - 6	1	4-0	246
2	Oglethorpe University (Ga.) - 3	2	4-0	237
3	Kean University (N.J.) - 1	3	4-0	234
4	Hope College (Mich.)	4	3-0	220
5	University of Rochester (N.Y.)	5	4-0	211
6	Illinois Wesleyan University	6	3-0	200
7	Thomas More College (Ky.)	7	5-0	178
8	Washington University (Mo.)	9	4-1	174
9	Messiah College (Pa.)	11	4-0	166
10	Simpson College (Iowa)	14	5-0	151
11	Howard Payne University (Texas)	12	5-0	141
12	Baldwin-Wallace College (Ohio)	13	2-1	125
13	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	t18	5-0	124
14	Amherst College (Mass.)	17	5-0	121
15	Marymount University (Va.)	t18	3-0	100
16	New York University	22	6-0	88
17	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	20	5-0	85
18	DeSales University (Pa.)	8	3-1	73
19	DePauw University (Ind.)	10	3-2	60
20	Tufts University (Mass.)	15	3-1	55
21	Brandeis University (Mass.)	NR	5-0	53
22	University of Chicago (Ill.)	21	4-1	52
23	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	23	3-0	49
24	Saint Norbert College (Wis.)	16	2-2	31
25	University of Southern Maine	NR	4-0	19

**Dropped Out:** Hardin-Simmons University (Texas), The College of New Jersey.

**Others Receiving Votes:** George Fox University (Ore.) - 11; University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point - 11; Emory University (Ga.) - 10; The College of New Jersey - 7; University of Scranton - 6; Hardin-Simmons University (Texas) - 4; Bowdoin College (Maine) - 2; Calvin College (Mich.) - 2; Mississippi College - 2; Moravian College (Pa.) - Bethlehem 1; Whitman College (Wash.) - 1.

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## NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Dec. 9, 2008

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1	Kean University (N.J.) - 7	3	6-0	245
2	Hope College (Mich.) - 2	4	5-0	239
3	University of Rochester (N.Y.) - 1	5	6-0	230
4	Illinois Wesleyan University	6	5-0	217
5	Thomas More College (Ky.)	7	7-0	195
6	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	1	4-1	186
7	Messiah College (Pa.)	9	5-0	185
8	Simpson College (Iowa)	10	7-0	181
9	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	2	6-0	170
10	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	13	7-0	168
11	Amherst College (Mass.)	14	8-0	154
12	Marymount University (Va.)	15	5-0	132
13	New York University	16	7-0	130
14	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	17	7-0	122
15	Brandeis University (Mass.)	21	8-0	114
16	DeSales University (Pa.)	18	6-1	79
17	Tufts University (Mass.)	20	5-1	78
t18	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	23	6-0	61
t18	University of Chicago (Ill.)	22	6-1	61
t18	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	NR	6-1	61
21	Howard Payne University (Texas)	11	6-1	58
22	University of Southern Maine	25	6-0	43
23	Moravian College (Pa.)	NR	5-1	32
24	Whitman College (Wash.)	NR	6-0	28
25	Baldwin-Wallace College (Ohio)	12	3-2	21

**Dropped Out:** DePauw University (Ind.), Saint Norbert College (Wis.), Washington University (Mo.).

**Others Receiving Votes:** Washington University (Mo.) - 18; George Fox University (Ore.) - 17; Emory University (Ga.) - 9; Whitworth University (Wash.) - 7; Saint Norbert College (Wis.) - 6; DePauw University (Ind.) - 3.

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## NCAA Division III Top 25 Coaches Poll

Dec. 16, 2009

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Rank	Institution - First Place Votes	Previous Ranking	Record	Points
1	Hope College (Mich.) - 3	2	7-0	239
t2	Illinois Wesleyan University - 3	4	6-0	238
t2	University of Rochester (N.Y.) - 4	3	8-0	238
4	Thomas More College (Ky.)	5	7-0	201
5	University of Wisconsin, Whitewater	6	7-1	199
6	University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire	10	9-0	194
7	Simpson College (Iowa)	8	8-0	189
8	Kean University (N.J.)	1	7-1	188
9	Oglethorpe University (Ga.)	9	6-1	171
10	University of Mary Washington (Va.)	14	8-0	169
11	Amherst College (Mass.)	11	9-0	156
t12	Brandeis University (Mass.)	15	8-0	138
t12	New York University	13	8-0	138
14	DeSales University (Pa.)	16	7-1	98
15	Tufts University (Mass.)	17	5-1	94
16	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point	18t	8-1	89
17	Marymount University (Va.)	12	5-1	73
18	Messiah College (Pa.)	7	5-2	68
19	Howard Payne University (Texas)	21	7-1	66
20	Moravian College (Pa.)	23	7-1	65
21	University of Southern Maine	22	8-0	59
22	Muhlenberg College (Pa.)	18t	6-1	54
23	Whitman College (Wash.)	24	8-1	37
24	George Fox University (Ore.)	NR	6-0	35
25	University of Chicago (Ill.)	18t	7-2	22

**Dropped Out:** Baldwin-Wallace College (Ohio).

**Others Receiving Votes:** Emory University (Ga.) - 18; Washington University (Mo.) - 7; Whitworth University (Wash.) - 3; Bowdoin College (Maine) - 2; Capital University (Ohio) - 1; College of St. Benedict (Minn.) - 1.

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