

USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA DIVISION III COACHES' TOP 25 POLL

Jan. 8, 2002 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 2001-02 record (through Sunday, Jan. 6), total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th place:

Rk.	Institution	Record	Points
1.	Washington U. (St. Louis) (7)	12-0	199
2.	Hope	12-0	187
3.	New York U. (1)	11-0	176
4.	King's	10-0	153
5.	Hardin-Simmons	10-0	151
6.	Eastern Connecticut	9-0	145
T7.	Bowdoin	8-0	126
T7.	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	13-1	126
9.	Wilmington	12-0	123
10.	Messiah	11-1	119
11.	Emmanuel	8-1	116
12.	St. Thomas	10-1	110
13.	George Fox	11-1	91
14.	Case Western Reserve	8-1	85
15.	Pacific Lutheran	10-1	80
16.	Muhlenberg	10-0	76
17.	Southern Maine	12-1	59
18.	Wisconsin-Oshkosh	12-2	49
19.	St. Lawrence	8-1	42
20.	Capital	10-2	39
21.	Wisconsin-Eau Claire	11-2	36
22.	Scranton	10-2	34
23.	DePauw	11-2	31
24.	Johns Hopkins	10-1	30
25.	Simpson	9-2	25

Others Receiving Votes: St. Benedict 23; Ramapo 9; Bridgewater (VA) 6; Chapman 5; Wisconsin-Stout 4; Lake Forest 2; Salisbury 2; Ithaca 1; Springfield 1; Webster 1.

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Jan. 15, 2002 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 2001-02 record (through Sunday, Jan. 13), total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th place:

Rk.	Institution	Record	Points	LW
1.	Washington U. (St. Louis) (8)	14-0	200	1
2.	Hope	15-0	191	2
3.	New York U.	13-0	181	3
4.	King's	13-0	173	4
5.	Hardin-Simmons	12-0	166	5
6.	Bowdoin	9-0	150	T7
7.	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	15-1	146	T7
8.	Messiah	13-1	135	10
9.	Emmanuel	10-1	131	11
10.	George Fox	14-1	117	13
11.	Southern Maine	14-1	106	17
T12.	Eastern Connecticut	11-1	99	6
	Muhlenburg	12-1	99	16
14.	St. Thomas	12-1	95	12
15.	Wilmington	13-1	86	9
16.	Case Western Reserve	9-2	83	14
17.	Johns Hopkins	12-1	63	24
18.	De Pauw	13-2	52	23
19.	Wisconsin-Eau Claire	13-2	45	21
20.	Pacific Lutheran	11-2	44	15
21.	St. Benedict	11-2	36	NR
22.	Capital	11-3	34	20
23.	St. Lawrence	10-2	31	19
24.	Scranton	11-3	28	22
25.	Wisconsin-Oshkosh	13-3	20	18

Dropped Out: Simpson (25)

Others Receiving Votes: Bridgewater (VA) 15, Lake Forest 14, Simpson 8, Wisconsin-Stout 8, Chapman 7, Salisbury State 7, Bethany 4, Ithaca 3, Middlebury 3, Webster 2.

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Jan. 22, 2002 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 2001-02 record (through Sunday, Jan. 20), total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th place, and previous week's rating:

Rk.	Institution	Record	Points	LW
1.	Washington U. (St. Louis) (8)	16-0	200	1
2.	Hope	17-0	192	2
3.	King's	15-0	182	4
4.	Hardin-Simmons	15-0	173	5
5.	Bowdoin	12-0	169	6
6.	Emmanuel	13-1	151	9
7.	Southern Maine	16-1	135	11
8.	Wilmington	15-1	133	15
T9.	Eastern Connecticut	14-1	127	T12
T9.	New York U.	14-2	127	3
11.	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	16-2	105	7
12.	De Pauw	14-2	93	18
13.	Messiah	14-2	91	8
T14.	George Fox	15-2	86	10
T14.	St. Thomas	14-2	86	14
16.	Muhlenburg	13-1	81	T12
17.	Johns Hopkins	15-1	71	17
18.	Wisconsin-Eau Claire	15-2	59	19
19.	Case Western Reserve	10-2	57	16
20.	St. Benedict	14-2	56	21
21.	Pacific Lutheran	12-2	43	20
22.	St. Lawrence	13-2	34	23
23.	Scranton	13-3	30	24
24.	Bridgewater (VA)	13-1	23	NR
25.	Salisbury	13-2	20	NR

Dropped Out: Capital (22), Wisconsin-Oshkosh (25)

Others Receiving Votes: Wisconsin-Stout 17; Lake Forest 12; Wisconsin-Oshkosh 10; Capital 9; Middlebury 9; Bethany 6; Simpson 6; Webster 2; Bates 1.

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Jan. 29, 2002 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 2001-02 record (through Sunday, Jan. 27), total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th place:

Rk.	Institution	Record	Points	LW
1.	Washington U. (St. Louis) (8)	18-0	200	1
2.	Hardin-Simmons	17-0	189	4
3.	Bowdoin	15-0	183	5
4.	Emmanuel	15-1	165	6
5.	King's	17-1	147	3
6.	Southern Maine	18-1	146	7
7.	Wilmington	17-1	143	8
8.	Eastern Connecticut	17-1	142	T9
9.	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	17-2	115	11
10.	Hope	18-1	111	2
11.	DePauw	16-2	108	12
12.	Messiah	16-2	103	13
13.	George Fox	17-2	95	T14
14.	Case Western Reserve	14-3	93	19
15.	Wisconsin-Eau Claire	17-2	89	18
16.	Saint Benedict	16-2	80	20
17.	New York U.	15-3	70	T9
T18.	St. Thomas	14-3	62	T14
T18.	Muhlenberg	14-2	62	16
20.	Pacific Lutheran	14-2	52	21
21.	Scranton	16-3	45	23
22.	Wisconsin-Stout	14-4	27	NR
23.	Bridgewater (VA)	15-1	26	24
24.	Wisconsin-Oshkosh	16-4	13	NR
T25.	Capital	15-4	12	NR
T25.	Johns Hopkins	16-3	12	17

Dropped Out: St. Lawrence (22), Salisbury (25)

Others Receiving Votes: Webster 11; Bethany 9; St. Lawrence 8; Salisbury 5; Franklin 4; Lake Forest 4; Springfield 3; Marymount (VA) 2; Wittenburg 2; Wartburg 2; Christopher Newport 1; DeSales 1; Trinity (TX) 1.

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Feb. 5, 2002 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 2001-02 record (through Sunday, Feb. 3), total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th place:

Rk.	Institution	Record	Points	LW
1.	Washington U. (St. Louis) (8)	20-0	200	1
2.	Hardin-Simmons	20-0	191	2
3.	King's	19-1	170	5
4.	Southern Maine	20-1	164	6
5.	Hope	20-1	163	10
6.	Wilmington	19-1	159	7
T7.	Eastern Connecticut	19-1	148	8
T7.	Bowdoin	15-1	148	3
9.	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	19-2	131	9
10.	Emmanuel	16-2	129	4
11.	DePauw	18-2	121	11
12.	George Fox	19-2	110	13
13.	Messiah	18-2	106	12
14.	New York U.	17-3	98	17
15.	Muhlenberg	16-2	85	T18
16.	Saint Benedict	17-3	77	16
17.	Case Western Reserve	15-4	76	14
18.	Wisconsin-Stout	15-4	61	22
19.	Wisconsin-Eau Claire	17-3	47	15
20.	Pacific Lutheran	15-3	44	20
21.	Webster	14-2	36	NR
22.	Capital	17-4	27	T25
23.	Scranton	17-4	26	21
24.	St. Thomas	16-4	21	T18
25.	Springfield	17-3	12	NR

Dropped Out: Bridgewater (VA) (23), Johns Hopkins (T25)

Others Receiving Votes: Carleton 8; Marymount (VA) 6; St. Lawrence 6; Wartburg 6; Franklin and Marshall 4; Lake Forest 4; Franklin 3; Trinity (TX) 3; Wisconsin-Oshkosh 2; Bates 1; Ithaca 1.

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Feb. 19, 2002 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 2001-02 record (through Sunday, Feb. 17), total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th place:

Rk.	Institution	Record	Points	LW
1.	Washington U. (St. Louis) (8)	2-0	200	1
2.	Southern Maine	22-1	173	2
3.	Hardin-Simmons	21-1	170	3
4.	Wilmington	21-1	169	4
5.	Bowdoin	17-1	154	5
6.	Eastern Connecticut	22-1	153	6
7.	King's	20-2	144	7
8.	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	21-2	138	8
9.	Hope	21-1	137	9
10.	DePauw	20-2	130	10
11.	Emmanuel	21-2	128	11
12.	Messiah	19-2	115	12
13.	Saint Benedict	19-3	98	13
14.	Muhlenberg	18-2	96	14
15.	Wisconsin-Stout	17-4	84	15
16.	Case Western Reserve	16-5	65	16
17.	Pacific Lutheran	18-3	59	17
18.	Webster	19-2	52	18
19.	Scranton	19-4	46	19
20.	St. Thomas	18-4	43	20
21.	George Fox	19-4	42	21
22.	Wisconsin-Eau Claire	18-4	34	22
23.	New York U.	17-5	32	23
24.	Springfield	19-3	23	24
25.	Wartburg	18-4	14	25

Dropped Out: Capital (22)

Others Receiving Votes: Carleton 11; Franklin and Marshall 10; Marymount (VA) 10; Franklin 7; St. Lawrence 6; Capital 5; Christopher Newport 2; Ithaca 2; Wheaton (IL) 2; Lake Forest 1; Salisbury 1.

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Feb. 26, 2002 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA Top 25 women's basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, 2001-02 record (through Sunday, Feb. 24), total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th place:

Rk.	Institution	Record	Points	LW
1.	Washington U. (St. Louis) (8)	25-0	200	1
T2.	Wilmington	26-1	182	T3
T2.	Bowdoin	24-1	182	T3
4.	Hardin-Simmons	25-1	180	5
5.	Southern Maine	25-2	163	6
6.	Eastern Connecticut	25-2	151	2
7.	Emmanuel	25-2	141	10
8.	DePauw	22-3	129	T8
9.	Wisconsin-Stevens Point	23-2	123	7
10.	Wisconsin-Stout	23-4	122	13
11.	Messiah	22-3	116	15
12.	Hope	25-2	114	T11
13.	King's	23-3	110	T8
14.	Saint Benedict	22-4	94	T11
15.	Pacific Lutheran	21-3	84	17
16.	Scranton	23-4	83	20
17.	Webster	23-2	66	18
18.	St. Lawrence	24-3	59	21
19.	Case Western Reserve	19-6	43	16
20.	Springfield	24-3	42	22
21.	Carleton	23-5	36	NR
22.	Salisbury	23-4	32	NR
23.	Muhlenberg	19-4	29	14
24.	St. Thomas	20-5	18	19
25.	Lebanon Valley	23-4	13	23

Dropped Out: George Fox (24), Franklin and Marshall (T25), Capital (T25).

Others Receiving Votes: Wartburg 9; Ithaca 9; George Fox 8; Lakeland 6; Capital 4; Marymount (VA) 4; Western Maryland 3; Christopher Newport 2; Alvernia 1; Chapman 1.

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March. 19, 2002 - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

This is the final USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA Top 25 women's basketball poll for the season, with first-place votes in parentheses, 2001-02 record (through Saturday, Mar. 16), total points based on 25 points for first place through one point for 25th place:

Rk.	Institution	Record	Points	LW
1.	Wisconsin-Stevens Point (8)	30-3	200	9
2.	St. Lawrence	24-3	190	18
3.	De Pauw	26-4	181	8
4.	Marymount (VA)	24-8	167	NR
5.	Washington U. (St. Louis)	25-1	158	1
6.	Bowdoin	26-2	154	T2
7.	Wilmington	28-2	152	T2
8.	Hardin-Simmons	26-2	144	4
9.	King's	25-4	130	13
10.	Pacific Lutheran	23-4	114	15
11.	Eastern Connecticut	26-3	108	6
12.	Emmanuel	26-3	105	7
13.	Wisconsin-Stout	23-5	98	10
14.	Webster	25-3	96	17
15.	Southern Maine	25-3	85	5
16.	Hope	27-3	82	12
17.	Saint Benedict	24-5	78	14
18.	Scranton	25-5	75	16
19.	Springfield	25-4	53	20
20.	Case Western Reserve	20-7	44	19
21.	Messiah	23-4	35	11
22.	Salisbury	24-5	28	22
23.	Chapman	23-5	24	NR
24.	Ohio Wesleyan	21-8	17	NR
25.	Carleton	23-6	15	21

Dropped Out: Muhlenberg (23); St. Thomas (24); Lebanon Valley (25)

Others Receiving Votes: St. Thomas 9; Muhlenberg 8; Guilford 4; Ithaca 4; Wisconsin-Oshkosh 4; George Fox 3; Christopher Newport 2; Baldwin-Wallace 2; Wisconsin-Eau Claire 2.

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