

**U.S.I.L.A.**  
**The United States Intercollegiate Lacrosse Association**  
**Scholar All-America Program**

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In 1989 the U.S.I.L.A. Scholar All-America Program was established to recognize student-athletes from U.S.I.L.A. member institutions who have distinguished themselves academically, athletically, and as citizens of their communities. The U.S.I.L.A. Selection Committee selects an overall team representing Divisions I, II, and III. The Scholar All-Americans are recognized at the annual Lacrosse All-America Banquet on Sunday, May 25, 2008. This is held in conjunction with the U.S.I.L.A. North-South All-Star Game to be played on Friday, May 23, 2008 at Harvard University.

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**Criteria for Choosing a Student-Athlete to Nominate:**

A member institution may nominate as many student-athletes as meet the requirements. Only players who have been **nominated** for U.S.I.L.A. All-America status should be chosen by institutions as Scholar All-America candidates. While the committee adheres to the stated criteria, it does have the flexibility to select as Scholar All-Americans outstanding senior lacrosse players who were not selected as All-Americans.

To be selected as a Scholar All-America, a student-athlete must:

- 1 Be a Division I, II, III All-America or a member of a North-South All-Star team. Special circumstances permit the Committee to waive this requirement. All-Conference players will be strongly considered.
- 2 Meet the academic criteria as established by this committee. Each nominee must be a student **with senior year academic standing and a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 (4.0 scale)**.
- 3 Have completed the Scholar All-America application by the established deadline.
- 4 Have behaved both on and off the field in a manner that has brought credit to himself, his institution, and to collegiate lacrosse.

**Nomination Procedure**

If a student-athlete meets the above requirements, participation in activities other than academics and lacrosse should be considered when choosing nominees. Member institutions should especially look for nominees who have demonstrated qualities of leadership while carrying themselves as positive examples for other students.

The Committee expects that the **Head Coach** will be responsible for the timely completion of the Nomination Form; **however** it must be signed by the Athletic Director in order to certify that the information provided is accurate.

**PLEASE NOTE:** All nomination forms must be received by the Committee no **later than Friday, May 16, 2008. Nominations cannot be accepted after that date! Nominations may be mailed, faxed, or sent by overnight mail. However, only submit the nomination by one of these methods.**

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**NOMINATE SENIORS ONLY**  
**DEADLINE: MAY 16, 2008**

**U.S.I.L.A. SCHOLAR ALL-AMERICA NOMINATION FORM**

**Personal Data:**

**Nominee's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Institution:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:**

\_\_\_\_\_

(street)

\_\_\_\_\_

(city)

(state)

(zip)

**Home Phone:** (       ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's Names:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sports Information Director's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sports Information Director's Phone:** (       ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Lacrosse Coach's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone Number:** (       ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Office Phone Number:** (       ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Criteria:**

**Major:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Degree program (BS, BA, etc)** \_\_\_\_\_

Verification of graduation and cumulative grade point average (GPA). By my signature below I certify the graduation date \_\_\_\_\_ and the GPA \_\_\_\_\_ of this nominee.

**Signature of Institutional Academic Officer:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(printed name)

(institutional title)

**Academic honors, campus honors, or comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Lacrosse Criteria:** Position: \_\_\_\_\_ NCAA Division \_\_\_\_ I \_\_\_\_ II \_\_\_\_ III

Team Captain? \_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_ no

Has the applicant been nominated for Lacrosse All-American honors in 2008? \_\_\_\_\_

Has the applicant been nominated for the North-South All-Star Game in 2008? \_\_\_\_\_

**Athletic Honors:**

Please list the institutional, national, conference, regional, state, and other athletic honors the nominee has received over his collegiate career (include honors received as an underclassman).

Name of Head Coach Completing Nomination Form: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Head Coach: \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Athletic Director: \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

CHECKLIST BEFORE MAILING:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Head Coach has signed nomination form
- \_\_\_\_\_ Athletic Director has signed nomination form
- \_\_\_\_\_ The appropriate institutional officer has verified and signed the nomination form with graduation date and grade point average of applicant
- \_\_\_\_\_ Nominee's Personal Data is complete. This will enable the committee to contact the student-athlete prior to the All-America Dinner

**Please Note: ALL FORMS MUST BE COMPLETE AND RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, MAY 16, 2008**

**FORMS MAY BE MAILED, FAXED, OR SENT BY OVERNIGHT MAIL. ONLY SUBMIT FORMS BY ONE METHOD, THANK YOU.**

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