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## **NATIONAL GOLF COACHES ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES 2009-2010 DIVISION II AWARD WINNERS**

CORAL SPRINGS, Florida (May 13, 2010) – The National Golf Coaches Association today announced the 2009-10 student-athlete and coaches awards for Division II Women's Collegiate Golf. Winners were recognized at the NGCA Division II Awards Banquet held in Mesa, Arizona. For further information regarding these awards including selection criteria, please visit [www.ngca.com](http://www.ngca.com).

### **PING NGCA Division II Player of the Year**

Sandra Changkija - Nova Southeastern University

### **NGCA Division II Freshman of the Year**

Abbey Gittings - Nova Southeastern University

### **NGCA Division II Kim Moore Spirit Award**

Jordan Hatch - Saint Leo University

### **Division II SkyCaddie NGCA National Coach of the Year**

Kevin Marsh - Nova Southeastern University

### **Division II SkyCaddie NGCA Regional Coaches of the Year**

***South Region Coach of the Year:*** Kevin Marsh - Nova Southeastern University

***East Region Coach of the Year:*** Rebecca Mailloux – Grand Valley State University

***Central Region Coach of the Year:*** Nick Campa – Minnesota State University, Mankato

***West Region Coach of the Year:*** Jerry Doyle – Tarleton State University

### **NGCA Division II All-American Teams**

#### ***1st Team***

Sandra Changkija, Nova Southeastern University

Joanna Coe, Rollins College

Carla Cooper, Tarleton State University

Maria Garcia Austt, Nova Southeastern University

Emily Gibson, University of Montevallo

Raelyn Smith, Angelo State University

**NGCA Division II All-American Teams (Continued)**

***2<sup>nd</sup> Team***

Marianne Anderson, Florida Southern College  
Taylor Collins, Nova Southeastern University  
Cicilia Chudivan, California State University Monterey Bay  
Silvie Dittertova, Florida Southern College  
Sarah Hoffman, Grand Valley State University  
Lyndsay McBride, University of Indianapolis

***Honorable Mention***

Melanie Audette, Florida Southern College  
Spencer Heller, Sonoma State University  
Abbey Gittings, Nova Southeastern University  
Emily Kvidera, Augustana College  
Maria Luz Besio, Newberry College  
Jill Preeshl, Upper Iowa University  
Anna Riss, St. Leo University  
Fabia Rothenfluh, Rollins College  
Sarah Jane Sinard, Carson-Newman College  
Ashley Smith, Grand Valley State University  
Allie Tyler, Grand Valley State University  
Nicole Whitmore, Nova Southeastern University

**NGCA All-Region Teams**

***East Region***

Katrina Choate, Drury University  
Sarah Hoffman, Grand Valley State University  
Maria Lopez, California University of PA  
Caitlin Bennett, Grand Valley State University  
Ashley Smith, Grand Valley State University  
Lyndsay McBride, University of Indianapolis

***Central Region***

Jill Preeshl, Upper Iowa University  
Kassie Ellsworth, Minnesota State University Mankato  
Faylyn Beyale, Western New Mexico University  
Kelly Lauer, Augustana College  
Sara Wissing, University of Nebraska Kearny

***South Region***

Joanna Coe, Rollins College  
Sandra Changkija, Nova Southeastern University  
Marianne Andersson, Florida Southern College  
Brianna Seo, Rollins College  
Melanie Audette, Florida Southern College

***West Region***

Darcy Lake, California State University Monterey Bay

Jacqueline Lau, Tarleton State

Spencer Heller, Sonoma State University

Melanie Tham, Tarleton State

Katie Sharpe, Western Washington University

**About the National Golf Coaches Association**

The National Golf Coaches Association, founded in 1983, is a non-profit organization representing women's collegiate golf coaches. The NGCA was formed to encourage the playing of college golf for women in correlation with a general objective of education and in accordance with the highest tradition of intercollegiate competition. Today, the NGCA represents nearly 500 coaches throughout the U.S. and is dedicated to educating, promoting and recognizing both its members and the student-athletes they represent.

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