# ACADEMIC REVIEW 2018-2019

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<tr>
<th>Academic Statistic</th>
<th>Fall 2018</th>
<th>Spring 2019</th>
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<td>Total Athletes Reported</td>
<td>394</td>
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<td>Tiger 3.0 Club</td>
<td>262 (66%)</td>
<td>228 (66.5%)</td>
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<td>Student with 4.0 GPA</td>
<td>45</td>
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<td>Dean’s List</td>
<td>159 (40%)</td>
<td>134 (39.1%)</td>
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<td>Department Semester GPA</td>
<td>3.193</td>
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<td>Male Student-Athlete GPA</td>
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<td>Female Student-Athlete GPA</td>
<td>3.410</td>
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## TEAM 4.0 Semester GPA

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<th>Team</th>
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<td>Baseball</td>
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CAAS Highlights

• The following teams posted All-time high GPAs achieved during 2018-19:
  o Baseball 3.34 F’18 tied all time high
  o M. BASKETBALL 2.907 F’18
  o W. BASKETBALL 3.251 S’19
  o FOOTBALL 2.88 S’19
  o RIFLE 3.695 S’19
  o SOFTBALL 3.546 S’19
  o W. CROSS COUNTRY 3.772 S’19

• The Women’s Teams have posted a 3.0 Combined GPA in 34 of the last 35 semesters.

• CAAS Scholar Athletes of the Month:
  o Baseball = Ian Bibiloni
  o Men’s Basketball = Alex Lomax
  o Women’s Basketball = Miah Buckhanon
  o Football = Will Lawrence, Manny Orona-Lopez, Josh Perry, Markevion Quinn, Kayode Oladele, Drew Martin, Quindell Johnson
  o Rifle = Leighton Dempster
  o Men’s Soccer = Atakelti Gebregzabher
  o Softball = Delaney Smith
  o Men’s Tennis = David Stevenson
  o Men’s Track = Adar Sasson Mirachi, Andrew Bishop
  o Women’s Track = Jada Crutchfield, Shay Nemour, Jamaya Fleming,
  o Volleyball = Agnes Karm

• CAAS Achievement Award Winner:
  o Marshall Sullivan – M. Tennis

• Zach Curlin Male Student-Athlete of the Year
  o Jason Santana - Baseball

• Elma Roane Female Student-Athlete of the Year
  o Lizzie Woerner – W. Soccer

American Athletic Conference Academic Awards

• 202 Student-Athletes received All-Academic Team Honors, which is the third straight season Memphis Athletic has had over 200 SAs receive this recognition.

• Team Academic Excellence Award –These teams earned this award for the top team GPA in the AAC:
  Men’s Golf
  Men’s Soccer

• All-Academic Team
  o 202 UM student-athletes

• Scholar-Athlete Award
  o Ashley Pryke, WTO
  o Lizzie Woerner, WSO
  o Olushola Olojo, MTO
  o David Zalzman, MSO
Student-Athlete Academic Awards

- Spring 2019 the UofM Honors Assembly honored 8 student-athletes as a top student on campus and/or scholarships
  - **Cale Hennemann – Baseball**: Academic Excellence in Marketing Management Award. Presented to the marketing management major with the highest scholastic achievement in the past year.
  - **Matthew J. Kamph – Men’s Cross Country**: Outstanding Academic Award Sport and Leisure Management. In recognition of meritorious scholarship, leadership and service to the University, The community and the profession.
  - **Jlen E. Smith – Football**: Donald K. Carson Leadership Scholarship. A competitive scholarship named after the former Vice President for Student Affairs at The University of Memphis, it presented to student leaders who demonstrate a strong capacity for leadership and foster opportunities for the growth and development of other people through their leadership. It seeks to recognizes student leaders who affirm intrinsic worth in people and challenge people to become more than they have been.
  - **Amberlie Ezell – Rifle**: Eleanor O’Neill Scholarship
  - **Catherine Levasseur – Women’s Soccer**: Dean’s Outstanding Academic Achievement Award. Awarded to the graduating CCFA student with the highest-grade point average. **Highest Grade Point Average for the University-Undergraduate**. Recognition of those students who have attained a perfect 4.0 cumulative GPA during their undergraduate program.
  - **Marie Levasseur – Women’s Soccer**: Outstanding Senior in Exercise, Sport & Movement Sciences Award. Selected by (EXSS) faculty. Presented to the senior who has excelled in the undergraduate program in EXSS and contributes to one or more activities such as volunteering to help in one of the Human Performance Laboratories and/or performing outstanding professional service.
  - **Olushola Olojo – Men’s Track & Field**: Outstanding Economics Undergraduate Student Award. Dean’s Award for Most Outstanding Student. Presented to outstanding students who have displayed strong leadership, character, scholarship and an active role in departmental, college, and campus activities.
  - **Saida Burns-Moore – Women’s Track & Field**: Chi Beta Phi Science, Department of Earth Sciences (Geology). The Phi chapter of Chi Beta Phi annually awards a plaque to the Graduating Senior with the highest academic average.

- **BASEBALL** – Google Cloud Academic All-America Team
  - Alec Trela, JR – Third Team GPA 4.0, Biomedical Engineering

- **BASEBALL** – Google Cloud Academic All-District Team
  - Cale Hennemann, SR
  - Kyle Ouellette, SR
  - Alec Trela, JR

- **FOOTBALL** – Google Cloud Academic All-District Team
  - Austin Hall, GR
• **MEN’S GOLF** – Srixon/Cleveland Golf All-America Scholar. The criteria for selection: under 76 stroke average, cum. GPA at least 3.20, high moral character and in good standing with the university
  o Bradley Bawden, SR
  o Isaiah Jackson, JR

• **WOMEN’S GOLF** – Women’s Golf Coaches Association (WGCA) All-American Scholar Team. The criteria for selection are some of the most stringent in all of college athletics. The minimum cumulative GPA is 3.50
  o Sydney Colwill, SR
  o Abby Herrmann, JR
  o Victoria Gallegos, FR

• **RIFLE TEAM** – Six Members of the Rifle Team earned Collegiate Rifle Coaches Association (CRCA) Scholastic All-American Accolades
  o Levi Clark, JR
  o Leighton Dempster, SR
  o Matthew Dorey, SO
  o Amberlie Ezell, JR
  o Arielle Kimm, FR
  o Mark Meyeraan, FR

• **MEN’S SOCCER** – United Soccer Coaches Scholar All-America Team
  o David Zalzman, Second Team

• **MEN’S SOCCER** – United Soccer Coaches Scholar All-South Region Team
  o David Zalzman, First Team

• **WOMEN’S SOCCER** – United Soccer Coaches Scholar All-America Team
  o Serena Dolan, JR – Second Team

• **WOMEN’S SOCCER** – United Soccer Coaches Scholar All-South Region Team
  o Serena Dolan, JR – First Team
  o Marie Levasseur, SR – Second Team

• **WOMEN’S SOCCER** – Google Cloud Academic All-District Team
  o Catherine Levasseur, SR
  o Stasia Mallin, JR

• **WOMEN’S SOCCER** – Google Cloud Academic All-America Team
  o Catherine Levasseur, SR – Third Team
  o Stasia Mallin, JR – Second Team

• **WOMEN’S SOCCER** – 2018 Arthur Ashe Jr. Sports Scholar Semifinalist Top 20 Female Student-Athlete
  o Sessen Stevens, SR

• **SOFTBALL** – Google Cloud Academic All-District Team
  o Ashely Threatt, SR

• **MEN’S TENNIS** – Intercollegiate Tennis Association (ITA) Scholar-Athletes for posting a GPA of 3.50 or higher during the academic year
  o Turner Voges, JR

• **WOMEN’S TENNIS** – Intercollegiate Tennis Association (ITA) Scholar-Athletes for posting a GPA of 3.50 or higher during the academic year
  o Laura Bente, SO
  o Josephine Cao, JR
  o Katherine Cao, JR
  o Lina Hohnhold, SO
• **MEN’S TRACK & FIELD/Cross Country** – USTFCCCA All-Academic Individual. Cumulative GPA 3.25 and finished Indoor regular season ranked in the national top 96 or for outdoor participation in any round of the NCAA Div. I Championship
  - Noah Agnew, JR
  - Adam Neelly, JR
  - Olushola Olojo, SR
  - Imri Persiado, JR
  - Julian Sanchez-Pinto, SR
  - Jordan Wesner, SR

• **MEN’S TRACK & FIELD** – Men’s Track and Field/Cross Country – Google Cloud/CoSIDA Academic All-America Team. Recognized for combined performances athletically and in the classroom
  - Matthew Kamp, SR – Third Team with a 3.99 GPA, Sport and Leisure Management
  - Olushola Olojo, SR - Third Team with a 3.97 GPA, Business Economics

• **MEN’S TRACK & FIELD** – Google Cloud/CoSIDA All-Academic District Team
  - Matthew Kamph, SR
  - Adam Neelly, JR
  - Olushola Olojo, SR

• **WOMEN’S TRACK & FIELD/CROSS COUNTRY** – Google Cloud/CoSIDA Academic All-America Team recognized for combined performances athletically and in the classroom
  - Ashley Pryke, SR – Third team with a 3.88 GPA, Exercise, Sport and Movement Sciences

• **WOMEN’S TRACK & FIELD/CROSS COUNTRY** – Google Cloud/CoSIDA Academic All-District Team.
  - Kristen Adams, SR
  - Ashley Pryke, SR
  - Paige Sandwell, JR

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  - Saida Burns-Moore, SR
  - Christian Hill, FR
  - Samantha Lenton, FR
  - Ashley Pryke, SR
  - Paige Sandwell, JR
  - Amber Simpson, FR

**TEAM Academic Awards**

• **BASEBALL** – ABCA Team Academic Excellence Award for Team GPA above 3.0

• **MEN’S GOLF** – President’s Special Recognition, 18Birdies Academic. Recognizes the top 24 Division I teams for attaining a 3.5 GPA or better

• **WOMEN’S GOLF** – NCAA Public Recognition Award
  - For the 9th consecutive year, Academic Progress Rate in the top 10 percent of all squads in W. Golf
• **MEN’S TENNIS** – Earned its 15th Intercollegiate Tennis Association (ITA) All-Academic Team honor for having a team GPA of 3.2 or higher. Team GPA: 3.60

• **WOMEN’S TENNIS** – Earned its 10th consecutive Intercollegiate Tennis Association (ITA) All-Academic Team honor for having a team GPA of 3.2 or higher. Team GPA: 3.66

• **MEN’S TRACK & FIELD** – U.S. Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association (USTFCCCA) Division I All-Academic Team. Have earned this honor seven of the last nine seasons.
  o Team GPA, 3.28
  o Top 20 out of 141 programs

• **WOMEN’S TRACK & FIELD** - U.S. Track & Field and Cross Country Coaches Association (USTFCCCA) Division I All-Academic Team. Have earned this honor eight of the last nine seasons.
  o Team GPA, 3.31

### APR/GSR and Graduation Rates

#### Academic Progress Rate (APR)

The 2017-18 APR report yielded the following results:

- Institutional yearly average APR score = 989
- # of teams with a yearly APR score of 1000 = 9
- # of teams with a yearly APR score of 980 or higher = 12
- # of teams with a multi-year APR score of 950 or higher = 17 (100%)
- 17/17 (100%) of teams achieved a 940 four-year average score or higher for the 2012-2016 period.

*Note 2018-19 APR is not submitted until Oct. 2019 and announced by NCAA June 2019

#### Graduation Success Rate (GSR)

- Based on the most recent 6-year 2012-13 cohort, the University of Memphis Graduation Success Rate reached an **all-time high of 92%** (this is up from 81% in 2012 – this rate will be released publicly in October 2019 by the NCAA).

#### Graduation

- student-athletes graduated in the 2018-2019 school year
  - 18 graduated in December 2018
  - 63 graduated in May 2019
  - 5 additional SAs graduating, August 2018
  - 3 former student-athletes returned to complete their degrees
**Exhausted Eligibility Graduation Rate**

The internal graduation rate for student-athletes who exhaust athletic eligibility at UM is **91.5% from 2002-03 through 2018-19.** This data is a UM statistic only and is not formally reported to NCAA.

**2018-19 Report**
75 student-athletes exhausted their eligibility in 2018-19

- 69 earned their degrees on time
- 4 earned their degrees in August 2019
- 3 will earn their degrees by December 2019
- 1 will earn his degree by May 2020
- 1 left school and did not graduate

*92/93 (98%) student-athletes are anticipated to earn their degree from UM within one year of exhausting athletic eligibility (if 3 graduate December 2018, 1 in May 19).*

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<th>2018 Class</th>
<th>2017 Class</th>
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