

# MIAC tennis student-athletes back on the court

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**BLOOMINGTON, Minn.** – Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (MIAC) men's and women's tennis teams are back on the court for the 2021 spring season after nearly a year hiatus due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Regular season schedules can be found on the respective [men's](#) and [women's](#) schedule pages. Conference matches will take place throughout March and April with non-conference contests scheduled at the discretion of each institution.

The quarterfinal round of the [2021 MIAC Men's Tennis Playoffs](#) is set to take place on Tuesday, May 4, with the No. 4 seed hosting the No. 5 seed. Semifinals will get underway two days later on Thursday, May 6 with the No. 3 seed at the No. 2 seed, along with the first-place team from the regular-season conference standings hosting the winner of the quarterfinal match. The last two teams remaining will meet in the 2021 MIAC Men's Tennis Playoff Championship match on Saturday, May 8 on the home court of the highest remaining seed.

The [2021 MIAC Women's Tennis Playoffs](#) will begin on Wednesday, May 5 and feature two quarterfinal matches, as the No. 4 seed will welcome the No. 5 seed and the No. 3 seed will host the No. 6 seed. The winners of those matches will face the top two seeds in the semifinal round on Friday, May 7. The last two remaining squads will compete for the conference playoff title the following day on Saturday, May 8 on the home court of the highest remaining seed.

Thanks to good weather throughout the month of March, teams are inching closer to outdoor competition. Once matches move outdoors, [each MIAC institution will create its own policy regarding spectator attendance](#) in accordance with Minnesota Department of Health and campus protocol. No spectators are permitted when a contest is conducted at an on-campus indoor facility. When a contest is conducted at an off-campus indoor facility and a MIAC team is designated as the host, spectators are limited to remaining outside of the playing area, contingent upon the facility and campus spectator policies.

Continuing throughout the regular season, the MIAC will honor outstanding individual performances each Monday with the announcement of the men's and women's tennis Athletes of the Week. Postseason awards are planned for selection and announcement in May. Additional information related to the 2021 MIAC Men's and Women's Tennis seasons can be found via the links below.



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