

Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference



2024-25 MIAC Women's Basketball Season Preview

Women's Basketball

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BLOOMINGTON, Minn. – Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (MIAC) women's basketball teams are set to return to the hardwood for the start of the 2024-25 season.

The regular season officially tips off on Friday, November 8, and will run through Saturday, February 22. The first conference game of the season is scheduled for Monday, November 25. Teams are set to play 18 conference games this season, with one game against every conference opponent and two games against seven league foes. Women's teams will play after men's teams on doubleheader game dates for the first half of the season before the genders flip start times at the end of January.

The top six teams at the end of the regular season will head to the 2025 MIAC Women's Basketball Playoffs. The quarterfinal round is scheduled for Tuesday, February 22, with the semifinals set for Thursday, February 27, and the championship game slated for Saturday, March 1. The winner of the MIAC Playoffs will receive the conference's automatic bid to the 2025 NCAA Division III Women's Basketball Tournament.

2023-24 FINAL STANDINGS

Gustavus (25-3, 19-1)*#%

Concordia (20-6, 18-2)%

St. Catherine (19-8, 14-6)

Bethel (15-11, 13-7)

Saint Benedict (15-11, 12-8)

Hamline (10-10, 12-13)

St. Scholastica (10-14, 7-13)

Macalester (10-15, 7-13)

Augsburg (8-15, 7-13)

St. Olaf (4-20, 3-17)

Saint Mary's (2-22, 0-20)

Carleton (DNP)

*MIAC Regular Season Champion

#MIAC Playoff Champion

%NCAA Tournament Participant

RULE CHANGES

The NCAA Women's Basketball Rules Committee and NCAA Playing Rules Oversight Panel [approved several rule changes for the 2023-24 season that remain in effect for the 2024-25 season](#). The committees have formally defined "flopping" and its penalties, added an additional technical foul category for delay situations, and permitted the use of live video to the bench area for coaching purposes, among other items. The Committees also adopted [three new rules for the 2024-25 season specifically](#), which included a pair of replay clarifiers as well as confirming supplemental discipline for disqualifying fouls that involve contact with an official. In addition, video review will be used in all rounds of the 2025 NCAA Basketball Tournaments.

MIAC SPORTS NETWORK

The [MIAC Sports Network](#) powered by Hudl launched in August 2023 and will be back again as the streaming home of all MIAC-hosted games, events, and championships. The MIAC Sports Network is available on the web (<https://miacsportsnetwork.com/>) along with streaming apps for television and mobile devices, including Android TV, Apple TV, Amazon Fire, Roku (TV), iOS, Android (mobile), and Amazon Fire Tablet. The app can be found and installed free of charge by searching for the MIAC Sports Network.

MIAC APP

The MIAC [mobile app](#) remains free to fans and can be downloaded on both the [Apple App Store](#) and the [Google Play Store](#) for Android devices. The app includes news,

standings, and links to follow scores and stats in real-time.

AWARD WATCH

MIAC coaches will vote on the 2024-25 MIAC Women’s Basketball All-Conference honors at the conclusion of the regular season. In addition to an 18-player All-MIAC squad, coaches will also vote on individual awards for the MIAC Offensive, Defensive, Rookie, and Coach of the Year.

Throughout the regular season, the MIAC will recognize top individual performances with the MIAC Women’s Basketball Offensive and Defensive Players of the Week awards. Athlete of the Week awards will begin on Monday, November 11, and be announced each Monday following through the end of the regular season. During the week following the MIAC Playoffs, participating coaches will also select a five-player All-Playoff Team to recognize outstanding performances throughout the conference tournament.

LOOKING AHEAD

[D3hoops.com Preseason Top 25](#): No. 11 Gustavus, RV Concordia

[WBCA Preseason Top 25](#): No. 12 Gustavus

First Non-Conference Game Date: Friday, November 8

First Conference Game Date: Monday, November 25

MIAC Playoffs: Tuesday, February 25 (Quarterfinals), Thursday, February 27 (Semifinals), Saturday, March 1 (Championship)

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