

2009-10 MIAC Women's Hockey Awards

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Michaela Michaelson, St. Catherine

St. Paul, Minn. -- The Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (MIAC) announced the 2009-10 MIAC Women's Hockey Awards today, March 4, 2010. St. Catherine University junior forward Michaela Michaelson was named the 2009-10 MIAC Player of the Year. Michaelson led the Wildcats with 12 goals and 12 assists for 24 points in 18 MIAC games. Her goal total tied for best in the conference and her 24 points was second best in the MIAC.



Augsburg College forward Jess Olson was selected as the 2009-10 Sheila Brown Award recipient. The award is given to a senior who has made a long-term contribution to her team's success and who has consistently competed with good sportsmanship. Olson was selected as the recipient based on four main criteria: Team Leadership; Sportsmanship and volunteer work; Academic Excellence; and Hockey skills and production.

St. Catherine University head coach Brad Marshall was named the 2009-10 MIAC Coach of the Year. Marshall, in his 5th season leading the Wildcats, guided St. Catherine to a 13-3-2 MIAC record and the number two seed in the conference playoffs. The 2009-10 Wildcats broke the school record for number of wins and best conference finish.

As part of a conference-wide sportsmanship initiative, the MIAC announced the fourth annual All-MIAC Sportsmanship team for women's hockey. Members of the All-MIAC Sportsmanship team are selected by their coaches and teammates as individuals who demonstrate ideals of positive sportsmanship both on and off the field of competition.

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Player of the Year: Michaela Michaelson, St. Catherine (Jr., Inver Grove Heights, Minn./Simley)

Sheila Brown Award: Jess Olson, Augsburg (Sr., Hamel, Minn./Wayzata)

Coach of the Year: Brad Marshall, St. Catherine (5th season)

All-Conference

Name	Team	Year	Position	Hometown/High School
Kelsey Abrahamson	St. Catherine	So.	Forward	Inver Grove Heights, Minn./Simley
Kristine Beese	St. Thomas	Sr.	Defense	Coon Rapids, Minn.
Anna Carlson	Bethel	So.	Defense	Roseville, Minn.
Kaye Collier	Saint Mary's	Fy.	Goaltender	Hibbing, Minn.
Katelyn Dold	Concordia	So.	Forward	St. Cloud, Minn./Tech
Stevie Fiek	Saint Mary's	So.	Forward	Rochester, Minn./Mayo
Lindsey Hjelm	Gustavus	Fy.	Forward	North Oaks, Minn./Mounds View
Katie Iraci	St. Olaf	Jr.	Forward	Park Ridge, Ill./Loyola
Meghan Lange	St. Catherine	Jr.	Defense	West St. Paul, Minn./Henry Sibley
Kristen Latta	St. Olaf	So.	Defense	Edina, Minn.
Katie Lawler	St. Catherine	Jr.	Defense	Cottage Grove, Minn./Hill-Murray
Melanie Leveille	Hamline	Sr.	Forward	Appleton, Wis./North
Melissa Mackley	Gustavus	Sr.	Forward	Burnsville, Minn.
Kim McClintick	St. Olaf	Sr.	Forward	Chaska, Minn.
Michaela Michaelson	St. Catherine	Jr.	Forward	Inver Grove Heights, Minn./Simley
Korinne O'Connor	St. Thomas	Fy.	Forward	New Ulm, Minn.
Kirstin Peterson	Gustavus	Jr.	Defense	St. Paul, Minn./Hill-Murray
Jessica Ptachick	St. Olaf	Jr.	Goaltender	Burnsville, Minn./Apple Valley
Taylor Schluter	St. Thomas	So.	Forward	Minneapolis, Minn./Benilde-St. Margaret's
Jenny Schnaible	St. Thomas	Sr.	Defense	Burnsville, Minn.
Allie Schwab	Gustavus	So.	Forward	Stillwater, Minn.
Dy-anna Stewart	Saint Mary's	Jr.	Defense	Eden Prairie, Minn.
Nicole Stumpf	St. Olaf	Fy.	Forward	Oakdale, Minn./Hill-Murray
Lauren Tomford	St. Olaf	Sr.	Forward	Avon, Conn./Kingswood-Oxford

All-Rookie Team

Name	Team	Year	Position	Hometown/High School
Kaye Collier	Saint Mary's	Fy.	Goaltender	Hibbing, Minn.
Lindsey Hjelm	Gustavus	Fy.	Forward	North Oaks, Minn./Mounds View
Kelsey Kennedy	Gustavus	Fy.	Defense	Eagan, Minn.
Jessica Laurinaitis	St. Olaf	Fy.	Defense	Hamel, Minn./Wayzata

Macy Leland	Concordia	Fy.	Defense	Brooklyn Park, Minn./Park Center
Korinne O'Connor	St. Thomas	Fy.	Forward	New Ulm, Minn.
Nicole Stumpf	St. Olaf	Fy.	Forward	Oakdale, Minn./Hill-Murray

Honorable Mention All-Conference

Name	Team	Year	Position	Hometown/High School
Lauren Bradel	St. Thomas	Sr.	Goaltender	Bemidji, Minn.
Katie Cachey	Saint Mary's	Jr.	Forward	Orland Park, Ill.
Kelley Fallen	St. Thomas	Jr.	Forward	Plymouth, Minn./Armstrong
Rachael Geng	Bethel	So.	Defense	South St. Paul, Minn.
Melissa Gerten	St. Catherine	Jr.	Goaltender	Inver Grove Heights, Minn./Simley
Kerri Graske	Saint Benedict	So.	Forward	Stillwater, Minn.
Kali Holst	Augsburg	So.	Forward	Mound, Minn./Mound-Westonka
Kelsey Kennedy	Gustavus	Fy.	Defense	Eagan, Minn.
Kaylee Keys	St. Thomas	So.	Forward	St. Paul, Minn./Cretin-Derham Hall
Jessica Laurinaitis	St. Olaf	Fy.	Defense	Hamel, Minn./Wayzata
Macy Leland	Concordia	Fy.	Defense	Brooklyn Park, Minn./Park Center
Kari McClintick	St. Olaf	Sr.	Defense	Chaska, Minn.
Toni Menth	Augsburg	Sr.	Goaltender	Buffalo, Minn.
Meghan Parker	St. Thomas	So.	Defense	West St. Paul, Minn./Henry Sibley
Catherine Pollock	Saint Benedict	Fy.	Defense	Tonka Bay, Minn./Hopkins
Cassie Rooney	St. Catherine	So.	Forward	Plymouth, Minn./Wayzata
Emily Sell	Concordia	Jr.	Forward	Williston, N.D.
Kayla Thorson	Concordia	Sr.	Forward	Rugby, N.D./Minot
Andrea Toft	Augsburg	Sr.	Defense	Alexandria, Minn./Jefferson
Sara Yungner	Gustavus	Jr.	Defense	Maple Grove, Minn./Wayzata

2009-10 Women's Hockey All-MIAC Sportsmanship Team

Augsburg - Jess Olson (Sr., Hamel, Minn./Wayzata)

Bethel - Stephanie Van Guilder (Jr., Roseville, Minn.)

Concordia - Kaylee Black (Sr., Barrie, Ontario)

Gustavus - Alyssa Saunders (Sr., Wayzata, Minn./Blake)

Hamline - Mallory Steele (Sr., Rochester Hills, Mich./Rochester)

Saint Benedict - Katy Bounds (So., Anchorage, Alaska/Bartlett)

St. Catherine - Aryn Ball (Sr., Bemidji, Minn.)

Saint Mary's - Sara Eisenhauer (Sr., Kenosha, Wis.)

St. Olaf - Taylor David (Sr., White Bear Lake, Minn.)

St. Thomas - Marie Omann (Sr., Cold Spring, Minn./Rocori)