



National Academic Honors



RHODES SCHOLARS

1931 George Carlson
1933 Clayton White
1938 Byron White
1962 Joe Romig
1992 Jim Hansen

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA

First-Team

1960 Joe Romig, G
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1965 Steve Sidwell, LB
1967 Kirk Tracy, G
1970 Jim Cooch, DB
1973 Rick Stearns, LB
1974 Rick Stearns, LB
1975 Steve Young, OT
1987 Eric McCarty, ILB
1990 Jim Hansen, OT
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1992 Jim Hansen, OT
1996 Ryan Olson, DT
1997 Ryan Olson, DT
2023 Travis Hunter, ATH
2024 Travis Hunter, ATH

Second-Team

1970 Bill Kracilek, OG
1971 Charlie Davis, TB
1973 Randy Geist, LB
1975 Don Hasselbeck, TE
1976 Don Hasselbeck, TE
1986 Eric McCarty, ILB
2015 Nelson Spruce, WR

Third-Team

1970 Jim Bratten, QB

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN-OF-THE-YEAR

1992 Jim Hansen, OT
2024 Travis Hunter, ATH

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA HALL-OF-FAME

Joe Romig (Inducted 1989)
Byron White (Inducted 1996)

ALL-TIME ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA TEAM

Joe Romig (first-team)

SCHOLAR-ATHLETE TEAM

1991 Jim Hansen, OT
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1996 Ryan Olson, DT

ACADEMIC ALL-DISTRICT

1989 Ken Culbertson, PK
1990 Jim Hansen, OT
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1992 Jim Hansen, OT
1994 Neil Voskeritchian, PK
1996 Ryan Olson, DT
1997 Ryan Olson, DT
1998 Shane Cook, OT
1999 Shane Cook, OT
2002 Wayne Lucier, C
2005 Brian Daniels, OG
Dusty Sprague, WR
2008 George Hypolite, DT
2009 Nate Solder, OT
2010 Nate Solder, OT
2012 Will Pericak, DE
2015 Nelson Spruce, WR
2023 Travis Hunter, ATH
Kareem Harden, OT
Mark Vassett, P
2024 Travis Hunter, ATH
2024 Tyler Brown, OL
2024 Charlie Offerdahl, RB
2024 Shane Cokes, DL

THEODORE ROOSEVELT AWARD

(presented by the NCAA)
1969 Byron White

BURGER KING SCHOLAR AWARD

1997 Ryan Olson, DT

NATIONAL SCHOLAR-ATHLETE AWARD

1992 Jim Hansen, OT (3.94 GPA)

Hall of Fame Scholar-Athletes

1961 Joe Romig, OG
1970 Jim Cooch, DB
1973 Rick Bland, DB
1987 Eric McCarty, ILB
1992 Jim Hansen, OT
2006 Brian Daniels, OG
2010 Nate Solder, OT

Academic & Athletic Recognition

There are 12 occasions in CU history where a player has earned All-American, all-conference and Academic All-conference honors. Three players have earned first-team All-America, first-team All-conference, Academic All-America and Academic All-conference honors:

Player	Years
Joe Romig	1960, 1961
Don Hasselbeck	1976
Travis Hunter	2023, 2024

Five players have earned first-team All-America, first-team All-conference and first-team Academic All-conference honors:

Player	Years
Cullen Bryant	1972
Steve Hakes	1976
Matt Miller	1978
Barry Helton	1985, 1986
Wayne Lucier	2002
Travis Hunter	2023, 2024

Two players have earned second-team All-America, first-team All-conference and first-team Academic All-conference honors:

Player	Years
Kirk Tracy	1967
Don Hasselbeck	1975

NOTE: Tracy was also a first-team academic All-American.



Academic All-Conference



ALL BIG EIGHT (FIRST TEAM)

1955 Lamar Meyer, E
 1956 Dick Stapp, T
 Jim Uhler, C
 1957 Howard Cook, HB
 Eddie Dove, HB
 1958 Eddie Dove, HB
 Bill Mondt, G
 Sherman Pruit, C
 1959 Joe Romig, G
 Gale Weidner, QB
 1960 Joe Romig, G
 1961 John Denvir, T
 Joe Romig, G
 Gale Weidner, QB
 1964 Hale Irwin, QB
 1965 Dick Anderson, DB
 Hale Irwin, DB
 Frank Rogers, E
 Steve Sidwell, LB
 1966 Dick Anderson, DB
 John Beard, OG
 Bruce Heath, C
 Mike Montler, OT
 1967 Bruce Heath, C
 Kirk Tracy, OG
 1968 Bill Brundige, DE
 Mike Bynum, DB
 Kile Morgan, OT
 Dave Perini, DT
 1969 Eric Harris, DB
 Phil Irwin, LB
 1970 Jim Bratten, QB
 Jim Cooch, DB
 Bill Kralicek, OG
 1971 Charlie Davis, TB
 1972 Stu Aldrich, DT
 Cullen Bryant, DB
 Ken Johnson, QB
 Chuck Mandril, OG
 1973 Rich Bland, DB
 Clyde Crutchmer, QB
 Randy Geist, DE
 William McDonald, C
 Rick Stearns, LB
 1974 Pete Brock, C
 Rick Stearns, LB
 David Williams, QB
 Steve Young, OT
 1975 Don Hasselbeck, TE
 David Williams, QB
 Steve Young, OT
 1976 Steve Hakes, OG
 Don Hasselbeck, TE
 Matt Miller, OT
 1977 Matt Miller, OT
 1978 Matt Miller, OT
 1979 Brant Thurston, OL
 1980 Tom Field, PK
 1981 Dave Hestera, TE
 Jerry Hamilton, PK
 1982 Dave Hestera, TE
 1983 Dave Hestera, TE
 Tom Field, PK

1984 Ed Reinhardt, TE
 Eric McCarty, FB
 1985 Barry Helton, P
 Curt Koch, DT
 Eric McCarty, FB
 1986 Barry Helton, P
 Eric McCarty, ILB
 1987 Eric McCarty, ILB
 1988 Ken Culbertson, PK
 Dave McCloughan, CB
 Tom Stone, TE
 1989 Ken Culbertson, PK
 Jim Hansen, DT
 Terry Johnson, ILB
 1990 David Gibbs, CB
 Jim Hansen, OT
 Dave McCloughan, CB
 1991 Jim Hansen, OT
 Kent Kahl, TB
 1992 Jeff Brunner, NT
 Jim Hansen, OT
 1993 Jeff Brunner, NT
 Garrett Ford, TE
 Jon Knutson, OLB
 1994 Tennyson McCarty, TE
 Neil Voskeritchian, PK
 1995 Rae Carruth, WR
 Tennyson McCarty, TE
 Ryan Olson, DT
 Kyle Smith, OT
 Neil Voskeritchian, PK

ALL-BIG 12 (First-Team)

1996 Shane Cook, OT
 Darren Fisk, FB
 Corey Kish, OG
 Tennyson McCarty, TE
 Jeff Nabholz, DT
 Ryan Olson, DT
 Adam Reed, C
 1997 Ryan Black, SS
 Dwayne Cherrington, TB
 Shane Cook, OT
 Darren Fisk, FB
 Tennyson McCarty, TE
 Ryan Olson, DT
 Nick Pietsch, P
 Adam Reed, C
 1998 Shane Cook, OT
 Adam Reed, C/OG
 1999 Shane Cook, OT
 Gabe Leonard, FS
 2000 Marwan Hage, OG
 Derek McCoy, WR
 Eric McCreedy, WR
 Kory Mossoni, OLB
 2001 Lindsay Conley, LB
 Wayne Lucier, C
 Craig Ochs, QB
 2002 Wayne Lucier, OG
 2003 Evan Judge, WR
 Marcus Moore, CB
 2004 Brian Daniels, OG
 Tom Hubbard, FS

Dusty Sprague, WR
 2005 Ben Carpenter, OLB
 Brian Daniels, OG
 Byron Ellis, TB
 Tom Hubbard, S
 Tyler Polumbus, OT
 Dusty Sprague, WR
 2006 Benjamin Burney, S
 Ben Carpenter, OLB
 Brian Daniels, OG
 Tyson DeVree, TE
 Byron Ellis, TB
 Tyler Polumbus, OT
 Dusty Sprague, WR
 2007 Benjamin Burney, CB
 Kevin Eberhart, PK
 Byron Ellis, TB
 George Hypolite, DT
 Bret Smith, S
 Nate Solder, TE
 Dusty Sprague, WR
 2008 Jake Behrens, FB
 George Hypolite, DT
 Travis Sandersfeld, S
 Devin Shanahan, TE
 Nate Solder, OT
 2009 Jake Behrens, FB
 Benjamin Burney, SS
 Patrick Devenny, TE
 Dustin Ebner, WR
 Will Pericak, DE
 Travis Sandersfeld, S
 Devin Shanahan, TE
 Bret Smith, S
 Nate Solder, OT
 2010 Will Pericak, DT
 Tony Poremba, DE
 Travis Sandersfeld, S
 Nate Solder, OT

PAC-12 (First-Team)

2011 Will Pericak, DE
 Travis Sandersfeld, CB
 2012 Nate Bonsu, DT
 Justin Gorman, DB
 Will Pericak, DE
 Connor Wood, QB
 2013 Nate Bonsu, DT
 Will Oliver, PK
 Connor Wood, QB
 2014 Nelson Spruce, WR
 2015 Michael Adkins, TB
 Nelson Spruce, WR
 2017 Isaac Miller, OT
 Derek McCartney, OLB



Academic All-Conference



PAC-12 (HONOR ROLL)

- 2019 Lucas Cooper, S
Josh Goldin, QB
Jake Groth, WR
Alex Kinney, P
Timothy Lynott, C
Nico Magri, DT
Heston Paige, OL
Blake Stenstrom, QB
Jonathan Van Diest, ILB
- 2020 Daniel Arias, WR
Dominic Cate, OL
Jake Groth, WR
Joshka Gustav, OLB
Tyler Lytle, QB
Nico Magri, TE
C.J. Schmanski, TE
Valentin Senn, OL
Jonathan Van Diest, ILB
Josh Watts, P
- 2021 Daniel Arias, WR
Caleb Fauria, TE
Joshka Gustav, OLB
Matt Lynch, TE
Geno Macias, OLB
Nico Magri, TE
Charlie Offerdahl, TB
Erik Olsen, TE
Louis Passarello, TE
Evan Price, PK
Colby Pursell, C
Jonathan Van Diest, ILB
Josh Watts, P
Carson Wells, OLB
- 2022 Cole Becker, PK
Camden Dempsey, OL
Caleb Fauria, TE
Joshka Gustav, OLB
Charlie Offerdahl, RB
Erik Olsen, TE
Austin Smith, TE
Cameron Warchuck, SN

- 2023 Jack Bailey, OG
Tyler Brown, OG
Shane Cokes, DT
Camden Dempsey, SN
Caleb Fauria, TE
Willie Gaines, WR
Joshka Gustav, DE
Isaiah Hardge, DB
Travis Hunter, ATH
Issac Hurtado, ILB
Isaiah Jatta, OT
Gabe Landers, SN
Alton McCaskill, RB
Derrick McLendon, DE
Brandon Miller, S
Jaden Miliner-Jones, S
Charlie Offerdahl, RB
Erik Olsen, TE
Cristiano Palazzo, PK
Louis Passarello, TE
Christian Sarem, RB
Mark Vassett, P
Cameron Warchuck, SN
Nathaniel Watson, CB
Owen Westemeyer, OG
Jacob Woida, DL
Jacob Wray, DL
Hank Zilinskas, C

ALL-BIG 12 (ACADEMIC TEAM)

- 2024 LaVonta Bentley, LB
Shane Cokes, DL
Isaiah Hardge, WR/CB
Travis Hunter, ATH
Charlie Offerdahl, RB
Cristiana Palazzo, PK
Nathaniel Watson, S
Hank Zilinskas, OL