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RE: 2009 GPAC Softball All-Conference Team

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### **2009 GPAC Softball All-Conference Team Announced**

(Sioux City, Iowa) - The 2009 Great Plains Athletic Conference (GPAC) Softball All-Conference team has been announced after a vote of league coaches. This year's GPAC All-Conference Team consists of a first-team, second-team, and an honorable mention list. Clarissa Eloge from Concordia University was named the Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Player-of-the-Year while Kelly Sladek from Midland Lutheran College was named the Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Pitcher-of-the-Year. Jessica Sitzmann from Morningside College and Tim Covey from Dordt College were named the 2009 Hauff Mid-America Sports/GPAC Co-Coaches-of-the-Year.

#### **FIRST TEAM:**

Name	School	Position	Year	Hometown
Kendall Burgess	Concordia	INF	Sr.	Houston, Tex.
Clarissa Eloge	Concordia	INF	So.	Rising City, Neb.
Kendra Klein	Morningside	INF	Sr.	Remsen, Iowa
Stacey Paladino	Hastings	INF	Jr.	Omaha, Neb.
Beth Richmond	Dana	INF	Sr.	Chariton, Iowa
Sarah Seymour	Dordt	INF	So.	San Diego, CA
Kelly Baumert	Morningside	P	Jr.	Omaha, Neb.
Kelly Sladek	Midland Lutheran	P	Jr.	Cordova, Neb.
Chelsey Woodside	Hastings	P	Jr.	Columbus, Neb.
Cara DeStigter	Morningside	DP	Sr.	Sioux City, Iowa
Nicole Baker	Concordia	OF	So.	Arvada, Colo.
Jenna Holt	Midland Lutheran	OF	Jr.	Omaha, Neb.
Mindy Nguyen	Doane	OF	Sr.	Fremont, Neb.
Kayla Peltz	Hastings	OF	Sr.	Loveland, Colo.
Whitney Poole	Doane	OF	Jr.	Holtville, Ala.
Christy Kobza	Doane	UT	Jr.	Lincoln, Neb.
Steph Baltazor	Hastings	C	Sr.	Salina, Kan.
Lenae Krysak	Dana	C	So.	Omaha, Neb.

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**SECOND TEAM:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Hometown</b>
Tiffany Bonifacio	Dakota Wesleyan	INF	Fr.	Lahaina, HI
Sara Bunn	Midland Lutheran	INF	Sr.	Fremont, Neb.
Tana Colt	Briar Cliff	INF	So.	Akron, Iowa
Laura Fugate	Concordia	INF	Jr.	North Platte, Neb.
Amber Remmers	Doane	INF	Sr.	Wahoo, Neb.
Jessie Smith	Midland Lutheran	INF	Jr.	North Platte, Neb.
Camille Cruz	Briar Cliff	P	Jr.	Gregory, Texas
Mindy Schoop	Dana	P	Sr.	Johnston, Iowa
Nicole Sempek	Concordia	P	Fr.	Columbus, Neb.
Jenna Turner	Nebraska Wesleyan	DP	So.	Norfolk, Neb.
Lindy Bohlmann	Dana	OF	Sr.	Denison, Iowa
Dani Bryant	Nebraska Wesleyan	OF	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb.
Rachel Harris	Northwestern	OF	So.	Akron, Iowa
Marcia Kennedy	Nebraska Wesleyan	OF	So.	Omaha, Neb.
Natalie Meduna	Midland Lutheran	OF	Jr.	Weston, Neb.
Amber Soodsma	Dordt	UT	So.	Hudsonville, MI
Charlotte Kaeding	Concordia	C	Sr.	Westminster, Colo.
Alyssa Ledon	Doane	C	Sr.	Las Vegas, Nev.

**HAUFF MID-AMERICA SPORTS PLAYER-OF-THE-YEAR:** Clarissa Eloge, Concordia

**HAUFF MID-AMERICA SPORTS PITCHER-OF-THE-YEAR:** Kelly Sladek, Midland Lutheran

**HAUFF MID-AMERICA SPORTS CO-COACHES-OF-THE-YEAR:** Jessica Sitzmann, Morningside  
Tim Covey, Dordt

**HONORABLE MENTION:**

**BRIAR CLIFF:** Reagon Anthony, Amanda Arens, Tarah Colt, Jessica Horton

**DAKOTA WESLEYAN:** Nicole Haley, Brandi Nekrassoff, Jackie Pugilese, Ekekela Watson

**DANA:** Brianne Nutty

**DOANE:** Jennifer Montoya

**DORDT:** Jaci Ver Mulm

**HASTINGS:** Tara Tobiasson

**MIDLAND LUTHERAN:** Rachel Theis

**MORNINGSIDE:** Kylie Helmink

**MOUNT MARTY:** Lexi Cihak, Katrina Kirby,

**NEBRASKA WESLEYAN:** Alysia Wittmack, Kelsey Worley

**NORTHWESTERN:** Glory Benson, Sara Curry, Shelby Johnson

**SIoux FALLS:** Monica Bloyer, Katie Farley, Lindsey Johnson

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