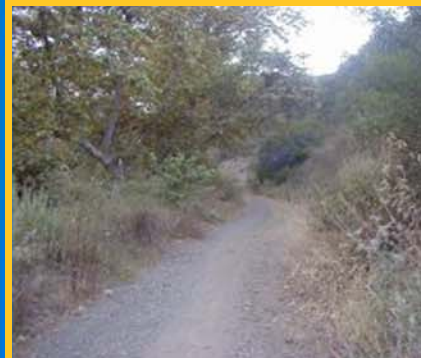


UCLA Cross Country Training Locales



The UCLA cross country team has an abundant number of locations to train throughout the year:

**Mammoth Lakes
Santa Monica Mountains
Santa Monica Beaches
Ocean Boulevard
Polo Field
Sullivan Canyon**



2007 SCHEDULE

Friday, Aug. 31 - Nevada Twilight Cross Country Classic, San Rafael Park (Reno, NV)
 Saturday, Sep. 22 - Pepperdine Invitational, Alumni Park (Malibu, CA)
 Saturday, Sep. 29 - Bill Dellinger Invitational, Springfield Country Club (Eugene, OR)
 Saturday, Oct. 6 - Triton Invitational, UCSD Campus (La Jolla, CA)
 Saturday, Oct. 13 - NCAA Pre-National Invitational, Wabash Family Sports Center (Terre Haute, IN)
 Friday, Oct. 19 - Fullerton Invitational, CSUF Campus (Fullerton, CA)
 Saturday, Oct. 27 - Pac-10 Championships (Corvallis, OR)
 Saturday, Nov. 10 - NCAA West Region Championships, Springfield Country Club (Eugene, OR)
 Monday, Nov. 19 - NCAA Championships, Wabash Family Sports Center (Terre Haute, IN)



2006 Season Wrap-Up

The 2006 cross country season saw the Bruin men return to the NCAA team competition for the first time since 1985 as they finished 24th at the National meet, while Allie Bohannon just missed a spot at NCAA's to highlight the Bruin women's team.

Men

On the men's side, All-American Austin Ramos redshirted, forcing a young, but talented group of men to step up during the season. Led by Drew and Kyle Shackleton, Laef Barnes and Mike Had-dan, the Bruins had one of the best cross country seasons in recent history as they earned a spot at the National meet for the first time in 21 years. As a team, the men were fifth at the Pac-10 Championships and sixth at the West Region meet with Kyle Shackleton earning All-West Region accolades. They ended the season with a 24th-place finish at the NCAA Championships.

Women

The Bruin women were led early in the season by All-American Ashley Caldwell, while sophomore Allie Bohannon emerged towards the end of the year as the top Bruin runner. The women finished fifth at both the Pac-10 and West Region meets as Bohannon earned All-West Region and All-Pac-10 honors.

2006 Team Results

September 1 UC Riverside Dual Meet
 (Women win 23-35, Men win 25-30)
 September 23 Roy Griak Invitational
 (Women - 9th/Men - 15th)
 September 29 Bill Dellinger Invitational
 (Women - 8th/Men - 6th)
 October 7 UCSD Triton Classic
 (Women - 1st)
 October 14 Pre-NCAA Invitational
 (Women - 17th/Men - 14th)
 October 20 Titan Invitational
 (Individuals only)
 October 28 Pac-10 Championships
 (Women - 5th/Men - 5th)
 November 11 West Region Championships
 (Women - 5th/Men - 6th)
 November 20 NCAA Championships
 (Men - 24th)

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QUICK FACTS

Location.....	Los Angeles, CA
Athletics Phone.....	310-825-8669
Director of Athletics.....	Dan Guerrero
Associate AD.....	Bobby Field
Faculty Athletic Rep.....	Don Morrison
Enrollment.....	36,890
Founded.....	1919
Colors.....	Blue & Gold
Nickname	Bruins
Conference	Pacific-10
Conference Phone.....	925-932-4411
National Affiliation.....	NCAA Division I
Head Coach.....	Eric Peterson (Oregon '90)
Sports Information	Stephanie Sampson
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eric PETERSON

Head Coach

15th Year (Women)

8th Year (Men)

Alma Mater - Oregon ('90)

Former Oregon distance All-American Eric Peterson, entering his 15th year on the staff of the UCLA cross country/track and field program, has established himself as one of the top collegiate cross country and distance coaches in the nation.

He begins his eighth season as head coach for the UCLA men's cross country team and specialty coach for the Bruin women and men's track distance corps. For the past 14 years (1993-05), Peterson has been the UCLA women's cross country head coach. Prior to that, in 1993, he served as an assistant to then-Bruin cross country head coach Bob Larsen, the 2004 U. S. Olympic men's distance coach.

Peterson has enjoyed a successful 14 seasons with the UCLA women's cross country and distance teams. For six (2004-03-02-01-99-98) of the last nine cross country campaigns, including four consecutive years, he directed the Bruin women to a team berth at the NCAA Cross Country Championships, UCLA's first appearances since 1988. This past season, the men's team returned to the NCAA Championships for the first time in 21 years under Peterson's guise, despite having no senior runners. The women also excelled behind senior leader Ashley Caldwell and breakout newcomer Allie Bohannon.

Bruin Women Distance Standouts under Peterson (Alphabetical)

Beth Bartholomew – in cross country in 1993, she was the Region VIII runner up and went on to earn All-American honors (16th). Also earned 1994 Outdoor All-American honors in the 5000m (7th place).

Ashley Caldwell – earned two All-American honors in cross country, one honor in indoor track (DMR) and two in outdoor track (800m/1500m). She won the Pac-10 800m crown in 2004 and was a leader on the track and in the classroom.

Karen Hecox Candaele – in cross country, Hecox Candaele was a two-time Pac-10 Champion (1993-94), Region Champion (1993) and a two-time All-American (1994, 9th/1993, 10th). In outdoor track, she won the 1994 NCAA 3000m title. In 1998, Hecox Candaele was a member of the USA World Cross Country bronze medal team in Morocco at 4000m. In the summer of 2000, Peterson coached her to the 1500m final at the U. S. Olympic Trials, where Hecox Candaele placed eighth.

Valerie Flores – Led the women's team to their highest team finish (7th) under Coach Peterson

at the NCAA Championships where she earned All-American honors in 2003; also earned All-West Region and All-Pac-10 honors.

Katherina Kechris – in 1997 in outdoor track, she placed 12th at the NCAA in the 3000m and in 1998 cross country, Kechris was an All-Region VIII performer and earned Academic All-American honors.

Melissa McBain – as a senior in 2003-04, McBain earned three All-American honors in cross country (50th/20:53.6), indoor track (DMR, first leg/3rd/11:08.70) and outdoor track (1500m/10thQ/4:24.13/top eight Americans).

Lena Nilsson – one of the greatest distance runners in UCLA women's history, during her Bruin career (2001-04) Nilsson won two individual NCAA titles (2003 NCAA Indoor 800m/2002 NCAA Outdoor 1500m Champion), was a two-time (2003-02) Pac-10 Track & Field Athlete of the Year (the first women's athlete in league history to repeat as the conference 800m/1500m champion) and is the school record-holder in the 800m (2:02.26) and 1500m (4:07.69). She also earned All-American honors in cross country in 2002 (17th/20:10.0).

Ysanne Williams – during her Bruin career, she was a six-time All-American (including 2001 NCAA Outdoor in the 800m) and in 1999, Williams was the Pan Am and U.S. Junior 800m champion; most recently, after a four-year lay-off from competition, Williams finished second at the Jamaican National Championships and was seventh at the PanAm Games in the 800m while running PR's of 2:02.28 and 53.91 during the year.

2002 NCAA Indoor Distance Medley Relay Champions – 10:58.19 (Tiffany Burgess, 1200m/ Monique Henderson, 400m/Jessica Marr, 800m/ Lena Nilsson, 1600m). Burgess at one time held the school record in the 800m (2:03.73, 2002) and at the 2003 NCAA Indoor Championships, earned All-American status in the 800m.

Bruin Men Distance Standouts under Peterson

Ben Aragon - 2004 Pac-10 800m champion; Holds the indoor mile school record (4:00.38).

Erik Emilsson - 2005 NCAA Outdoor All-American in the steeplechase; Ranks No. 3 all-time at UCLA in the steeple (8:34.80/Junior Class Record); Individual qualifier for the NCAA Cross Country meet in 2003.

Coaching Highlights

- *Coached the Bruin men to their first NCAA competition in 21 years during the 2006 season
- *Member of 2004 NCAA Outdoor T&F Team Champion UCLA Women's Coaching Staff
- *2004-03-02-01-99-98 UCLA Women CC Teams Qualified for NCAA Championships
- *2003 West Region CC Women's Coach of the Year

PETERSON'S DISTANCE RUNNING AND COACHING CAREER

A former University of Oregon distance runner, Peterson was a member of the Ducks' 1989 Pac-10 Championship cross country team that placed second at the NCAA. In 1990 Peterson ran on Oregon's Pac-10 track & field championship team and placed second in the 1500m. He earned All-America honors in 1988 in the 1500m and was a two-time (1988, 1992) Olympic Trials qualifier. His personal best times include a 1:49.78 (800m) and 3:41.03 (1500m).

As a prepster at North Eugene (OR) High School, Peterson was the 1985 Oregon State high school 800m champion and earned prep All-America honors in the 1500m and the mile.

Before coming to Westwood, Peterson served one season (1992-93) as Oregon's graduate assistant strength and conditioning coach and two years (1990-92) as assistant track and field and cross country coach at Rancho Bernardo High School in San Diego.

Peterson has trained and coached with some of the top distance coaches in the world, including Mike Manley, a 1972 U.S. Olympian in the steeplechase; former Oregon head coach Bill Dellinger, a three-time Olympian in the 5000m; Luiz de' Olivera, who tutored Joaquim Cruz to the 1984 Olympic 800m title and Bob Larsen (the 2004 U.S. Men's Olympic Distance Coach), who led the Bruin men's track & field team to two NCAA Outdoor titles (1988-87) and nine Pac-10 Championships in 15 years (1985-99).

Bryan Green - twice qualified as an individual to the NCAA Cross Country Championships in 2000 and 2001. In outdoor track, his 10,000m time of 29:25.20 is No. 9 in UCLA history.

Jon Rankin - 2004 Cross Country All-American; Holds the mile (3:55.63) and 1500m (3:35.26) school records; Also ranks No. 4 all-time at UCLA in the 800m (1:47.11).



ASSISTANT COACHES/06-07 ACADEMIC HONORS



michael STEMBER
Volunteer Assistant Coach
2nd Year
Alma Mater - Stanford ('01)

Stember is in his second season with the Bruins as a volunteer coach. Prior to UCLA, Stember was a 10-time All-American for the Stanford Cardinal, setting school records in the 800m and 1500m races. He was also a member of the 2000 Olympic team in the 1500m and is a member of the current World Record distance medley relay team.

During his time with the U.S. National Team, Stember served as team captain on 10 different occasions. He has broken the 4-minute mile barrier 10 times. Stember also won gold in the 1500m at the 1997 Pan American Games. He also was a three-time silver medalist at the PanAm Games in the 1500m.

During his prep career at Jesuit HS, Stember won two CA State 1600m titles and was the 1995 Gatorade National Player of the Year.

Stember will help coach the Bruins while he trains with Coach Peterson for the 2008 Beijing Olympic Games.



ysanne WILLIAMS
Volunteer Assistant Coach
1st Year
Alma Mater - UCLA ('04)

Ysanne Williams enters her first season as a member of the coaching staff after having competed for the Bruins from 1999-2002. While helping the team this season, Williams will continue to train for the Olympic Games in Beijing next summer.

During her Bruin career, she was a six-time All-American (including 2001 NCAA Outdoor in the 800m) and in 1999, was the Pan Am and U.S. Junior 800m champion. After a four-year lay-off from competition, Williams began competing for the Jamaican National team, and finished second at the Jamaican National Championships in 2007. She then competed at the PanAm Games in Brazil where she finished seventh in the 800m in a personal-best time of 2:02.28. During her layoff from competing, Williams coached at Hoover and Harvard-Westlake High School.

Williams graduated from UCLA with a degree in Sociology in 2003 and is currently working on a Masters Degree in Education from Grand Canyon University.

2006-07 ACADEMIC BRUIN HONOREES

PAC-10 ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM HONOREES

Cross Country Honors

Women

First Team

Jenna Timinsky

Honorable Mention

Olga Aulet-Leon, Allie Bohannon,

Allison Hall, Lauren Jirges,

Claire Rethmeier, Monika Rothenburger

Men

First Team

Drew Shackleton,

Kyle Shackleton

Honorable Mention

Laef Barnes



Track & Field Honors

Women

Second Team

Allison Hall

Honorable Mention

Allie Bohannon, Ashley Caldwell,

Lauren Jirges, Claire Rethmeier

Men

First Team

Kyle Shackleton

Honorable Mention

Austin Ramos

MPSF ALL-ACADEMIC INDOOR HONOREES

Women

Allie Bohannon, Ashley Caldwell,

Allison Hall, Lauren Jirges



UCLA ATHLETIC DIRECTOR'S HONOR ROLL

Women

Olga Aulet-Leon, Allie Bohannon, Gabrielle Bournes, Ashley Caldwell, Allison Hall, Lauren Jirges, Rosa Magaña, Shantae McKinney, Nicole Pennes, Claire Rethmeier, Hannah Roeder, Monika Rothenburger, Jenna Timinsky, Ciara Viehweg, Kelcie Wiemann

Men

Marco Anzures, Alex Crabill, Scott Crawford, Ryan Gordon, Henry Hagenbuch, Jake Matthews, Austin Ramos, Drew Shackleton, Kyle Shackleton, Kevin Sullivan

U.S. TRACK & FIELD/CROSS COUNTRY COACHES ASSOCIATION ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM HONOREES

Cross Country Honors

Women

Allie Bohannon, Ashley Caldwell

Men

Kyle Shackleton



Track & Field Honors

Women

Allie Bohannon, Ashley Caldwell,

Claire Rethmeier

Men

Henry Hagenbuch



MEET THE BRUINS



SENIORS



JUNIORS



FRESHMEN



SOPHOMORES





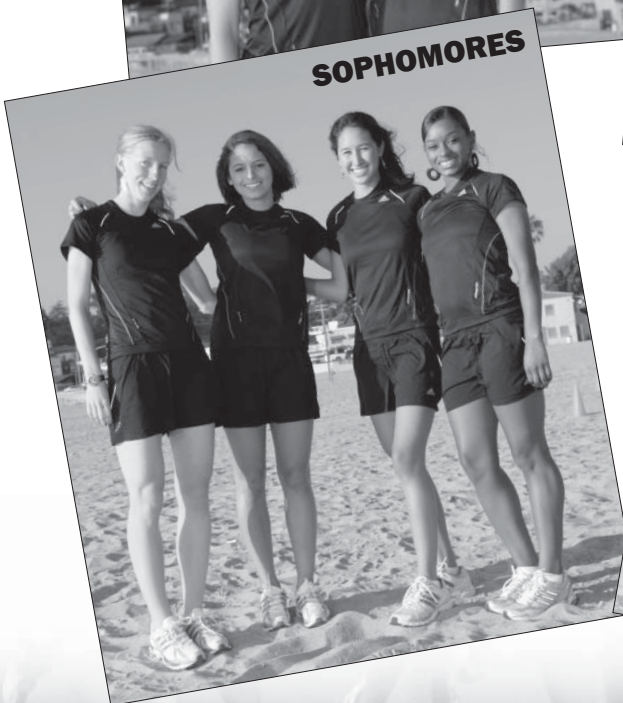
SENIORS



JUNIORS



SOPHOMORES



FRESHMEN



MEN'S ROSTER & OUTLOOK

Name	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown (HS)
Marco Anzures	6-0	154	So	San Diego, CA (St. Augustine)
Laef Barnes	6-1	155	Jr.	Nine Mile Falls, WA (Mead)
Danny Benson	5-7	130	Fr.	Simi Valley, CA (Royal)
Alex Crabill	5-10	144	So.	Tacoma, WA (Charles Wright Academy)
Scott Crawford	6-3	155	Fr.*	El Dorado Hills, CA (Oak Ridge)
Michael Cybulski	5-10	137	Fr.	Simi Valley, CA (Royal)
Ryan Gordon	5-10	140	Jr.	Pacific Palisades, CA (Brentwood School)
Mike Haddan	5-11	145	Sr.	Irvine, CA (Woodbridge)
Henry Hagenbuch	5-11	155	Sr.	San Francisco, CA (Cate School/Michigan)
Marc Hausmaninger	6-0	135	Fr.	Lake Forest, CA (El Toro)
Fawad Khan	5-7	120	Fr.	Palos Verdes, CA (Palos Verdes)
Dylan Knight	5-8	132	Fr.	Riverside, CA (La Sierra)
Spencer Knight	5-8	135	Fr.	Riverside, CA (La Sierra)
Jake Matthews	6-0	150	So.	Folsom, CA (Folsom)
Kent Morikawa	5-4	116	Fr.	Torrance, CA (Torrance)
Marlon Patterson	5-10	127	So.	Sacramento, CA (Franklin)
Cory Primm	5-10	140	Fr.	Thousand Oaks, CA (Westlake)
Austin Ramos	5-9	130	Sr.*	Sacramento, CA (Jesuit)
Blake Ramos	5-10	130	Fr.	Sacramento, CA (Jesuit)
Jun Reichl	5-9	133	Fr.	Simi Valley, CA (Royal)
Drew Shackleton	5-8	135	Jr.	Belmont, CA (Carlmont)
Kyle Shackleton	5-8	128	Sr.	Belmont, CA (Carlmont)
Kevin Sullivan	5-8	140	So.	Simi Valley, CA (Royal)
Evan Watchempino	5-7	132	Fr.	El Dorado Hills, CA (Jesuit)

*indicates 2006 redshirt

Pronunciation Guide

Marco Anzures - An-zuh-res

Laef Barnes - Laif

Fawad Khan - Fuh-wad Con

Henry Hagenbuch - Hay-guhn-book

Marc Hausmaninger - House-Man-in-ger

Jun Reichl - June Rye-shul

Evan Watchempino - Watch-Em-Pee-No

Kent Morikawa - More-ee-kah-wah

The 2006 season was one for the ages as last year's squad did what no team had done since 1985 - qualify and compete at the NCAA Championships. Despite the absence of the team's MVP and All-American from the 2005 season, **Austin Ramos**, the Bruin men persevered and brought UCLA men's cross country back into the national spotlight. With an incredible amount of talent and experience returning this season coupled with one of the top recruiting classes in the country, the Bruin men are poised to continue their success on the national level.

Ramos returns to lead the team after having redshirting the cross country and indoor track seasons. He earned All-American honors in the 5000m in outdoor track and is primed and ready to compete for All-American honors in his final season as a Bruin. In 2005, Ramos was the team MVP earning All-American (48th, 30:27.4), All-West Region (9th, 30:24.1) and All-Pac-10 (5th, 24:23) honors in 2005.

Joining Ramos as the team leaders are fellow seniors **Kyle Shackleton**, **Mike Haddan** and **Henry Hagenbuch**. All three gained valuable experience last season while Ramos redshirted, which benefitted the entire team as the trio raced on the national level. There aren't too many teams in the country that can boast this kind of leadership in their senior class.

Shackleton was the team MVP in 2006 as he was the Bruins' No. 1 runner all season. He earned All-West Region (16th, 30:37.83) and All-Pac-10 (15th, 23:51.73) honors and was the top finisher for UCLA at the NCAA Championships (58th, 32:04.5).

Haddan was UCLA's No. 2 and No. 3 runner at various times throughout the season as he was the final scorer for the Bruins at the NCAA Championships. He was 33rd at the West Region Championships (31:14.62) and 16th at the Pac-10 Championships (23:53.84).

Hagenbuch was granted an extra year of eligibility and will add leadership and experience to the Bruin frontline after a standout track campaign last year in which he ran 8:58.64 in the steeplechase.

Behind the seniors is a strong core of runners led by juniors **Laef Barnes** and **Drew Shackleton**, the co-Most Improved Runners on the team last season.

Drew Shackleton fluctuated between the No. 2 and No. 4 runner spots during the season. He finished 85th at the NCAA Championships (32:25.5), was 41st at the West Region Championships (31:33.17) and placed 30th at the Pac-10 Championships. Barnes also ran from the No. 2 to No. 4 spots during the year and was 26th at the West Region Championships (31:07.29) and 25th at the conference meet (24:20.41).

Sophomores **Alex Crabill**, **Marlon Patterson**, **Jake Matthews**, **Marco Anzures** and **Kevin Sullivan** gained incredible experience last season ranging from collegiate to the USATF level.

"This is by far the most experienced team that I have ever coached, men or women," said head coach Eric Peterson. "We are led by a really strong and capable group of seniors for the first time in many, many years"

Joining the returners is arguably Coach Peterson's greatest recruiting class as it features the #1 800m runner in the country, one of the top milers in the nation, and one of the top long distance runners in the U.S. last season.

Cory Primm and **Michael Cybulski** come to Westwood after incredible prep careers in which Primm led the nation in the 800m (1:48.63) and Cybulski was a force to be reckoned with in the 3200m (8:50).

Joining Primm and Cybulski are miler **Fawad Khan**, **two-mile stars Kent Morikawa** and **Evan Watchempino** and twin brother milers **Dylan** and **Spencer Knight** to highlight this stellar class for the Bruins. These five young men, along with Primm and Cybulski will bring immediate talent and depth to the men's squad this season and for years to come.

Danny Benson, **Marc Hausmaninger**, **Blake Ramos** (Austin's brother) and **Jun Reichl** round out the freshmen 11. This foursome will gain race experience throughout the season.

"This is a class that is filled with talent and depth unlike we've ever seen before and that gives us a lot of hope to withstand the rigors of the cross country season," noted Peterson. "You have to absorb injuries and illness and we haven't had a team deep enough in the past to do that.

"We are looking to legitimize this program as a national distance power and we know that begins at the conference and regional level. This season, we want to demonstrate the strength to be an automatic qualifier to Nationals and hopefully vie for the Pac-10 and West Region titles.

"We were 24th at Nationals last year and we hope to be in the top-10 this season. If you're that strong nationally, on any given day, great things can happen."



marco
ANZURES
6-0 :: 154
Sophomore
St. Augustine HS
San Diego, CA

2006 — UCLA's No. 6 runner at the Pac-10 Championships (54th, 25:05.42/8k) ... Ran 31:04.0 in the Pre-NCAA Invitational Open 8k race ... At the UCSD Triton Invite, was UCLA's No. 2 runner, finishing seventh in a time of 26:13.4 (8k) ... The Bruins' No. 8 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (100th, 25:31.94/8k) ... UCLA's No. 9 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (17th, 19:46/6k) ... In track, placed fourth at the USATF Jr. Championships in the steeple (9:25.95) ... Had a top steeplechase mark of 9:14.49 ... Was second in the 5000m (15:04.90) and third in the steeple (9:15.66) against USC ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Four-year letterwinner in track and cross country ... Prep bests of 51.5 in the 400m, 1:55.6 in the 800m, 4:17.8 in the 1600m, 4:20 in the mile, 9:28 in the 3200m, 14:58 in the 3-mile and 15:36 in the 5k ... Western League 3-mile course record holder (14:58) and champion ... Western League 1600m record holder (4:17) ... Won the 800m, 1600m and 3200m Western League titles in 2006 ... Western League Track Athlete of the Year in 2006 ... All-CIF San Diego Section Division II 1600m (champion) and All-CIF San Diego Section Division II 800m (runner-up) ... Team Captain for track and cross country his senior year ... *Union Tribune* All-Academic First-Team in 2005 and 2004 ... All-State in cross country in 2005 and 2004 ... Two-time Pepsi Outstanding Fall Athlete in cross country ... 2003 Western League Runner of the Year in cross country.

Personal — Born February 13, 1988 ... Atmospheric, Oceanic and Environmental Sciences major.



laef
BARNES
6-1 :: 155
Junior
Mead HS
Nine Mile Falls, WA

2006-07 — Named co-Most Improved Male Runner by the team ... The Bruins' No. 4 runner at the NCAA Championships (201st, 33:45.3/10k) ... UCLA's No. 2 runner at the West Region Championships, placing 26th in a time of 31:07.29 (10k) ... Finished 25th at the Pac-10 Championships (24:20.41/8k) as UCLA's No. 3 runner ... The No. 3 runner for the Bruins in the Blue Race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (76th, 24:44.1/8k) ... UCLA's No. 4 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (32nd, 24:09.39/8k) ... No. 3 runner at the Roy Griak Invite, finishing 77th in a time of 26:04.70 (8k) ... UCLA's No. 1 runner at the UCLA/UCR dual meet (2nd, 17:45/6k) ... Earned honorable mention All-Academic Pac-10 honors in cross country ... In outdoor track, had top times of 4:05.00 in the mile, 3:50.70 in the 1500m and 1:53.60 in the 800m ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — 115th at the West Region Championships (33:35.4) ... 62nd at the Pac-10 Championships (26:30) ... 126th at the Pre-NCAA Invite (25:17) ... No. 4 runner for UCLA at the Sundodger Invite (23rd, 24:45) ... In outdoor track, had top times of 3:50.41 in the 1500m, 4:06.25 in the mile and 1:53.28 in the 800m ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Four-year varsity letterwinner in track and cross country ... Team was state champions in 2002 and 2003 ... Was the national indoor mile leader in 2004 and 2005 ... Ranked third in the nation in cross country in 2004 ... Indoor All-American ('04, '05) ... Team captain for track and cross country teams ... Sophomore state record holder in the 1500m, 1600m and 3000m ... Top times of 4:07.07 in the 1600m, 8:59 in the 3200m and 14:59 in the 5k.

Personal — Born September 27, 1986 ... Pre-Economics major.



alex
CRABILL
5-10 :: 144
Sophomore
Charles Wright Acad.
Tacoma, WA

2006-07 — Finished 86th at the West Region Championships (32:47.93/10k) as the No. 7 runner for the Bruins ... UCLA's No. 9 runner at the Pac-10 Championships, finishing 64th in a time of 25:37.94 (8k) ... UCLA's No. 7 runner in the Blue Race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (223rd, 26:01.8/8k) ... Led the Bruins at the UCSD Triton Invite as UCLA's No. 1 runner, finishing fifth in a time of 26:08.8 (8k) ... Did not finish the race at the Bill Dellinger Invite ... No. 6 runner for the Bruins at the Roy Griak Invite (143rd, 26:33.90/8k) ... UCLA's No. 5 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (9th, 18:23/6k) ... Finished seventh at the USATF Junior National Cross Country Championships (26:29) ... In outdoor track, ran a 5000m best of 14:25.57 ... Competed at the USATF Junior National Championships, placing fourth in a time of 14:40.81 ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Won the FootLocker West Regional Sophomore Race in 2003 ... Also won the WIAA "A" cross country title in 2004 ... Finished first in both the 1600m and 3200m at the WIAA "A" Track Championships in 2005, and won the 1600m title in 2006 ... Placed 26th at the USATF Junior Cross Country Championships in 2006 ... High school team won the WIAA "A" Cross Country title in 2003 and 2004 ... Prep best in the 3200m ranks 13th on the 2006 U.S. National Prep List (8:57.42) ... Also has prep bests of 15:40 on the 5k cross country course, 25:13 on the 8k course, 1:56 in the 800m and 4:15 in the 1600m.

Personal — Born May 19, 1988 ... Pre-Business/Economics major.



michael
CYBULSKI
5-10 :: 137
Freshman
Royal HS
Simi Valley, CA

High School — Four-year letterman in cross country and track ... Helped lead his team to two California state titles and a runner-up finish in cross country ... Was the 2006 cross country state champion as an individual and was third in 2005 ... Led his team to a second-place finish at the Nike Team Nationals (he was third as an individual) ... Was seventh as an individual at the Footlocker National Championships ... In track, won two state titles and two CIF-SS crowns in the

3200m (2005, 2006) ... Was sixth at the Nike Outdoor National Championships in the 3200m in 2006 ... Prep bests of 1:55 in the 800m, 4:08 in the 1600m and 8:50 in the 3200m.

Personal — Born December 6, 1989 ... Pre-Business/Economics major.



mike
HADDAN
5-11 :: 145
Senior
Woodbridge HS
Irvine, CA

2006-07 — UCLA's final scorer at the NCAA Championships (208th, 33:49.8/10k) ... The No. 3 runner at the West Region Championships (33rd, 31:14.62/10k) ... UCLA's No. 2 runner at the Pac-10 Championships, placing 16th in a time of 23:53.84 (8k) ... Finished 63rd as UCLA's No. 2 runner in the Blue Race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (24:35.9/8k) ... At the Bill Dellinger Invite, was UCLA's No. 3 runner (31st, 24:08.76/8k) ... The Bruins' No. 5 runner at the Roy Griak Invite (118th, 26:23.50/8k) ... UCLA's No. 1 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (4th, 17:55/6k) ... In outdoor track, ran a best of 1:50.56 in the 800m and 3:48.02 in the 1500m.

2005-06 — The Bruins' No. 2 runner all season ... 107th at the West Region Championships (33:25.5) ... Named first-team All-Pac-10 after placing sixth at the Pac-10 Championships (24:24) ... 56th at the Pre-NCAA Invite (24:39) ... 56th at the Roy Griak Invite (25:21) ... 17th at the Sundodger Invite (24:33) ... Led the Bruins at the CS Fullerton "Season Opener" with an eighth-place finish (26:27.90) ... In outdoor track, was a regional qualifier in the 1500m (3:45.86) ... Also ran 1:50.78 in the 800m.

2004-05 — Finished 55th at the West Region meet (31:58) and 52nd at the Pac-10 Championships (26:13) ... Placed 15th at the USF Invite (25:05.3) and 17th at the Stanford Invite (12:22, 4K) ... At the Pre-NCAA meet, ran 25:39.3 ... At the Notre Dame Invitational, ran 25:14 ... Named Most Outstanding Freshman Distance Runner.

High School — Haddan finished third at the CA State meet in 2004 and 2003 in the 800m (1:51.79, 2003/1:53.03, 2004) after winning the State crown as a sophomore (1:51.41) ... He was the 2004 CIF Div. II champion (1:54.30) and CIF Masters titlist (1:51.50) ... Was named Orange County Cross Country and Irvine City Athlete of the Year ... 2004 *Los Angeles Times* All-Star boys' second-team in the 800m ... Personal-best of 1:51.02 as a junior ... In 2003, Haddan was third at the Arcadia Invitational (1:52.43) and was also third at the Mt. SAC Relays in the mile (4:15.86) ... Competed in the World Junior Championships in the 800m.

Personal — Born May 5, 1986 ... Pre-Political Science major.

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henry
HAGENBUCH
5-11 :: 155
Senior
Cate HS
San Francisco, CA

2006-07— Finished 217th at the NCAA Championships (34:04.0/10k) ... UCLA's No. 8 runner at the Pac-10 Championships (58th, 25:17.17/8k) ... The No. 3 runner for the Bruins at the UCSD Triton Invite (10th, 26:20.2/8k) ... UCLA's No. 7 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (90th, 25:10.58/8k) ... Ran 27:13.40 at the Roy Griak Invite (200th/8k) ... In outdoor track, had a top steeple mark of 8:58.64 (regional mark) ... Placed eighth in the "A" section of the steeple at the Texas Relays ... Won the steeple against USC ... Pac-10 finalist in the steeple (7th, 9:02.94) ... USTFCCCA All-Academic in track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Twelve-time letterwinner in tennis, squash, cross country and track ... Four-time team captain ... MVP in each sport he participated except tennis ... Placed second and third at the State Meet in cross country ... Finished eighth and fifth at the State Meet in track ... Two-mile four-time All-State honoree ... Cross Country Athlete of the Year for Santa Barbara County ... Holds school records in the mile, two-mile and three-mile cross country course ... Prep bests of 4:20 in the mile, 9:09 in the 2-mile and 14:59 on a 3-mile cross country course.

Personal — Born May 25, 1984 ... Pre-Political Science major.



fawad
KHAN
5-7 :: 120
Freshman
Palos Verdes HS
Palos Verdes, CA

High School — Four-year letterman in track and cross country ... One of the top prep milers in the nation in 2007 ... High school's Athlete of the Year ... Four-time cross country team MVP ... Won the league and CIF championships in 2006 ... Also placed second at the CA State meet in 2006 and was a two-time All-CIF honoree ... In track, four-time league champion (2 in 800m/2 in 1600m) ... Was the CIF 1600m champion in 2007, placing third at the CA state meet ... Also finished seventh in the 1600m at the state meet in 2006 ... Was a three-time MVP for the track team ... Holds school records in the 800m and 1600m ... Prep bests of 1:55.70 (800m), 4:04.90 (1600m), 9:25 (3200m) and 14:47 in the three-mile race.

Personal — Born October 3, 1989 ... Undeclared major.



dylan
KNIGHT
5-8 :: 132
Freshman
La Sierra HS
Riverside, CA

High School — Four-year letterman in track and cross country ... High school team won the Nike Outdoor National DMR crown in 2007 ... Was All-State in cross country in 2006 with a fourth-place finish at the California State Meet ... Also earned All-State honors in track in 2006 (4th, mile) and 2007 (8th, mile) ... Was a three-time All-CIF honoree in the mile, winning the individual crown in 2006 ... Four-time league champion in the mile ... Was co-MVP for his team all four years of high school ... Set a school record in the two-mile event ... Prep bests of 1:53.1 in the 800m, 4:09.8 in the mile, 9:05 in the two-mile and 15:11 on the 5k course.

Personal — Born January 14, 1989 ... Biology major.



spencer
KNIGHT
5-8 :: 135
Freshman
La Sierra HS
Riverside, CA

High School — Four-year letterman in track and cross country ... First-team All-CIF in 2005 and 2006 for cross country ... Was third-team All-CIF in 2004 ... Named All-State first-team in 2006 and All-State second-team in 2005 ... Three-time All-league first-team and was league champion in 2006 for cross country ... In track, was a three-time All-CIF first-team honoree and two-time All-State first-team member ... Four-time league champion in the 3200m and was on a national champion distance medley relay team in 2007 ... Set a school record in the 1600m and a league record in the 3200m ... Prep bests of 4:09.58 in the 1600m, 9:07.11 in the 3200m and 14:44 in the three-mile.

Personal — Born January 14, 1989 ... Biochemistry major



jake
MATTHEWS
6-0 :: 150
Sophomore
Folsom HS
Folsom, CA

2006-07 — Finished 235th at the NCAA Championships (34:30.6/10k) ... UCLA's No. 6 runner at the West Region Championships (78th, 32:34.37/10k) ... Ran under 25 minutes for the first time in the season as UCLA's No. 5 runner at the Pac-10 Championships (51st, 24:58.29/8k) ... The No. 5 runner for the Bruins in the Blue Race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (155th, 25:14.8/8k) ... UCLA's No. 6 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (71st, 24:40.86/8k) ... The Bruins' No. 7 runner at the Roy Griak Invite (154th, 26:39.50/8k) ... UCLA's

No. 6 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (11th, 18:32/6k) ... Placed 12th (26:44) at the USATF Junior National Cross Country Championships ... In outdoor track, had a best of 9:05.60 in the steeplechase, which was a regional qualifying mark ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Three-year letterwinner in track and cross country ... All-State in the 3200m in 2006 (6th) ... Two-time ('05, '06) San Joaquin Section Masters Champion in the 3200m ... Sacramento Area Male Track Athlete of the Year in 2005 ... Two-time CA State Meet participant ... All-State in 2004 (10th) and 2005 (5th) for cross country ... Three-time State Meet participant in cross country ... San Joaquin Section Champion in 2004 and 2005 in cross country ... Two-time *Sacramento Bee* All-Metro MVP ('04, '05) ... School record in the 1600m, 3200m and 3000m (8:39.0) ... 1600m (4:17.8) and 3200m (9:10.11, 49th on the 2006 U.S. Prep List) are lifetime-bests and broke previous school records that were set in 1964 ... FootLocker West Regional Championships competitor (9th, 15:53 5k), earning 2nd-team All-Region honors ... Three-time USATF Junior Olympic Cross Country National Championships All-American.

Personal — Born April 4, 1988 ... Atmospheric, Oceanic and Environmental Sciences major.



kent
MORIKAWA
5-4 :: 116
Freshman
Torrance HS
Torrance, CA

High School — Four-year letterman in track and cross country ... Placed 34th at the 2006 Footlocker Cross Country National Championships after having finished seventh at the Footlocker Regional meet ... He was the first athlete from a South Bay school to qualify for the National meet ... Also placed third at the 2006 CA State meet in cross country ... Was also the CIF Southern Section champion for cross country in 2006 ... Placed fourth in the state meet and 19th at Footlocker Regionals in 2005 ... Was a three-time cross country and two-time track team MVP ... Served as a team captain for the track team his senior year ... Was All-State and All-CIF in 2006 and 2007 ... *Daily Breeze* All-Area and two-time *Daily Breeze* All-Area Runner of the Year ... Channel 3 City Cable Athlete of the Year (2007) ... Holds the school record in the two-mile (9:06) ... Prep bests of 1:59 in the 800m, 4:17 in the 1600m, 14:39 in the three-mile and 15:03 in the 5k.

Personal — Born June 22, 1989 ... Pre-Business/Economics major.



marlon
PATTERSON
5-10 :: 127
Sophomore
Franklin HS
Sacramento, CA

2006-07 — Named Most Outstanding Male Newcomer by the team ... UCLA's No. 3 runner at the NCAA Championships, finishing 150th in a time of 33:04.4 (10k) ... The Bruins' No. 5 runner at the West Region Championships (52nd, 31:49.30/10k) ... UCLA's No. 7 runner at the Pac-10 Championships (55th, 25:09.55/8k) ... The No. 6 runner for the Bruins in the Blue Race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (185th, 25:30.4/8k) ... UCLA's fifth finisher at the Bill Dellinger Invite (64th, 24:37.06/8k) ... The No. 4 runner for UCLA at the Roy Griak Invite (100th, 26:16.90/8k) ... UCLA's No. 7 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (13th, 18:43/6k) ... In outdoor track, had an 800m best of 1:51.49 and best of 3:47.40 in the 1500m (regional qualifier) ... Competed at the USATF Junior Championships, placing 15th in the 1500m in a time of 3:57.71.

High School — Four-year letterwinner in track and cross country ... Seven-time All-Delta ... Five-time All-Metro ... Two-time All-CIF ... Two-time All-State ... Won five individual section championships ... Four-year captain for track and cross country ... Four-year MVP for track and cross country teams ... Helped team to Delta League titles in 2005 and 2006, and the San Joaquin Section title in 2006 ... Prep best of 4:09.70 in the 1600m was No. 12 on the 2006 U.S. Prep List (the time also set a new Sacramento Meet of Champions Record) ... 800m best of 1:52.09 was No. 25 on the 2006 U.S. Prep List ... Also has a prep best of 9:15 in the 3200m.

Personal — Born June 4, 1988 ... Pre-Business/Economics major.



austin
RAMOS
5-9 :: 130
RS-Senior
Jesuit HS
Sacramento, CA

2006-07 - Redshirted the cross country season ... In outdoor track, earned All-American honors in the 5000m with a 10th-place finish (13:56.32) ... Also was a provisional qualifier in the 10,000m (29:12.84) ... Had a 5000m best of 13:51.73 ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention for track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — Earned All-American honors after finishing 48th (30:27.4) at the NCAA Championships ... Named All-Region after placing 9th at the West Region Championships (30:24.1) ... Named First-team All-Pac-10 after placing fifth at the Pac-10 Championships (24:23) ... UCLA's No. 1 runner all season ... 15th at the Pre-NCAA Invite (24:06) ... Sixth at the Roy Griak Invite (24:21) ... Won the Sundodger Invite in 24:00 (the fourth-fastest time in the meet's history) ... In indoor track, provisionally qualified for the NCAA Championships in the 5000m (13:57.55) ... In outdoor track, had a regional qualifier in the 1500m (3:47.66), but battled a leg injury that hindered him for most of the season and kept him out of the regional meet ... Honorable Mention Pac-10 All-Academic cross country and track ... MPSF All-Academic.

2004-05 — At the 2004 USA Cross Country Championships, Ramos finished 24th (39:13.8) in the Open Men's 12km ... Placed 28th at the West Region Championships (31:13, 10K) and 21st at the Pac-10 Championships (25:06, 8K) ... Finished 16th in the 4K at the Stanford Invitational (12:22) ... Ran 24:47.4 at the Pre-NCAA meet (43rd overall) ... In outdoor track, placed eighth in the 10,000m (30:02.01) and ninth in the 5000m (14:15.61) at the Pac-10 meet ... At the West Region Championships, placed 10th in the 5000m (14:29.66) ... All-Academic Pac-10 Honorable Mention ... All-Academic MPSF.

2003-2004 — Ramos was UCLA's No.1 cross country runner in four regular season meets, including first place (15:13/5k) at the Big Wave Invitational, sixth (12:11/4k) at the Stanford Invitational and 41st (24:19.5/8k) at the Pre-National ... He finished 26th at Regionals with a time of 30.24 (No. 3 Bruin runner) ... Top UCLA finisher at the Pac-10 meet in a time of 25:43.4 (22nd overall) ... Redshirted the outdoor track season.

High School — As a senior, placed 11th in 15:26 at the CA State Cross Country Championships and led Jesuit to the State title ... At the 2001 and 2002 State Championships, was Jesuit's No. 1 runner, placing sixth in 2001 (15:51) and 11th in 2002 ... Received CIF All-State honors in 2002 ... Also placed 14th at the 2002 Footlocker Western Regional ... As a junior, placed 36th at the FootLocker Western Regional in 16:26 ... In track, placed fifth (9:00.31) in the 3200m at the 2002 CA State Meet ... Prep track bests were 4:18.00 (1600m) and 9:00.27 (3200m).

Personal — Born October 6, 1984 ... Economics major with Political Science and Accounting minors.



drew
SHACKLETON
5-8 :: 135
RS-Junior
Carlmont HS
Belmont, CA

2006-07 — Named co-Most Improved Male Runner by the team ... Finished 85th at the NCAA Championships as the Bruins' No. 2 runner (32:25.5) ... UCLA's No. 4 runner at the West Region Championships (41st, 31:33.17/10k) ... At the Pac-10 Championships, placed 30th as UCLA's fourth finisher in a time of 24:26.54 (8k) ... The No. 4 runner for UCLA in the Blue Race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (87th, 24:48.0/8k) ... Finished 29th at the Bill Dellinger Invite as UCLA's No. 2 runner (24:03.66/8k) ... The No. 2 runner for the Bruins at the Roy Griak Invite (54th, 25:50.30/8k) ... UCLA's No. 4 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (7th, 18:10/6k) ... Earned first-team All-Academic Pac-10 honors in cross country ... Redshirted the indoor and outdoor track seasons ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — 82nd at the West Region Championships (32:21.4) ... 52nd at the Pac-10 Championships ... 156th at the Pre-NCAA Invite (25:39) ... 105th as UCLA's No. 4 runner at the Roy Griak Invite (26:04) ... No. 5 Bruin runner at the Sundodger Invite (35th, 25:02) ... Named Second-Team All-Academic Pac-10 ... In outdoor track, posted a lifetime-best of 9:16.25 in the steeplechase and 15:05.30 in the 5000m ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll ... Pac-10 All-Academic first team for cross country and track.

2004-05 — At the 2005 USA Cross Country Championships, placed 14th (26:18.5) in the Junior Men's 8k ... Competed for the USA at the NACAC Cross Country Championships, finishing third (20:03) in the Junior Men's 6k ... Redshirt cross country season ... In outdoor track, ran a lifetime-best in the steeplechase of 9:33.90 against USC ... Also ran 15:01.63 in the 5000m ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Four year varsity letterwinner in cross country and track ... Three-time All-CIF in cross country ... Three-time co-MVP and co-captain for cross country ... Two-time MVP and co-captain for track team ... School co-Athlete of the Year in 2004 ... At the Footlocker XC West Regionals, placed 29th overall ... Second-team All-Northern California (2003) and third-team All-Northern California in 2002 ... Finished eighth in the Division II State Meet in 2003 ... Placed in the top-30 in the state in cross country in 2002 ... Qualified for the State XC Meet in 2001 ... Top times of 4:26 in the 1600m, 9:20 in the 3200m and 15:38.1 in the 5K ... Twin brother Kyle is a sophomore for the Bruins.

Personal — Born January 21, 1986 ... Business/Economics major.



kyle
SHACKLETON
5-8 :: 128
Senior
Carlmont HS
Belmont, CA

2006-07 — Winner of the Bob Day Most Outstanding Male Cross Country Runner award and the award for Academic Excellence ... Finished 58th at the NCAA Championships as UCLA's No. 1 runner (32:04.5/10k) ... Led the Bruins with his 16th-place finish at the West Region Championships (30:37.83/10k) ... UCLA's top finisher at the Pac-10 Championships, placing 15th in a time of 23:51.73 (8k) ... Led UCLA with a 25th-place finish in the Blue Race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (24:08.9/8k) ... UCLA's No. 1 finisher at the Bill Dellinger Invite, running 23:41.26 (11th/8k) ... Finished 22nd at the Roy Griak Invite as the Bruins' No. 1 runner (25:13.10/8k) ... UCLA's No. 2 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (3rd, 17:53/6k) ... Earned first-team All-Academic Pac-10 honors and USFCCCA All-Academic accolades in cross country ... In outdoor track, had a best of 30:33.16 in the 10,000m and 14:30.95 in the 5000m ... First-team All-Academic Pac-10 for track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — UCLA's No. 3 runner during the season ... 60th at the West Region Championships (31:40.2) ... 29th at the Pac-10 Championships (25:16) ... 58th at the Pre-NCAA Invite (24:43) ... 75th at the Roy Griak Invite (25:36) ... 21st at the Sudodger Invite (24:42) ... Named Second-Team All-Academic Pac-10 ... In outdoor track, ran a lifetime-best 9:32.45 in the steeple and 14:38.90 in the 5000m ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll ... MPSF All-Academic ... Pac-10 All-Academic First Team for track and second-team for cross country.

2004-05 — At the 2005 USA Cross Country Championships, placed 21st (26:40.3) in the Junior Men's 8km ... Placed 51st at the Pac-10 Championships (26:11) and 67th at the West Regional (32:16) ... Finished 14th at the USF Invite (24:50.2) and 25th at the Stanford Invite (12:33) ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — In cross country, Shackleton finished seventh at the State Championships and was a three-time All-CIF selection ... Three-time co-MVP and team

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captain ... Kyle finished 14th at the FootLocker Cross Country West Regionals in 2003 ... In outdoor track, at the 2004 CA State Meet, he finished sixth in the 3200m in 9:17.03 ... Ranked No. 6 in the State in the 3200m with a time of 9:05.36 ... Finished third (9:05.36) at the Central Coast Section Championships in the 3200m ... Was a two-time co-MVP and co-captain of track team
Personal — Born January 21, 1986 ... Business/Economics major.



kevin
SULLIVAN
 5-8 :: 140
 Sophomore
 Royal HS
 Simi Valley, CA

2006-07 — Ran 25:52.2 at the Pre-NCAA Invitational Open 8k race ... UCLA's No. 4 runner at the UCSD Triton Invite (14th, 26:35.8/8k) ... The Bruins' No. 9 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (107th, 25:44.25/8k) ... At the Roy Griak Invite, ran 28:03.95 (258th/8k) ... UCLA's No. 8 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (16th, 19:38/6k) ... In outdoor track, had a top time of 9:07.15 in the steeplechase ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Four-year letterwinner in track and three-year lettewinner in cross country ... Named cross country MPV and Most Improved Varsity Runner in track his freshman year ... Earned the cross country coach's award in 2004 and 2006 ... Was the Senior of the Year in track ... Placed 10th at the 2005 CA State Championships in cross country ... Finished third at the CIF-SS Finals in 2006 in the 1600 ... HS team was the 2005 CIF Div. I and CA State champion in cross country ... Set a senior class record in the 1600m (4:13.58) ... Also set a freshman record in the 1600m (4:27.74).

Personal - Born July 17, 1988 ... Pre-Business/Economics major.



evan
WATCHEMPINO
 5-7 :: 132
 Freshman
 Jesuit HS
 El Dorado Hills, CA

High School — Four-year varsity letterman in cross country and two-year winner in track ... No. 1 runner for Jesuit HS his senior year ... Second-team All-State in 2006 ... Four-time All-League and All-Metro honoree ... Four-time competitor at the XC state meet ... Led Jesuit to state titles in cross country in 2005 and 2006 ... Two-time competitor at the Nike Team Nationals where his team placed fourth in 2006 and seventh in 2005 ... Finished sixth at Nike Team Nationals individually in 2006 ... Was the 2005 Sac-Juaquin and sub-section champion ... Three-time Jesuit Outstanding Runner of the Year for cross country ... Prep best of 9:09.61 in the 3200m (#10 all-time at Jesuit HS) and 15:24 in the 5k race ... Named Outstanding Distance Runner for the track team in 2007 ... Competed at the CA State Meet in 2007 and was an All-Metro honoree.

Personal — Born November 14th, 1988 ... Undeclared major.



danny
BENSON
 5-7 :: 130
 Freshman
 Royal HS
 Simi Valley, CA



scott
CRAWFORD
 6-3 :: 155
 RS-Freshman
 Oak Ridge HS
 El Dorado Hills, CA



ryan
GORDON
 5-10 :: 140
 RS-Sophomore
 The Brentwood School
 Pacific Palisades, CA



marc
HASMANINGER
 6-0 :: 135
 Freshman
 Newport Harbor HS
 Lake Forest, CA



cory
PRIMM
 5-10 :: 140
 Freshman
 Westlake HS
 Thousand Oaks, CA



blake
RAMOS
 5-10 :: 130
 Freshman
 Sacramento HS
 Jesuit, CA



jun
REICHL
 5-9 :: 135
 Freshman
 Royal HS
 Simi Valley, CA

2007 CAPTAINS



Name	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (High School)
Annie Adams	5-6	Sr.	La Selva Beach, CA (Aptos)
Olga Aulet-Leon	5-9	Jr.	Palos Verdes, CA (Peninsula)
Alice Bohannon	5-8	Jr.	Nashville, TN (Harpeth Hall)
Gabrielle Bournes	5-4	So.	Long Beach, CA (Long Beach Poly)
Krishna Curry	5-10	Fr.*	Nashville, TN (University)
Lizzie Jewson	5-6	Fr.	Vashon Island, WA (Charles Wright Academy)
Lauren Jirges	5-6	Jr.	Cypress, CA (Cypress)
Cobbie Jones	5-9	Fr.*	San Martin, CA (Live Oak)
Rosa Magaña	5-4	Fr.*	Oakland, CA (Holy Names)
Shannon Murakami	5-7	Fr.	Saugus, CA (Saugus)
Nicole Pennes	5-6	So.	Pleasant Hill, CA (College Park)
Claire Rethmeier	5-7	Sr.	Escondido, CA (San Pasqual)
Hannah Roeder	5-8	So.	Des Moines, IA (Roosevelt)
Monika Rothenburger	5-10	Sr.	Dana Point, CA (Dana Hills)
Christie St. Geme	5-5	Fr.	Newport Beach, CA (Corona Del Mar)
Ciara Viehweg	5-8	Jr.	San Francisco, CA (St. Ignatius)
Kelcie Wiemann	5-7	So.	Simi Valley, CA (Royal)

*indicates redshirt year was taken in 2006

Pronunciation Guide

Olga Aulet-Leon - Ah-let-Lee-own

Gabrielle Bournes - Bore-nay

Rosa Magaña - Muh-gone-yuh

Shannon Murakami - Mer-uh-kah-mee

Hannah Roeder - Ray-der

Christine St. Geme - Saint-Gem

Ciara Viehweg - Keh-rah Vee-wig

Last season saw the graduation of Ashley Caldwell, one of the most decorated Bruin women's distance runners in recent history. Caldwell left UCLA as a five-time All-American with honors coming in both cross country and track and field. No team can replace an athlete of Caldwell's caliber, but UCLA returns a very experienced roster that will have to step up and help bring the women's team back into the national spotlight.

"Although we lost a great runner in Ashley Caldwell, we return some very fine and talented runners led by Allie Bohannon," said head coach Eric Peterson. "We weren't satisfied with our team's finish in 2006 because we feel UCLA belongs among the nation's elite teams on an annual basis.

"We've been away from that level of performance for a few years now and we definitely have a sense of urgency to get back to better team results. We have a nice blend of older, experienced runners with young runners that have the ability to have impact our team."

In 2006, sophomore **Allie Bohannon** had a breakout year, eventually becoming the No. 1 runner for UCLA during the post-season. Bohannon is back to lead a squad with just two seniors but a plethora of experience and talent. Bohannon, arguably one of the most improved distance runners in the NCAA last season, earned All-West Region (21:39.90-11th) and All-Pac-10 (20:47.91-8th) honors. She then went on to earn All-American honors at the NCAA indoor meet as she finished in the runner-up position in the mile event. If it weren't for an unfortunate accident at the Pac-10 Championships in the 800m final (she collided with another runner and was sent tumbling to the track) Bohannon would have been a high finisher in the 4-lap event at the NCAA Championships.

Behind Bohannon are three very talented and capable athletes with a wealth of experience who are hungry and eager to lead this team back to the NCAA Championships. **Claire Rethmeier** returns after a strong 2006 cross country and 2007 track and field campaign. Rethmeier gained valuable race experience last season and will look to help lead this team back to nationals in her final year on the course.

Monika Rothenburger returns after redshirting the 2007 track and field season to rehab a back injury. Last season she ran in several races and will add depth to the Bruin squad this year. Both Rethmeier and Rothenburger are the sole seniors on the squad this season.

Olga Aulet-Leon, a redshirt junior will look to continue the improvement she showed last year as UCLA's No. 3 runner through most of the 2006 season. She was 46th (22:36.92) at the West Region meet and 27th at the Pac-10 Championships (21:40.27) and ran sparingly throughout the track season. Aulet-Leon is healthy, fresh and ready to help this team succeed.

Juniors **Ciara Viehweg** and **Lauren Jirges** will be expected to make an immediate impact on the team this season as they return with two years of good cross country running under their belts. Both have benefited from solid sophomore track campaigns and will look to carry over that success onto the course this fall. Their improvement and maturity will help strengthen the depth of this team.

Hannah Roeder, **Nicole Pennes** and **Kelcie Wiemann** return after good freshmen campaigns in which all gained valuable race experience. Roeder and Pennes are the most experienced of this trio as both ran in several races last season.

Redshirt freshman **Cobbie Jones** will add a needed boost to the squad as she redshirted both the cross country and track and field seasons last year. Jones is fresh and ready to make a contribution as one of the team's top newcomers.

Joining Jones as a newcomer expected to help the team right away is **Shannon Murakami**, a standout distance runner from Saugus, CA. Murakami was one of California's top distance runners on any level, and one of the nation's top milers. She is a former CA state champion and led her high school team to the Nike Team National Championships. Her contributions to the team should be immediate on a very high level.

Newcomer **Lizzie Jewson** (who hails from men's team member Alex Crabill's high school, Charles Wright Academy) was a solid 3200m runner in her prep career and will work hard for the Bruin team. Fellow freshman **Christine St. Geme** rounds out the squad as a capable young runner. They will gain valuable race experience this season.

"The strength of this team will be in its ability to run as a unit, as a team," added Peterson. "Before, we have relied on one or two front runners, but that's not going to be the case this year. We are stronger and deeper than a year ago and expect to have a good year."

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olga
AULET-LEON
5-9
RS-Junior
Peninsula HS
Palos Verdes, CA

2006-07 — The No. 3 runner for UCLA at the West Region Championships (46th, 22:36.92/6k) ... Finished 27th as UCLA's No. 3 runner at the Pac-10 Championships (21:40.27/6k) ... The No. 3 runner for the Bruins at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (83rd, 21:31.9/6k) ... UCLA's No. 1 runner at the UCSD Triton Invitational, finishing third in a time of 22:45.3 (6k) ... UCLA's No. 3 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (47th, 22:01.78/6k) ... At the Roy Griak Invite, finished 149th in 23:53.20 (6k) ... The Bruins' No. 6 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (8th, 14:28/4k) ... Competed sparingly throughout the track season ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — Redshirted cross country, indoor and outdoor track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll

2004-05 — Voted Co-Most Outstanding Freshman Cross Country Runner ... At the 2005 USA Cross Country Championships, placed 22nd (23:57.4) in the Junior Women's 6km race ... At the NCAA Championships, ran 22:51.7 ... Placed 23rd at Pac-10 (21:50) and 28th at West Region (21:29) ... Finished 14th at the USF Invite (18:12.8) ... In outdoor track, ran top times of 2:14.19 in the 800m and 4:26.20 in the 1500m ... Was ranked in the top 10 in the conference going into the Pac-10 meet, but tore a calf muscle during Pac-10 prelims of the 1500m race, ending her season ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — At the 2004 CA State Meet, placed ninth in the 1600m (5:12.23) and 18th in the 3200m (11:06) ... League champion in the 1600m (2-time) and 3200m (3-time) and cross country (2-time) ... Finished third at the CIF Championships (2-mile) ... CIF runner-up in the mile (2004) ... Masters Champion in the mile (2004) ... High School Athlete of the Year in 2004 ... Named team's Most Valuable Female Cross Country Athlete (2003) and Track and Field Athlete (2003, 2004) ... Team Captain in track and cross country.

Personal — Born July 8, 1986 ... Pre-Business/Economics major.



allie
BOHANNON
5-8
RS-Junior
Harpeth Hall
Nashville, TN

2006-07 — UCLA's No. 1 finisher at the West Region Championships, placing 11th in a time of 21:39.90 (6k) ... Earned the first All-Conference honor of her career with an eighth-place finish at the Pac-10 Championships as UCLA's No. 1 runner (20:47.91/6k) ... Finished 49th as UCLA's No. 2 runner at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (21:05.9/6k) ... The Bruins' No. 2 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (23rd, 21:19.83/6k) ... UCLA's No. 2 runner at the Roy Griak Invite (47th, 22:29.75/6k) ... The Bruins' No. 5 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (7th, 14:26/4k) ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention ... In indoor track, was the NCAA runner-up in the mile ... Indoor best of 4:41.42 in the mile ... Also was a provisional qualifier in the 800m (2:08.40) ... In outdoor track, was a regional qualifier in the 800m (2:07.06) and

1500m (4:22.30) ... A collision at the Pac-10 Championships in the 800m slowed her progress and she did not advance to Nationals at the West Region meet ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention for track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — Did not run during the cross country season ... Outdoor 800m best of 2:13.01 in the open section at the Mt. SAC Relays ... Ran an indoor 800m season-best of 2:12.89 at the MPSF Championships, placing 10th overall.

2004-05 — Did not compete in cross country ... Saw limited action during the track season.

High School — Selected School's Outstanding Athlete in 2004 ... School was Cross Country Team State Champions from 2000 to 2003 ... Track & Field Team State Champions from 2001 to 2004 ... Three-time TSSAA Champion in the 1600m ('01, '03, '04) ... 2004 TSSAA Champion 800m ... Placed first with a meet record at the Vanderbilt Great Eight Championships ... Two-time TSSAA Region Champion in the 1600m ('03, '04) ... 2004 TSSAA Region Champion in the 800m ... Three-time Nashville City Champion in the 1600m ('02, '03, '04) ... All-Metro in both Cross Country and Track & Field from 2001 to 2004 ... 2003 MVP at the Doug Hall Relays ... Placed fourth at the 2003 and 2004 TSSAA Pentathlon, and 5th in 2002 ... Also was a three-year letterwinner in basketball ... Team was TSSAA Basketball Champions in 2003 and runner-up in 2002 ... Named Most Improved Player in 2002 ... 2003 First Team All-State Tournament Team (Basketball) ... All-Region and All-Region Tournament First-Team in 2003 ... Named #2 defensive player in the state by the Tennessean in 2002 ... Set school record for most steals in a season (129 in 2003) and (119 in 2002) ... Prep bests of 18:52 (3-miles), 5:05 (1600m/F.A.T.) and 2:16 (800m).

Personal — Born March 20, 1986 ... Pre-History major.



lauren
JIRGES
5-6
Junior
Cypress HS
Cypress, CA

2006-07 — The Bruins' No. 6 runner at the UCSD Triton Invitational (16th, 23:35.9/6k) ... UCLA's No. 10 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (84th, 23:25.27/6k) ... At the Roy Griak Invite, ran 25:04.80 (6k, 229th) ... The Bruins' No. 4 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (6th, 14:23/4k) ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention ... In indoor track, had a top 800m time of 2:13.01 ... In outdoor track, had top times of 2:14.97 in the 800m and 4:28.96 in the 1500m ... MPSF All-Academic in indoor track ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention for track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — 30th at the Titan Invitational (19:16) ... 27th at the UCSD Triton Classic (23:41.7) ... 73rd at Sundodger Invite (23:27) ... 87th at CS Fullerton "Season Opener" (20:47.20) ... In outdoor track, had a top 800m time of 2:17.79 and a best 1500m time of 4:41.07 ... Also competed at the USATF Junior National Championships in the 1500m.

High School — Four-year letterwinner in track and cross country ... Also two-time letterwinner in soccer ... Placed seventh at the State Cross Country meet in 2002, earning All-State honors ... Two-time All-CIF and All-County ... Four-time All-League and two-time league MVP ... Four-time league champion in the 800m and two-time league champion in the 1600m ... First-team Los Angeles Times All-Star Girls Cross Country ('02)

... Holds the 800m Empire League and Cypress High School record (2:14.33) ... Top times of 2:14.33 in the 800m and 5:10 in the 1600m.

Personal — Born November 8, 1987 ... Undeclared major.



cobbie
JONES
5-9
RS-Freshman
Live Oak HS
San Martin, CA

2006-07 — Redshirted the cross country and track and field seasons.

High School — Letterwinner in track, cross country and soccer ... Competed at the 2006 cross country state meet ... Was second in league in 2006 cross country ... Suffered a fractured tibia and missed the 2006 track season ... League champion in cross country in 2004 and finished in the top-20 at State ... Also won the 800m and mile league titles in 2004, placed fourth in CCS, sixth in State and won the Golden West Invitational ... During her sophomore season, placed fourth in the CA State Meet in the 800m (2:11), was fourth in the CCS and won league ... Also won the cross country league title in 2003 ... Was ninth in State in the 800m (2:12) her freshman year, and was also league champion that year ... Top times of 2:09 in the 800m and 5:02 in the mile).

Personal — Born August 9, 1988 ... Undeclared major.



shannon
MURAKAMI
5-7
Freshman
Saugus HS
Saugus, CA

High School — Four-year letterwoman in cross country and track ... High school team were the 2006 CA State cross country champs as she earned All-League, All-CIF and All-State honors as the captain ... Was the 2005 CA State cross country champion as her team placed sixth overall ... She also served as the team captain that year ... In track and field, won CIF and league titles in the 1600m and 3200m in 2007 ... Also won the 1600m CIF title and was third in state in that event in 2006 ... In 2005, was the 1600m and 3200m CIF champion ... In all, was a seven-time league champion and five-time CIF champion ... Prep bests of 2:10 in the 800m, 4:42 in the 1600m and 10:31 in the 3200m.

Personal — Born July 27, 1989 ... Pre-Psychology major.



claire
RETHMEIER
5-7
Senior
San Pasqual HS
Escondido, CA

2006-07 — The No. 7 runner for the Bruins at the West Region Championships (84th, 23:25.23/6k) ... UCLA's No. 6 runner at the Pac-10 Championships (46th, 22:11.68/6k) ... The No. 6 runner for the Bruins at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (173rd, 22:21.8/6k) ... No. 4 runner for UCLA at the Roy Griak Invite (89th, 23:07.90/6k) ... Notched first collegiate cross country victory at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (1st, 13:52/4k) as the Bruins' No. 1 runner.... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention ... In outdoor track, was a regional qualifier in the 5000m (16:47.12) ... Also had a best of 36:11.21 in the 10,000m ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention for track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — No. 2 runner for UCLA during the season ... 32nd at the West Region Championships (21:26.6) ... 24th at the Pac-10 Championships (21:54) ... 51st at the Pre-NCAA Invite (21:26) ... 41st at the Roy Griak Invite (22:09) ... No. 2 runner for the Bruins at the Sundodger Invite (5th, 21:15) ... In outdoor track, top 5000m time of 17:17.77 ... Also ran 36:23.67 in the 10,000m ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll ... Honorable Mention Pac-10 All-Academic cross country and track.

2004-05 — At the 2005 USA Cross Country Championships, placed 18th (23:29.4) in the Junior Women's 6km race ... Ran 18:08.6 at the USF Invite, placing 12th overall ... At the UCSD Invite, placed 64th in a time of 24:58.0 ... Ran 10:00.01 at the RJ/JJK meet in the 3000m ... Had an outdoor best of 16:56.31 in the 5000m ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — San Diego CIF Cross Country champion and was one of the top runners in the State ... Three-time CIF Div. II winner in cross country ... Was the State runner-up in 2003 in cross country ... She finished 14th at the Footlocker Nationals and earned third-team All-America honors ... A top 5km time of 17:27 ... In 2004 track, Rethmeier was a four-time CIF champion (3200m-three times and 1600m-once) ... Won (10:27.32) the State title in the 3200m in 2003, was runner-up (10:33.57) in 2004 and placed 10th as a sophomore ... In track, she was eighth (4:54.82) in the mile at the Golden West Invitational in Sacramento, won both the 1600m (4:59.25) and 3200m (10:49.23) at the CIF Divisional Championships and at the CIF Masters meet (personal-best 4:52.42/10:52.95) ... She led San Pasqual HS to the 2004 San Diego section Div. I team title, edging El Camino (led by UCLA teammate Jolanda Diego) 65-64 ... Finished fifth at the Adidas Outdoor Championships in the 3200m, earning All-American honors ... Her 3200 personal-best is a converted 10:26.80 and she also has run 2:16.9 for 800m ... Other best prep times include 4:34 in the 1500m and 17:09 in the 5000m.

Personal — Born April 4, 1986 ... Psychology major.



hannah
ROEDER
5-8
Sophomore
Roosevelt HS
Des Moines, IA

2006-07 — UCLA's No. 9 runner at the Pac-10 Championships (53rd, 22:20.77/6k) ... Finished 49th in the open race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (22:25.5/6k) ... The Bruins' No. 7 runner at the UCSD Triton Invitational (17th, 23:41.4/6k) ... UCLA's No. 5 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (53rd, 22:21.02/6k) ... No. 6 runner for UCLA at the Roy Griak Invite (126th, 23:36.45/6k) ... The Bruins' top freshman runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (14th, 14:39/4k) ... In outdoor track, placed third in the steeple against USC with a top season time of 11:08.82 ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Four-year letterwinner in track and cross country ... Also lettered two years in soccer and basketball ... Four-sport state qualifier ... Three-time State champion (XC, 1500m, 1600m relay) ... Eight-time All-State (four for XC, four for track) ... Eleven-time conference track champion ... Three-time team conference champions ... Four-time cross country champion ... Three-time cross country team conference champions ... Soccer team won conference two times ... Holds school records in the 4k cross country course, 1500m and 4x800m relay ... Won the Midwest Senior All-Star Meet 1600m ... Ranks in the Iowa State all-time top-10 in the 1500m (4:38.87) ... Member of the 4A State record 1600m relay team (4:08.95) ... Prep bests of 10:14.35 in the 3000m and 2:14.94 in the 800m.

Personal — Born November 27, 1987 ... Biochemistry major.



monika
ROTHENBURGER
5-10
Senior
Dana Hills HS
Dana Point, CA

2006-07 — UCLA's No. 8 runner at the Pac-10 Championships (52nd, 22:20.65/6k) ... Finished 29th in the open race at the Pre-NCAA Invitational (22:13.6/6k) ... The Bruins' No. 5 runner at the UCSD Triton Invitational, finishing 10th in a time of 23:19.9 (6k) ... UCLA's No. 8 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (74th, 22:59.31/6k) ... At the Roy Griak Invite, was UCLA's No. 5 finisher (101st, 23:16.90/6k) ... The Bruins' No. 9 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (15th, 14:52/4k) ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention ... Redshirted the indoor and outdoor track seasons ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — Primarily UCLA's No. 3 runner during the year ... 33rd at the West Region Championships (21:27.6) ... 49th at the Pac-10 Championships (22:52) ... 77th at the Pre-NCAA Invite (21:44) ... No. 4 runner at the Roy Griak Invite (87th, 22:52) ... Was the No. 3 runner at the Sundodger Invite (10th, 21:27) ... Red-shirted indoor and outdoor track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll ... Honorable Mention Pac-10 All-Academic cross country.

2004-05 — Voted Co-Most Outstanding Freshman Cross Country Runner ... Top Bruin finisher at the 2005 USA Cross Country Championships, placing

15th (23:13.3) in the Junior Women's 6km race ... At NCAA, ran 23:24.5 ... Placed 22nd at the Pac-10 meet (21:49) ... Finished 15th at the USF Invite (18:30.4) and 19th at the Stanford Invite (14:35) ... Placed 65th at the Pre-NCAA meet (21:52.2) and 68th at the Notre Dame Invite (17:59) ... In outdoor track, had best marks of 11:24.60 (steeple) and 17:38.02 in the 5000m ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

High School — Three-time Most Valuable Distance Runner ... Three-time All-League recipient ... CIF Finalist in the 1600m ... Finished second at CIF in the 1600m in 2004 ... Masters Finalist in the 1600m and 3200m ... Placed 10th at the 2004 CA State Meet in the 3200m (10:54.33) ... Wendy's High School Heisman State Finalist (2003) ... Dana Hills Female Scholar Athlete of the Year (2004).

Personal — Born July 20, 1986 ... Psychology major.



ciara
VIEHWEG
5-8
Junior
St. Ignatius HS
San Francisco, CA

2006-07 — Placed 36th at the UCSD Triton Invitational (24:36.8/6k) ... UCLA's No. 9 runner at the Bill Dellinger Invite (78th, 23:04.99/6k) ... The Bruins' No. 3 runner at the UCLA/UCR Dual Meet (5th, 14:22/4k) ... In outdoor track, was a regional qualifier in the steeplechase (10:38.37) ... Pac-10 All-Academic Honorable Mention for track ... Athletic Director's Honor Roll.

2005-06 — 114th at the West Region Championships (22:55) ... Had to pull out midway through the Pac-10 Championships because of illness ... 108th at the Pre-NCAA Invite (22:09) ... 12th at the UCSD Triton Classic (23:04.9) ... 54th at the Sundodger Invite (22:56) ... 21st at the CS Fullerton "Season Opener" (19:27.90) ... In outdoor track, ran the No. 5 steeplechase time in school history (10:43.29, No. 7 on the 2006 U.S. Junior list), a regional qualifying mark ... Placed seventh at the Pac-10 Championships in steeple (10:43.54).

High School — Four year letterwinner in cross country and track ... School record holder in the 800m (2:15), 1600m (4:54) and 3000m (10:01) ... Placed second in 2004 (18:11) and fifth in 2003 (18:10) at the CA State Cross Country Championships ... Two-time Most Outstanding Varsity Runner and two-time Most Outstanding Track Athlete for St. Ignatius ... Received the St. Ignatius John E. Brophy Award in 2005 ... State finalist in the 3200m (19th, 11:17) ... Four-time State meet qualifier ... League champion in the 3200m (2005) and 1600m (2004).

Personal — Born February 11, 1987 ... Pre-Economics major.

MEET THE BRUIN WOMEN



annie
ADAMS
5-6
Senior
Aptos HS
La Selva Beach, CA



lizzie
JEWSON
5-6
Freshman
Charles Wright Academy
Vashon Island, WA



christine
ST. GEME
5-5
Freshman
Corona Del Mar HS
Newport Beach, CA



gabrielle
BOURNES
5-4
RS-Sophomore
Long Beach Poly HS
Long Beach, CA



rosa
MAGAÑA
5-4
RS-Freshman
Holy Names HS
Oakland, CA



kelcie
WIEMANN
5-7
Sophomore
Royal HS
Simi Valley, CA



krishna
CURRY
5-9
RS-Freshman
Univeristy School of Nashville
Nashville, TN



nicole
PENNES
5-6
Sophomore
College Park HS
Pleasant Hill, CA



NCAA TEAM APPEARANCES

WOMEN (13)*

Year	Finish	Coach
2004	27th	Eric Peterson
2003	7th	Eric Peterson
2002	25th(tie)	Eric Peterson
2001	21st	Eric Peterson
1999	30th	Eric Peterson
1998	28th	Eric Peterson
1988	13th	Bob Messina
1986	11th	Bob Messina
1985	6th	Bob Messina
1980	7th	Scott Chisam
1979	11th	Scott Chisam
1977	5th	Scott Chisam
1976	6th	Pat Connolly

*Women competed in the AIAW Championships until 1981.

MEN (7)

Year	Finish	Coach
2006	24th	Eric Peterson
1985	12th	Bob Larsen
1983	20th	Bob Larsen
1982	9th	Bob Larsen
1981	5th	Bob Larsen
1980	5th	Bob Larsen
1979	15th	Bob Larsen



ALL-AMERICANS

WOMEN (14)

Year	Athlete(s)
2005	Ashley Caldwell
2003	Ashley Caldwell, Valerie Flores, Melissa McBain
2002	Lena Nilsson
1994	Karen Hecox
1993	Beth Bartholomew, Karen Hecox
1986	Polly Plummer
1985	Polly Plummer
1981	Michelle Bush
1980	Linda Goen
1973	Julie Brown, Francie Larrieu

MEN (17)

Year	Athlete(s)
2005	Austin Ramos
2004	Jon Rankin
1998	Mark Hauser
1997	Meb Keflezighi (NCAA Champion)
1996	Meb Keflezighi
1995	Meb Keflezighi
1994	Meb Keflezighi
1985	Jon Butler
1982	Jon Butler, Steve McCormack
1981	Jon Butler, Dave Daniels, Steve McCormack
1980	Ron Cornell, Dave Daniels, Steve Ortiz
1979	Ron Cornell

2006 UCLA POST-SEASON CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

Oct. 29 - Pac-10 Cross Country Championships at Stanford Golf Course (Palo Alto, CA)

Women's Team Standings (6K course)

1. Stanford 34; 2. Arizona State 40; 3. Oregon 86; 4. Washington 111; 5. Washington State 159; 6. **UCLA 162**; 7. California 188; 8. Oregon State 190; 9. Arizona 208; 10. USC 309

UCLA Women (99 runners)

4. Ashley Caldwell*, 20:55.24; 24. Claire Rethmeier*, 21:54; 42. Sarah West, 22:40; 49. Monika Rothenburger*, 22:52; 60. Lori Mann, 23:17; Lindsay delaMontaigne and Ciara Viehweg* did not finish

Men's Team Standings (8K course)

1. Oregon, 53 points; 2. Stanford, 58 points; 3. Arizona, 107 points; 4. Arizona State, 113 points; 5. **UCLA, 130 points** 6. Washington, 131 points; 7. Washington State, 150 points; 8. Cal, 170 points

UCLA Men (77 runners)

15. Kyle Shackleton, 23:51; 16. Mike Haddan, 23:53; 25. Laef Barnes, 24:20; 30. Drew Shackleton, 24:26; 51. Jake Matthews, 24:58; 54. Marco Anzures, 25:05; 44. Marlon Patterson, 25:09; 58. Henry Hagenbuch, 25:17; 64. Alex Crabill, 25:37; 67. Kevin Sullivan, 25:57.



Nov. 12 - NCAA West Region Qualifying Championships at Blue Lake Park (Fairview, OR)

Women's Team Standings - (6K course/Top 5 of 30 teams)

1. Stanford, 42 points; 2. UC Santa Barbara, 72 points; 3. Arizona State, 83 points; 4. Washington, 140 points; 5. **UCLA, 170 points.**

UCLA Women (199 runners)

11. Allie Bohannon, 21:39.90; 19. Ashley Caldwell, 21:57.62; 46. Olga Aulet-Leon, 22:36.92; 47. Jenna Timinsky, 22:37.16; 51. Allison Hall, 22:44.66; 81. Nicole Pennes, 23:20.82; 84. Claire Rethmeier, 23:25.23.

Men's Team Standings (10K course/Top 5 of 25 teams)

1. Oregon, 69 points; 2. Stanford, 88 points; 3. Portland, 123 points; 4. Washington, 139 points; 5. Arizona, 156 points; 6. UCLA, 167 points.

UCLA Men (164 runners)

16. Kyle Shackleton, 30:37.83; 26. Laef Barnes, 31:07.29; 33. Mike Haddan, 31:14.62; 41. Drew Shackleton, 31:33.17; 52. Marlon Patterson, 31:49.30; 78. Jake Matthews, 32:34.37; 86. Alex Crabill, 32:47.93.

Nov. 20 - NCAA Championships at Wabash Family Sports Center (Terre Haute, IN)

Men's Team Standings (10k course/Top 5 of 31 teams)

1. Colorado, 94 points; 2. Wisconsin, 142 points; 3. Iona, 172 points; 4. Stanford, 195 points; 5. Oregon, 196 points; 23. **UCLA, 546 points.**

UCLA Men

36. Kyle Shackleton*, 32:05; 59. Drew Shackleton*, 32:27; 116. Marlon Patterson*, 33:04; 164. Laef Barnes*, 33:46; 171. Mike Haddan*, 33:50; 180. Henry Hagenbuch*, 34:04; 197. Jake Matthews*, 34:31

*Returning for 2006

UCLA's Cross Country All-Americans

Ashley Caldwell



Valerie Flores



Melissa McBain



Lena Nilsson



Karen Hecox



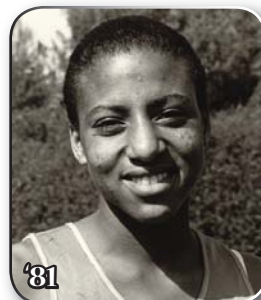
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Julie Brown



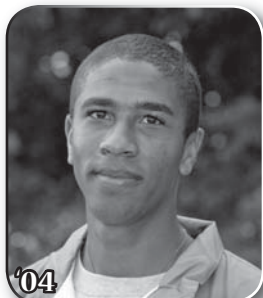
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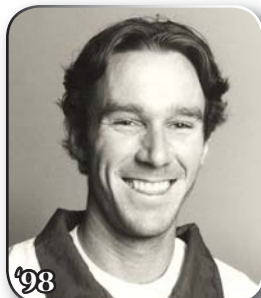
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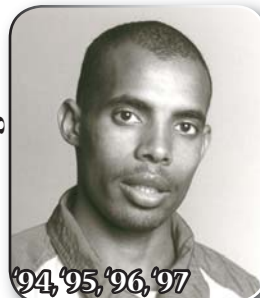
Jon Rankin



Mark Hauser



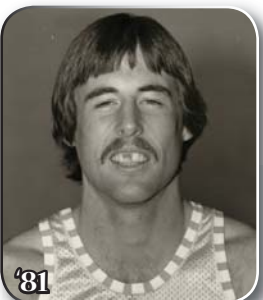
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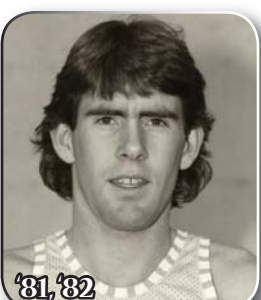
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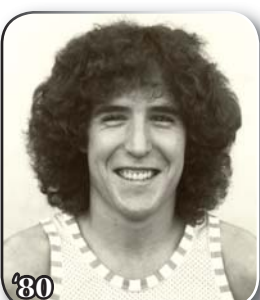
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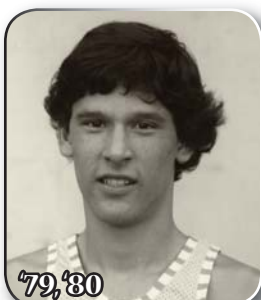
Dave Daniels



Steve Ortiz



Ron Cornell



Women's Pac-10 Conference Champions

Year	Team Champion	Individual Champion, School	Time
2006	Stanford	Arianna Lambie, Stanford	20:15.09
2005	Stanford	Arianna Lambie, Stanford	20:20
2004	Stanford	Amy Hastings, Arizona State	20:19
2003	Stanford	Sara Bei, Stanford	21:12.1
2002	Stanford	Sara Bei, Stanford	19:48
2001	Stanford	Lauren Fleshman, Stanford	20:08.1
2000	Stanford	Tara Chaplin, Arizona	20:10.67*
1999	Stanford	Erin Sullivan, Stanford	17:01.5
1998	Stanford	Amy Skiersz, Arizona	16:59
1997	Stanford	Amy Skiersz, Arizona	16:40
1996	Stanford	Amy Skiersz, Arizona	16:36
1995	Oregon	Amy Skiersz, Arizona	16:45
1994	Stanford	Karen Hecox, UCLA	17:00
1993	Stanford	Karen Hecox, UCLA	16:43
1992	Oregon	Nicole Woodward, Oregon	16:51
1991	Oregon	Lisa Karnopp, Oregon	16:48
1990	Oregon	Liz Wilson, Oregon	16:52
1989	Washington	Jen Robinson, Washington State	16:53
1988	Oregon	Liz Wilson, Oregon	17:06
1987	Oregon	Annette Hand, Oregon	16:44
1986	Oregon	Penny Graves, Oregon	16:51.7

*In 2000, the race became 6,000m; from 1986-99, it was 5,000m.



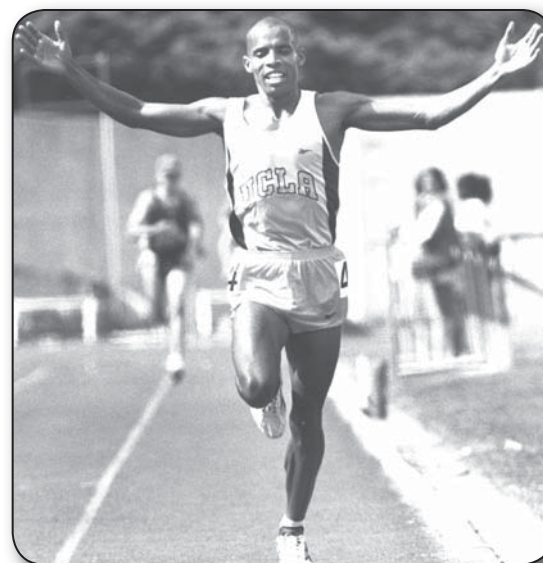
In her UCLA career under Eric Peterson, Karen Hecox Candaele was the two-time (1994-93) Pac-10 Female Cross Country Athlete of the Year and won the 1994 NCAA Outdoor 3000m.

Men's Pac-10 Conference Champions

Year	Team Champion	Individual Champion, School	Time
2006	Oregon	Galen Rupp, Oregon	23:03.12
2005	Stanford	Robert Chaseret, Arizona	23:57
2004	Stanford	Robert Chaseret, Arizona	23:48
2003	Stanford	Ian Dobson, Stanford	24:33.9
2002	Stanford	Grant Robinson, Stanford	23:27
2001	Stanford	Grant Robison, Stanford	24:04.0
2000	Stanford	Jonathon Riley, Stanford	23:39.59
1999	Arizona	Steve Fein, Oregon	23:37
1998	Stanford	Abdi Abdirahman, Arizona	23:23
1997	Stanford	Bernard Lagat, Washington State	23:59
1996	Stanford	Meb Keflezighi, UCLA	23:45
1995	Oregon	Karl Keska, Oregon	24:14
1994	Arizona	Martin Keino, Arizona	24:04
1993	Washington	Joe Kapkory, Washington State	23:38
1992	Oregon	Joe Kapkory, Washington State	23:46
1991	Arizona	Coltin Dalton, Oregon	23:36
1990	Oregon	Marc Davis, Arizona	23:44
1989	Oregon	Marc Davis, Arizona	23:31
1988	Oregon	Brad Hudson, Oregon	30:47
1987	Arizona	Matt Giusto, Arizona	30:33
1986	Arizona	Aaron Ramirez, Arizona	30:23.7
1985	Stanford	Marc Olesen, Stanford	30:33.2
1984	Arizona	Tom Ansberry, Arizona	30:24.8
1983	Arizona	Jim Hill, Oregon	30:09.6
1982	Oregon	Jim Hill, Oregon	28:58
1981	UCLA	Richard Tuwei, Washington State	30:55.9
1980	UCLA	Ron Cornell, UCLA	30:26.5
1979	Oregon	Henry Rono, Washington State	29:07.2
1978	Oregon	Henry Rono, Washington State	29:29.5
1977	Oregon	Joel Cheruiyot, Washington State	29:34.8
1976	Oregon	Henry Rono, Washington State	29:18
1975	Washington State	Joshua Kimeto, Washington State	27:48.6*
1974	Washington State	John Ngeno, Washington State	27:37.6*
1973	Oregon	Steve Prefontaine, Oregon	28:05.4*
1972	Washington State	John Ngeno, Washington State	29:12.4*
1971	Washington State	Steve Prefontaine, Oregon	29:56.6*
1970	Oregon	Steve Prefontaine, Oregon	30:11.7*
1969	Oregon	Gerry Lindgren, Washington State	28:32.4*

*indicates a six-mile course

In 1976, the race became 10,000m. In 1989, the race became 8,000m



During his UCLA career (1994-98), Mebrahtom Keflezighi won four NCAA individual distance championships, including the 1997 NCAA Cross Country title. Most recently, he won the silver medal at the Athens Olympics in the marathon with a time of 2:11.29 and was the first American male to medal in the marathon since 1976. Keflezighi is the American Record Holder in the 10,000m (27:13.98, 2001), a three-time USATF National Champion in the 10,000m, and two-time World Championships competitor. He also competed in the Sydney Olympic Games in the 10,000m where he finished 12th overall.

BRIUINS IN THE POST-SEASON

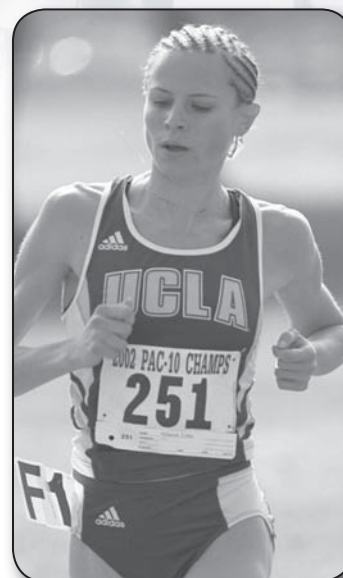
Women's NCAA West Region Champions

Year	Team Champion	Individual Champion, School
2006	Stanford	Arianna Lambie, Stanford
2005	Stanford	Arianna Lambie, Stanford
2004	Stanford	Alicia Craig, Stanford
2003	Stanford	Alicia Craig, Stanford
2002	Stanford	Alicia Craig, Stanford
2001	Stanford	Tara Chaplin, Arizona
2000	Stanford	Lisa Aguilera, Arizona State
1999	Stanford	Julia Stamps, Stanford
1998	Stanford	Amy Skiersz, Arizona
1997	Stanford	Amy Skiersz, Arizona
1996	Stanford	Amy Skiersz, Arizona
1995	Oregon	Amy Skiersz, Arizona
1994	Stanford	Milena Glusac, Oregon
1993	Arizona	Karen Hecox, UCLA
1992	Washington	Louis Watson, Stanford
1991	Oregon	Lucy Nusrata, Oregon
1990	Oregon	Buffy Rabbitt, UC Irvine
1989	Washington	Buffy Rabbitt, UC Irvine
1988	Oregon	Penny Graves, Oregon
1987	Oregon	Annette Hand, Oregon
1986	UCLA	Penny Graves, Oregon
1985	Oregon	Regina Jacobs, Stanford
1984	Stanford	Regina Jacobs, Stanford
1983	Oregon	Kathy Hayes, Oregon
1982	Stanford	Ceci Hopp, Stanford
1981	Oregon	Monica Joyce, San Diego State
1980	Oregon	Regina Joyce, Washington
1979	Oregon	Molly Morton, Oregon
1978	Oregon	Robin Baker, Oregon
1977	Oregon	Debbie Quatier, Seattle Pacific
1976	Oregon	Debbie Quatier, Seattle Pacific
1975	Seattle Pacific	Maureen Crowley, Simon Fraser

*In 2000, the race became 6,000m; from 1986-99, it was 5,000m.

Men's NCAA West Region Champions

Year	Team Champion	Individual Champion, School
2006	Oregon	Neftalem Araia, Stanford
2005	Arizona	Robert Cheseret, Stanford
2004	Stanford	Ryan Hall, Stanford
2003	Stanford	Ian Dobson, Stanford
2002	Stanford	Donald Sage, Stanford
2001	Stanford	Donald Sage, Stanford
2000	Stanford	Jonathan Riley, Stanford
1999	Stanford	Steve Fein, Oregon
1998	Stanford	Abdi Abdirahman, Arizona
1997	Stanford	Meb Keflezighi, UCLA
1996	Stanford	Karl Kaska, Oregon
1995	Stanford	Karl Kaska, Oregon
1994	Arizona	Martin Keino, Arizona
1993	Portland	Joe Kapkory, Washington State
1992	Arizona	Joe Kapkory, Washington State
1991	Arizona	Joe Kapkory, Washington State
1990	Arizona	Marc Davis, Arizona
1989	Oregon	Brad Hudson, Oregon
1988	Oregon	Marc Davis, Arizona
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1982	Oregon	Jim Hill, Oregon
1981	UCLA	Richard Tuwei, Washington State
1980	UCLA	Ron Cornell, UCLA
1979	Oregon	Henry Rono, Washington State



In 2002, as a junior in cross country, Lena Nilsson earned All-American honors at the NCAA Championships (17th/20:10.0) and led the Bruins at the Pac-10 (3rd/20:01) and NCAA West Region (2nd/20:45) championships. In her Bruin career, Nilsson won the 2003 NCAA Indoor 800m, 2002 NCAA Outdoor 1500m, was the two-time (2002-03) Pac-10 Women's T & F Athlete of the Year and holds the school records in the 800m (2:02.26) and 1500m (4:07.69).



In 2004, Jon Rankin led the Bruins, earning All-American honors at the NCAA Championships (39th, 31:49.8), All-Region honors at the West Region Championships (6th, 30:30) and All-Pac-10 honors at the Pac-10 Championships (5th, 24:31). In 2005 outdoor track, Rankin became the third Bruin all-time to run a sub-4 minute mile (3:57.89) and was the West Region and Pac-10 1500m Champion.



Dan Guerrero

Athletic Director • UCLA '74 • 6th Year

On April 25, 2002, former UCLA Chancellor Albert Carnesale announced that Daniel G. Guerrero had been named UCLA's eighth Director of Athletics, succeeding the retiring Peter Dalis. A former Bruin baseball player, Guerrero, who assumed his duties on July 1, 2002, exudes the pride of a student-athlete who is now calling the shots at his alma mater.

Guerrero, one of the most respected and talented administrators in intercollegiate athletics, has rapidly placed his mark on the program as the director of athletics at UCLA. He is currently serving as the chair of the NCAA's Division I Men's Basketball Academic Enhancement Group. He is also a member of the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee. In June, he was selected 2007 NACDA Division I West Region Athletic Director of the Year.

In his first five years, Guerrero has clearly established a pattern of "image and substance" that few in his profession can match. UCLA stands as the No. 1 University in the nation for NCAA Team Championships (100) won, a number that continues to grow under his direction. UCLA teams have won 14 NCAA national championships (the highest total in the nation in that span), finished second 12 times and have had an additional 17 Top Five finishes. A staggering 94 teams (of 115 possible) have qualified for NCAA post-season competition and the football team has appeared in five bowl games. The program has also won 32 conference championships in 14 different sports, produced 286 All-Americans and featured four Honda Award winners, including the 2003-04 Collegiate Woman Athlete of the Year.

Furthermore, during the 2004 Summer Olympic Games in Athens, Greece, 57 Bruins participated as athletes or coaches, representing the United States and 13 other countries. They earned 19 medals, including eight gold medals.

Guerrero came to UCLA from UC Irvine, where he had served as UCI's fifth permanent Director of Athletics for 10 years (1992-2002). The broad competitive success of its athletic teams, the academic excellence of its student-athletes, the development of new and improved facilities and enhanced relations with the UCI community, reflect the progress UC Irvine Athletics experienced under Guerrero's direction. During his tenure, the program continued to accumulate conference championships, garner national rankings, feature graduation rates among the nation's best, and win numerous post-season honors for its student-athletes.

Born on November 10, 1951 in Tucson, AZ, he is married to the former Anne Marie Aniello and they have two daughters: Jenna (24) and Katie (20).



Bob Field

Associate Athletic Director • Arkansas '71 • 7th Year

Bob Field is an associate athletic director and has served as a member of UCLA's athletic administration since January of 2001.

Field oversees men's and women's cross country, men's and women's track and field and women's rowing and serves as an aide to Dan Guerrero in all football matters. He also oversees housing, parking, training table, video services, agent relations and coaches' development.

Prior to his switch to administration, Field spent 22 seasons as an assistant coach with the Bruin football team. He was the assistant head coach during his final five seasons (1996-2000) and served as defensive coordinator for 16 seasons (1982-95 and 1999-2000) while tutoring outside linebackers, place kickers and defensive backs at various times in his career.

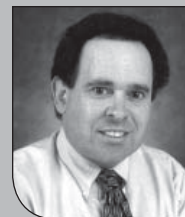
Field has been at UCLA since 1978, with the exception of the 1980 season. Over the years, he tutored some of the top athletes in school history and crafted numerous defenses ranked in the Top 20 in various categories. He began his coaching career under the legendary Bear Bryant at Alabama (1971-72) and moved to Mississippi State in 1973. During his five-year tenure at MSU, he coached the secondary and served as defensive coordinator in his final four seasons with the Bulldogs. Field earned a Bachelor's degree in Science Education at Arkansas in 1971 and was named to the All-Southwest Conference Academic Team his senior year. He was a three-year varsity letterman and two-year starter in the secondary. In his three varsity seasons, the Razorbacks were 28-5 with two Sugar Bowl appearances.

He is married to the former Valerie Kondos and has three sons: Kyle, Brian and Michael.

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