

# West Virginia University Intercollegiate Athletics

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<b>Policy:</b>	<b>Team Post Season Awards</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Revised May, 2009</b>
<b>Responsibility:</b>	<b>Head Coaches, Sports Administrators</b>

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The total value of a single participation award received in a year by a student-athlete is limited by the NCAA. Multiple awards may be presented only if the total value of all participation awards received during a particular academic year by an individual student-athlete does not exceed established NCAA award limits.

The Department of Intercollegiate Athletics will provide watches or rings for postseason participation to those student-athletes designated as deserving of such by their respective Head Coach and approved by the Director of Athletics. The specific awards are determined per the following criteria:

## **Baseball:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Participation in NCAA College World Series up to Championship Game (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)
- Participation in NCAA Regional or Super Regional (Exclusive or Premium watch)
- Big East Conference Title B regular season or tournament (Tier 1-2 ring; Lustrium quality)

## **Basketball:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Participation in NCAA Sweet Sixteen up to Championship Game (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)
- NIT or WNIT National Championship Title (Tier 1-3 ring; 10k gold)
- Participation in NIT or WNIT Final Four up to Championship game (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)
- Participation in NCAA Tournament up to and including 2nd round (Royal watch)
- Big East Conference Title B regular season or tournament (Tier 4-6 ring; Lustrium quality)

## **Football:**

- BCS National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Participation in BCS Game (Tier 4-6 ring; Lustrium quality)
- Participation in Postseason Bowl (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)
- Big East Conference Title (Tier 4-6 ring; Lustrium quality)

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**Gymnastics:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Participation in NCAA National Championships (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)
- EAGL Conference Title (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)
- Individual National Champion (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Individual competitor at NCAA National Championships (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)

**Rifle:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 1-3 ring; 10k gold)
- Individual National Champion (Exclusive or Premium watch)

**Rowing:**

- NCAA National Championship title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Big East Conference Title (Tier 1-3; Lustrium quality)
- Participation in NCAA Championships (Exclusive or Premium watch)

**Soccer:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Participation in NCAA Sweet Sixteen up to Championship game (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)
- Participation in NCAA Tournament up to and including 2nd round (Royal watch)
- Big East Conference Title B regular season or tournament (Tier 4-6; Lustrium quality)

**Swimming:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Big East Conference Title (Tier 1-3; Lustrium quality)
- Individual National Champion (Tier 4-6; 10k gold)
- Individual competitor at NCAA National Championships (Exclusive or Premium watch)

**Tennis:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Big East Conference Title (Tier 1-3; Lustrium quality)
- Individual National Champion (Tier 4-6; 10k gold)
- Individual competitor at NCAA National Championships (Exclusive or Premium watch)

**Track: (Cross Country, Indoor & Outdoor)**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Big East Conference Title (Tier 1-3; Lustrium quality)
- Individual National Champion (Tier 4-6; 10k gold)
- Individual competitor at NCAA National Championships (Exclusive or Premium watch)

**Volleyball:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- Participation in NCAA Sweet Sixteen up to Championship Game (Tier 1-3 ring; Lustrium quality)
- Participation in NCAA Tournament up to and including 2nd round (Exclusive or Premium watch)
- Big East Conference Title B regular season or tournament (Tier 4-6 ring; Lustrium quality)

**Wrestling:**

- NCAA National Championship Title (Tier 4-6 ring; 10k gold)
- EWL Conference Title B regular season or tournament (Tier 1-3; Lustrium quality)
- Individual National Champion (Tier 4-6; 10k gold)
- Individual competitor at NCAA National Championships (Exclusive or Premium watch)

**NOTES:**

All potential orders and recipient lists must be pre-approved by appropriate sport administrator prior to any discussions with manufacturers; no authorization for final production will be given until purchase orders or final payment authorizations are secured.

One team award per season (top achievement only).

All rings based on Josten's designs and tier designations as a matter of reference only; all manufacturers are encouraged to submit bids.

All watches based on SMI Awards' designs and collection designations as a matter of reference only; all manufacturers are encouraged to submit bids.

All orders will strictly adhere to provisions of NCAA Bylaw 16.1.