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## Baseball Finalists Announced for the 2021 Senior CLASS Award

**OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (May 10, 2021)** – Ten NCAA® baseball student-athletes who excel both on and off the diamond were selected as finalists today for the 2021 Senior CLASS Award®.

To be eligible for the award, a student-athlete must be classified as an NCAA Division I senior and have notable achievements in four areas of excellence: community, classroom, character and competition. The complete list of finalists follows this release.

An acronym for *Celebrating Loyalty and Achievement for Staying in School*®, the Senior CLASS Award focuses on the total student-athlete and encourages students to use their platform in athletics to make a positive impact as leaders in their communities.

The finalists were chosen by a selection committee from the list of 30 candidates announced earlier in the season. Nationwide fan voting begins immediately to help select the winner. Fans are encouraged to vote on the [Senior CLASS Award website](#) through June 7. Fan votes will be combined with media and Division I head coaches' votes to determine the winner.

The Senior CLASS Award recipient will be announced during the 2021 College World Series® in June.

For more information on all of the finalists, visit [seniorCLASSaward.com](http://seniorCLASSaward.com).

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## **2021 Senior CLASS Award Baseball Finalists**

**Darren Baker**, California

**T.J. Collett**, Kentucky

**Scotty Dubrule**, Mississippi State

**Brett Harris**, Gonzaga

**Alex Kachler**, North Florida

**Jake Mulholland**, Oregon State

**Zach Pettway**, UCLA

**Evan Russell**, Tennessee

**Andy Thomas**, Baylor

**Rankin Woley**, Auburn

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### **ABOUT THE AWARD**

An acronym for *Celebrating Loyalty and Achievement for Staying in School*, the Senior CLASS Award honors the attributes of senior student-athletes in four areas: community, classroom, character and competition. The award program is designed exclusively for college seniors who are utilizing their complete athletic eligibility, remaining committed to their university and pursuing the many rewards a senior season can bring. Premier Sports Management manages the award.

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