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Philly-SIDA Announces 2024-25 Men's Golf Academic All-Area Team; **Drexel's Drue Nicholas Named Performer of the Year**

PHILADELPHIA – Drexel University graduate student golfer **Drue Nicholas** has been named the Philly-SIDA Academic All-Area Performer of the Year for Men's Golf. Nicholas also is one of eight student-athletes selected to the Philly-SIDA Academic All-Area Men's Golf Team. The team is voted on by the sports information offices of 30 institutions from the Philadelphia metropolitan area.

The Egg Harbor Township, N.J. native capped his Drexel career this spring with his fourth All-Coastal Athletic Association team honor. A three-time second-team selection, Nicholas led the Dragons in scoring average (71.7 strokes per round) and earned PING All-Region honors. He was named CAA Player of the Week twice in 2024-25, totaled five top-five finishes, and took home medalist honors at the Peoples Championship which was the fourth individual title of his career.

Nicholas is joined by fellow Dragon **Griffin Mitchell** on the Academic All-Area team. Penn teammates **Hayden Adams** and **Max Fonseca**, as well as **Gloria Campos** (Rutgers-Camden), **Aidan Emmerich** (Temple), **Jaden Mitchell** (Jefferson), and **Dylan Zhang** (Swarthmore) round out the squad.

2024-25 Philly-SIDA ACADEMIC ALL-AREA MEN'S GOLF TEAM

| Student-Athlete | School | Cl. | Major | Hometown |
|------------------------|----------------|------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Hayden Adams | Penn | So. | Finance | Lexington, Ky. |
| Gloria Campos | Rutgers-Camden | Sr. | Political Science | Merchantville, N.J. |
| Aidan Emmerich | Temple | Jr. | Communications Studies | Swampscott, Mass. |
| Max Fonseca | Penn | So. | Finance | Miami, Fla. |
| Griffin Mitchell | Drexel | Gr. | Business | New Albany, Ohio |
| Jaden Minter | Jefferson | So. | Marketing | Royersford, Pa. |
| Drue Nicholas | Drexel | Gr. | Finance | Egg Harbor Township, N.J. |
| Dylan Zhang | Swarthmore | Jr. | Economics | Hong Kong |

Performer of the Year: Drue Nicholas, Drexel