Wartburg's Sommer Named 2018 WDIIIN Player of the Year



Katie Sommer Wartburg College

2017-18
Player of the Year

Sommer's Stat Sheet

2017-18

Points 14.8 Rebounds 4.1 Assists 5.8

2017-18 Awards

IIAC Player of the Year WDIIIN All-American WBCA All-American

Wartburg College senior Katie Sommer has been named the 2018 *Women's DIII News* Player of the Year.

Sommer, the IIAC Player of the Year for the second straight season, averaged 14.8 points, 4.1 rebounds, and 5.8 assists per game while leading her team to a 31-1 record and a Final Four appearance. The senior guard led the conference in assists (91), ranked second in steals (43) and her assist-to-turnover ratio of 1.8 stands third.

Sommer headlines the 2018 WDIIIN All-American team, where she is joined on the first team by Madison Temple from Thomas More, Bowdoin's Kate Kerrigan, Kaitlyn Read from NYU and Kelly Williams from Randolph-Macon.

WDIIIN has named a Player of the Year every season since 1994.



All-Freshman Team

Savannah LeGate Oglethorpe Hannah Frazier Wheaton (Ill.) Quintessa Zamolyi Misericordia Veronica Christ Elizabethtown **Emily Briggs Tufts** College of NJ Shannon Devitt Claire Keefe DePauw Camy Aguinaldo Whitworth Nicole Heffington John Carroll Camila Casanueva **Brandeis**



2018 WDIII News All-Americans

First Team

Katie Sommer Wartburg Senior Guard Madison Temple Thomas More Junior Guard Kate Kerrigan Bowdoin Senior Guard Kaitlyn Read New York University Guard Senior Kelly Williams Randolph-Macon Soph. Center

Second Team

Hannah Spaulding St. Thomas Junior Center Melissa Baptista **Tufts** Senior Forward Katie Sire Montclair State Senior Guard Abby Owings Guard Thomas More Senior Alexandra Leslie Rochester Senior Center

Third Team

Albright Forward Alysha Lofton Senior Amy Bullimore Ohio Northern Center Senior Andrea Iavarone St. Joseph's (LI) Senior Forward Staten Island Christina Pasaturo Senior Guard Kendrea Williams FDU-Florham Guard Soph.

Fourth Team Brandi Dawson

Bridgette Mann Scranton Junior Guard Mikayla Hodge Lyndon State Senior Center Casey Poe Whitman Senior Guard McKenna Brooks Geneseo Junior Forward

Soph.

Trine

Fifth Team

Guard Leah Hurst Marymount Senior Forward **Emily Gibbons** Gettysburg Senior Rebekah Ehresman Ill. Wesleyan Senior Guard Micah Weaver Trinity (TX) Senior Guard Olivia Bolden Albertus Magnus Senior Forward

Honorable Mention

Bryce Frank, Austin College, Jr. Elise DeNoyer, Wis. Oshkosh, Sr. Dani Reinwald, Medaille, Sr. Samiya Salley, SUNY Delhi, So. Victoria Pena, UT Dallas, So. Megan Brown, Stevens Tech, Sr. Maya Howard, DePauw, Jr. Zarkia Mattox, Ferrum, Sr. Madeline Eck, Amherst, So. Jessica Salottolo, Cal Lutheran, Sr. Nafisa Saunders, Neumann, Jr. Mariah Nicholas, Roger Williams, Sr. Kendall Rollins, M.H. Baylor, So. Destiny Spears, Newbury, Sr. Samantha Peebles, Nazareth, Sr. Mary Kate O'Day, Framingham, So. Rachel Cox, Transylvania, Sr. Kelly Donnelly, Skidmore, Sr. Alicia Kutil, UMass Dartmouth, Sr. Cassidy O'Malley, Ithaca, So. Ama Biney, WPI, Jr. Ali Spayde, Calvin, Sr. Diamond Boyd, Cornell, Sr. Kennedy Guest-Pritchett, Smith, Jr. Khristaijah Jackson, SUNY Poly, Sr. Jen Dowden, Wis. Lutheran, Jr. Savannah LeGate, Oglethorpe, Fr. Haley Reneau, Eureka, Sr. Hailey Kontny, Wis. Superior, Sr. Morgan Birmelin, DeSales, Jr. Eliza Campbell, Wis. Oshkosh, Sr. Hannah Fox, Amherst, So. Gabrielle Harris, FDU-Florham, So. Sahsa Williams, Stockton, Sr. Miranda Murphy, Wartburg, Sr. Brooke Trewyn, Wis. Whitewater, Sr. Olariche Obi, Chicago, Jr. Brandi Vallely, Muhlenberg, Sr. Clarissa Perez, La Verne, Jr. Kaitlin Jamieson, George Fox, Sr. Camille McPherson, Moravian, Sr.

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