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## **2008 STX/NFHCA Division I National Coaches Poll**

This is a listing of the top 20 teams in the 2008 STX/NFHCA Division I National Coaches Poll, as voted upon by NFHCA member coaches, with records through November 9, 2008 and total points (first-place votes are in parentheses).

<b><u>Institution</u></b>	<b><u>Points (first place votes in parentheses)</u></b>
1. University of Maryland (18-2)	797 (37)
2. Wake Forest University (19-3)	734 (1)
3. Syracuse University (20-1)	729 (2)
4. James Madison University (18-2)	647
5. University of Connecticut (17-3)	604
6. University of Iowa (16-4)	582
7. University of North Carolina (14-5)	539
8. Duke University (14-5)	495
9. Princeton University (15-2)	437
10. Michigan State University (16-5)	435
11. Penn State University (13-6)	403
12. University of Virginia (13-8)	378
13. University of Louisville (14-6)	277
14. Ohio State University (14-7)	210
15. Boston College (12-7)	201
16. Drexel University (16-4)	163
17. University of Massachusetts (16-4)	160
18. American University (12-7)	147
19. Kent State University (17-4)	126
20. University at Albany (12-9)	78

Also Receiving Votes: University of California, Berkeley (71), Lock Haven University (45), Old Dominion University (38), Stanford University (30), Providence College (29), Davidson College (16), Indiana University (9), Boston University (7), Ohio University (6), Hofstra University (3), University of New Hampshire (3), Villanova University (1).

This poll is available on the NFHCA website at [www.nfhca.org](http://www.nfhca.org). This is the final poll of the 2008 season. The STX/NFHCA Division I National Coaches Poll has no bearing on selection to the 2008 NCAA Division I Championship field.

