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2017 NCAA DIVISION I BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIP BRACKET ANNOUNCED

INDIANAPOLIS – The field of 64 teams competing for the 2017 NCAA Division I Baseball Championship was announced today by the NCAA Division I Baseball Committee.

The national top eight seeds are Oregon St. (49-4), North Carolina (47-12), Florida (42-16), LSU (43-17), Texas Tech (43-15), TCU (42-16), Louisville (47-10) and Stanford (40-14).

The Southeastern Conference (SEC) leads the way with eight teams selected. Both the Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) and Big 12 Conference have seven participants in the field. The Big Ten Conference ties a conference record with five, while the Pac-12 Conference has four in the field. The American Athletic Conference (AAC) has three and the Big East Conference, Big West Conference, Conference USA, Missouri Valley Conference and Southland Conference all have two teams each.

Florida Gulf Coast and Davidson are each making their first appearances in the championship in 2017. Holy Cross is in the tournament for the first time since 1978, while Yale earns its first bid since 1993 and West Virginia is in for the first time since 1996.

Florida State now has the longest consecutive streak with its 40th straight appearance, with the Miami (Florida) streak of appearances ending at 44. Other long consecutive streaks: Cal State Fullerton (26) and Rice (23).

While 15 of the regional sites are scheduled to be played Friday through Monday, June 2-5, competition at the Stanford Regional will begin Thursday, June 1 and will conclude either Sunday or Monday, June 4 or 5. BYU, which won the automatic qualifier by capturing the West Coast Conference tournament championship, does not

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participate in any athletics competition on Sundays. Therefore, if the Cougars advance to the regional final, that game will take place June 5; otherwise that regional championship game is scheduled for Sunday, June 4.

Selection of the eight super regional hosts will be announced on www.NCAA.com/cws, Tuesday, June 6 at approximately 8 a.m. (ET). The 71st Men's College World Series begins play Saturday, June 17, at TD Ameritrade Park Omaha in Omaha, Nebraska.

A complete bracket, including records and match-ups, is below and attached.

OTHER SELECTION INFORMATION

FIELD BY CONFERENCE (31)

Southeastern	8 (Arkansas, Auburn, Florida, Kentucky, LSU, Mississippi St., Texas A&M, Vanderbilt)
Atlantic Coast	7 (Clemson, Florida St., Louisville, North Carolina, North Carolina St., Virginia, Wake Forest)
Big 12	7 (Baylor, Oklahoma, Oklahoma St., TCU, Texas, Texas Tech, West Virginia)
Big Ten	5 (Indiana, Iowa, Maryland, Michigan, Nebraska)
Pacific-12	4 (Arizona, Oregon St., Stanford, UCLA)
American Athletic	3 (Houston, South Fla., UCF)
Big East	2 [St. John's (NY), Xavier]
Big West	2 (Cal St. Fullerton, Long Beach St.)
Conference USA	2 (Rice, Southern Miss.)
Missouri Valley	2 (DBU, Missouri St.)
Southland	2 (Sam Houston St., Southeastern La.)
America East	1 (UMBC)
Atlantic-10	1 (Davidson)

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Atlantic Sun	1 (FGCU)
Big South	1 (Radford)
Colonial	1 (Delaware)
Horizon	1 (Ill.-Chicago)
Ivy	1 (Yale)
Metro Atlantic	1 (Marist)
Mid-American	1 (Ohio)
Mid-Eastern	1 (Bethune-Cookman)
Mountain West	1 (San Diego St.)
Northeast	1 (Central Conn. St.)
Ohio Valley	1 (Tennessee Tech)
Patriot	1 (Holy Cross)
Southern	1 (UNCG)
Southwestern	1 (Texas Southern)
Summit	1 (Oral Roberts)
Sun Belt	1 (South Ala.)
West Coast	1 (BYU)
Western Athletic	1 (Sacramento St.)

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AUTOMATIC QUALIFIERS (31)

Conference	Team	Record	*Yrs.	History		Last App.
				Won	Lost	
America East	UMBC	23-23	3	0	4	2001
American Athletic	Houston	40-19	20	37	41	2015
Atlantic Coast	Florida St.	39-20	55	185	121	2016
Atlantic Sun	FGCU	42-18	1	0	0	First
Atlantic 10	Davidson	32-24	1	0	0	First
Big East	Xavier	32-25	4	4	6	2016
Big South	Radford	27-30	2	2	2	2015
Big Ten	Iowa	38-20	5	6	9	2015
Big 12	Oklahoma St.	30-25	43	147	91	2016
Big West	Long Beach St.	37-17-1	21	51	42	2016
Colonial	Delaware	34-21	16	17	27	2001
Conference USA	Rice	31-29	23	83	51	2016
Horizon	Ill.-Chicago	39-15	5	2	8	2008
Ivy	Yale	32-16	6	7	10	1993
Metro Atlantic	Marist	32-21	7	3	12	2009
Mid-American	Ohio	31-26	12	14	22	2015
Mid-Eastern	Bethune-Cookman	33-23	16	2	30	2016
Missouri Valley	DBU	40-19	7	11	13	2016
Mountain West	San Diego St.	41-19	13	11	24	2015
Northeast	Central Conn. St.	36-20	5	0	8	2010
Ohio Valley	Tennessee Tech	40-19	5	3	8	2009
Pac-12	Oregon St.	49-4	17	49	33	2015
Patriot	Holy Cross	23-27	11	22	16	1978
Southeastern	LSU	43-17	30	143	58	2016
Southern	UNCG	35-22	3	3	4	1997
Southland	Sam Houston St.	40-20	11	11	20	2016
Southwestern	Texas Southern	20-32	4	1	6	2015
Summit	Oral Roberts	42-14	27	34	52	2016
Sun Belt	South Alabama	39-19	27	37	52	2016
West Coast	BYU	37-19	16	16	30	2002
Western Athletic	Sacramento St.	32-27	2	1	2	2014

*Including 2017

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AT-LARGE BIDS (33)

Team	Conference	Record	*Yrs.	History		Last App.
				Won	Lost	
Arizona	Pac-12	37-19	35	114	69	2016
Arkansas	Southeastern	42-17	29	71	61	2015
Auburn	Southeastern	35-24	20	43	41	2015
Baylor	Big 12	34-21	19	43	39	2012
Cal St. Fullerton	Big West	34-21	39	152	83	2016
Clemson	Atlantic Coast	39-19	42	112	88	2016
Florida	Southeastern	42-16	33	98	69	2016
Indiana	Big Ten	33-22	6	10	10	2015
Kentucky	Southeastern	39-20	7	11	12	2014
Louisville	Atlantic Coast	47-10	11	8	14	2016
Maryland	Big Ten	37-21	6	8	11	2015
Michigan	Big Ten	42-15	23	61	45	2015
Mississippi St.	Southeastern	36-24	34	95	74	2016
Missouri St.	Missouri Valley	40-17	10	18	19	2015
Nebraska	Big Ten	35-20	15	32	29	2016
North Carolina	Atlantic Coast	47-12	30	94	65	2014
North Carolina St.	Atlantic Coast	34-23	29	51	58	2016
Oklahoma	Big 12	34-22	36	78	70	2013
South Fla.	American Athletic	41-17	12	11	22	2015
Southeastern La.	Southland	36-20	5	3	8	2016
Southern Miss.	Conference USA	48-14	14	17	27	2016
St. John's (NY)	Big East	42-11	36	65	64	2015
Stanford	Pac-12	40-14	33	139	72	2014
TCU	Big 12	42-16	15	45	34	2016
Texas	Big 12	37-22	58	233	116	2015
Texas A&M	Big 12	36-21	33	76	72	2016
Texas Tech	Big 12	43-15	12	26	25	2016
UCF	American Athletic	40-20	12	16	22	2012
UCLA	Pac-12	30-25	21	63	41	2015
Vanderbilt	Southeastern	33-22	16	51	33	2016
Virginia	Atlantic Coast	42-14	17	53	36	2016
Wake Forest	Atlantic Coast	39-18	13	35	25	2016
West Virginia	Big 12	34-24	12	8	22	1996

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