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FIVE CCHA PLAYERS NAMED REEBOK ALL-AMERICANS

FARMINGTON HILLS, Mich. – Five players from four different Central Collegiate Hockey Association teams have been named 2009-010 Reebok Division I Hockey All-Americans. One was selected to the West First Team and four to the West Second Team.

Northern Michigan was the only team to feature two honorees. Junior forward Mark Olver and junior defensman Erik Gustafsson. Olver, a finalist for the Hobey Baker Award and CCHA scoring champion, was named to the first team. Gustafsson, who was named the CCHA's Best Offensive Defenseman, was selected to the second team for the second-consecutive season.

Gustafsson was joined on the second-team of blueliners by Michigan State junior Jeff Petry. Miami sophomore goaltender and the RBC Financial Group CCHA Player of the Year Cody Reichard and Ohio State sophomore forward Zac Dalpe were also selected to the second team.

In its' 39-year history, the CCHA has produced 86 First Team All-Americans and 83 Second Team All-Americans for a total of 169 honorees.

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2009-2010 Reebok/ACHA Division I Ice Hockey All-Americans

<u>First Team</u>		
West		East
Marc Cheverie, JR, Denver	Goalie	Ben Scrivens, SR, Cornell
(Cole Harbor, NS)		(Spruce Grove, AB)
Brendan Smith, JR, Wisconsin	Defense	Colby Cohen, JR, Boston University
(Mimco, ON)		(Villanova, PA)
Patrick Weircioch, SO, Denver	Defense	Brendon Nash, SR, Cornell
(Maple Grove, BC)		(Kamloops, BC)
Mark Olver, JR, Northern Michigan	Forward	Chase Polacek, JR, RPI
(Burnaby, BC)		(Edina, MN)
Rhett Rakhshani, SR, Denver	Forward	Gustav Nyquist, SO, Maine
(Huntington Beach, CA)		(Malmo, Sweden)
Blake Geoffrion, SR, Wisconsin	Forward	Bobby Butler, SR, New Hampshire
(Brentwood, TN)		(Marlboro, MA)
Second Team		
Cody Reichard, SO, Miami	Goalie	Brian Foster, SR, New Hampshire
(Celina, OH)		(Pembroke, NH)
Jeff Petry, JR, Michigan State	Defense	Justin Braun, SR, Massachusetts
(Farmington Hills, MI)		(Vadnais Heights, MN)
Erik Gustafsson, JR, Northern Michigan @	Defense	Blake Kessel, SO, New Hampshire
(Kvissleby, Sweden)		(Verona, WI)
Matt Read, JR, Bemidji State	Forward	Sean Backman, SR, Yale
(Ilderton, ON)		(Cob Cob, CT)
Jack Connolly, SO, Minnesota-Duluth	Forward	Broc Little, JR, Yale
(Duluth, MN)		(Rindge, NH)
Zac Dalpe, SO, Ohio State	Forward	Nick Johnson, SR, Sacred Heart
(Paris, ON)		(Windsor, CT)

@ Second Team in 2008-09