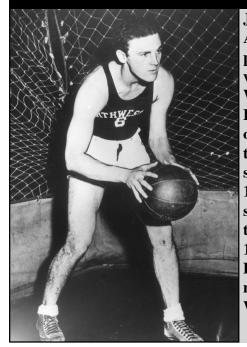
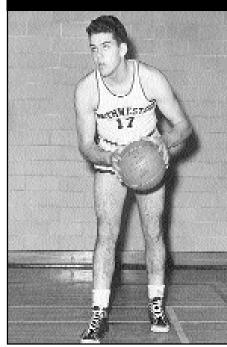
## All-Americans

JOE REIFF 1931 and 1933 All-America Center



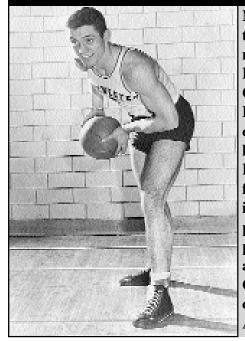
Joe Reiff's All-America campaigns coincided with the Wildcats' two **Big Ten champi**onships. He led the Big Ten in scoring in both 1931 and 1933, sandwiching his titles around the 1932 champ, a **Purdue player** named John Wooden.

#### OTTO GRAHAM 1944 All-America Forward



**Otto Graham is** renowned for his football career, both at Northwestern and in the professional ranks. Lesser known, however, was his basketball prowess. Graham remains one of two NU athletes ever to earn All-America in two different sports.

MAX MORRIS 1946 All-America Forward



Max Morris was the first-ever recipient of the **Big Ten's Chicago Tribune Big Ten Player** of the Year honor, in 1946. He led the conference in scoring twice (15.8 ppg in 1945, 16.5 ppg in 1946), and joins Otto Graham as NU's only multi-sport All-Americans.

EVAN ESCHMEYER 1999 All-America Center



**Evan Eschmeyer** made the most of his senior campaign, leading the Wildcats in scoring, rebounding and field goal percentage as they advanced to the National Invitational Tournament (NIT). "Esch" is currently with the NBA's Dallas Mavericks.

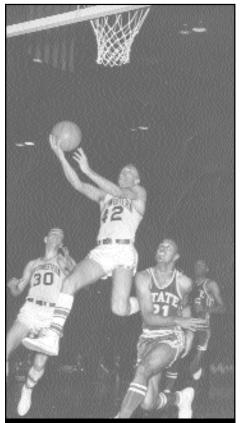


# **Big Ten Honors**

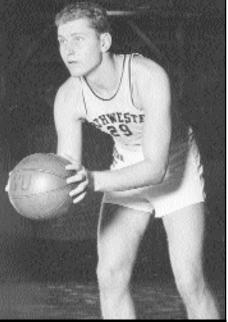
## FIRST-TEAM ALL-BIG TEN

The Big Ten coaches began voting for All-Big Ten teams in 1948. The media began participating in separate All-Big Ten vot ing in 1987.

| 1951 | Ray Ragelis, C    |
|------|-------------------|
| 1955 | Frank Ehmann, F   |
| 1959 | Joe Ruklick, C    |
| 1964 | Rick Lopossa, F   |
| 1967 | Jim Burns, G      |
| 1977 | Billy McKinney, G |
| 1996 | Geno Carlisle, G  |
| 1997 | Evan Eschmeyer, C |
| 1998 | Evan Eschmeyer, C |
| 1999 | Evan Eschmeyer, C |
|      |                   |



**RICH FALK WAS NORTHWESTERN'S** FIRST ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN SELEC-TION, IN 1964. HE WOULD LATER COME BACK TO COACH THE WILDCATS FROM 1978-79 TO 1985-86.



**RAY RAGELIS WAS NORTHWESTERN'S** FIRST-EVER FIRST-TEAM ALL-BIG TEN SELECTION BY THE COACHES, IN 1951.

## **BIG TEN** MEDAL OF HONOR

In 1914 the Big Ten Conference endowed a "Medal of Honor" to be awarded annu ally at each institution, to a student in the graduating class who has demonstrated proficiency in scholarship and athletics. The following Northwestern men's basket ball players have been NU's recipient.

- 1916 Harvey Ellis 1919 Allen Marquardt 1923 James Peterson 1934 Donald Brewer Russell Wendland 1943 1948 Charles Tourek 1951 Don Blasius 1954 Larry Kurka 1964 Marty Riessen 1980 Mike Campbell 1982 Bob Grady 1988 Shon Morris 1994 Kevin Rankin
- 1999 Evan Eschmeyer

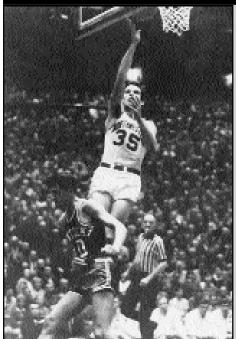
# ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN

| 1964 | Rich Falk, G        |
|------|---------------------|
| 1965 | Jim Pitts, C        |
| 1966 | Jim Burns, G        |
|      | Jim Pitts, C        |
| 1967 | Jim Burns, G        |
| 1968 | Dan Davis, F        |
| 1972 | Rick Sund, F        |
| 1973 | Rick Sund, G        |
| 1974 | Bryan Ashbaugh, C   |
| 1978 | Mike Campbell, F    |
| 1980 | Mike Campbell, F    |
| 1985 | Elliot Fullen, G    |
| 1702 | John Peterson, F    |
| 1986 | Joe Flanagan, F     |
| 1700 | Elliot Fullen, G    |
|      | Shon Morris, C      |
| 1987 | Elliot Fullen, G    |
| 1707 | Shon Morris, F-C    |
| 1988 | Shon Morris, F-C    |
| 1,00 | Brian Schwabe, F    |
| 1989 | Brian Schwabe, F    |
| 1990 | Walker Lambiotte, F |
|      | Don Polite, F       |
|      | Brian Schwabe, C    |
| 1991 | Jake Haunty, C      |
|      | Tom Heise, F        |
| 1992 | Aaric Queen, G      |
|      | Kevin Rankin, F-C   |
| 1993 | Kevin Rankin, C     |
| 1994 | Kevin Rankin, C     |
| 1995 | Dan Kreft, C        |
| 1997 | Kyle Henneberry, G  |
|      | John Vana, G        |
| 1999 | Danny Allouche, G   |
| 2000 | Jeff Eschmeyer, G   |
|      | -                   |
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### Academic All-Americans

JIM BURNS First Team, 1967



Jim Burns enjoyed a distinguished career at Northwestern, becoming the first Wildcat player to earn Academic All-America and First-Team All-**Big Ten honors.** He led the NU in scoring all three years he was on varsity, and is seventh all-time in scoring.

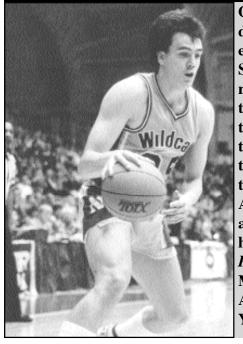
#### MIKE CAMPBELL FIRST TEAM, 1980



**Mike Campbell** was a presence in the paint for the 'Cats during his career. He led the team in rebounding twice, in 1978 and 1980, and also topped the squad in blocked shots his junior and senior seasons. He is seventh on NU's alltime list with 60 blocked shots.

SHON MORRIS

First Team, 1987 and 1988; Second Team, 1986



One of the most decorated players ever at NU, **Shon Morris** remains a fixture on many of the school's alltime lists. He is the only twotime Academic All-American, and as a senior he was also Playboy's Anson **Mount Scholar-**Athlete of the Year.

NOTE: The College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) have recognized Academic All-America Teams in men's basketball since 1963.



WALKER LAMBIOTTE Third Team, 1990

Kevin Rankin Second Team, 1994; Third Team, 1993



#### BRIAN SCHWABE THIRD TEAM, 1989





#### **Team Awards**

#### **MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS**

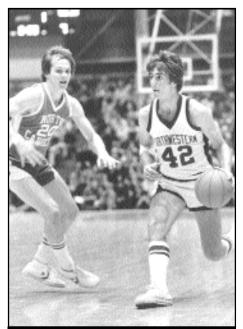
| 1946 | Max Morris, F*      |
|------|---------------------|
| 1947 | Bernard Schadler, G |
| 1948 | Charles Tourek, G   |
| 1949 | William Sticklen, F |
| 1950 | Ray Ragelis, C      |
| 1951 | Ray Ragelis, C      |
| 1952 | Frank Petrancek, C  |
| 1953 | John Biever, G      |
| 1954 | Frank Ehmann, F     |
| 1955 | Frank Ehmann, F     |
| 1956 | Dick Mast, G        |
| 1957 | Joe Ruklick, C      |
| 1958 | Joe Ruklick, C      |
| 1959 | Willie Jones, F     |
| 1960 | Willie Jones, F     |
| 1961 | Brad Snyder, F      |
|      | Ralph Wells, G      |
| 1962 | Ralph Wells, G      |
| 1963 | Rich Falk, G        |
| 1964 | Rich Falk, G        |
|      | Rick Lopossa, F     |
| 1965 | Jim Pitts, C        |
| 1966 | Jim Pitts, C        |
| 1967 | Jim Burns, G        |
|      | Mike Weaver, F      |
|      |                     |



TAVARAS HARDY WAS Northwestern's MVP three times, AND AS A SENIOR HE WAS THE UNIVERSITY'S RECIPIENT OF THE BILLY MCKINNEY AWARD IN 2002.

| 1968 | Mike Weaver, F      |
|------|---------------------|
| 1969 | Don Adams, F        |
| 1970 | Don Adams, F        |
|      | Dale Kelley, G      |
| 1971 | Rick Sund, F        |
| 1972 | Paul Douglass, G    |
| 1973 | Mark Sibley, G      |
| 1974 | Bryan Ashbaugh, C   |
| 1975 | Billy McKinney, G   |
| 1976 | Billy McKinney, G   |
| 1977 | Billy McKinney, G   |
| 1978 | Tony Allen, F       |
| 1979 | Bob Klaas, C        |
| 1980 | Mike Campbell, F    |
| 1981 | Rod Roberson, G     |
| 1982 | Jim Stack, F        |
| 1983 | Jim Stack, F        |
| 1984 | Art Aaron, F        |
| 1985 | Andre Goode, F      |
| 1986 | Shon Morris, C      |
| 1987 | Shon Morris, F-C    |
| 1988 | Shon Morris, F-C    |
| 1989 | Walker Lambiotte, F |
| 1990 | Walker Lambiotte, F |
| 1991 | Pat Baldwin, G      |
| 1992 | Todd Leslie, G      |
|      | Cedric Neloms, F    |
|      | Kevin Rankin, F-C   |
| 1993 | Kevin Rankin, F     |
| 1994 | Kevin Rankin, F     |
| 1996 | Geno Carlisle, G    |
| 1997 | Evan Eschmeyer, C   |
| 1998 | Evan Eschmeyer, C   |
| 1999 | Evan Eschmeyer, C   |
| 2000 | Tavaras Hardy, F    |
|      | Ben Johnson, G      |
| 2001 | Tavaras Hardy, F-C  |
| 2002 | Tavaras Hardy, F-C  |
| 2003 | Jitim Young, G      |

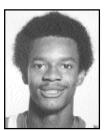
\*Max Morris was also named the Big Ten's Chicago Tribune Most Valuable Player in 1946.



BRIAN GIBSON WAS THE FIRST MEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYER TO WIN THE BILLY McKinney Award.

### BILLY MCKINNEY Award Winners

Named after the for mer Wildcat basketball great, this award is bestowed to a gradu ating NU male senior athlete in any sport and is based on lead ership and constant



effort. Below are the basketball players who have won the award.

| 1980 | Brian Gibson    |
|------|-----------------|
| 1983 | Michael Jenkins |
| 1984 | Art Aaron       |
| 1987 | Shawn Watts     |
| 1988 | Shon Morris     |
| 1989 | Jeff Grose      |
| 1994 | Kip Kirkpatrick |
| 2002 | Tavaras Hardy   |
|      |                 |

