

EMPIRE CLASSIC BENEFITING WOUNDED WARRIOR PROJECT



HISTORY OF RANKED TEAMS

Year	Team	Preseason Rank	Rank at Time of Game (s)	Highest Rank of Season	Final Rank
2021	Gonzaga	1/1	1/1	1/1	1/5
	UCLA	2/2	2/2	2/2	11/11
2020	Villanova	3/3	3/3	3/3	14/11
	Arizona State	17/18	17/18	17/18	NR/NR
2019	Duke	4/4	4/2, 1	1/1	11/8
	Texas	NR/NR	22/22	22/22	NR/NR
2018	Syracuse	14/16	14, 13/16, 15	14/15	NR/NR
	Oregon	16/14	16/14	16/13	R/NR
	Iowa	NR/NR	NR/NR	15/14	NR/NR
2016	Michigan	NR/NR	NR/NR	23/24	23/17
	SMU	NR/NR	NR/NR	11/13	11/23
2015	Duke	4/5	4/5	5/3	18/19
	Wisconsin	17/17	17, NR/17, NR	17/17	23/NR
2014	Texas	10/10	10/10	6/7	NR
	Syracuse	24/23	24/23	24/23	NR
	Iowa	25/NR	25/NR	25/25	NR
2013	Connecticut	19/18	20, 18/19, 18	1/1	1/18
	Indiana	24/NR	23, 22/NR	23/NR	NR/NR
2011	Arizona	16/16	16/16, 15	16/15	NR/NR
	Texas A&M	19/20	19, 18/20, 19	18/19	NR/NR
	Mississippi State	NR/NR	NR/NR	14/15	NR/NR
2010	Pitt	4/5	4/5	2/2	12/4
	Illinois	16/13	16/13	14/12	NR/NR
	Texas	25/NR	22/NR	2/3	16/8
2009	North Carolina	4/6	4/6	4/6	NR/NR
	California	12/13	12/13	12/13	NR/NR
	Ohio State	17/16	17, 15/16, 15	6/5	11/5
	Syracuse	25/NR	25, 24/NR	1/1	8/4
2008	UCLA	4/4	4/4	4/4	18/18
	Duke	5/8	5/8, 10	1/1	11/6
	Michigan	NR/NR	NR/NR	24/23	24/NR
2007	Memphis	3/3	3/3	1/1	2/2
	Connecticut	NR/NR	NR/NR	13/13	NR/16
2006	Texas	19/21	19, 18/21, 19	11/11	16/11
	Maryland	NR/NR	NR/NR	19/18	23/18
	Michigan State	NR/NR	NR/NR	23/NR	NR/NR
2005	Syracuse	16/16	16/16	16/16	NR/NR
	Wake Forest	18/18	18/18, 19	16/16	NR/NR
	Florida	NR/NR	NR/NR	1/2	1/11
	George Mason	NR/NR	NR/NR	8/NR	8/NR
2004	Syracuse	6/6	6/6	4/3	21/11
	Mississippi State	14/12	14/12	14/11	NR/NR
	Memphis	23/24	23/24	23/24	NR/NR
2003	Gonzaga	12/10	12/10	2/3	12/3
	Saint Joseph's	18/17	18/17	1/1	5/5
	Wake Forest	21/20	21/20	3/4	15/17
	Pitt	22/22	22/22	3/3	7/9
	Marquette	23/23	23/23	21/21	NR/NR
	Memphis	NR/NR	NR/NR	22/19	NR/24
	Alabama	NR/NR	NR/NR	17/NR	17/NR
2002	Oklahoma	3/3	3/3	3/3	7/3
	Texas	5/4	5/4	2/2	3/5
	Alabama	8/8	8/8	3/1	NR/NR
	Georgia	16/16	16/16	16/15	NR/25
	Marquette	19/18	19/18	6/8	6/9
	Syracuse	NR/NR	NR/NR	1/11	1/13
	Memphis	NR/NR	NR/NR	22/16	NR/19
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2001	Maryland.....	2	2	2	4
	Florida.....	6	6	2	15
	Temple.....	16	16	16	NR
	Arizona.....	NR	NR	4	7
2000	Kansas.....	7	7	2	12
	Kentucky.....	12	12	9	9
	UCLA.....	17	17	12	15
	St. John's.....	NR	NR	19	NR
1999	Connecticut.....	1	1	1	20
	Duke.....	10	10	1	1
	Stanford.....	13	13	1	3
	Iowa.....	NR	NR	22	NR
1998	Temple.....	7	7	6	NR
1997	Texas.....	22	22	22	NR
	Princeton.....	NR	NR	7	7
1996	Tulsa.....	NR	21	21	NR
	Saint Joseph's.....	NR	NR	12	12
1995	Penn State.....	NR	NR	9	18
	Marquette.....	NR	NR	20	20

Rankings – Coaches/Associated Press

*Coaches/ESPN/USA Today rankings began in 2002-03

Final AP poll prior to postseason tournaments; Final Coaches poll after postseason tournaments