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## **Let The Recycling Games Begin!**

### **RecycleMania Competition Kicks Off with Record Breaking Number of Participating Schools**

#### **RecycleMania Gets Lift from Facebook to Help Drive Participation**

Washington, DC (January 26, 2009) – Sure, there’s NCAA basketball, but the real competition on America’s college campuses this spring is RecycleMania. RecycleMania pits colleges and universities in a nationwide contest to see who can reduce, reuse, and recycle the most campus waste.

Over a 10-week period from January 18 to March 28, 2009, participating schools will compete in various categories measuring the success of their recycling and waste prevention efforts. This year’s 510 participating schools, the most in the competition’s history, represent all 50 states and the District of Columbia, as well as for the first time institutions from outside the United States.

RecycleMania helps campus recycling coordinators rally student, faculty, and staff participation in recycling and waste prevention programs, while offering bragging rights and special awards made out of recycled materials to the winning schools. Though many schools have had recycling and waste prevention programs for years, studies have found that large volumes of recyclables still end up in the trash. RecycleMania motivates campus communities to recycle more often. By framing recycling in competitive terms, RecycleMania taps the same intercollegiate spirit that drives sports rivalries.

“RecycleMania’s success comes from its ability to use competitive spirit and campus rivalries to motivate students who are less likely to respond to ‘save the earth’ kinds of messages”, according to Stacy Wheeler, Professor at University of North Florida and co-founder of the RecycleMania competition.

“We look forward to the competition every year. It’s become one of our best promotional tools for communicating the waste reduction recycling message and a great way to reduce our campus’s carbon footprint. RecycleMania helps us increase recycling and it’s another way we can compete with the other UC campuses!” says Lin King, waste reduction and recycling manager at the University of California (UC), Davis

Each week, the standings are posted online for all participants to see, motivating campuses to work harder as they aim not only for the top prizes, but also to beat out their own rival schools.

“The ability to energize students about recycling while tapping into the friendly competition between schools is the magic of RecycleMania. Quantifying how much material can be collected for recycling and composting from a campus community enlightens not only the students and faculty but can help the administration understand the positive environmental and economic impact a change in recycling behavior can have on a university” says Ed Skernolis, Executive Director of the National Recycling Coalition (NRC).

To help schools promote the competition on campus, RecycleMania provides professionally developed promotional materials and web and email forums for recycling coordinators to share tips and best practices. Included among these complimentary resources are posters that promote recycling with athletic and patriotic themes. This year, RecycleMania had an added boost to the excitement level with the help of Myspace and FaceBook. RecycleMania hosts special websites on both MySpace (<http://www.myspace.com/recyclemania>) and Facebook (<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=56550719512&ref=ts>). The two sites are used by campus RecycleMania coordinators to network and share promotional ideas, as well as by students.

The RecycleMania competition is administered by the National Recycling Coalition (NRC), with program development and planning by a steering committee made up of collegiate recycling managers from participating universities. The competition is managed in conjunction with NRC's College and University Recycling Council (CURC), and is made possible with the generous sponsorship support from The Coca-Cola Company and the US Environmental Protection Agency's WasteWise program.

“RecycleMania helps students rethink their waste,” said Scott Vitters, Director of Sustainable Packaging at The Coca-Cola Company. “Coca-Cola is a proud sponsor of the RecycleMania program. Through the course of the competition, they learn to recognize that bottles, cans, cardboard, and paper are valuable recyclable materials.”

## **The Competition**

Colleges and universities choose to participate in one of two divisions, the Competition or Benchmark. The Competition Division houses the traditional competitive rankings based on standard reporting criteria. The Benchmark Division allows schools to unofficially compare themselves with other schools and to promote RecycleMania on campus, without the formal reporting requirements of the competitive ranking. Each division in turn features several categories, including the Per Capita Classic, which measures the total amount of recyclables collected per capita, and Waste Minimization, in

which schools compete to see who can generate the least amount of overall solid waste per capita. From these two categories, RecycleMania awards its Grand Champion based on who recycles the greatest overall percentage of their solid waste stream. Additional recognition is given to schools that collect the most paper, beverage containers, cardboard, and food waste for recycling, as well as the school that collects the greatest overall amount of recyclables.

To view past years results or to see updated 2009 weekly rankings each Friday afternoon, go to <http://recyclemaniacs.org/results.asp>. To learn more about RecycleMania, go to [www.recyclemaniacs.org](http://www.recyclemaniacs.org).

## **History of the RecycleMania Competition**

The RecycleMania competition began in the spring of 2001 as a friendly challenge between recycling coordinators at two schools in Ohio, Miami University and Ohio University. From the outset, the competition was meant as a way to get students and staff more excited about participating in recycling efforts. That first year, Miami University won, collecting 41.2 lbs. of recyclables for each person on campus. The following year Miami and Ohio were joined by two more schools, Bowling Green State University and Harvard University, with Bowling Green winning the title with 48 lbs. per capita. Since then the competition has continued to grow in popularity, attracting schools through the United States and internationally.

RecycleMania has gained recognition as a barometer of collegiate sustainability efforts. Beginning in 2008, signatories of the American College and University Presidents Climate Commitment (ACUPCC) receive credit for participating in the Waste Minimization category. The Princeton Review and Kaplan college guides both use RecycleMania to indicate college and universities' commitments to sustainability. In recent year, RecycleMania has been featured in press stories by the New York Times, Newsweek magazine and the Boston Globe among others.

## **Who's Participating This Year**

RecycleMania has grown to 510 colleges and universities this year, increasing by more than 25% the number of participating schools from 2008. These colleges and universities represent more than 4.7 million students, and 1.1 million faculty and staff from all 50 states and the District of Columbia. The states with the most participants include Pennsylvania (48), California (37), New York (37) and Massachusetts (28). The list of institutions taking part is diverse, ranging from Clemson University to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) to Prince William Sound Community College in Valdez, Alaska. RecycleMania 2009 will include all eight of the Ivy League universities as well as the eight campuses that make up the Los Angeles Community College system.

For the first time, RecycleMania welcomes international universities including five from Canada and one, the Rajarambapu Institute of Technology in India. Contact information

for specific campuses is available by calling (216) 712-7836 0851 or emailing [recyclemania@nrc-recycle.org](mailto:recyclemania@nrc-recycle.org).

### **Schools Participating in the 2009 RecycleMania Competition**

Schools are identified according to whether they are participating with their entire campus or a subsection.

#### **Alabama**

Auburn University Main Campus (Competition Division)

The University of Alabama (Competition Division)

#### **Alaska**

Prince William Sound Community College (Benchmark Division)

University of Alaska Fairbanks (Competition Division)

#### **Arizona**

Arizona State University at the Tempe Campus (Benchmark Division)

University of Arizona (Benchmark Division)

#### **Arkansas**

University of Arkansas Main Campus (Competition Division)

#### **California**

California State Polytechnic University-Pomona (Competition Division)

California State University-Chico (Competition Division)

California State University-East Bay (Benchmark Division)

California State University-Northridge (Benchmark Division)

California State University-San Marcos (Competition Division)

City College of San Francisco (Competition Division)

Diablo Valley College (Competition Division)

East Los Angeles College (Benchmark Division)

Humboldt State University (Competition Division)

Los Angeles Harbor College (Benchmark Division)

Los Angeles Mission College (Benchmark Division)

Los Angeles Pierce College (Benchmark Division)

Los Angeles Southwest College (Benchmark Division)

Los Angeles Trade Technical College (Benchmark Division)

Los Angeles Valley College (Benchmark Division)

Loyola Marymount University (Competition Division)

Mills College (Competition Division)

Miracosta College (Competition Division)

Palomar College (Benchmark Division)

Point Loma Nazarene University (Competition Division)

San Diego City College (Competition Division)

San Francisco State University (Competition Division)  
San Jose State University (Benchmark Division)  
Santa Ana College (Benchmark Division)  
Santa Clara University (Competition Division)  
Santa Monica College (Competition Division)  
Stanford University (Competition Division)  
University of California-Davis (Competition Division)  
University of California-Irvine (Benchmark Division)  
University of California-Merced (Competition Division)  
University of California-San Diego (Competition Division)  
University of California-Santa Barbara (Competition Division)  
University of California-Santa Cruz (Competition Division)  
University of San Diego (Competition Division)  
University of San Francisco (Competition Division)  
West Los Angeles College (Competition Division)  
Whittier College (Benchmark Division)

### **Colorado**

Colorado College (Competition Division)  
Colorado State University (Competition Division)  
Johnson & Wales University-Denver (Benchmark Division)  
University of Colorado at Boulder (Competition Division)  
University of Colorado at Colorado Springs (Competition Division)  
University of Denver (Competition Division)

### **Connecticut**

Connecticut College (Competition Division)  
Southern Connecticut State University (Competition Division)  
Trinity College (Competition Division)  
United States Coast Guard Academy (Competition Division)  
University of Connecticut (Competition Division)  
University of Hartford (Competition Division)  
Wesleyan University (Benchmark Division)  
Western Connecticut State University (Benchmark Division)  
Yale University (Competition Division)

### **Delaware**

University of Delaware (Competition Division)  
Wesley College (Benchmark Division)

### **District of Columbia**

Catholic University of America (Competition Division)  
George Washington University (Competition Division)  
Georgetown University (Competition Division)  
Trinity Washington University (Competition Division)

**Florida**

Bethune-Cookman University (Competition Division)  
Eckerd College (Competition Division)  
Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (Competition Division)  
Florida International University (Benchmark Division)  
Florida State University (Benchmark Division)  
Jacksonville University (Benchmark Division)  
Stetson University (Competition Division)  
University of Central Florida (Competition Division)  
University of Florida (Competition Division)  
University of Miami (Competition Division)  
University of North Florida (Competition Division)  
University of South Florida (Benchmark Division)  
University of South Florida Polytechnic (Benchmark Division)

**Georgia**

Agnes Scott College (Competition Division)  
Berry College (Competition Division)  
Dalton State College (Benchmark Division)  
Emory University (Competition Division)  
Georgia College & State University (Benchmark Division)  
Georgia State University (Competition Division)  
Kennesaw State University (Benchmark Division)  
LaGrange College (Benchmark Division)  
Mercer University (Benchmark Division)  
University of Georgia (Competition Division)

**Hawaii**

Chaminade University of Honolulu (Benchmark Division)  
University of Hawaii at Manoa (Competition Division)

**Idaho**

Boise State University (Benchmark Division)  
College of Southern Idaho (Benchmark Division)  
University of Idaho (Benchmark Division)

**Illinois**

Augustana College (Competition Division)  
City Colleges of Chicago-Harry S Truman College (Competition Division)  
Eastern Illinois University (Competition Division)  
Governors State University (Competition Division)  
Illinois State University (Competition Division)  
Loyola University Chicago (Competition Division)  
Millikin University (Benchmark Division)  
Monmouth College (Competition Division)  
Moody Bible Institute (Competition Division)

North Central College (Benchmark Division)  
Northwestern University (Benchmark Division)  
Quincy University (Benchmark Division)  
Saint Xavier University (Competition Division)  
Southern Illinois University Carbondale (Competition Division)  
University of Chicago (Benchmark Division)  
University of Illinois at Chicago (Benchmark Division)  
Western Illinois University (Benchmark Division)

### **Indiana**

Butler University (Competition Division)  
Purdue University-Calumet Campus (Benchmark Division)  
University of Evansville (Benchmark Division)  
University of Notre Dame (Competition Division)

### **Iowa**

Briar Cliff University (Competition Division)  
Eastern Iowa Community College District (Benchmark Division)  
Grinnell College (Competition Division)  
Loras College (Competition Division)  
Morningside College (Competition Division)

### **Kansas**

Baker University (Benchmark Division)  
Johnson County Community College (Benchmark Division)  
Kansas State University (Competition Division)  
Labette Community College (Benchmark Division)  
Southwestern College (Competition Division)  
University of Kansas (Benchmark Division)

### **Kentucky**

Berea College (Competition Division)  
Morehead State University (Benchmark Division)  
Northern Kentucky University (Competition Division)  
Transylvania University (Benchmark Division)  
University of Kentucky (Competition Division)  
University of Louisville (Competition Division)  
Western Kentucky University (Benchmark Division)

### **Louisiana**

Delgado Community College (Competition Division)  
Grambling State University (Benchmark Division)  
Louisiana College (Benchmark Division)  
Louisiana State University and Agricultural & Mechanical College (Competition Division)

McNeese State University (Competition Division)  
Southeastern Louisiana University (Benchmark Division)  
Tulane University of Louisiana (Benchmark Division)  
University of Louisiana at Monroe (Benchmark Division)

### **Maine**

Bowdoin College (Competition Division)  
Colby College (Competition Division)  
Unity College (Competition Division)  
University of Maine (Competition Division)  
University of Maine at Farmington (Competition Division)  
University of Southern Maine (Benchmark Division)

### **Maryland**

Bowie State University (Benchmark Division)  
Coppin State University (Competition Division)  
Frostburg State University (Competition Division)  
Goucher College (Competition Division)  
Harford Community College (Benchmark Division)  
Howard Community College (Benchmark Division)  
Johns Hopkins University (Competition Division)  
Loyola College in Maryland (Competition Division)  
McDaniel College (Benchmark Division)  
Morgan State University (Benchmark Division)  
Mount St Mary's University (Competition Division)  
Salisbury University (Benchmark Division)  
St Mary's College of Maryland (Benchmark Division)  
Towson University (Competition Division)  
University of Maryland-Baltimore County (Competition Division)  
University of Maryland-College Park (Competition Division)  
Washington College (Competition Division)

### **Massachusetts**

Amherst College (Competition Division)  
Babson College (Competition Division)  
Benjamin Franklin Institute of Technology (Benchmark Division)  
Bentley University (Benchmark Division)  
Berklee College of Music (Benchmark Division)  
Berkshire Community College (Competition Division)  
Boston College (Competition Division)  
Boston University (Benchmark Division)  
Brandeis University (Competition Division)  
Bridgewater State College (Competition Division)  
Bunker Hill Community College (Competition Division)  
Clark University (Benchmark Division)  
Fitchburg State College (Competition Division)

Franklin W. Olin College of Engineering (Competition Division)  
Harvard University (Competition Division)  
Lesley University (Benchmark Division)  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology (Competition Division)  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy (Competition Division)  
Newbury College-Brookline (Benchmark Division)  
Pine Manor College (Competition Division)  
Simmons College (Competition Division)  
Smith College (Competition Division)  
Suffolk University (Competition Division)  
Tufts University (Competition Division)  
University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth (Benchmark Division)  
Wheaton College (Benchmark Division)  
Williams College (Benchmark Division)  
Worcester Polytechnic Institute (Competition Division)

### **Michigan**

Albion College (Competition Division)  
Aquinas College (Competition Division)  
Central Michigan University (Competition Division)  
Ferris State University (Competition Division)  
Grand Valley State University (Competition Division)  
Kalamazoo College (Competition Division)  
Saginaw Valley State University (Benchmark Division)  
University of Michigan-Ann Arbor (Competition Division)  
Washtenaw Community College (Competition Division)  
Western Michigan University (Competition Division)

### **Minnesota**

Bemidji State University (Benchmark Division)  
Century Community and Technical College (Benchmark Division)  
Gustavus Adolphus College (Competition Division)  
Hamline University (Benchmark Division)  
Macalester College (Competition Division)  
Minnesota State University-Moorhead (Competition Division)  
Southwest Minnesota State University (Competition Division)  
St. Olaf College (Competition Division)  
University of Minnesota-Duluth (Benchmark Division)  
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities (Competition Division)  
University of St Thomas (Competition Division)  
Winona State University (Benchmark Division)

### **Mississippi**

Mississippi State University (Benchmark Division)  
University of Mississippi Main Campus (Benchmark Division)  
University of Southern Mississippi (Competition Division)

**Missouri**

Missouri State University (Benchmark Division)  
Missouri University of Science and Technology (Competition Division)  
Northwest Missouri State University (Benchmark Division)  
Park University (Benchmark Division)  
Stephens College (Competition Division)  
Truman State University (Competition Division)  
University of Central Missouri (Competition Division)  
University of Missouri-Columbia (Competition Division)  
University of Missouri-Kansas City (Benchmark Division)  
Washington University in St Louis (Competition Division)

**Montana**

Montana State University (Competition Division)

**Nebraska**

Doane College (Benchmark Division)

**Nevada**

University of Nevada-Las Vegas (Competition Division)

**New Hampshire**

Daniel Webster College (Benchmark Division)  
Dartmouth College (Competition Division)  
Keene State College (Competition Division)  
Manchester Community College (Benchmark Division)  
Plymouth State University (Competition Division)  
University of New Hampshire-Main Campus (Competition Division)

**New Jersey**

Caldwell College (Benchmark Division)  
County College of Morris (Benchmark Division)  
Drew University (Competition Division)  
Fairleigh Dickinson University-College at Florham (Competition Division)  
Georgian Court University (Competition Division)  
Monmouth University (Benchmark Division)  
Montclair State University (Competition Division)  
New Jersey Institute of Technology (Competition Division)  
Princeton University (Competition Division)  
Rider University (Competition Division)  
Rowan University (Competition Division)  
Rutgers University (Competition Division)  
Stevens Institute of Technology (Competition Division)  
Sussex County Community College (Competition Division)  
William Paterson University of New Jersey (Benchmark Division)

## **New Mexico**

Eastern New Mexico University-Main Campus (Benchmark Division)

New Mexico State University-Main Campus (Competition Division)

## **New York**

Bard College (Competition Division)

Barnard College (Benchmark Division)

Clarkson University (Competition Division)

Columbia University (Competition Division)

Cornell University (Benchmark Division)

Daemen College (Benchmark Division)

Hamilton College (Competition Division)

Hobart William Smith Colleges (Competition Division)

Ithaca College (Competition Division)

Medaille College (Benchmark Division)

New York University (Competition Division)

Onondaga Community College (Competition Division)

Paul Smiths College of Arts and Science (Competition Division)

Pratt Institute-Main (Benchmark Division)

Rochester Institute of Technology (Competition Division)

Saint John Fisher College (Competition Division)

Saint Thomas Aquinas College (Competition Division)

Skidmore College (Competition Division)

St. John's University-New York (Competition Division)

Stony Brook University (Competition Division)

Sullivan County Community College (Benchmark Division)

SUNY at Albany (Competition Division)

SUNY at Binghamton (Competition Division)

SUNY at Buffalo (Competition Division)

SUNY at Fredonia (Competition Division)

SUNY College at Brockport (Competition Division)

SUNY College at Buffalo (Competition Division)

SUNY College at New Paltz (Competition Division)

SUNY College of Technology at Canton (Benchmark Division)

SUNY Empire State College (Benchmark Division)

The College of Saint Rose (Benchmark Division)

Union College (Competition Division)

University of Rochester (Competition Division)

Utica College (Benchmark Division)

Vassar College (Competition Division)

Wagner College (Benchmark Division)

Wells College (Competition Division)

Yeshiva University (Competition Division)

## **North Carolina**

Appalachian State University (Benchmark Division)  
Barton College (Competition Division)  
Catawba College (Benchmark Division)  
Davidson College (Competition Division)  
Duke University (Competition Division)  
East Carolina University (Benchmark Division)  
Elon University (Benchmark Division)  
Guilford College (Competition Division)  
Meredith College (Competition Division)  
North Carolina State University at Raleigh (Competition Division)  
Peace College (Competition Division)  
Queens University of Charlotte (Benchmark Division)  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (Competition Division)  
University of North Carolina at Greensboro (Benchmark Division)  
University of North Carolina-Wilmington (Competition Division)  
Wilson Community College (Competition Division)

### **North Dakota**

Jamestown College (Benchmark Division)  
University of North Dakota (Competition Division)

### **Ohio**

Bowling Green State University-Main Campus (Competition Division)  
Case Western Reserve University (Competition Division)  
Cleveland Institute of Art (Benchmark Division)  
John Carroll University (Benchmark Division)  
Kent State University-Stark Campus (Benchmark Division)  
Marietta College (Benchmark Division)  
Miami University-Oxford (Competition Division)  
Mount Union College (Benchmark Division)  
Northwest State Community College (Competition Division)  
Ohio State University-Main Campus (Competition Division)  
Ohio University-Lancaster Campus (Competition Division)  
Ohio University-Main Campus (Competition Division)  
Ohio University-Southern Campus (Benchmark Division)  
Ohio University-Zanesville Campus (Competition Division)  
Ohio Wesleyan University (Competition Division)  
Otterbein College (Competition Division)  
University of Akron Main Campus (Benchmark Division)  
Wilmington College (Competition Division)  
Wright State University-Main Campus (Competition Division)  
Xavier University (Benchmark Division)  
Youngstown State University (Competition Division)

### **Oklahoma**

Oklahoma Baptist University (Benchmark Division)

University of Central Oklahoma (Competition Division)  
University of Oklahoma Norman Campus (Benchmark Division)  
University of Tulsa (Competition Division)

### **Oregon**

Eastern Oregon University (Competition Division)  
Lane Community College (Competition Division)  
Multnomah Bible College and Biblical Seminary (Benchmark Division)  
Oregon Institute of Technology (Competition Division)  
Oregon State University (Competition Division)  
Pacific University (Competition Division)  
Portland State University (Competition Division)  
Rogue Community College (Competition Division)  
University of Oregon (Competition Division)  
Western Oregon University (Benchmark Division)

### **Pennsylvania**

Allegheny College (Competition Division)  
Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania (Competition Division)  
Bucknell University (Competition Division)  
Bucks County Community College (Benchmark Division)  
Carnegie Mellon University (Competition Division)  
Central Pennsylvania College (Benchmark Division)  
Chatham University (Benchmark Division)  
Cheyney University of Pennsylvania (Benchmark Division)  
Delaware Valley College (Competition Division)  
Dickinson College (Competition Division)  
Drexel University (Competition Division)  
Elizabethtown College (Competition Division)  
Franklin and Marshall College (Competition Division)  
Geneva College (Competition Division)  
Gettysburg College (Competition Division)  
Haverford College (Competition Division)  
Immaculata University (Benchmark Division)  
Indiana University of Pennsylvania-Main Campus (Benchmark Division)  
Juniata College (Competition Division)  
Keystone College (Competition Division)  
Lafayette College (Benchmark Division)  
Lehigh University (Benchmark Division)  
Lycoming College (Competition Division)  
Mercyhurst College (Competition Division)  
Messiah College (Competition Division)  
Millersville University of Pennsylvania (Competition Division)  
Montgomery County Community College (Competition Division)  
Moravian College and Moravian Theological Seminary (Benchmark Division)  
Mount Aloysius College (Competition Division)

Pennsylvania College of Technology (Competition Division)  
Rosemont College (Competition Division)  
Saint Joseph's University (Competition Division)  
Saint Vincent College (Benchmark Division)  
Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania (Benchmark Division)  
Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania (Competition Division)  
Susquehanna University (Competition Division)  
Temple University (Competition Division)  
The University of the Arts (Competition Division)  
Thiel College (Competition Division)  
University of Pennsylvania (Competition Division)  
University of Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Campus (Benchmark Division)  
University of Scranton (Benchmark Division)  
University of the Sciences in Philadelphia (Benchmark Division)  
Villanova University (Competition Division)  
West Chester University of Pennsylvania (Benchmark Division)  
Widener University-Main Campus (Competition Division)  
Wilkes University (Competition Division)  
Wilson College (Competition Division)

### **Rhode Island**

Brown University (Competition Division)  
Bryant University (Competition Division)  
Rhode Island School of Design (Competition Division)  
Roger Williams University (Competition Division)  
University of Rhode Island (Competition Division)

### **South Carolina**

Charleston Southern University (Benchmark Division)  
Citadel Military College of South Carolina (Competition Division)  
Clemson University (Competition Division)  
Coker College (Benchmark Division)  
College of Charleston (Competition Division)  
Furman University (Benchmark Division)  
Lander University (Benchmark Division)  
Medical University of South Carolina (Competition Division)  
Presbyterian College (Competition Division)  
University of South Carolina-Aiken (Competition Division)  
University of South Carolina-Columbia (Benchmark Division)  
Winthrop University (Competition Division)  
Wofford College (Competition Division)

### **South Dakota**

South Dakota School of Mines and Technology (Competition Division)  
University of South Dakota (Competition Division)

**Tennessee**

Rhodes College (Benchmark Division)  
University of Tennessee (Competition Division)  
University of Tennessee-Martin (Competition Division)  
Union University (Benchmark Division)

**Texas**

Baylor University (Competition Division)  
Houston Baptist University (Benchmark Division)  
Kilgore College (Benchmark Division)  
McLennan Community College (Benchmark Division)  
North Lake College (Competition Division)  
Northeast Lakeview College (Competition Division)  
Rice University (Competition Division)  
Richland College (Competition Division)  
Southern Methodist University (Benchmark Division)  
St Marys University (Competition Division)  
Stephen F Austin State University (Competition Division)  
Texas A & M University (Competition Division)  
Texas A & M University-Corpus Christi (Benchmark Division)  
Texas State University-San Marcos (Competition Division)  
Texas Woman's University (Benchmark Division)  
University of Texas at Arlington (Competition Division)  
University of Texas at Austin (Competition Division)  
University of Texas at Dallas (Competition Division)  
University of Texas at El Paso (Competition Division)  
University of Texas at San Antonio (Competition Division)  
University of Texas at Tyler (Benchmark Division)  
University of Texas Medical Branch (Competition Division)  
Trinity University (Competition Division)  
Trinity Valley Community College (Benchmark Division)  
University of Houston (Competition Division)  
University of North Texas (Competition Division)  
University of St Thomas (Competition Division)

**Utah**

Brigham Young University (Competition Division)  
Southern Utah University (Competition Division)  
University of Utah (Competition Division)  
Utah State University (Competition Division)

**Vermont**

Castleton State College (Competition Division)  
Johnson State College (Benchmark Division)  
Lyndon State College (Competition Division)  
Middlebury College (Competition Division)

School for International Training (Benchmark Division)

### **Virginia**

Bridgewater College (Benchmark Division)  
College of William and Mary (Competition Division)  
Eastern Mennonite University (Competition Division)  
Emory and Henry College (Competition Division)  
Ferrum College (Benchmark Division)  
George Mason University (Competition Division)  
Hollins University (Competition Division)  
James Madison University (Competition Division)  
Liberty University (Competition Division)  
Longwood University (Competition Division)  
Lynchburg College (Competition Division)  
Mary Baldwin College (Competition Division)  
Old Dominion University (Competition Division)  
Radford University (Competition Division)  
Shenandoah University (Competition Division)  
University of Mary Washington (Competition Division)  
University of Richmond (Competition Division)  
University of Virginia-Main Campus (Competition Division)  
Virginia Commonwealth University (Competition Division)  
Virginia Military Institute (Competition Division)  
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Competition Division)  
Virginia Wesleyan College (Competition Division)  
Washington and Lee University (Benchmark Division)

### **Washington**

Eastern Washington University (Competition Division)  
Lower Columbia College (Benchmark Division)  
Pacific Lutheran University (Benchmark Division)  
Peninsula College (Benchmark Division)  
Seattle Pacific University (Benchmark Division)  
Tacoma Community College (Competition Division)  
The Evergreen State College (Benchmark Division)  
Washington State University (Competition Division)  
Western Washington University (Competition Division)

### **West Virginia**

Concord University (Benchmark Division)  
University of Charleston (Competition Division)  
West Virginia Wesleyan College (Competition Division)

### **Wisconsin**

College of Menominee Nation (Competition Division)  
Lakeshore Technical College (Competition Division)

Northland College (Competition Division)  
Saint Norbert College (Benchmark Division)  
Silver Lake College (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin- Fox Valley (Benchmark Division)  
University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin-La Crosse (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin-Madison (Benchmark Division)  
University of Wisconsin-Manitowoc (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin-River Falls (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin-Stout (Competition Division)  
University of Wisconsin-Whitewater (Competition Division)

### **Wyoming**

University of Wyoming (Competition Division)

### **Canada**

University of New Brunswick (Competition Division)  
University of Ottawa (Competition Division)  
Dalhousie University (Benchmark Division)  
Thompson Rivers University (Benchmark Division)  
Saint Mary's University (Competition Division)

### **India**

Rajarambapu Institute of Technology (Benchmark Division)