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THE 2020-21 HUGH DURHAM AWARD FINALISTS

BOSTON, MA -- The Hugh Durham Award, which is presented annually to the top Division I mid-major coach in college basketball, is named after a coach who built winning programs at three different universities.

In eight seasons as the head coach at Jacksonville University, Durham became the Dolphins' all-time winningest Division I coach (106 wins), making him the only coach in NCAA history to be the winningest coach (pct. or wins) at three different Division I schools.

He built national programs at Florida State where he holds the record for best winning percentage with a 230-95 (.708) record in 12 years. And at Georgia where he is also the all-time winningest coach in the 99-year history of the Bulldog program, having won 297 games in 17 seasons.

Coaches of teams in the following conferences are eligible for the award: America East, Atlantic Sun, Big Sky, Big South, Big West, Colonial, Horizon, Ivy, Metro Atlantic, Mid-American, Mid-Eastern, Missouri Valley, Northeast, Ohio Valley, Patriot, Southern, Southland, Southwestern, Summit, Sun Belt, West Coast.

The recipient of the 2021 award will be announced on April 1.

HUGH DURHAM AWARD FINALISTS

Casey Alexander
Mark Byington
Scott Davenport
Ed DeChellis
Darian DeVries
Dennis Gates
Joe Golding
Jared Grasso
A.W. Hamilton
Terrence Johnson
Robert Jones
Pat Kelsey
Tod Kowalczyk
Matt Langel
Carmen Maciariello
Mike Magpayo
Bashir Mason
Ritchie McKay
Porter Moser
Wes Miller
Paul Mills
Joe Pasternack
Todd Simon
Byron Smith
Preston Spradlin

Belmont
James Madison
Bellarmine
Navy
Drake
Cleveland State
Abilene Christian
Bryant
Eastern Kentucky
Texas State
Norfolk State
Winthrop
Toledo
Colgate
Siena
UC Riverside
Wagner
Liberty
Loyola Chicago
UNCG
Oral Roberts
UCSB
Southern Utah
Prairie View A&M
Morehead State

