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The Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association, a 10-member conference of NCAA Division II institutions in Missouri and Kansas, was first organized in 1912 as the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association.

Over the past 15 years, the league has undergone several changes, highlighted by expansion and increased participation in national championships.

The MIAA has gained the reputation of being one of the top NCAA Division II conferences in the nation. MIAA student-athletes have won nine national championships and more than 98 individual national titles.

The MIAA currently conducts conference championships in nine

men's and seven women's sports. Men's champions are crowned in football, cross country, soccer, basketball, indoor and outdoor track and field, baseball, tennis, and golf. Women's champions are determined in volleyball, cross country, basketball, indoor and outdoor track and field, soccer, softball and tennis.

Ralph McFillen was named to succeed Ken B. Jones as commissioner of the MIAA in 1997. He formerly served as commissioner of the Metro and Gulf South conferences.

Matt Newbery, formerly an assistant sports information director at Pittsburg State University, joined the conference in 1994 as director of sports information.

MIAA Members

Central Missouri State University
Warrensburg, Mo.

Emporia State University
Emporia, Kan.

University of Missouri-Rolla
Rolla, Mo.

Missouri Southern State College
Joplin, Mo.

Missouri Western State College
St. Joseph, Mo.

Northwest Missouri State University
Maryville, Mo.

Pittsburg State University
Pittsburg, Kan.

Southwest Baptist University
Bolivar, Mo.

Truman State University
Kirksville, Mo.

Washburn University
Topeka, Kan.

Past MIAA Tennis Champs

Men's Champions			Women's Champions		
NWMSU. 13	1981	1988	SEMSU .. 8	1988	1988
2001	1972	1986	1985	NWMSU. . 7	WU 2
1997	1969	1984	1997	2001	2000
1996	1968	1980	1996	1997	1991
1995	1967	1978	1994	1996	MSSC ... 1
1987	1966	1963	1993	1994	1999
1977	1965	1962	1992	1993	SEMSU .. 1
1975	1964	1953	1987	1992	1982
1974	2000	CMSU ... 4	LU 5	1987	
1973	1999	1957	1990		
1971	1998	1956	1989		
1961	1994	1955	1985		
1960	1993	1954	1984		
1959	1992	SMSU ... 3	1983		
TSU 11	1991	1979	TSU 4		
1983	1990	1976	1998		
1982	1989	1958	1995		

Lady Blues at the MIAA

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Washburn (WU)..... 62

The Lady Blues won their second MIAA Championship

Missouri Southern (MSSC) 55

Northwest Missouri State (NWMSU) 45

Truman (TSU) 45

Emporia State (ESU) 0

Missouri Western (MWSC)..... 0

Southwest Baptist (SBU)..... 0

Finals Results

No. 1 Singles: **Marissa Moment, WU** d. Ellen Stubbs, NWMSU — 6-4, 6-3

Consolation: Julie Posch, MSSC d. Olesya Paramanova, TSU — 9-8 (7-5)

No. 2 Singles: **Aisha Butt, WU** d. Mendy McMunn, MSSC — 7-5, 6-3

Consolation: Allison Schuller, TSU d. Adrianna Hernandez, NWMSU — 8-1

No. 3 Singles: **Misty Nigh, WU** d. Jamie King, MSSC — 6-1, 6-2

Consolation: Adri Atwell, TSU d. Regan Dodd, NWMSU — 8-0

No. 4 Singles: Julie Ervin, NWMSU d. Sunny Bailey, MSSC — 6-2, 6-2

Consolation: Meghan Konrad, TSU d. **Danielle Carter, WU** — 8-6

No. 5 Singles: Kerri Murphy, MSSC d. Jessica McKinney, TSU — 6-4, 6-0

Consolation: Jane Marie Clark, NWMSU d. **Anna Nunn, WU** — 8-3

No. 6 Singles: Lindsey Daniels, TSU d. **Emily Friedstrom, WU** — 6-2, 6-1

Consolation: Erin Campbell, MSSC d. Keri Kemmerer, NWMSU — 8-3

No. 1 Doubles: Julie Posch/Mendy McMunn, MSSC d. **Marissa Moment/Aisha Butt, WU**, — 9-8 (7-3)

Consolation: Allison Schuller/Lindsey Daniels, TSU d. Ellen Stubbs/Regan Dodd, NWMSU — 8-3

No. 2 Doubles: Adrianna Hernandez/Julie Ervin, NWMSU, d. Olesya Paramanova/Jessica McKinney, TSU — 8-6

Consolation: **Misty Nigh/Danielle Carter, WU** d. Jamie King/Sunny Bailey, MSSC — 8-6

No. 3 Doubles: **Anna Nunn/Emily Friedstrom, WU** d. Kerri Murphy/Misty Chastain, MSSC — 8-5

Consolation: Meghan Konrad/Lisa Graham, TSU d. Jane Marie Clark/Keri Kemmerer, NWMSU — 8-1

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1. Northwest Missouri State University	69
2. Truman State University	41
3. Southwest Baptist	35
4. Washburn University.	31
5. University of Missouri-Rolla	24
6. Emporia State University.....	7

Final Results

No. 1 Singles: **Fernando Sierra, WU** d. Mark Eori, SBU -- 6-7 (3-7), 6-4, 6-4

Consolation: Justin Menolascino, TSU d. Michael McCoy, UMR -- 8-3

No. 2 Singles: Jon Sanchez, NWMSU d. Umang Chadda, SBU -- 2-6, 7-6 (7-5), 6-4

Consolation: **Adam Wood, WU** d. Nathan Artz, TSU -- 8-3

No. 3 Singles: Erich Podzinski, TSU d. Gorka Sanchez, NWMSU -- 6-2, 7-6 (7-4)

Consolation: **Desmond Tan, WU** d. Josh McKinney, SBU -- 8-5

No. 4 Singles: Jarrod Smith, NWMSU d. Allen Atkins, TSU -- 7-6 (7-5) 2-6, 6-1

Consolation: Justin Livingston, SBU d. Britton Bradford, UMR -- 8-4

No. 5 Singles: J.J. Mulwanda, NWMSU d. Michael Boeckelman, UMR -- 6-1, 6-1

Consolation: George Kidera, TSU d. **Will Heidebrecht, WU** -- 8-2

No. 6 Singles: Scott Magdziak, NWMSU d. Ben Smith, TSU -- 6-3, 4-6, 6-0

Consolation: **Billy Ferrier, WU** d. Michael Droszcz, UMR -- 8-5

No. 1 Doubles: Mark Eori/Umang Chadda, SBU d. **Fernando Sierra/Adam Wood, WU** -- 8-6

Consolation: Justin Menolascino/Erich Podzinski, TSU d. Nuno Cabral/Ryoma Tanniguchi, NWMSU -- 8-4

No. 2 Doubles: Jon Sanchez/Jarrod Smith, NWMSU d. Josh McKinney/Justin Livingston, SBU -- 8-5

Consolation: Kellen Bombardier/Clint Musgrove, ESU d. Ryan Lynch/Michael Droszcz, UMR -- 8-4

No. 3 Doubles: Gorka Sanchez/Scott Magdziak, NWMSU d. Jordan Owens/Michael Boeckelman, UMR -- 8-3

Consolation: Allan Atkins/George Kidera, TSU d. Juan Alvarez/Quy Wesley, ESU -- 8-3

Sportsmanship Award: Nathan Artz, TSU

Coach of the Year: Mark Rosewell, NWMSU