



## **FWAA-NFF SUPER 16 POLL**

## - GAMES PLAYED THROUGH SEPTEMBER 11, 2016 -

	MARK ANDERSON		LEE BARFKNECHT		ZACH BARNETT		TONY BARNHART
	Las Vegas Review-Journal		Omaha World-Herald		FootballScoop.com		GridironNow.com
1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1.	Florida State	1.	Alabama
2.	Florida State	2.	Ohio State	2.	Alabama	2.	Florida State
3.	Ohio State	3.	Florida State	3.	Ohio State	3.	Ohio State
4.	Houston	4.	Houston	4.	Michigan	4.	Houston
5.	Clemson	5.	Michigan	5.	Houston	5.	Clemson
6.	Michigan	6.	Washington	6.	Clemson	6.	Michigan
7.	Washington	7.	Texas	7.	Stanford	7.	Stanford
8.	Stanford	8.	Clemson	8.	Louisville	8.	Washington
9.	Louisville	9.	lowa	9.	Washington	9.	Tennessee
10.	Oklahoma	10.	Louisville	10.	Texas	10.	Texas
11.	Wisconsin	11.	Wisconsin	11.	Texas A&M	11.	Michigan State
12.	Michigan State	12.	Stanford	12.	Notre Dame	12.	Ole Miss
13.	Tennessee	13.	Notre Dame	13.	Tennessee	13.	Louisville
14.	LSU	14.	Tennessee	14.	Utah	14.	Notre Dame
15.	lowa	15.	Texas A&M	15.	Georgia	15.	lowa
16.	Texas	16.	Oklahoma	16.	Wisconsin	16.	Oklahoma
	MARK BLAUDSCHUN		GIL BRANDT		AARON BRENNER		BRIAN DAVIS
	MARK BLAUDSCHUN TMG Sports		GIL BRANDT NFL.com		AARON BRENNER Charleston Post & Courier	_	BRIAN DAVIS Austin American-Statesman
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1. 2.	TMG Sports	1. 2.	NFL.com	1. 2.	Charleston Post & Courier	1. 2.	Austin American-Statesman
	TMG Sports Michigan		NFL.com Alabama		Charleston Post & Courier Alabama		Austin American-Statesman Alabama
2.	TMG Sports  Michigan  Alabama	2.	NFL.com Alabama Florida State	2.	Charleston Post & Courier Alabama Houston	2.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson
2. 3.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State	2.	NFL.com Alabama Florida State Clemson	2. 3.	Charleston Post & Courier Alabama Houston Florida State	2.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State
2. 3. 4.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State	2. 3. 4.	NFL.com Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State	2. 3. 4.	Charleston Post & Courier Alabama Houston Florida State Clemson	2. 3. 4.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State
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2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State Clemson Houston Texas	2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	NFL.com  Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State Houston Michigan Stanford	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	Charleston Post & Courier  Alabama Houston Florida State Clemson Stanford Michigan Ohio State	2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State Michigan Houston Wisconsin
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State Clemson Houston Texas Stanford	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	NFL.com  Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State Houston Michigan Stanford Washington	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	Charleston Post & Courier  Alabama Houston Florida State Clemson Stanford Michigan Ohio State Wisconsin	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State Michigan Houston Wisconsin Stanford
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State Clemson Houston Texas Stanford Tennessee	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	NFL.com  Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State Houston Michigan Stanford Washington Texas	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Charleston Post & Courier  Alabama  Houston  Florida State  Clemson  Stanford  Michigan  Ohio State  Wisconsin  Louisville	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State Michigan Houston Wisconsin Stanford Washington
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State Clemson Houston Texas Stanford Tennessee Wisconsin	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	NFL.com  Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State Houston Michigan Stanford Washington Texas Tennessee	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Charleston Post & Courier  Alabama  Houston  Florida State  Clemson  Stanford  Michigan  Ohio State  Wisconsin  Louisville  Michigan State	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State Michigan Houston Wisconsin Stanford Washington Oklahoma
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State Clemson Houston Texas Stanford Tennessee Wisconsin Washington	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	NFL.com  Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State Houston Michigan Stanford Washington Texas Tennessee Iowa	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10.	Charleston Post & Courier  Alabama  Houston  Florida State  Clemson  Stanford  Michigan  Ohio State  Wisconsin  Louisville  Michigan State  Texas	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State Michigan Houston Wisconsin Stanford Washington Oklahoma LSU
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State Clemson Houston Texas Stanford Tennessee Wisconsin Washington Notre Dame	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11.	NFL.com  Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State Houston Michigan Stanford Washington Texas Tennessee lowa Wisconsin	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11.	Charleston Post & Courier  Alabama  Houston  Florida State  Clemson  Stanford  Michigan  Ohio State  Wisconsin  Louisville  Michigan State  Texas  Georgia	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State Michigan Houston Wisconsin Stanford Washington Oklahoma LSU Texas
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State Clemson Houston Texas Stanford Tennessee Wisconsin Washington Notre Dame Louisville	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12.	NFL.com  Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State Houston Michigan Stanford Washington Texas Tennessee Iowa Wisconsin Notre Dame	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12.	Charleston Post & Courier  Alabama  Houston  Florida State  Clemson  Stanford  Michigan  Ohio State  Wisconsin  Louisville  Michigan State  Texas  Georgia  Iowa	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State Michigan Houston Wisconsin Stanford Washington Oklahoma LSU Texas Notre Dame
2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13.	TMG Sports  Michigan Alabama Florida State Ohio State Clemson Houston Texas Stanford Tennessee Wisconsin Washington Notre Dame Louisville Miami (Fla.)	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13.	NFL.com  Alabama Florida State Clemson Ohio State Houston Michigan Stanford Washington Texas Tennessee Iowa Wisconsin Notre Dame Oklahoma	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13.	Charleston Post & Courier  Alabama Houston Florida State Clemson Stanford Michigan Ohio State Wisconsin Louisville Michigan State Texas Georgia Iowa Texas A&M	2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13.	Austin American-Statesman Alabama Clemson Florida State Ohio State Michigan Houston Wisconsin Stanford Washington Oklahoma LSU Texas Notre Dame Texas A&M

	JON FINKEL		BRYAN FISCHER		PETE FIUTAK		TOMMIE FRAZIER
	FootballMatters.org		Freelance		CollegeFootballNews.com		2013 Hall of Fame Class
1.	Florida State	1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama
2.	Alabama	2.	Florida State	2.	Florida State	2.	Clemson
3.	Ohio State	3.	Ohio State	3.	Ohio State	3.	Florida State
4.	Houston	4.	Houston	4.	Michigan	4.	Ohio State
5.	Michigan	5.	Louisville	5.	Wisconsin	5.	Michigan
6.	Clemson	6.	Michigan	6.	Louisville	6.	Houston
7.	Stanford	7.	Texas	7.	Texas	7.	Stanford
8.	Washington	8.	Wisconsin	8.	Clemson	8.	Washington
9.	Michigan State	9.	Tennessee	9.	Washington	9.	Wisconsin
10.	Texas	10.	Stanford	10.	Notre Dame	10.	Louisville
11.	Tennessee	11.	Washington	11.	Tennessee	11.	Texas
12.	Florida	12.	Texas A&M	12.	Michigan State	12.	Michigan State
13.	Ole Miss	13.	Clemson	13.	LSU	13.	Oklahoma
14.	Louisville	14.	lowa	14.	Florida	14.	lowa
15.	Iowa	15.	Notre Dame	15.	Stanford	15.	Tennessee
16.	Oklahoma	16.	Georgia	16.	Iowa	16.	Georgia
	TEDDY GREENSTEIN		ANDREW GREIF		TIM GRIFFIN		MIKE GRIFFITH
	Chicago Tribune		The Oregonian		San Antonio Express-News		AJC - SEC Country
1	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1	Alabama
1. 2.	Houston	1. 2.	Florida State	1. 2.	Florida State	1. 2.	Michigan
3.	Florida State	3.	Ohio State	3.	Clemson	3.	Florida State
3. 4.	Washington	3. 4.	Clemson	3. 4.	Ohio State	3. 4.	Ohio State
4. 5.	Michigan	4. 5.	Michigan	4. 5.	Michigan	4. 5.	Stanford
5. 6.	Clemson	5. 6.	Houston	5. 6.	Houston	5. 6.	Clemson
7.	Ohio State	7.	Stanford	7.	Washington	7.	Houston
8.	Texas	8.	Washington	8.	Stanford	8.	Washington
9.	Wisconsin	9.	Texas	9.	Wisconsin	9.	Wisconsin
10.	Stanford	10.	Wisconsin	10.	Iowa	10.	Texas
11.	Notre Dame	11.	Louisville	11.	Louisville	11.	Texas A&M
12.	Georgia	12.	Tennessee	12.	Michigan State	12.	Tennessee
13.	Tennessee	13.	Michigan State	13.	Texas	13.	lowa
14.	lowa	14.	lowa	14.	Georgia	14.	Georgia
15.	Louisville	15.	Georgia	15.	Oklahoma	15.	Michigan State
16.	Arkansas	16.	Oklahoma	16.	Tennessee	16.	Oregon
	WALLY HALL		DAN HARRALSON		TOMMY HICKS		RON HIGGINS
	Arkansas Democrat-Gazette		Saturday Down South		Freelance		NoLa.com/The Times Picayune
1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama
2.	Florida State	2.	Florida State	2.	Florida State	2.	Clemson
3.	Michigan	3.	Ohio State	3.	Clemson	3.	Florida State
4.	Clemson	4.	Clemson	4.	Ohio State	4.	Ohio State
5.	Ohio State	5.	Houston	5.	Stanford	5.	Michigan
6.	Houston	6.	Louisville	6.	Michigan	6.	Houston
7.	Stanford	7.	Texas	7.	Michigan State	7.	Stanford
8.	Washington	8.	Tennessee	8.	Georgia	8.	Texas
9.	Louisville -	9.	Georgia	9.	Texas	9.	Washington
10.	Texas	10.	Texas A&M	10.	Houston	10.	Wisconsin
11.	Wisconsin	11.	Michigan	11.	Washington	11.	Florida
12.	Michigan State	12.	Washington	12.	Louisville	12.	Georgia
13.	Miami (Fla.)	13.	Wisconsin	13.	Wisconsin	13.	Michigan State
14.	Texas A&M	14.	Notre Dame	14.	lowa	14.	Tennessee
15.	lowa	15.	Oklahoma	15.	Oklahoma Notro Damo	15.	Oklahoma
16.	Tennessee	16.	Arkansas	16.	Notre Dame	16.	Louisville

	JOHNNIE JOHNSON		DAVE JONES		RYAN KARTJE		BLAIR KERKHOFF
	2007 Hall of Fame Class		PA Media Group		Orange County Register		Kansas City Star
1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	_ 1.	Alabama	_ 1.	Alabama
2.	Clemson	2.	Florida State	2.	Florida State	2.	Florida State
3.	Florida State	3.	Houston	3.	Michigan	3.	Ohio State
4.	Ohio State	4.	Ohio State	4.	Ohio State	4.	Clemson
5.	Michigan	5.	Clemson	5.	Clemson	5.	Michigan
6.	Stanford	6.	Louisville	6.	Houston	6.	Stanford
7.	Houston	7.	Washington	7.	Stanford	7.	Wisconsin
8.	Washington	8.	Stanford	8.	Washington	8.	Houston
9.	Wisconsin	9.	Texas	9.	Louisville	9.	Washington
10.	Texas	10.	Wisconsin	10.	Wisconsin	10.	Michigan State
11.	Michigan State	11.	Michigan	11.	Texas	11.	Texas
12.	Georgia	12.	Miami (Fla.)	12.	Iowa	12.	Georgia
13.	Louisville	13.	Oklahoma	13.	Michigan State	13.	Louisville
14.	Iowa	14.	Ole Miss	14.	Tennessee	14.	Tennessee
15.	Tennessee	15.	Boise State	15.	Georgia	15.	lowa
16.	Notre Dame	16.	Arizona State	16.	Oklahoma	16.	Arkansas
	DACHEL LENG		CTEFABUE LOUI		VELLVIVELI		NAADTY LYONG
	RACHEL LENZI		STEFANIE LOH		KELLY LYELL		MARTY LYONS
4	Land of 10		Seattle Times		Fort Collins Coloradoan		2011 Hall of Fame Class
1.	Alabama Florida State	1.	Alabama Florida State	1. 2.	Alabama Florida State	1. 2.	Alabama Florida State
2. 3.	Ohio State	2. 3.	Ohio State	2. 3.	Clemson	2. 3.	Ohio State
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4. 5.	Michigan Houston	4. 5.	Michigan Houston	4. 5.	Michigan	4. 5.	Michigan Clemson
5. 6.	Clemson	5. 6.	Clemson	5. 6.	Stanford	5. 6.	Houston
7.	Stanford	7.	Stanford	7.	Iowa	7.	Stanford
8.	Wisconsin	8.	Oklahoma	8.	Houston	8.	Washington
9.	Washington	9.	Washington	9.	Georgia	9.	Texas
10.	Texas	10.	Wisconsin	10.	Texas A&M	10.	Wisconsin
11.	Louisville	11.	Texas	11.	Tennessee	11.	Michigan State
12.	Michigan State	12.	lowa	12.	Wisconsin	12.	lowa
13.	Tennessee	13.	Tennessee	13.	Washington	13.	Louisville
14.	Arkansas	14.	Notre Dame	14.	Louisville	14.	Tennessee
15.	Notre Dame	15.	Ole Miss	15.	Texas	15.	Oklahoma
16.	Iowa	16.	Texas A&M	16.	Michigan State	16.	Notre Dame
	KEVIN McGUIRE		DON McPHERSON		CHET MOELLER		MATT MURSCHEL
	NBC Sports College Football Talk		2008 Hall of Fame Class		2010 Hall of Fame Class		Orlando Sentinel
1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama
2.	Florida State	2.	Florida State	2.	Ohio State	2.	Florida State
3.	Houston	3.	Clemson	3.	Florida State	3.	Michigan
4.	Texas	4.	Ohio State	4.	Clemson	4.	Clemson
5.	Wisconsin	5.	Michigan	5.	Stanford	5.	Ohio State
6.	Louisville	6.	Houston	6.	Michigan	6.	Houston
7.	Clemson	7.	Stanford	7.	Houston	7.	Stanford
8.	Ohio State	8.	Georgia	8.	Texas	8.	Louisville
9.	Michigan	9.	Michigan State	9.	Tennessee	9.	Washington
10.	Tennessee	10.	Louisville	10.	Wisconsin	10.	Wisconsin
11.	Arkansas Notre Dame	11.	Wisconsin	11.	Notre Dame	11.	Texas
12.	Notre Dame	12.	Texas	12.	Louisville	12.	Georgia
13.	Texas A&M Oklahoma	13.	lowa Oklahoma Stato	13. 14.	LSU Ole Miss	13.	Michigan State Oklahoma
14. 15.	UCLA	14. 15.	Oklahoma State	14. 15.	Ole Miss Oklahoma	14. 15.	Okianoma Tennessee
15. 16.	Miami (Fla.)	15. 16.	Washington Oklahoma	15. 16.	Georgia	15. 16.	lowa
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	MICHAEL PAYTON		RANDY PETERSON		MATT PORTER		DAN SILEO
	2015 Hall of Fame Class		Des Moines Register		The Palm Beach Post		Mighty 1090 Radio
1.	Alabama	 1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	<u> </u>	Alabama
2.	Florida State	2.	Florida State	2.	Michigan	2.	Florida State
3.	Ohio State	3.	Clemson	3.	Florida State	3.	Ohio State
4.	Michigan	4.	Ohio State	4.	Ohio State	4.	Clemson
5.	Clemson	5.	Houston	5.	Houston	5.	Michigan
6.	Houston	6.	Michigan	6.	Stanford	6.	Houston
7.	Stanford	7.	Stanford	7.	Clemson	7.	Stanford
8.	Texas	8.	Michigan State	8.	Oklahoma	8.	Washington
9.	Washington	9.	lowa	9.	Washington	9.	Texas
10.	Wisconsin	10.	Georgia	10.	Ole Miss	10.	Wisconsin
11.	Michigan State	11.	Washington	11.	Texas A&M	11.	Louisville
12.	Louisville	12.	TCU	12.	Louisville	12.	Tennessee
13.	Oklahoma	13.	Oklahoma	13.	Wisconsin	13.	Michigan State
14.	Georgia	14.	Tennessee	14.	Texas	14.	lowa
15.	lowa	15.	Louisville	15.	Tennessee	15.	Georgia
16.	Tennessee	16.	Wisconsin	16.	LSU	16.	Oklahoma
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	R.C. SLOCUM		JON SOLOMON		PHIL STEELE		PATRICK STEVENS
	2012 Hall of Fame Class		CBSSports.com		Phil Steele Publications		D1scourse.com
1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	<u> </u>	Alabama
2.	Clemson	2.	Houston	2.	Florida State	2.	Ohio State
3.	Ohio State	3.	Florida State	3.	Clemson	3.	Florida State
4.	Houston	4.	Wisconsin	4.	Ohio State	4.	Houston
5.	Florida State	5.	Ohio State	5.	Michigan	5.	Stanford
6.	Michigan	6.	Michigan	6.	Washington	6.	Michigan
7.	Stanford	7.	Texas	7.	Stanford	7.	Clemson
8.	Texas	8.	Texas A&M	8.	Houston	8.	Texas
9.	Wisconsin	9.	Clemson	9.	Tennessee	9.	Wisconsin
10.	Washington	10.	Louisville	10.	Wisconsin	10.	Arkansas
11.	Louisville	11.	Stanford	11.	Texas	11.	Tennessee
12.	Tennessee	12.	Notre Dame	12.	Florida	12.	Washington
13.	Texas A&M	13.	Oklahoma	13.	Louisville	13.	Georgia
14.	Florida	14.	Ole Miss	14.	Iowa	14.	lowa
15.	Oklahoma	15.	Georgia	15.	Texas A&M	15.	Louisville
16.	lowa	16.	Washington	16.	Michigan State	16.	Michigan State
10.	10 11 1	10.	Washington	10.	When State	10.	When State
	DAVID TEEL		JOHN WAGNER		GRAHAM WATSON		DICK WEISS
	Newport News Daily Press		Toledo Blade		Yahoo! Sports		Blue Star Media
1.	Alabama	 1.	Alabama	1.	Alabama	<u> </u>	Alabama
2.	Houston	2.	Clemson	2.	Florida State	2.	Ohio State
3.	Florida State	3.	Florida State	3.	Ohio State	3.	Florida State
4.	Ohio State	4.	Stanford	4.	Michigan	4.	Houston
5.	Stanford	5.	Ohio State	5.	Clemson	5.	Texas
6.	Michigan	6.	Michigan	6.	Houston	6.	Wisconsin
7.	Wisconsin	7.	Houston	7.	Stanford	7.	Washington
8.	Clemson	8.	Washington	8.	Washington	8.	Clemson
9.	Texas	9.	Tennessee	9.	Wisconsin	9.	Michigan
10.	Tennessee	10.	Miami (Fla.)	10.	Georgia	10.	Louisville
11.	Michigan State	11.	lowa	11.	Louisville	11.	lowa
12.	Louisville	12.	Ole Miss	12.	Texas	12.	Notre Dame
13.	Washington	13.	Oklahoma	13.	Oklahoma	13.	Stanford
14.	Texas A&M	14.	Michigan State	14.	lowa	14.	Oklahoma
15.	Iowa	15.	Wisconsin	15.	Michigan State	15.	Texas A&M
16.	Notre Dame	16.	Louisville	16.	Notre Dame	16.	Georgia
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## **REGGIE WILLIAMS**

## 2007 Hall of Fame Class

- 1. Alabama
- 2. Ohio State
- 3. Florida State
- 4. Clemson
- 5. Michigan
- 6. Georgia
- 7. Stanford
- 8. Houston
- 9. Texas
- 10. Washington
- 11. Wisconsin
- 12. Louisville
- 13. Ole Miss
- 14. Michigan State
- 15. Texas A&M
- 16. Notre Dame

ABOUT THE FWAA-NFF SUPER POLL: The FWAA-NFF Super Poll was established at the conclusion of the 2013 season by long-time partners, the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA) and the National Football Foundation (NFF). Voters rank the top 16 teams in the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision, and the results will be released every Sunday of the 2016 season; the individual votes of all members will also be made public. The first poll will be released Sept. (to account for Labor Day games), and the final poll will be released Dec. 4. The pollsters consist of FWAA writers and College Football Hall of Famers who were selected to create a balanced-geographical perspective. The poll utilizes a program designed by Sports Systems to compile the rankings.

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