

The Heisman Watch

Steamtunnels Profiles the Heisman Trophy Contenders.

DREW BREES

Purdue

Position: QB
Class: Senior
Height: 6'1"
Weight: 220
Hometown: Austin, TX

Brees was ESPN.com's pre-season favorite to win the Heisman. The quarterback has a career passing completion average of .615, making him the "holymakers' all-time leader in that category. He currently ranks second in college history in attempts (1,166), completions (717), passing yards (8,124), and touchdowns (64) and total yards. Brees is expected to shatter every one of these records by season's end, as well as own victory over the Big Ten offensive record. In addition to his stellar numbers, Brees has also won the first-ever Socrates Award in 2002, recognizing the nation's finest student-athlete in terms of academics, athletics and community service. He sports an overall

3.41 GPA, earning a 4.0 in the spring 2000 semester.

In 1999, Brees finished runner-up to Georgia Tech's Joe Hamilton for the Davey O'Brien National Quarterback Award, and runner-up to Wisconsin's Ron Dayne for the Maxwell Award as the nation's top player. He finished fourth in Heisman balloting last year. •

1999 Stats

- Completed 337 of 554 passes for 3,909 yards; 25 TDs
- Rushed for 177 yards on 79 attempts; 4 TDs

—ABaldwin

Who do you think will win?

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Band name	Title	Label
U2	<i>All That You Can't Leave Behind</i>	A&M
Blink-182	<i>Live at the Mark, Tom, and Travis Show (The Enema Strikes Back)</i>	MCA
Snoop Dogg	<i>Dead Man Walkin'</i>	Death Row
R. Kelly	<i>TP2.com</i>	Jive
Ziggy Marley	<i>Live</i>	Elektra
Gary Numan	<i>Pure</i>	Spitfire
The Prodigy	<i>H.N.I.C.</i>	Loud
Spice Girls	<i>Forever</i>	Virgin
Duncan Sheik	<i>Phantom Moon</i>	Nonesuch
Blessid Union of Souls	<i>The Best of</i>	V2
Bone Thugs-n-Harmony	<i>The Bone Collection</i>	Epic
Edie Brickell and New Bohemians	<i>Ultimate Collection</i>	Hip-o
Deep Purple	<i>Machine Head</i>	Rhino
Funkmaster Flex	<i>The Vibe Compilation</i>	Arista
Marilyn Manson	<i>Holy Wood (In the Shadow of the Valley of Death)</i>	Interscope
Master P	<i>Ghetto Postage</i>	No Limit/Priority
The Offspring	<i>Conspiracy of One</i>	Columbia
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—Yasmin Tabi