

2006 GOLDEN BEAR OUTLOOK

YOUNG BEARS HAVE BRIGHT FUTURE

Head coach **Steve Desimone** likes what he sees from his 2006 California Men's Golf team. Even though on paper the Golden Bears look like they might be going through a rebuilding year, featuring a top five that includes no seniors, and, at times, three freshmen, Desimone and his troops know a bright future lies ahead.

Cal does showcase a pair of talented Michaels – junior **Michael Wilson** and sophomore **Michael Jensen**. Wilson is the lone hold-over from the Bears' 2004 NCAA championship squad and is a strong candidate for All-America honors. Known for his outstanding short game and for being possibly the best putter in the history of Cal Golf, Wilson was named Pac-10 Co-Freshman of the Year and second-team All-Pac-10 in 2003. In 2004, his final two rounds of 69, 71 were instrumental in the Bears capturing the National Championship. After redshirting in 2005, Wilson is primed for an outstanding junior campaign as evident by his play in the fall, where he captured the inaugural UCLA CordeValle Collegiate by six shots and was named Pac-10 Men's Golfer of the Month for October.

Jensen immediately established himself as a major contributor last season as a true freshman and went on to earn Honorable Mention All-Pac-10 accolades. He competed in every spring tournament and tied for seventh at the Pac-10 Championship, shooting a one-under 283. This past fall, Jensen finished with a team-low 72.2 stroke average, placing 14th at the CordeValle Collegiate and 17th at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational.

"No question, Michael Wilson and Michael Jensen are our team leaders," said Desimone. "We are a team in transition that is sorting out its lineup, not just for this year's team, but for the next few years. Our young players have definitely had their moments, and that has the future of our program looking extremely bright."

One Bear freshman who has already had his share of "moments" is **Aditya "George" Gandranata**. A true freshman from Jakarta, Indonesia, Gandranata trained at the prestigious David Leadbetter Academy and is considered by the Cal coaching staff to be a legitimate Pac-10 Freshman of the Year candidate. He competed in all five of the fall competitions with a 73.8 scoring average, including shooting a season-low 68 with a hole-in-one and eagle at the Meadow Club during the final round of the Alister MacKenzie Invitational, helping the Bears capture the tournament title.

The newest of Cal's newcomers is freshman **Romain Payet** from La Montagne, Reunion Island (a French Protectorate) located in the Indian Ocean. Payet joined the Bears' program in January and immediately impressed the Cal coaches with his polished play. He is a solid ball striker and a good putter, and should consistently be in the Bears' top five. In 2004, Payet finished sixth in the final French Boys Ranking, and in 2005, Payet ranked 34th in individual rankings of French amateurs.

A pleasant surprise for the Cal coaches has been the play of true freshman **Larry Wong** from Diamond Ranch High School in Diamond Bar, Calif. Accurate from tee to green, Wong competed in all of the fall tournaments and showing dramatic improvement as the fall season evolved. A well-rounded student-athlete, Wong was his high school's Valedictorian and is planning on attending medical school after his Cal career.

Yet another impressive Bear newcomer is community college transfer

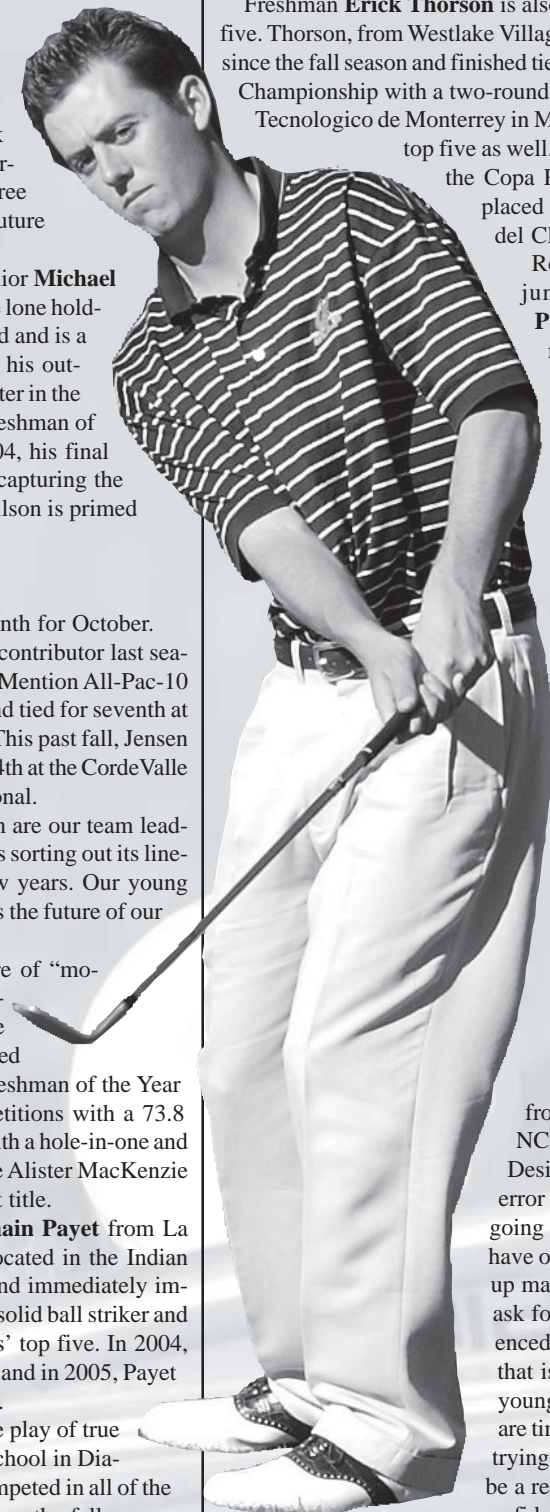
Freddy Wolfe, a 6-5, 215-pounder from College of the Desert. Originally slated to redshirt, Wolfe improved so much in the fall that the Cal coaches decided to utilize him this spring. As a freshman at the College of the Desert, he had four top five finishes, including a third place spot at the Rio Hondo Invitational. Wolfe's father, Bob, played basketball and golf, and competed in track at Cal from 1966-68.

Freshman **Erick Thorson** is also in the mix for a spot in the Bears' top five. Thorson, from Westlake Village, Calif. has rapidly improved his game since the fall season and finished tied for third at the 2006 Livermore Valley Championship with a two-round 153. Junior transfer **Diego Salas**, from Tecnologico de Monterrey in Mexico, is working to earn a spot in Cal's top five as well. In 2004, Salas finished as runner-up in the Copa Ryder Match Play Championship, and placed seventh at the Torneo Annual de Golf del Club Campestre Monterrey.

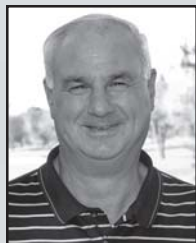
Rounding out the Bears' 2006 squad are junior **Brandon Beck** and freshman **Patrick Traugher**, who will both be redshirting this spring. Beck has been a solid contributor for Cal the past two years and was a 2005 Honorable Mention All-Pac-10 selection after finishing tied for fifth at the Pac-10 Championship with a two-under 282. Traugher is a true freshman from Long Beach Poly High School.

Along with one of the best short games in school history, junior Michael Wilson brings experience from Cal's 2004 NCAA team championship campaign to the Golden Bears in 2006.

"We are going to need really good play from Wilson and Jensen to challenge for an NCAA Championship Regional spot," said Desimone. "There is not a large margin for error on their part. Every tournament we are going to need those two to perform well, and have one of the other three players in our lineup make major contributions. That is a lot to ask for a team that is so young and inexperienced. But, there is a great word in golf, and that is 'patience.' There are times when our young athletes will play great golf, and there are times when things will come apart. We are trying to find that happy medium. This could be a really good team by April. I have a lot of confidence in our younger players and I believe we can smooth things out by April and vie for an NCAA Regional berth. This team gives nothing but 100 percent, so I really believe this group can be something special sooner rather than later."



CALIFORNIA COACHING STAFF



STEVE DESIMONE

Head Coach • 27th Season
University of California, 1970

Head coach Steve Desimone, now in his 27th year at the helm of California Men's Golf, is the man largely responsible for the level of success enjoyed by the Golden Bears program. The 2004 season was magical for Desimone as the veteran coach was able

to achieve the ultimate prize – the NCAA Men's Golf Championship. It was through his hard work and dedication that the Cal Golf program was in a position to win a National Championship.

Cal produced one of the greatest stories in the history of NCAA golf in 2004, coming back from eight strokes down to UCLA in the final day to win by six strokes over the Bruins. It was the culmination of a season in which the Bears had to overcome several injuries, but they were able to play the best golf when it meant the most – at the NCAA Championship. As a result of his team's impressive accomplishment, Desimone was named *Golfweek* Magazine's Collegiate Coach of the Year, and was honored as 2004 Grand Master of the Year by the Northern California Golf Association.

The Bears' program has made tremendous strides since the spring of 1980. It went from a club sport in the early '80s to one of the elite golf programs in the country, having won over 30 tournament titles under Desimone's leadership. Cal has now competed in 11 NCAA Western Re-

gional Championships and five NCAA Championships (1995, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2004), including back-to-back-to-back appearances from 1998 through 2000.

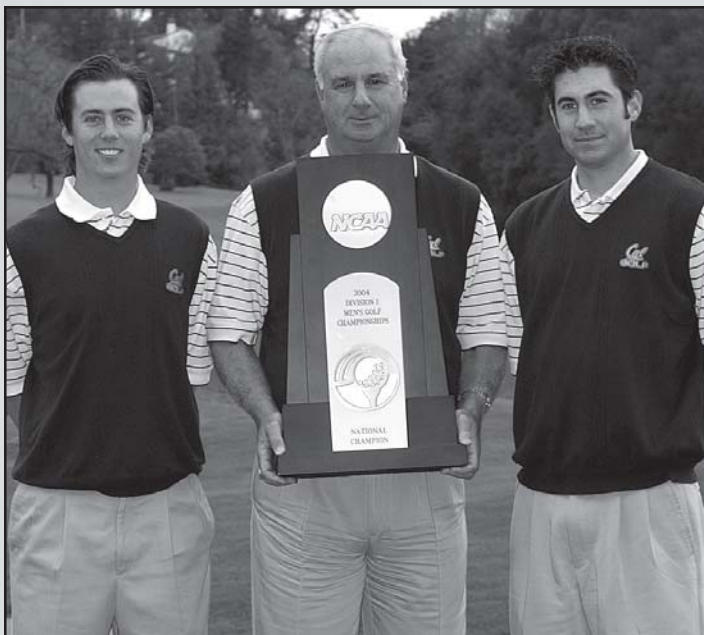
Desimone graduated from Cal in 1970 after playing for the Bears' men's basketball team as an undergraduate. He then served in the United States military before returning to Cal to complete a double major in history and physical education and earning his Master's degree in Physical Education. Upon leaving Cal, Desimone became the Athletic Director at the College Preparatory School in Oakland where he remained until 1988. Desimone eventually returned to Cal in 1980 as Head Coach, and from 1980 to 1988, shared responsibilities between the University and the College Preparatory School. In 1989, Desimone moved to Cal on a full-time basis.

When Desimone came aboard as Head Coach in 1980, he was intent on taking Cal Golf to a higher level. The first steps taken were to form the Cal Golf Committee in 1980, the primary support group for the golf team, and to return the program from a club team to NCAA status, which was accomplished in 1982. Soon after, Desimone began crafting Cal into the nationally respected golf program it has become today. In addition to developing a winning program, he has helped produce seven All-Americans (Ben Furth, Charlie Wi, Garrett Larson, Dan Arroyo, Han Lee, Jeff Hood and last, Peter Tomasulo, who was selected twice in 2003 and 2004) and six All-America Scholars (Furth, Bill Albers, Dan Coyle, Walter Chun, Scott Carlyle, and Tomasulo - Furth, Albers, Chun and Tomasulo were each selected twice).

By 1986-87, Desimone had Cal ranked among the Top 25 teams in the



California Golden Bears coaching staff (left to right): head coach Steve Desimone, Curt David, Walter Chun and Gene Bakkum.



Steve Desimone poses with 2004 standouts Michael Wilson (left) and Jeff Hood and the 2004 NCAA team championship trophy.

nation for the first time in the history of the program. One outstanding performance that season was a dramatic comeback at San Diego State's Frank Scott Memorial Tournament. Trailing fourth-ranked Fresno State by 17 shots going into the final round, the Bears rallied to win their first major championship in 17 years. Cal's success that year helped Desimone win the honor of Pacific-10 Conference Co-Coach of the Year.

During the outstanding 1989-90 season, Desimone brought the Bears golf program to an unprecedented level. The team earned its first NCAA playoff berth in 26 years. Cal competed in the 1964 tournament, but earned its first actual berth in 1990 after the NCAA switched to a selection/qualifying format. Cal played in 13 tournaments that year, placing among the Top 10 in all but two, including three team titles and a third-place tie at the Pac-10 Championships. In addition, the Bears were ranked among the Top 20 teams in the nation throughout the season. The major contributor to the Bears success that year was Cal Golf's first All-American and a Cal Sports Hall of Famer – Ben Furth.

The following season came to a disappointing conclusion for Desimone and the Bears. A career-ending back injury to Furth brought to an end the hope that 1990-91 would surpass Cal's great season the preceding year. Off the course, however, another important step in the rebuilding of Cal Golf was undertaken. With the generous support of the Cal Golf Committee, a small amount of financial aid was offered to incoming student athletes for the first time in 15 years. This was a critical step because it finally demonstrated the Bears were committed to competing nationally in all respects.

The 1994-95 season stands as the second best in the history of Cal Golf. The team finished second to Arizona State at the Pac-10 championships, being selected for its third berth in the NCAA Western Regional in six years. The Bears qualified for the NCAA Championships in Columbus, Ohio, and finished that great season with a sixth-place at the finals. Leading the way was Charlie Wi, 1995 Pac-10 Champion and first-team All-American.

In February 2005, Desimone had the honor of watching three of his former golfers - Wi, Tomasulo and Jesse Ruda - compete as professionals at the 2005 Pebble Beach National Pro-Am on the Monterey Peninsula.

In addition to his current duties at Cal, Desimone is the Manager of the University of California Golf Club, a 130-member Associate Club of the Northern California Golf Association. He has served twice on the NCAA Pacific Region Selection Committee for the NCAA Western Regional from 1991-93 and from 2002-04, and served on the campus-wide NCAA Self-Certification Committee in the mid-90s.

Desimone lives in Orinda with his wife, Linda. They have two children, Kim (22), who graduates this spring from Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo, and Robert (20), who is in his third year at Northern Michigan University.



WALTER CHUN

Assistant Coach • Second Season
University of California, 2001

A graduate from Cal, Chun enters his second year as assistant coach. Prior to his current position, he was the Golden Bears' administrative assistant for the 2003-04 campaign, helping the Bears to the 2004 NCAA title.

A member of the Cal Golf team from 1997-02, Chun was a two-time team captain and competed in three NCAA Western Regionals (2000-02) and the 2000 NCAA Championship. He has also qualified for two U.S. Amateur Championship, the first in 1999 at Pebble Beach and the second in 2002 at Oakland Hills Country Club.

He received his bachelor's degree from the Walter A. Haas School of Business in 2001, and earned a Masters' degree from Cal's Graduate School of Education in 2003. Chun was a three-time Pac-10 All-Academic selection (2000-2002) and a two-time All-America Scholar (2001, 2002) for the Bears.



CURT DAVID

Administrative Assistant • Second Season
University of the Pacific, 1989

Curt David is in his second year as Cal Golf's administrative assistant. David has been a golf club professional since 1991, gaining Class A membership with the PGA of America in 1995. Most recently, he was Head Golf Professional and General Manager at Cherry Island Golf Course in Sacramento, California from 1995-2003 and he was also Head Golf Professional at Ancil Hoffman in Sacramento from 1999-2002.



GENE BAKKUM

Volunteer Asst. Coach • Second season
University of California, Davis, 2000

Gene Bakkum is in his second year as a volunteer assistant after a two-year stint as assistant coach for the Bears for the 2002-03 and 2003-04 seasons. Before Cal, Bakkum served two years as the assistant men's golf coach for his alma mater, UC Davis, and helped the Aggies to a No. 1 ranking in Division II golf and back-to-back NCAA West Regional appearances.

For seven years, Bakkum has instructed at the Nike Jr. Golf camps in Pebble Beach, where he served as Assistant Director for two years. He teaches at the Metropolitan Golf Links in Oakland.

2006 PLAYER PROFILES



BRANDON BECK
Junior • 5-11 • 150
Oak Park, Calif. (Oak Park HS)

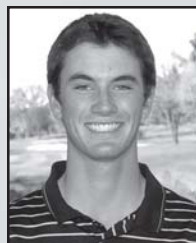
Will redshirt for the 2005-06 season to continue working on his game...emphasis is shifting to scoring elements – short game and putting...**AS A SOPHOMORE (2004-05):** Was named honorable mention All-Pac-10 after finishing tied for fifth at the Pac-10 Championship, shooting 69-69-72-72 – 282 (-2)...played in 10 events during the year, averaging 75.0...tied for 27th (73-73-73 – 219, +6) at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational...finished tied for 37th at the Ashworth Invitational with a score of 223 (77-72-74, +10)...**AS A FRESHMAN (2003-04):** Averaged 74.7 over 22 rounds in seven events...shot a career best 69 in the third round at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational in the fall, where he tied for 12th place...his final round 69 was instrumental in the Bears' come from behind victory...tied for 40th at the Pac-10 Championships with an even-par 72 in the third round for a 308...played in all but one fall tournament...finished tied for 23rd at the Windon Memorial Classic (77-73-72 – 222)...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** Summer 2005 included finishing 23rd at the Southern California Golf Association Amateur, shooting 293 (69-80-73-71)...placed 19th at the Memorial Amateur (73-71-72)...in fall 2005, finished 32nd at the California State Fair, including a 64 in round one to tie the course record...placed eighth at Santa Rosa City (146), third in Roddy Ranch Championship (151) and fourth at Livermore City Championship (144)...in the summer of 2004 placed seventh at the Ventura City Amateur, shooting 145...was eighth at the U.S. Amateur Pub Links qualifier with a 141...placed fifth at the SCGA qualifier, shooting 71...was 40th at the California State Fair with a 218...finished eighth at the 2003 AJGA Las Vegas...placed third at the 2002 AJGA Marshalia Ranch...finished seventh at the 2002 AJGA Heather Farr...won the 2002 Ventura County Tournament of Champions (72-69)...at Oak Park High School was twice named Tri-Valley League MVP (2002-2003)...was selected to the Tri-Valley first team all four years of high school...was both All-Ventura County and first-team All-Valley *Daily News* in 2002 and 2003...high school team was Tri-Valley League champions in 2000, 2001 and 2003...team was a CIF finalist in 2000...had a 72.8 scoring average his senior year...received a bronze medal after competing in the Maccabi Games of 1998 in Detroit, Mich...**PERSONAL:** Brandon Lawrence Beck...majoring in American studies...father, Bruce, played baseball at Pepperdine...parents are Bruce and Robin Beck...born Dec. 12, 1984 in Tarzana, Calif.



KYLE DOWDEN
Sophomore • 6-2 • 170
Camarillo, Calif. (Camarillo HS)

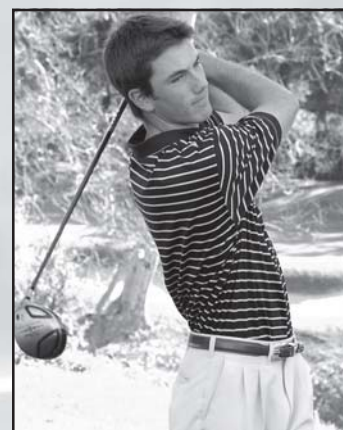
Big upside with the potential of becoming a mainstay in the top five...an excellent putter who is working on his swing and ball striking...**FALL 2005:** Played in six rounds with 76.1 scoring average...**AS A FRESHMAN (2004-05):** Hampered by wrist injury late last spring...played 27 rounds with a 75.6 scoring average...best spring finish was a tie for 15th at the Ashworth Invitational with a score of 216 (75-72-69, +3)...fall highlights included a tie for fifth at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational with a team-best 211 (68-72-71, -2)...defeated Oklahoma State's Zack Robinson, 4 and 3 at the 2004 Hooters Collegiate Match Play Championship, held at Mission Inn Resort at Howey-in-the-Hills, Fla...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** In the summer of 2004 shot 66 in the Long Beach Open qualifying, tying for first...at the Long Beach Open tied for 10th with rounds of 71, 68, 70, 69 for a 277 and was low amateur by nine shots...at the Scratch Players Championship tied for 13th

shooting 75, 74, 74, 75 for a 298...tied for 15th at the Southwest Amateur with rounds of 73, 74, 72, 74 for a 293...won the Ventura City Championship at 139 and shot 30 on the back nine at Poppy Hills at the California State Amateur, which tied the competitive back nine course record (with Mike Weir)...finished second at the 2003 AJGA Arizona (65-69-70 - 204)...placed sixth at the 2003 AJGA Las Vegas (69-72-73 - 214)...posted a second place finish at the Simi Valley City Championship (66-69) and was second at the Aliso Viejo City (72-67)...played in the Pacific View League and was named first-team all-league and all-county all four years...was Pacific View League MVP 2001 and 2003...was *Ventura County Star* and *Los Angeles Daily News* Player of the Year in 2002...was named Team MVP in 2000, 2002 and 2003, leading his squad to league titles in 2000, 2001 and 2002...senior scoring average was 71.7...lowest high school round was a 67...was a Camarillo High Scholar-Athlete all four years...was the California State CIF Male Sportsmanship Award Winner in the spring of 2003...competed for the South during the California North/South team matches...was the youngest golfer to qualify and play in the California Men's State Amateur...**PERSONAL:** Kyle Christopher Dowden...majoring in interdisciplinary studies...great-grandfather, Al Dowden, was the head swimming and water polo coach at Cal in the early 30s and 40s...father, Bill Dowden, played college basketball and golf at UC Irvine and was also Kyle's club coach...parents are Bill and Donna Dowden...born May 22, 1985 in Camarillo, Calif.



MICHAEL JENSEN
Sophomore • 6-0 • 145
Los Altos, Calif. (St. Francis HS)

Strong all around game and an excellent ball striker with tremendous length...continues to work on improving short game and putting...**FALL 2005:** Finished fall season with team low 72.2 stroke average over nine rounds...finished tied for 14th at CordeValle Collegiate, shooting 216 (77-68-71, E)...tied for 17th at Alister MacKenzie Invitational (66-71-75 – 212, -1)...was Cal's best finisher at The Prestige Invitational, tying for 28th (75-74-73 – 222, +6)...**AS A FRESHMAN (2004-05):** Was named honorable mention All-Pac-10...competed in all 12 tournaments with a 73.4 scoring average...tied for seventh at the Pac-10 Championship, shooting 69-68-71-75 – 283 (-1)...had Cal's best finish at the Western Intercollegiate, tying for eighth with a score of 144 (70-74, +4)...tied for 17th at the Ashworth Invitational (72-73-72 – 217, +4)...tied for 23rd at the Hall of Fame Invitational, shooting 220 (77-69-74, +4)...fall highlights include winning his match, 3 and 2, against UCLA's John Poucher at the Collegiate Match Play Championship...tied for 28th at the Big Ten/Pac-10 Challenge (74-79 – 153, +9)...tied for 19th (70-77-70 – 217) at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational...finished tied for 32nd (79-70-74 – 220) at the Windon Memorial Classic and tied for 36th (74-77-70 – 221, +11) at the *Ping/Golfweek* Preview...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** Finished tied for 19th at the 2006 New Year's Invitational, shooting 295 (75-76-68-74, +7)...in 2005, won Napa City Championship (72-72 – 144), Mountain View City Championship (74-66 – 140), Palo Alto City Championship (65-68 – 133) and Santa Clara County (67-70-68 – 205)...qualified for California Golf Association Amateur Championship shooting 73...finished tied for 14th at the



California State Fair (69-69-75 – 213)...tied for 20th in Scratch Players Championship (74-72-71-77 – 294)...shot 141 in U.S. Amateur qualifying to be second alternate...in 2004, tied for sixth at the Northern California Golf Association Stroke Play Championship (72-74-72 – 216)...finished third at the U.S. Amateur Qualifying, advancing to the U.S. Am at Winged Foot...shot 68 in the U.S. Open Local Qualifying to advance to U.S. Open Sectional Qualifying...finished fifth with a 71 at the California State Amateur qualifying, advancing to the State Am...advanced to the round of 16 at the NCGA Match Play Championship...tied for 22nd at the Alameda Commuters with rounds of 74, 69, 71, 70 for a 284...finished tied for 30th at the California State Fair with 75, 69, 70 – 214...at Saint Francis High School was a three-time all-league selection and a 2003 second-team All-American...captured the 2001, 2003 and 2004 NorCal Championships...averaged 34.5 for nine holes during the 2004 season...helped team to third place finish at the CIF State High School Championships and was 2004 MVP for St. Francis High School...**PERSONAL:** Michael David Jensen...undeclared major...parents are John and Terry Jensen...born Apr. 9, 1986 in Los Gatos, Calif.



FREDRIK SVANBERG

Senior • 6-4 • 220
Davos, Switzerland (Lundsbergs Skola/
Orange Coast Community College)

Will compete for a spot in the Bears' top five... game continues to show overall improvement and is a strong competitor...transferred to Cal in 2003 after one year at Orange Coast Community College...

FALL 2005: Finished tied for 30th at the Falcon Invitational (77-71-75 – 223, +7)...**ASA JUNIOR (2004-05):** Played 20 rounds with a 75.4 scoring average...best spring finish was a tie for 28th at the Western Intercollegiate (72-77 – 149, +9)...tied for 36th at the Pac-10 Championship, shooting 72-76-72-73 – 293, +9...competed as an individual at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational, tying for 39th (79-68-75 – 222, +9)... shot 155 (78-77, +11) in two rounds at the Big Ten/Pac-10 Challenge...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** In 2005, finished tied for fifth at the Santa Clara Championship (70-72-75 – 217)...placed tied for 19th at the Danish International Amateur Championship (71-77-75 – 223)...finished tied for 36th at the Swiss International Amateur Championship (70-72-75-78 – 295)...in the summer of 2004, competed at the Olivier Barras Memorial (75-72-74 – 221) to tie for 22nd, winning the amateur category for the third year in a row and fourth time in the last six years ('99, '02, '03, '04)...finished tied for 16th at the Swiss National Championship (stroke play) with scores of 75-79-74-70 for a 298...tied for 14th at the Swiss International Championship (71-78-72-70 – 291)...also tied for 14th at the Swiss Central Championship (79-76-71 – 226)...shot 148 and advanced to match play in the Swiss National Championship...is a member of the Swiss Regional Team (1994-00) and a current Swiss National Team member...shot a course record 66 during the final round at the 2003 Nike Open in Trosa, Sweden (73-70-66 – 209)...while at Orange Coast Community College, fired a league low round of 66 on a par 72 in 2002 and a personal low round of 63 on a par 70...2001 Swiss Amateur Match-Play Champion and runner-up in 2003...12th at the Swiss Junior Championships and 18th at the Swiss International Championships...**PERSONAL:** Nils Fredrik Julius Svanberg...majoring in political economy of industrial societies...parents are Monika and the late Bjorn Svanberg...born Dec. 28, 1981 in Tranas, Sweden.



JEFF VETTERICK

Sophomore • 6-0 • 160
San Diego, Calif. (Torrey Pines HS)

Solid ball striker with real length to his game...must improve short game and putting to earn a spot in the Bears' top five...has shown definite improvement and is looking to find a spot in the lineup...redshirted during the 2003-04 season...**FALL 2005:** Played in

nine rounds with a scoring average of 75.3...best finish was tying for eighth place at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational (70-65-75 – 210, -3)...**AS A FRESHMAN (2004-05):** Competed in 21 rounds with a scoring average of 75.8...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** In 2005, tied for seventh at the Southern California Golf Association Amateur qualifying, shooting 72...tied for 14th at the Long Beach City Amateur (75-70-71 – 216)...in the summer of 2004, shot 148 at the U.S. Amateur to finish 13th of 90... at the Long Beach City Match Play qualifying shot 138, finishing fourth out of 200... placed third at the 2002 FCWT (70-71-72 – 213)... finished sixth at the 2002 AJGA San Jose (69-75-68 – 212)... was seventh at the 2002 AJGA Marshalia Ranch (75-71-76 – 222) and 17th at the 2002 AJGA Morgan Run (70-72-73 – 215)... was named *San Diego Tribune* Athlete of the Week in 2003...his high school team was league champions from 2001-2003, CIF champions from 2002-2003 and state champions in an undefeated 2003 season under coach Matt MacCullough...was a medalist nine times in 2003...**PERSONAL:** Jeffrey Robert Vetterick...was a high school scholar-athlete from 2001-2003...undeclared major with plans to graduate from Cal's Haas School of Business...parents are Jerry and Barb Vetterick...born Sept. 30, 1984 in Chicago, Ill.

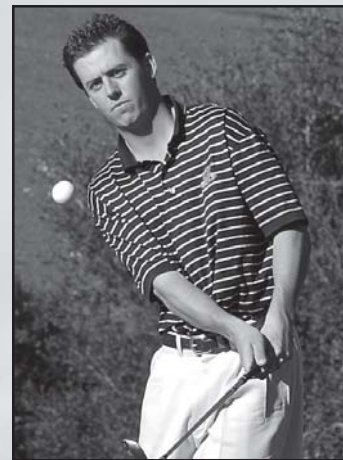


MICHAEL WILSON

Junior • 5-10 • 155
Pacific Grove, Calif. (Pacific Grove HS)

Candidate for both All-America and All-America Scholar accolades...Coming off a redshirt year and had an outstanding fall...one of the legendary short games in college golf, and quite possibly the best putter in the history of the Bears' program...his final two rounds of 69, 71 at the 2004 NCAA Championship were key

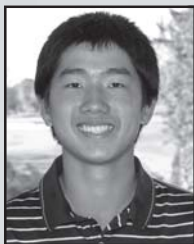
components in the team's national championship... **FALL 2005:** Played in all five competitions with a 72.6 scoring average...won the inaugural UCLA Corde Valle Collegiate by six shots (69-70-67 – 206, -10) with a back nine 30 in the last round... named Pac-10 Men's Golfer of the Month for October...tied for sixth at the Falcon Invitational (71-70-73 – 214, -2)...tied for 17th at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational (72-71-69 – 212, -1)...**AS A SOPHOMORE (2003-04):** Fought a viral infection most of the year, yet competed in all but one spring event, with a 74.0 scoring average, and 12 of the team's event total during the 2003-04 season...tied for 33rd at the NCAA Championships (76-74-69-71 – 290, +10)...tied for 70th at the 2004 NCAA West Regional (79-69-80 – 228, +12)...tied for 33rd at the Pac-10 Championship, after steadily improving throughout each of the four rounds (80-77-75-72 – 304, +16)...tied for ninth at both the Western Intercollegiate, with a score of 216 (+6), and in the U.S. Intercollegiate, with a three-over-par 216...finished ninth at the Alister MacKenzie (70-72-68 – 210, -3) and third at the Mid-Pines Intercollegiate (69-71-67 – 207, -9), during the fall...**AS A FRESHMAN (2002-03):** Was named Pac-10 Co-Freshman of the Year and was second-team All-Pac-10...posted a 71.9 scoring average, best freshman scoring average in Cal Golf history...finished a team-high ninth (72-69-70 – 211, -2) at the U.S. Intercollegiate...placed a team-high seventh (76-68-68 – 212, +2) at the Western Intercollegiate...finished a team-high tied for fourth (68-70-71 – 209, -7) at the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate...tied for third (73-71-67 – 211, -2) at USC's Cleveland Classic...first Cal golfer to win his first-ever collegiate tournament, shooting a 69-69-70 – 208 (-8) at the Mid-Pines Intercollegiate...placed seventh at the Alister MacKenzie Invitational (70-68-70 – 208, -5)...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** Finished tied for third at



the 2006 New Year's Invitational in St. Petersburg, Fla. (72-71-72-70 - 286, -3)...in 2005, won the prestigious San Francisco City Championship, defeating Daniel Lim of Stanford in the championship match...finished sixth at the Southwestern Amateur (70-72-69-65 - 276)...finished 25th in Scratch Players Championship (76-72-74-74 - 296)...qualified for Match Play at California Golf Association Amateur Championship (75-67-76 - 218)...qualified with a 65 for the Northern California Golf Association Amateur Match Play Championship...in the summer of 2004, finished fourth at the California State Fair (68-67-70 - 205)...also competed in the Scratch Players Championship and the Pacific Coast Amateur...tied for seventh at the 2003 Pacific Coast Amateur (72-67-70-70 - 279)...advanced to the first round of Match Play at the 2003 Canadian Amateur (75-76)...a team captain since his sophomore year, helped Pacific Grove High School to league titles as a junior and senior...individually, was a three-time league

champion, including winning sectionals his sophomore year, and regionals as a sophomore and senior...a four-time all-league selection...represented Northern California at the Junior America's Cup at Sahalee, Wash., and the Hogan Cup in Portland, Ore....medalist at the 2002 regional (71) and sectional (73-66) Big I Qualifier, held at De Laveaga Golf Club...placed third at the 2002 Big I National Tournament in Houston, Texas...medalist at the 2002 NCGA Sacramento Qualifier (70)...placed fourth at U.S. Amateur Qualifier (69-75)...won 2000 USGA Junior Amateur Qualifier by six strokes (69-72)...was second at the 2000 California Junior Amateur (74-71-71 - 216)...placed fourth at the 2000 Hogan Cup (79-70)...was also a two-year letter winner in cross country... **PERSONAL:** Michael Cameron Wilson...majoring in mass communications... grandfather, George Rader, attended Cal...parents are Terry Wilson and Sandy Rader...born Feb. 8, 1984 in Monterey, Calif.

NEWCOMERS



ADITYA GANDRANATA

Freshman • 5-9 • 165

Jakarta, Indonesia (The Pendleton School - The Leadbetter Academy)

Will be a candidate for Pac-10 Freshman of the Year honors...possibly the most decorated incoming freshman in Cal Golf history...was a key contributor for the Bears in the fall and is developing into one

of the best freshmen in the country...tremendous ball striker who is working

to improve short game and putting...**FALL 2005:** Competed in all five competitions in the fall with a 73.8 scoring average...shot season

low 68, including a hole-in-one on the 11th hole and an eagle on the 13th hole at the Meadow Club during the final round of the Alister MacKenzie Invitational to finish tied for 10th (69-74-68 - 211, -2)...his final round 68 was instrumental in the Bears' come from behind victory...tied for 12th (70-73-77 - 220, +4) at the Falcon Invitational...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** Tied for 13th at the 2006 New Year's Invitational in St.

Petersburg, Fla. (76-71-74-72 - 293, +5)...in 2005, shot 141 to finish second in the U.S. Amateur qualifying, advancing to the U.S. Amateur at Merion Golf Club...shot 69 in U.S. Open Local Qualifying, advancing to U.S. Open Sectional Qualifying...finished second at the Florida Azalea Amateur (72-70-68 - 210)...tied for fifth at the Cardinal Amateur (73-69-66 - 208)...tied for third at the Palo Alto City Championship (70-69 - 139)...tied for seventh at the MCI Junior Heritage (72-73 - 145)...finished tied for 20th at the California State Fair (72-70-72 - 212)...tied for 22nd at the Rice Planters Amateur (69-74-70 - 213)...in 2004, was selected to the prestigious AJGA Canon Cup, representing the East...selected as AJGA Honorable Mention Rolex Junior All-American...won Junior Champions Tour National Championship (71-71 - 142)...tied for second at the AJGA Thunderbird International (68-72-71 - 211)...finished tied for eighth in the AJGA PING Indianapolis Junior (74-72-76 - 222)...tied for 15th at the AJGA Rolex Tournament of Champions (69-76-71-72 - 288)...in 2003, selected as AJGA Third-Team Rolex Junior All-American...won Junior Champions Tour Solana Classic (67-67 - 134)...tied for second at the AJGA HP Boys Junior Championship (74-72-70-72 - 288)...tied for second at the AJGA Greater Hartford Open Junior Classic (73-71-71 - 215)...tied for second at AJGA First American Title Avila Junior Classic (72-71-68 - 211)...tied for fifth at the AJGA Buick Junior Classic (73-75-



73 - 221)...tied for 15th at the AJGA Robert Trent Jones Junior (75-73-75 - 223)...tied for 19th at the Doral Publix Junior Classic (73-75-72 - 220)...trained at the David Leadbetter Academy...was twice named Most Dedicated Player and once named Most Valuable Player...**PERSONAL:** Aditya "George" Gandranata...undeclared major...would like to play professional golf...parents are Eddy Tanribra and Tan Muelan Gandranata...born Mar. 22, 1986 in Jakarta, Indonesia.



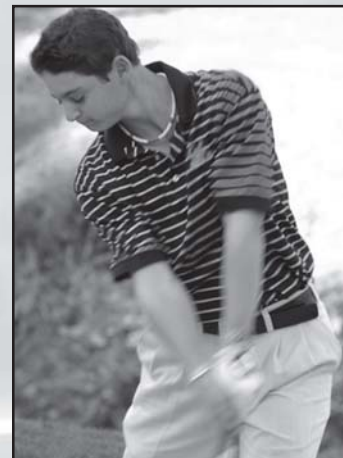
ROMAIN PAYET

Freshman • 5-10 • 150

La Montagne, Reunion Island (Jacques Cartier HS)

Entered Cal midseason in the spring and moved into the top five immediately...a polished player for such a young athlete...solid ball striker and good putter...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** In 2005,

ranked 34th in individual rankings of French amateurs...won Reunion Island Championship, shooting 149 (75-74)...was low individual in Team French Championship (68)...finished sixth at the Les Landes Championship (72-77-67-67 - 283)...was low French amateur, placing 29th in the professional event, Mauritius Open (75-73-72 - 220)...finished 30th at Italian International Amateur (74-69 - 145)...in 2004, finished final French boys ranking at No. 6...won Dinard Trophy (67-71-72 - 210)...finished second at the Les Landes Championship (68-71-63-72 - 274), tying Sergio Garcia's course record in the third round...placed 10th at the Niort Championship (73-71 - 144)...was a member of the French Boys Team...in 2003, won Reunion Island Amateur Match Play Championship...won French Boys Championship by five shots (70-71 - 141)...won Reunion Trophy (76-75 - 151)...was low individual in Team French Championship (72)...finished third at the West Cup (75-73 - 148)...finished eighth at French Boys Masters (73-74 - 147)...placed 12th at Niort Championship (73-71 - 144)...was low French amateur and placed 15th in the professional event, Audi Quattro Open (76-75-73-70 - 294)...member of French Boys Group in the British Boys Amateur Championship...**PERSONAL:** Romain Ken Payet...undeclared major...would like to play professional golf...parents are Alain and Sophie Payet...born June 20, 1987 in St. Paul, Reunion Island.

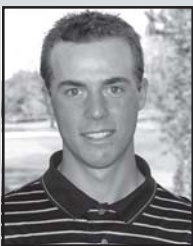




DIEGO SALAS

Junior • 5-10 • 155
Monterrey, Mexico
(Tecnologico de Monterrey)

A junior transfer from Tecnologico de Monterrey in Mexico...is working to earn a spot in the Bears' top five...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** In summer of 2004, finished runner-up in the Copa Ryder Match Play Championship...placed seventh at the Torneo Annual de Golf del Club Campestre Monterrey (72-75-73 - 220)...finished ninth at the Torneo Annual Club Campestre de Saltillo (71-79-73 - 223)...finished third at the 2003 Torneo Annual de Golf de Club Campestre las Misiones (72-78 - 150)...in 2002, won Gira Infantil Juvenil Zona Norte (73-71 - 144), the Torneo Annual de Golf Club Valle Alto (77-73 - 150) and the Torneo Annual de Golf del Club Campestre Monterrey (73-75 - 148)...**PERSONAL:** Diego Salas Trevino...undeclared major with an interest in attending graduate school in business...parents are Luis Salas and Susana Trevino...born Sept. 21, 1984 in Monterrey, Mexico.

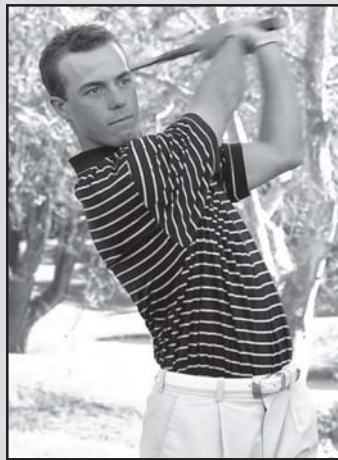


ERICK THORSON

Freshman • 5-9 • 155
Westlake Village, Calif. (Oaks Christian HS/Moorpark Community College)

A freshman who transferred to Cal from Moorpark Community College in Westlake Village, Calif...has strong work ethic, is improving quickly and has a shot at making the Bears' top five...**HIGH**

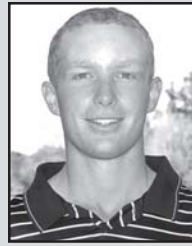
SCHOOL/AMATEUR: Finished tied for third at the 2006 Livermore Valley Championship (153)...was the Frontier League champion (72-73 - 145), the IJGA summer camp boys champion (75-73 - 148) and the winner of the Pepsi Tour Metropolitan G.L. (75)... placed second at the Pepsi Tour Rancho San Marcos (75-70 - 145)...finished third at the IJGT Shadow Ridge (73-72 - 145)... placed fifth at the IJGT Doubletree G.C. (77-75 - 153)...**PERSONAL:** Erick David Thorson...undeclared major...would like to play professional golf...parents are David and Tracey Thorson...born Oct. 27, 1985 in West Covina, Calif.



PATRICK TRAUGHER

Freshman • 5-9 • 155
Long Beach, Calif. (Long Beach Poly HS)

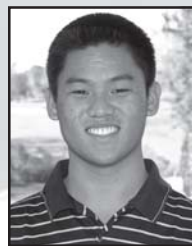
Is slated to redshirt during the 2005-06 season...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** In 2004, qualified for Long Beach Match Play Championship, shooting 69-71 - 140 and advancing to the second round, winning 3 and 2...placed second at the Moore League Individual Championship (74-68-69-74 - 285)...finished third at the Knabe Cup (72)...finished 10th at the CIF Central Regional Individual Tournament (72)...placed second at the AJGA True Temper Open (77-74-71 - 222)...**PERSONAL:** Christopher Patrick Traugher...undeclared major...would like to attend graduate school...was a member of the National Honor Society, as well as the 2003 and 2004 National Honor Roll...Governor's Scholarship Award recipient...parents are Christopher and Marianne Traugher...born Oct. 29, 1986 in Torrance, Calif.



FREDERICK WOLFE

Sophomore • 6-5 • 215
League City, Texas
(Clear Creek HS/College of the Desert)

Transferred to Cal from College of the Desert in Palm Desert, Calif...is improving quickly and challenging for a spot in the Bears' top five...has tremendous length and is developing a short game to match...**AS A FRESHMAN:** At College of the Desert, had four Top 5 finishes, including a third place at the Rio Hondo Invitational with score of 72...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** In 2006, finished second at the Livermore Valley Championship (78-74 - 152)...finished tied for sixth place at the Silicon Valley Amateur Championship (74-77 - 151)...in 2005, placed fourth at Napa City Championship (76-73 - 149)...tied for fifth at the Roddy Ranch Championship (76-75 - 151)...tied for fifth at the Metropolitan Golf Championship (72-72 - 144)...qualified for Northern California Golf Association Match Play with score of 74...**PERSONAL:** Frederick Lee Wolfe...undeclared major...would like to play professional golf...played varsity baseball at Clear Creek High School, earning first-team all-district...was on the Principal's Academic List and a Superintendent's Scholar...father, Bob, played basketball and golf and competed in track at Cal...parents are Bob and the late Marta Wolfe...born May 16, 1986 in Galveston, Texas.



LARRY WONG

Freshman • 5-8 • 160
Diamond Bar, Calif. (Diamond Ranch HS)

A true freshman who is extremely accurate from tee to green...**FALL 2005:** Competed in all five tournaments for the Bears, recording a 76.4 scoring average...best finish came at UCLA's Corde Valle Collegiate, finishing tied for 30th, shooting a 219 (78-70-71, +3)...**HIGH SCHOOL/AMATEUR:** In 2004, finished second at the SCPGA Toyota Tour Cup at Bermuda Dunes (71-69 - 140)... placed fourth at the AJGA Marshalia Ranch (72-75-71 - 218)...finished seventh at the SCPGA Toyota Tour Cup at Singing Hills (72-75 - 147)...in 2003, finished ninth at the AJGA Nike Golf Junior All-Star Classic at Cimarron (72-70-72 - 214)...placed ninth at the SCPGA Toyota Tour Cup at Cottonwood (76-69 - 145)...**PERSONAL:** Larry Wong...undeclared major...would like to attend medical school...was the Diamond Ranch High School Valedictorian and the Governor's Scholarship Award recipient...was the recipient of the 2003-2005 Scholar-Athlete award...parents are Eddie and Evelyn Wong...born Sept. 7, 1987 in Monterey, Calif.

