

CALIFORNIA

GOLDEN BEARS



Junior

MICHAEL WILSON

2006 All-America Candidate
2006 All-America Scholar Candidate
2003 Pac-10 Co-Freshman of the Year
2003 Second-Team All-Pac-10



Sophomore

MICHAEL JENSEN

2006 All-America Candidate
2005 Honorable Mention All-Pac-10

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CAL GOLF QUICK FACTS

Location: Berkeley, CA
Enrollment: 32,000
Founded: 1868
Nickname: Golden Bears
Colors: Blue (282) & Gold (116)
Conference: Pacific-10
Home Course: Orinda Country Club
Chancellor: Robert Birgeneau
Athletic Director: Sandy Barbour
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2005 Pac-10 Finish: Eighth
2005 NCAA Regional/Finish: Individual Only
2005 NCAA Championship Finish: N/A
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Returning Redshirts: 1
Lettermen Lost: 3
Newcomers: 7
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2005-06 CALIFORNIA MEN'S GOLF ROSTER

Name	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
Brandon Beck*	5-11	150	Jr.	2V	Oak Park, Calif. (Oak Park HS)
Kyle Dowden	6-2	170	So.	1V	Somis, Calif. (Camarillo HS)
George Gandranata	5-9	165	Fr.	HS	Jakarta, Indonesia (The Pendleton School)
Michael Jensen	6-0	145	So.	1V	Los Altos, Calif. (St. Francis HS)
Romain Payet	5-10	150	Fr.	HS	La Montagne, Reunion Island (Jacques Cartier HS)
Diego Salas	5-10	155	Jr.	TR	Garza Garcia, Mexico (Tecnologico de Monterrey)
Fredrik Svanberg	6-4	220	Sr.	1V	Davos, Switzerland (Lundsbergs Skola/Orange Coast CC)
Erick Thorson	5-9	155	Fr.	HS	Westlake Village, Calif. (Moorpark College)
Patrick Traugher*	5-9	155	Fr.	HS	Long Beach, Calif. (Long Beach Poly HS)
Jeff Vetterick	6-0	160	So.	1V	Rancho Santa Fe, Calif. (Torrey Pines HS)
Michael Wilson	5-10	155	Jr.	2V	Pacific Grove, Calif. (Pacific Grove HS)
Freddy Wolfe	6-5	215	So.	JC	League City, Texas (College of the Desert)
Larry Wong	5-8	160	Fr.	HS	Diamond Bar, Calif. (Diamond Ranch HS)

*denotes player will redshirt the 2005-06 season

Head Coach: Steve Desimone (Cal 1970, 27th year)
Assistant Coach: Walter Chun (Cal 2001, Second year)

Administrative Assistant: Curt David (Pacific 1989, Second year)
Volunteer Assistant: Gene Bakkum (UC Davis 2000, Second year)



THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

The San Francisco Bay Area is a major metropolitan area of approximately six million people and one of the most scenic regions in the United States. The Bay Area includes the major cities of San Francisco and Oakland, as well as Berkeley, home of the world-renowned University of California. Just south is the city of San Jose and the Silicon Valley, home to many of the world's high-tech companies. The Bay Area also lies within easy driving distance of the high Sierra resorts of Lake Tahoe and Yosemite, the Monterey/Carmel peninsula, the world famous Napa wine country, and the spectacular Mendocino Coast.

Everyone knows "The City" – San Francisco – from countless photographs, movies and television shows that capture its magic. It is a city built on a series of more than 40 hills, offering panoramic views of every kind. The hub of a nine-county complex and the financial and insurance capital of the world, San Francisco has a resident population of about 740,000. San Francisco is situated on a 46.6 square-mile peninsula bounded on the west by the Pacific Ocean, on the north by the Golden Gate strait, and from north to east by the San Francisco Bay. The City has been named the world's top city twice by readers of *Condé Nast Traveler* and the top U.S. city seven times since 1988.

The San Francisco Bay is spanned by two landmarks, the Golden Gate and San Francisco-Oakland Bay bridges, and graced by four islands: Alcatraz, Angel, Yerba Buena and Treasure. The area is easily navigated by car, BART (Bay Area Rapid Transit), bus or ferry, making it easily accessible to all.

Located across the Bay Bridge from San Francisco, Oakland is a city of 400,000, jam-packed with exciting attractions, stimulating arts, and an ideal climate. Oakland's charm exceeds its man-made wonders, as its tumbling hills, vast forests, hiking and riding trails, beautiful lakes and numerous parks provide a natural escape for those who prefer nature over an urban environment.

Berkeley, just a 12-mile drive from San Francisco, is situated on 18.8 square miles with a population of 103,000 people. A study in contrasts,



The Berkeley hills offer a spectacular, panoramic view of the San Francisco Bay Area, including the Golden Gate Bridge.

Berkeley is a small town with a big-city character. With its world-renowned university, global population and rich diversity of cultural arts, Berkeley reflects and affects the rest of the country.

In the Berkeley hills, Tilden Regional Park offers more than 30 miles of hiking trails, a public golf course, swimming at Lake Anza and plenty of places to picnic. As part of its wealth of cultural life, Berkeley boasts the award-winning Berkeley Repertory Theatre, an opera company, a nationally celebrated symphony and a ballet company.

Just north of San Francisco, across the shining jewel of the Bay Area – the Golden Gate Bridge – lies Marin County and the North Bay. Stunning views of hills and mountains cascading into the bay and the ocean at every turn, Marin County boasts some of the most beautiful scenery in the world.

The Golden Gate National Recreation Area, the only U.S. national park in a major metropolitan area, is the largest urban park in the world. Muir Woods National Monument offers peaceful walks and hikes through majestic groves of towering redwoods, while Point Reyes National Seashore offers spectacular bird and whale watching.

Sports fans can see it all in the Bay Area – professional football (San Francisco 49ers, Oakland Raiders), professional basketball (Golden State Warriors), professional baseball (San Francisco Giants, Oakland Athletics), professional hockey (San Jose Sharks), professional soccer (San Jose Earthquakes), and outstanding collegiate competition.

Sources: S.F. Convention and Visitors Bureaus, Oakland Convention & Visitors Authority, Berkeley Convention and Visitors Bureau, and the California Trade and Commerce Agency.

TOP U.S. CITIES

1. San Francisco, CA
2. Santa Fe, NM
3. New York, NY
4. Charleston, SC
5. Chicago, IL
6. New Orleans, LA
7. Honolulu, HI
8. Boston, MA
9. Carmel, CA
10. San Diego, CA

Source: *Condé Nast Traveler* magazine, 2004 Readers' Choice Awards



The Golden Gate Bridge and San Francisco's downtown skyline.



CALIFORNIA GOLDEN BEARS



2006 California men's golf team. **TOP ROW (L-R)** Volunteer assistant Gene Bakkum, Michael Jensen, Brandon Beck, Freddy Wolfe, Fredrik Svanberg, Kyle Dowden, Jeff Vetterick, head coach Steve Desimone. **FRONT ROW (L-R)** Administrative assistant Curt David, assistant coach Walter Chun, Diego Salas, Michael Wilson, Patrick Traugher, George Gandranata, Erick Thorson, Larry Wong, Romain Payet.

2005-06 CALIFORNIA MEN'S GOLF SCHEDULE

2005 FALL TOURNAMENTS

<i>Date</i>	<i>Days</i>	<i>Tournament</i>	<i>Host</i>	<i>Results</i>
Sept. 10-11	Sat.-Sun.	The Falcon Invitational Eisenhower Golf Club, Colorado Springs, Colo.	Air Force Academy	Fifth
Oct. 3-4	Mon.-Tues.	Pac-10/Big 10 Challenge The Glen Club, Glenview, Ill.	Northwestern/Oregon	14th
Oct. 10-11	Mon.-Tues.	Alister MacKenzie Invitational The Meadow Club, Fairfax, Calif.	California	Champions
Oct. 17-18	Mon.-Tues.	The Prestige Greg Norman Course at PGA West, La Quinta, Calif.	Stanford/UC Davis	14th
Oct. 31-Nov. 1	Mon.-Tues.	CordeValle Classic CordeValle Country Club, San Martin, Calif.	UCLA	Third

2006 SPRING TOURNAMENTS

Jan. 30-31	Mon.-Tues.	PING/Arizona Intercollegiate The Arizona National Golf Club, Tucson, Ariz.	Arizona	14th tie
Feb. 22-24	Wed.-Fri.	John Burns Intercollegiate Leilehua Golf Course, Wahiawa, Oahu, Hawaii	Hawaii	14th
Mar. 13-14	Mon.-Tue.	Farms Collegiate Invitational The Farms Golf Club, Rancho Santa Fe, Calif.	San Diego	
Mar. 27-28	Mon.-Tue.	The Western Intercollegiate Pasatiempo Golf Club, Santa Cruz, Calif.	San Jose State	
Apr. 8-9	Sat.-Sun.	ASU Thunderbird Invitational Karsten Golf Course, Tempe, Ariz.	Arizona State	
Apr. 15-16	Sat.-Sun.	U.S. Intercollegiate Stanford Golf Course, Stanford, Calif.	Stanford	
Apr. 24-26	Mon.-Wed.	Pac-10 Championship Canyons at Bighorn Golf Course, Palm Springs, Calif.	USC	
May 18-20	Thu.-Sat.	NCAA Western Regionals The Tucson National Golf Club, Tucson, Ariz.	Arizona	
May 31-June 3	Wed.-Sat.	NCAA Championships Crosswater Golf Club, Sunriver, Ore.	Portland	