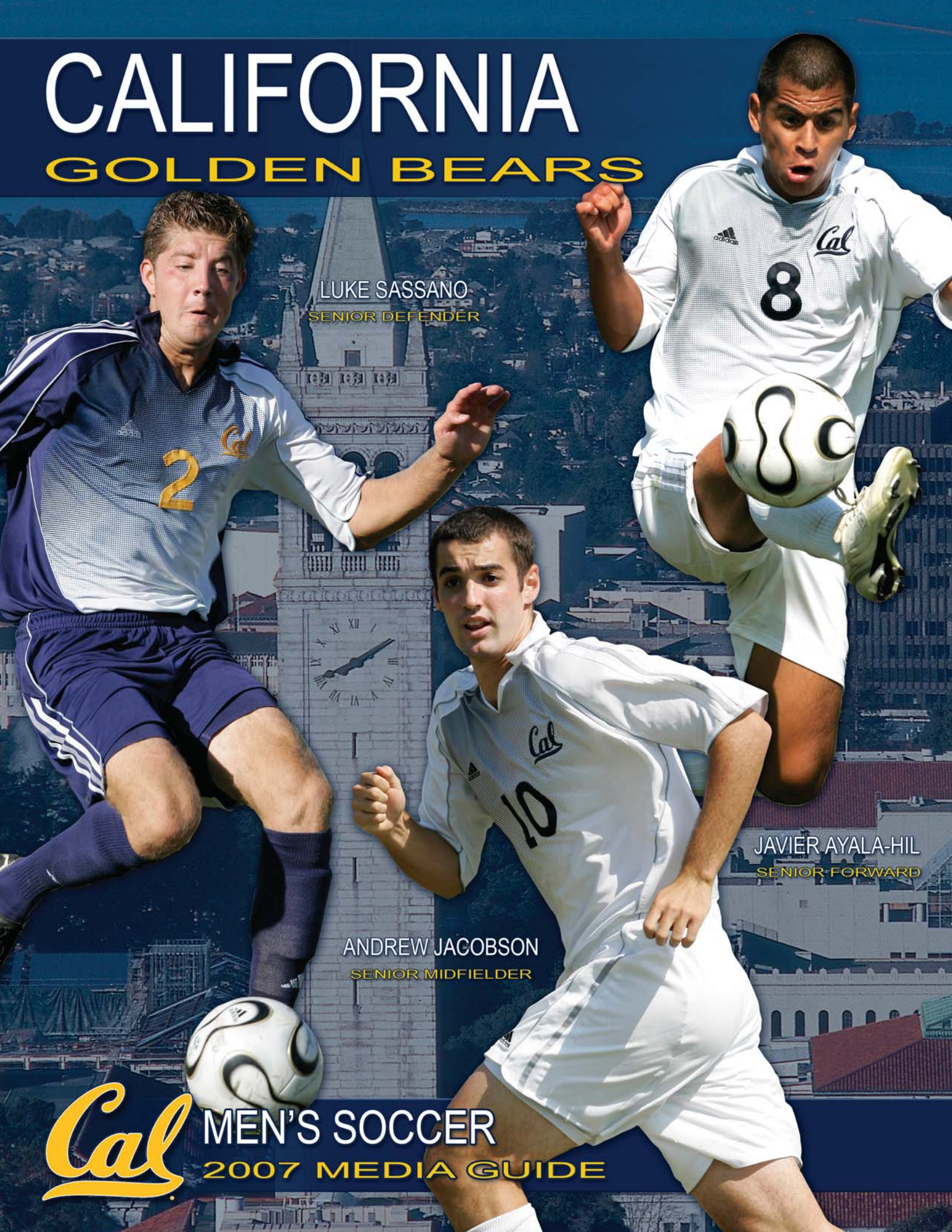


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GOLDEN BEARS

A composite image featuring three Cal Golden Bears soccer players in action. The background is a high-angle view of the San Francisco skyline, with the Transamerica Pyramid and a clock tower prominently visible. On the left, a player in a blue and white jersey with the number 2 is shown in a dynamic pose. In the center, a player in a white jersey with the number 10 is running towards the viewer. On the right, a player in a white jersey with the number 8 is kicking a soccer ball. The players are wearing Adidas-branded jerseys and shorts. The overall composition is energetic and highlights the team's connection to the city.

LUKE SASSANO
SENIOR DEFENDER

JAVIER AYALA-HIL
SENIOR FORWARD

ANDREW JACOBSON
SENIOR MIDFIELDER



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FRONT ROW (l-r) – Hector Jimenez, Scot Van Buskirk, Davis Paul, Imaan Kerchani, Chris Deal, Jacob Wilson, Javier Ayala-Hil, Servando Carrasco. MIDDLE ROW (l-r) Head coach Kevin Grimes, Goalkeeper coach Henry Foulk, Ian Ebert, Michael Nieraeth, Patrick Fry, Stefan Frei, Jordan Bethke, A.J. Soares, Volunteer coach Mike Munoz, Assistant coach Pieter Lehrer. BACK ROW (l-r) – Anthony Avalos, Patrick Dolan, Kyle Rice, Tyler Barry, Pat Marion, Andrew Jacobson, Luke Sassano, Josh Leon, Evan Sassano. NOT PICTURED Andrew Wiedeman, Demitrius Omphroy.

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/Previous School
1	Patrick Fry	G	6-3	165	Jr.	Concord, Calif. / Cal State Los Angeles (Concord HS)
2	Luke Sassano	D	6-0	170	Sr.	Orinda, Calif. / Miramonte HS
3	Andrew Wiedeman	F	5-11	160	Fr.	San Ramon, Calif. / California HS
4	Anthony Avalos	M	5-11	160	Fr.*	Morgan Hill, Calif. / Live Oak HS
5	Tyler Barry	D	6-0	165	Jr.	Mission Viejo, Calif. / Tesoro HS
6	Davis Paul	F	5-8	145	Fr.	Upland, Calif. / Damien HS
7	Servando Carrasco	M	5-10	170	Fr.	San Diego, Calif. / St. Augustine HS
8	Javier Ayala-Hil	F	5-8	160	Sr.	East Palo Alto, Calif. / Menlo-Atherton HS
9	Hector Jimenez	M	5-9	140	So.	Bell Gardens, Calif. / Bell Gardens HS
10	Andrew Jacobson	M	6-2	185	Sr.*	Palo Alto, Calif. / Gunn HS
11	Jacob Wilson	F	5-10	174	Jr.*	Fremont, Calif. / Washington HS
12	Evan Sassano	D	5-11	150	So.	Orinda, Calif. / Miramonte HS
13	Josh Leon	D	6-1	160	So.	Calabasas, Calif. / Calabasas HS
14	A.J. Soares	M	6-0	170	Fr.	Solana Beach, Calif. / Torrey Pines HS
15	Michael Nieraeth	M	6-0	170	Jr.	Lakewood, Calif. / Mayfair HS
16	Kyle Rice	D	5-11	160	So.*	Lake Forest, Calif. / El Toro HS
17	Scot Van Buskirk	F	5-8	145	Fr.	Pleasant Hill, Calif. / College Park HS
18	Patrick Dolan	M	6-1	180	Fr.*	Concord, Calif. / De La Salle HS
19	Pat Marion	M	6-2	190	Jr.	Coto de Caza, Calif. / Tesoro HS
20	Imaan Kerchani	M	5-9	140	So.	San Jose, Calif. / Leigh HS
21	Chris Deal	F	5-8	175	Jr.*	San Jose, Calif. / City College of San Francisco JC
22	Demitrius Omphroy	F	5-10	165	Fr.	Alameda, Calif. / Venture School
23	Stefan Frei	G	6-3	200	So.*	Alamo, Calif. / De La Salle HS
24	Jordan Bethke	G	6-0	185	Fr.	Lake Forest, Calif. / El Toro HS
25	Ian Ebert	M	5-10	145	So.*	Irvine, Calif. / Woodbridge HS

Head Coach: Kevin Grimes (SMU '90, 8th year)

Assistant Coach: Pieter Lehrer (UCLA '90, 3rd year)

Goalkeeper Coach: Henry Foulk (Cal '84, 8th year)

Volunteer Coach: Mike Munoz (Cal '05, 1st year)

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Anthony Avalos Uh-VA-Ios
Jordan Bethke beth-key
Servando Carrasco
SIR-von-dough Cuh-ROSS-co
Stefan Frei Ste-FAWN-FRY
Hector Jimenez HE-men-ez
Imaan Kerchani I-MON
Kurch-GAW-nee
Demitrius Omphroy
Dee-mee-TRI-us Um-froi
Michael Nieraeth NEE-RAW
Evan Sassano Suh-SAW-no
Luke Sassano Suh-SAW-no

BY ELIGIBILITY

Seniors 3
Juniors 6
Sophomores 7
Freshmen 9

BY POSITION

GOALKEEPERS (3)

Jordan Bethke
Stefan Frei
Patrick Fry

DEFENDERS (5)

Tyler Barry
Josh Leon
Kyle Rice
Evan Sassano
Luke Sassano

MIDFIELDERS (10)

Anthony Avalos
Servando Carrasco
Patrick Dolan
Ian Ebert
Andrew Jacobson
Hector Jimenez
Imaan Kerchani
Pat Marion
Michael Nieraeth
A.J. Soares

FORWARDS (7)

Javier Ayala-Hil
Scot Van Buskirk
Chris Deal
Davis Paul
Demitrius Omphroy
Andrew Wiedeman
Jacob Wilson

SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA

The San Francisco Bay Area is a major metropolitan area of approximately eight 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 800,000. 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 *Conde Nast Traveler* and the top U.S. city eight 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.



TOP U.S. CITIES

1. San Francisco, Calif.
2. Santa Fe, N.M.
3. Charleston, S.C.
4. New York, N.Y.
5. Chicago, Ill.
6. Honolulu, Hawaii
7. New Orleans, La.
8. Carmel, Calif.
9. Savannah, Ga.
10. Boston, Mass.

Source: *Conde Nast Traveler magazine, 2005 Readers' Choice Awards*

Located across the Bay Bridge from San Francisco, Oakland is a city of 400,000, filled 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. 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 - lie 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.

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





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