

Niagara Track & Field Hall of Fame
2015 Jack Tupper Daniels Award
Semifinalists Watch List
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The **Jack Tupper Daniels Award** is presented to the Female College Athlete of the Year from other than NCAA Division I Schools in the Niagara District.¹ The award is based on performances in track & field and cross country running during the current school year.

This watch list is based on performances received and verified by 05/31/2015. Nine of the ten athletes on the watch list earned All-American status outdoors (5 also did it indoors) with two national outdoor champions (and 1 indoors). Nine of the ten others considered competed at the outdoor national championships (the tenth was All-American indoors).

2015 Semifinalists Watch List

Count	First Name	Last Name	Year	School	Hometown – High School	Event
1.	Amy	Cymerman	GR	Grand Valley State	Pittsford, NY – Pittsford Sutherland HS	Distance
2.	Jazmin	Dunham	SR	Buffalo State	Rochester, NY – Greece-Olympia	Hurdles
3.	Jacquelin	Huben	JR	Geneseo State	Williamsville, NY – Clarence HS	Distance
4.	Taylor	Hudson	SR	Cortland State	Victor, NY – Victor HS	Multi-events
5.	Marcy	Merritt	SR	Brockport State	Sherwood, WI – Kaukauna HS	Pole Vault
6.	Jazlyn	Porter	JR	Buffalo State	Niagara Falls, NY – Niagara Falls HS	Sprints
7.	Emilia	Scheemaker	SR	Ithaca College	Scarborough, ME – Scarborough HS	Jumps
8.	Brandy	Smith	SO	Ithaca College	Miami, FL – Ransom Everglades School	Throws
9.	Sasa	Vann	JR	Buffalo State	Mastic Beach, NY – Bishop McGann-Mercy	Sprints
10.	Alexa	Wandy	SO	Geneseo State	LaGrangeville, NY – Arlington	Jumps

Others considered:

Kailyn Balzano, JR, Cortland State, East Greenbush, NY / Columbia HS Mid-Distance; **Hannah Brackley**, SR, Nazareth College, Horseheads, NY – Elmira Notre Dame, Sprints; **Nicole Desens**, SR, Fredonia State, Hopewell Junction, NY / Arlington, Throws; **Cameron Edwards**, JR, Rochester, Portland, OR / Catlin Gabel, Hurdles; **Miasia Hillman**, SR, Alfred University, Buffalo, NY – Hutchinson Technical HS, Sprints; **Katherine Pittman**, FR, Ithaca College, Swampscott, MA – Swampscott, Pole Vault; **Sara Roszenweig**, SO, Geneseo State, Merrick, N.Y. / JFK Bellmore, Steeplechase; **Amanda White**, SR, RIT, Watertown, NY / Watertown HS, Mid-Distance; **Paige Willson**, SR, St. John Fisher College; East Concord, NY – Griffith Institute, Throws; **Taylor Youngkrans**, SR, St. John Fisher, Oneida, NY – Oneida, Throws;

A brief summary of last year’s performances for each of these athletes can be viewed on the Niagara Track & Field Hall of Fame website (www.niagaratrackhof.org).

The **Jack Tupper Daniels Award** is one of eight annual awards presented by the Niagara Track & Field Hall of Fame at our annual awards banquet, held in September of every year.

The standard watch list will consist of a maximum of 10 entries. An also mentioned list will also be maintained that will have up to 10 entries. Entry on to these lists is based on performances made during the entire 2014-2015 school year.

Athletes can be nominated for consideration using the nomination form located on the Niagara Track & Field Hall of Fame website (www.niagaratrackhof.org). Nominations can be made by any member of the general public including students, parents, coaches, competition officials, and athletic directors. Self-nominations are accepted.

The sixth regular watch list will be released during the week of 31 May 2015. Subsequent watch lists will be released once or twice per month through to the end of June 2015. Be sure to check the Niagara Track & Field Hall of Fame website for updates to these watch lists.

¹ The Niagara District consists of the State of New York west of and including counties of Oswego, Onondaga, Cortland, and Broome. The twenty-four counties in New York State included are: Allegany, Broome, Cattaraugus, Cayuga, Chautauqua, Chemung, Cortland, Erie, Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Niagara, Onondaga, Ontario, Orleans, Oswego, Schuyler, Seneca, Steuben, Tioga, Tompkins, Wayne, Wyoming, and Yates.