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Caulkins continues to win

INDIANAPOLIS — Junior Tracy Caulkins of Florida continued her attack on the NCAA record book Friday, establishing two meet marks and an NCAA standard at the NCAA Women's Swimming and Diving Championships.

Caulkins began the night by winning the 400-yard individual medley for the third consecutive year. The 21-year-old junior from Nashville, Tenn., then topped the NCAA and meet standard in the 100 breaststroke.

While Caulkins took the individual honors, defending champion Stanford and Texas continued their tight battle for the team title heading into Saturday's conclusion of the three-day meet. Texas was leading with two events left on Friday's program with 236 points. Stanford was next with 190 and Florida held third with 156.

Florida State is in 18th place after a seventh-place finish by Sara Linke in the 200-yard freestyle. Linke set a school record with her 1:48.29 finishing time. Linke also placed 13th in the 400-yard individual medley with a time of 4:25.30. On Thursday she placed fifth in the 500-yard freestyle with a school-record time of 4:45.80.

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FSU takes a dive

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. — Florida State's women's swimming team failed to qualify any swimmers or divers for finals in the last day of the NCAA Women's Swimming and Diving Championships on Saturday.

FSU drops from 18th to 22nd in the nation.