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FLORIDA STATE MEN'S GOLF  
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### FLORIDA STATE MEN'S GOLF TEAM FINISHES IN SIXTH PLACE IN ACC MEN'S GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP TO EARN BEST TEAM FINISH SINCE 2002

NEW LONDON, N.C. – Florida State finished sixth in the team standings at the 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual ACC Men's Golf Tournament to earn its best finish in the event since a sixth place finish in 2002. The Seminoles improved their team finish by one position and their team score by 35 strokes as compared to the 2005 ACC Championship in finishing with their lowest team stroke total in their 15-year participation in the ACC Championship. Seminole freshman Matt Savage earned the best finish of his collegiate career as he finished tied for 12<sup>th</sup> with a four-under par total of 212.

Georgia Tech and North Carolina were declared the ACC co-champions after the Yellow Jackets and Tar Heels tied through three rounds and two playoff holes. Georgia Tech sent the event into a playoff as they came back on the final three holes of the final round after leading the pack through the first two rounds of the weekend. The Tar Heels made up 11 strokes on Georgia Tech in the final round. Cameron Tringale of Georgia Tech won the individual championship with a 54-hole total of 10-under par 206. He defeated Kyle Reifers of Wake Forest to win the first individual ACC championship for the Yellow Jackets since Bryce Molder earned medalist honors in 2002.

Savage (Louisville, Ky.) played the best golf of his collegiate career with three rounds of high-energy golf. He carded a 67 (five-under par) in the first round, a 71 (one-under par) in the second round and finished with a 74 (three-over par) in the third round to finish with a 212 total. Savage played 46 of his 54 holes in his first career ACC Championship at par or better and was more than one stroke over par on only one hole during the entire weekend. Savage's 212 total left him only one shot shy of tying the all-time record for a Seminole in the ACC men's golf championship – Christian Raynor's 211 total in finishing in a tie for second in the 1995 ACC Championship.

Junior Jonas Blixt (Hamaro, Sweden) played inspired golf as he finished tied for 19<sup>th</sup> in the individual standings. He led the Seminoles in the final round with a two-under par 70. Blixt played the first and third rounds under par (71 and 70) and was only one-stroke over par in the second round (73). It was the second top-20 individual ACC finish for Blixt who finished tied for 18<sup>th</sup> in the ACC Championship in 2005.

Junior Torstein Nevestad (Oslo, Norway) played his best golf of the weekend in the third and final round as he carded an even par 72 and finished tied for 35<sup>th</sup>. His three-round total of 220 was seven strokes better than the 227 total he finished with during the 2005 ACC Championship. Freshman Nicholas Smith (Ocala, Fla.) finished well for the Seminoles with a 222 total for the weekend. He averaged 74.00 strokes with scores of 73-74-75. Sophomore Song Jeon, who carded a career-low tying 69 in the second round, carded a 75 in the third round.

Florida State will now look forward to possibly receiving a bid the NCAA Regional Championship which will be announced on May 8. Should the Seminoles receive a bid to the NCAA Regionals, it would mark the first time since 1996 that the Seminoles will have played in the NCAA Championship.

#### 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Atlantic Coast Conference Championship/April 21-23, 2006/Par 72 Old North State Club at Uwharrie Point/New London, N.C./Final Florida State Results

6/11.	Florida State	285	287	291	863
T12.	Matt Savage	67	71	74	212
T19.	Jonas Blixt	71	73	70	214
T35.	Torstein Nevestad	74	74	72	220
41.	Nicholas Smith	73	74	75	222
--	Song Jeon	D	69	75	--

#### 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Atlantic Coast Conference Championship/April 21-23, 2006/Par 72 Old North State Club at Uwharrie Point/New London, N.C./Final Round Team Results

1.	Georgia Tech	833	7.	Maryland	865
2.	North Carolina	833	8.	Duke	866
3.	Clemson	840	9.	Virginia Tech	872
4.	NC State	853	10.	Virginia	878
5.	Wake Forest	860	11.	Boston College	921
6.	Florida State	863			

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<i>rank</i>	<i>team</i>	<i>scores</i>				
T1	North Carolina	278	276	279	833	–31
T1	Georgia Tech	276	267	290	833	–31
3	Clemson	285	268	287	840	–24
4	North Carolina State	284	284	285	853	–11
5	Wake Forest Univ.	292	281	287	860	–4
6	Florida State Univ.	285	287	291	863	–1
7	Maryland, U. of	284	286	295	865	+1
8	Duke University	287	293	286	866	+2
9	Virginia Tech	291	286	295	872	+8
10	Virginia, U. of	293	290	295	878	+14
11	Boston College	314	299	308	921	+57

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<i>start</i>	<i>finish</i>	<i>player</i>	<i>school</i>	<i>scores</i>				
1	1	Cameron Tringale	Georgia Tech	69	65	72	206	-10
T9	2	Kyle Reifers	Wake Forest Univ.	72	67	68	207	-9
T2	T3	Brian Duncan	Clemson	68	67	73	208	-8
T7	T3	Robert Riesen	North Carolina	68	70	70	208	-8
T22	5	Ted Smith	North Carolina	74	69	66	209	-7
T16	T6	Ryan Blaum	Duke University	70	71	69	210	-6
T5	T6	Chase MacFarland	North Carolina	71	66	73	210	-6
4	T6	Nathan Spoon	North Carolina State	69	67	74	210	-6
T2	T9	Taylor Hall	Georgia Tech	70	65	76	211	-5
T5	T9	David May	Clemson	72	65	74	211	-5
T16	T9	Chris McCartin	Wake Forest Univ.	72	69	70	211	-5
T12	T12	Kevin Larsen	Georgia Tech	73	67	72	212	-4
T29	T12	Stephen Poole	Clemson	77	68	67	212	-4
T7	T12	Matthew Savage	Florida State Univ.	67	71	74	212	-4
T12	T12	Martin Ureta	North Carolina	68	72	72	212	-4
T19	T16	Roberto Castro	Georgia Tech	72	70	71	213	-3
T12	T16	Tanner Ervin	Clemson	72	68	73	213	-3
T19	T16	Jonathan Jackson	North Carolina	71	71	71	213	-3
T9	T19	Michael Barbosa	Georgia Tech	65	74	75	214	-2
T25	T19	Darren Blair	North Carolina State	71	73	70	214	-2
T25	T19	Jonas Blixt	Florida State Univ.	71	73	70	214	-2
T16	T19	Blaine Peffley	Maryland, U. of	73	68	73	214	-2
T22	T19	Jerry Richardson	North Carolina State	73	70	71	214	-2
T25	T24	Alex Snickenberger	Boston College	75	69	71	215	-1
T19	T24	Ryan Sypniewski	Virginia Tech	73	69	73	215	-1
T9	T26	John Eades	Maryland, U. of	68	71	77	216	E
T22	T26	Jurrian van der Vaart	Virginia Tech	72	71	73	216	E
T36	T28	Jake Grodzinsky	Duke University	75	72	70	217	+1
T12	T28	Carter Henderson	Virginia, U. of	71	69	77	217	+1
T33	T28	Nick MacDonald	Virginia Tech	70	76	71	217	+1
T25	T28	Webb Simpson	Wake Forest Univ.	74	70	73	217	+1
T29	T32	Stephen Lewton	North Carolina State	71	74	73	218	+2
T39	T32	Brad Tilley	Virginia, U. of	76	72	70	218	+2
T33	34	Michael Schachner	Duke University	71	75	73	219	+3
T36	T35	Tully Coyle	Maryland, U. of	71	76	73	220	+4
T29	T35	Vince Hatfield	Clemson	73	72	75	220	+4
T33	T35	Clark Klaasen	Duke University	71	75	74	220	+4
T39	T35	Torstein Naevestad	Florida State Univ.	74	74	72	220	+4
T29	T35	Tyler Witman	Maryland, U. of	74	71	75	220	+4
T45	40	Garry Hill	North Carolina State	75	75	71	221	+5

T36	41	Nicholas Smith	Florida State Univ.	73	74	75	222	+6
T42	T42	Matt Schall	Maryland, U. of	72	77	74	223	+7
T42	T42	Andrea Signor	Virginia, U. of	73	76	74	223	+7
T45	44	Conrad von Borsig	Virginia, U. of	75	75	74	224	+8
T42	T45	Doug Manchester	Wake Forest Univ.	74	75	77	226	+10
T39	T45	Eamonn McLoughlin	Virginia, U. of	74	74	78	226	+10
50	T47	Sean Moore	Wake Forest Univ.	77	75	76	228	+12
T45	T47	Carl Wakely	Virginia Tech	78	72	78	228	+12
T45	49	Drew Weaver	Virginia Tech	76	74	79	229	+13
49	50	Bob Reed	Boston College	75	76	79	230	+14
51	51	Bryce Mueller	Duke University	79	75	78	232	+16
52	52	Kyle Kelly	Boston College	78	78	79	235	+19
54	T53	James Granello	Boston College	86	79	79	244	+28
53	T53	Ryan Sturma	Boston College	87	76	81	244	+28
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3	<b>Clemson</b>	285	268	287	840
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T12	Stephen Poole	77	68	67	212
T16	Tanner Ervin	72	68	73	213
T35	Vince Hatfield	73	72	75	220
4	<b>North Carolina State</b>	284	284	285	853
T6	Nathan Spoon	69	67	74	210
T19	Jerry Richardson	73	70	71	214
T19	Darren Blair	71	73	70	214
T32	Stephen Lewton	71	74	73	218
40	Garry Hill	75	75	71	221
5	<b>Wake Forest Univ.</b>	292	281	287	860
2	Kyle Reifers	72	67	68	207
T9	Chris McCartin	72	69	70	211
T28	Webb Simpson	74	70	73	217
T45	Doug Manchester	74	75	77	226
T47	Sean Moore	77	75	76	228
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T19	Blaine Peffley	73	68	73	214
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T42	Matt Schall	72	77	74	223

8	<b><i>Duke University</i></b>	287	293	286	866
	T6 Ryan Blaum	70	71	69	210
	T28 Jake Grodzinsky	75	72	70	217
	34 Michael Schachner	71	75	73	219
	T35 Clark Klaasen	71	75	74	220
	51 Bryce Mueller	79	75	78	232
9	<b><i>Virginia Tech</i></b>	291	286	295	872
	T24 Ryan Sypniewski	73	69	73	215
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