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Yixiang Wang named to the Haskins Award Final Fall watch list



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COLUMBUS, Ga. November 10, 2025– University of Memphis men’s golf athlete Yixiang Wang has been named to the 2025-26 Haskins Award by Stifel Final Fall watch list, the Haskins Foundation announced Tuesday , November 10.

Wang was the only men’s golfer from the American Conference to be named to the watch list.

Beginning in 1971, the Fred Haskins Award presented by Stifel is annually given to the top male U.S. collegiate golfer as voted on by only college golfers, coaches and members of the golf media. Past winners of the Haskins Award presented by Stifel have captured 33 major champion-

ships and more than 400 professional tournaments around the world. Named in honor of Fred Haskins, the award is managed by the Haskins Foundation to acknowledge the top male golfer at the end of the season and to match the ANNIKA Award presented by Stifel, which acknowledges the top female Division I collegiate golfer.

Wang, who has dominated the courses during the fall season, claimed the individual champion crown at the Steelwood Collegiate where he finished the tournament seven under par. The junior out of Dailan, China

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NFL family champions causes thru ‘My Cause My Cleats’ to elevate causes and non-profit organizations

NEW YORK – Nov. 17, 2025 – Today marks the start of Unboxing Week in the lead up to the 2025 My Cause My Cleats campaign. Through My Cause My Cleats NFL players, coaches and staff across the league will display custom and creatively designed cleats to elevate important causes and non-profit organizations. Throughout Unboxing Week, players will reveal organizations they have chosen to support on their cleats through creative content across social channels. In its tenth season, the player-led initiative serves as an opportunity to highlight the collective positive influence the NFL family has in communities across the world.

This season, more than 1,800 participants— players, coaches, staff, legends and on-air talent — are highlighting social issues and nonprofit organizations on their cleats and sneakers during games in Weeks 12 and 13. Following dedicated My Cause My Cleats games, players can choose to donate their cleats by auctioning them on NFL Auction. The NFL does not profit from the sale of these cleats. All funds raised will be donated by the NFL Foundation to each player's selected charity. Fans may bid on these cleats throughout the season here.

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“Through My Cause My Cleats, we have an opportunity to spotlight nonprofit organizations the NFL family supports year-round,” said NFL Senior Vice President of Social Responsibility Anna Isaacson. “We deeply

value the commitment shown by players, coaches and staff to make the initiative so successful, and appreciate everyone’s efforts to make a positive difference in their communities.”

“Since launching ten seasons ago, the integration of players and social impact through My Cause My Cleats has empowered players to expand their impact off the field and into their communities,” said NFL Senior Vice President of Player Operations Tracy Perlman. “This campaign continues to uplift player voices and reflect the NFL’s ongoing commitment to driving meaningful change.”

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