

SOUTHERN CONFERENCE GERMANN CUP

The Southern Conference annually awards the Germann Cup to the top women's program in the league. First awarded in 1987 and named after former SoCon commissioner Ken Germann, who passed away in 2005, the Germann Cup uses a system modeled after the one used in determining the Learfield Sports Directors' Cup. Scoring is done on a percentage basis, with only the top seven sports for each school counting toward its season total. The scoring format has been in place since the 2014-15 academic year. Prior to that, scoring was done on an aggregate basis. Under the current format, each sport is worth 10 points, with each spot in the standings given equal measure relative to how many schools sponsor that particular sport. For sports that determine a regular-season champion (golf, track & field, cross country), there is a two-point bonus for winning the league tournament. In sports where there is not a regular-season champion (golf, track & field, cross country), the final results at the championship determine the points for those schools. Each school's total for the year will be divided by 70, the maximum number of points possible when counting seven sports, to find its percentage.

Annual champions

1986-87	Appalachian State	1996-97	Furman	2006-07	Appalachian State	2016-17	Furman	Total Germann Cup championships
1987-88	Appalachian State	1997-98	Furman	2007-08	Chattanooga	2017-18	Furman	
1988-89	Appalachian State	1998-99	Furman	2008-09	Coll. of Charleston	2018-19	Furman	
1989-90	Appalachian State	1999-00	Furman	2009-10	Samford	2019-20	Not awarded	
1990-91	Appalachian State	2000-01	Furman	2010-11	Appalachian State	2020-21	Samford	
1991-92	Appalachian State	2001-02	Furman	2011-12	Coll. of Charleston	2021-22	Samford	
1992-93	Furman	2002-03	Furman	2012-13	Appalachian State	2022-23	Samford	
1993-94	Furman	2003-04	Furman	2013-14	Furman	2023-24	Samford	Furman17 Appalachian State10 Samford7 College of Charleston3 Chattanooga1
1994-95	Furman	2004-05	Coll. of Charleston	2014-15	Samford	2024-25	Samford	
1995-96	Furman	2005-06	Appalachian State	2015-16	Furman			

All-time final standings

1986-87		1990-91		1994-95	
Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points
1. Appalachian State	30	1. Appalachian State	28	1. Furman	77.5
2. ETSU	24.5	2. Chattanooga	24.5	2. Appalachian State	62.5
3. Marshall	19.5	3. Furman	22	3. ETSU	58.5
4. Furman	19	4t. Marshall	18.5	4. Chattanooga	47
5. Chattanooga	18.5	4t. Western Carolina	18.5	5. Georgia Southern	45.5
6. Western Carolina	17	6. ETSU	14.5	6. Western Carolina	41
7. Davidson	9.5			7. Marshall	39
1987-88		1991-92		1995-96	
Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points
1. Appalachian State	33	1. Appalachian State	30	1. Furman	74
2. ETSU	26	2. Furman	26	2. Appalachian State	64
3. Marshall	25.5	3. Marshall	24	3. Chattanooga	48.5
4. Chattanooga	25	4t. ETSU	22	4. ETSU	47.5
5. Furman	20.5	4t. Chattanooga	22	5t. Marshall	46
6. Western Carolina	20	6. Western Carolina	19	5t. Western Carolina	46
7. Davidson	11	7t. Davidson	3	7. Georgia Southern	43
1988-89		1992-93		1996-97	
Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points
1. Appalachian State	30.5	1. Furman	51.5	1. Furman	69
2t. ETSU	23.5	2. Appalachian State	50.5	2. Chattanooga	63.5
2t. Marshall	23.5	3. ETSU	41.5	3. Appalachian State	59.5
4. Chattanooga	19	4. Western Carolina	40	4. Marshall	55.5
5. Western Carolina	15.5	5. Chattanooga	36	5. ETSU	46
6. Furman	14	6. Marshall	35	6. Western Carolina	44
1989-90		7. Davidson	29	7. Davidson	38.5
Place	Points	8. Georgia Southern	19.5	8. Georgia Southern	38
1. Appalachian State	27	1993-94		1997-98	
2. ETSU	23.5	Place	Points	Place	Points
3. Furman	21	1. Furman	72	1. Furman	78.5
4. Western Carolina	18.5	2. Appalachian State	59	2. Chattanooga	70.5
5. Marshall	18	3. ETSU	51	3. UNCG	62.5
6. Chattanooga	17	4. Chattanooga	44.5	4. Appalachian State	60.5
		5t. Marshall	41	5. ETSU	59.5
		5t. Western Carolina	41	6. Davidson	51
		7. Georgia Southern	36	7. Georgia Southern	47.5
		8. Davidson	29.5	8. Western Carolina	45.5
				9. Wofford	41
				10. VMI	3

1998-99			2003-04			2008-09		
Place		Points	Place		Points	Place		Points
1. Furman		83.5	1. Furman		84	1. College of Charleston		78
2. Chattanooga		75.5	2. Chattanooga		83	2. Chattanooga		77
3. UNCG		73	3t. Appalachian State		70.5	3. Samford		76
4. Appalachian State		64	3t. College of Charleston		70.5	4. Furman		73
5. Western Carolina		60	5. ETSU		66.5	5. Western Carolina		68.5
6. Davidson		59	6. Georgia Southern		62.5	6. Appalachian State		64.5
7. ETSU		55	7. Western Carolina		60	7. UNCG		61
8t. College of Charleston		46	8. UNCG		55.5	8. Georgia Southern		58
8t. Georgia Southern		46	9. Elon		53.5	9. Elon		56
9. Wofford		43	10. Davidson		50	10. Davidson		45.5
10. VMI		19	11. Wofford		30.5	11. Wofford		22
11. The Citadel		11	12. The Citadel		13.5	12. The Citadel		15.5
1999-00			2004-05			2009-10		
Place		Points	Place		Points	Place		Points
1. Furman		98	1. College of Charleston		83.5	1. Samford		87
2. Chattanooga		80.5	2. Furman		83	2. College of Charleston		79
3. ETSU		72.5	3. Appalachian State		73	3. Elon		75.5
4. UNCG		66.5	4. Chattanooga		71	4. Appalachian State		73
5. Appalachian State		66.5	5t. ETSU		62.5	5. Chattanooga		66.5
6. Western Carolina		62	5t. Elon		62.5	6. Furman		62
7. Georgia Southern		52	7. Georgia Southern		61.5	7. UNCG		56.5
8. College of Charleston		49.5	8. Western Carolina		57.5	8. Western Carolina		55
9. Davidson		42	9. UNCG		52	9. Georgia Southern		53.5
10. Wofford		31	10. Davidson		51.5	10. Davidson		45.5
11. VMI		16	11. Wofford		25	11. Wofford		23
12. The Citadel		14.5	12. The Citadel		16	12. The Citadel		18.5
2000-01			2005-06			2010-11		
Place		Points	Place		Points	Place		Points
1. Furman		96.5	1. Appalachian State		71.5	1. Appalachian State		79
2. Chattanooga		81	2. College of Charleston		67	2. Samford		78.5
3. UNCG		75	3. Western Carolina		66.5	3t. College of Charleston		78
4. Appalachian State		71	4. Furman		65	3t. Elon		78
5. Western Carolina		63.5	5. Chattanooga		64.5	5. UNCG		77.5
6. ETSU		62.5	6. Davidson		55.5	6. Furman		64
7. Georgia Southern		58	7. Georgia Southern		52.5	7. Chattanooga		62
8. College of Charleston		54	8. UNCG		48	8. Georgia Southern		52.5
9. Davidson		47.5	9. Elon		47	9. Western Carolina		48.5
10. Wofford		31	10. Wofford		28.5	10. Davidson		27.5
11. VMI		16	12. The Citadel		19	11. Wofford		25.5
12. The Citadel		12				12. The Citadel		24
2001-02			2006-07			2011-12		
Place		Points	Place		Points	Place		Points
1. Furman		85	1. Appalachian State		70	1. College of Charleston		81.5
2. Chattanooga		78	2. Furman		67.5	2. Samford		80.5
3. UNCG		74.5	3. Western Carolina		66.5	3. Appalachian State		78.5
4. Western Carolina		72	4. College of Charleston		66	4. UNCG		72.5
5. Appalachian State		70.5	5. Chattanooga		63.5	5. Furman		68
6. Georgia Southern		67	6t. Davidson		53	6. Elon		65
7t. College of Charleston		58.5	6t. Elon		53	7. Western Carolina		62.5
7t. ETSU		58.5	8. UNCG		51.5	8. Georgia Southern		56
9. Davidson		42.5	9. Georgia Southern		51	9. Chattanooga		52.5
10. Wofford		35.5	10t. The Citadel		23.5	10. Davidson		36.5
11. The Citadel		13	10t. Wofford		23.5	11. Wofford		24.5
12. VMI		11				12. The Citadel		13
2002-03			2007-08			2012-13		
Place		Points	Place		Points	Place		Points
1. Furman		83.5	1. Chattanooga		74.5	1. Appalachian State		77.5
2. Chattanooga		78	2. Furman		70	2. Elon		77
3. Georgia Southern		74.5	3. College of Charleston		68	3. College of Charleston		75
4. College of Charleston		70.5	4. Elon		62	4. Samford		74.5
5. Appalachian State		69	5. Appalachian State		60.5	5. Furman		68
6. Western Carolina		68.5	6. Western Carolina		59	6. Chattanooga		62.5
7. ETSU		59.5	7. Davidson		54	7. UNCG		60.5
8. UNCG		58	8. UNCG		52	8. Georgia Southern		60
9. Davidson		51.5	9. Georgia Southern		51	9. Western Carolina		54
10. Wofford		30	10. Wofford		24	10. Davidson		38
11. The Citadel		19	11. The Citadel		18	11. Wofford		27
12. VMI		18				12. The Citadel		21

2013-14			2018-19			2024-25		
Place		Points	Place		Pct.	Place		Pct.
1. Furman		78.5	1. Furman		.904	1. Samford		.845
2. Samford		74.5	2. Samford		.901	2. Furman		.821
3. Elon		69.5	3. ETSU		.796	3. Wofford		.725
4. Chattanooga		66	4. Mercer		.735	4. Chattanooga		.720
5. Appalachian State		60	5. UNCG		.633	5. ETSU		.678
6. UNCG		55	6. Chattanooga		.628	6. Mercer		.675
7. Georgia Southern		54.5	7. Wofford		.598	7. Western Carolina		.631
8. Western Carolina		53.5	8. Western Carolina		.529	8. UNCG		.547
9. Davidson		37	9. VMI		.206	9. VMI		.250
10. Wofford		29.5	10. The Citadel		.181	10. The Citadel		.238
11. The Citadel		15						
2014-15			2019-20					
Place		Pct.	Not awarded					
1. Samford		.946	(spring sports canceled due to COVID-19)					
2. Chattanooga		.874						
3. Furman		.835	2020-21					
4. ETSU		.769	Place		Pct.			
5. Western Carolina		.656	1. Samford		.953			
6. Mercer		.554	2. Furman		.922			
7. UNCG		.459	3. Mercer		.757			
8. Wofford		.327	4. ETSU		.700			
9. The Citadel		.217	5. Wofford		.682			
10. VMI		.212	6. Chattanooga		.615			
2015-16			7. Western Carolina		.591			
Place		Pct.	8. UNCG		.546			
1. Furman		.964	9. The Citadel		.258			
2. Samford		.877	10. VMI		.217			
3. Chattanooga		.803	2021-22					
4. ETSU		.761	Place		Pct.			
5. Western Carolina		.610	1. Samford		.918			
6. UNCG		.538	2. Furman		.860			
7. Mercer		.490	3. ETSU		.723			
8. Wofford		.389	4. Wofford		.693			
9. VMI		.222	5. Mercer		.657			
10. The Citadel		.119	6. UNCG		.579			
2016-17			7. Western Carolina		.569			
Place		Pct.	8. Chattanooga		.553			
1. Furman		.906	9. The Citadel		.333			
2. Samford		.873	10. VMI		.185			
3. ETSU		.864	2022-23					
4. Chattanooga		.716	Place		Pct.			
5. UNCG		.630	1. Samford		.955			
6. Mercer		.607	2. ETSU		.833			
7. Western Carolina		.475	3. Furman		.739			
8. Wofford		.411	4. Wofford		.6589			
9. VMI		.329	5. Western Carolina		.6587			
10. The Citadel		.169	6. Chattanooga		.643			
2017-18			7. Mercer		.626			
Place		Pct.	8. UNCG		.476			
1. Furman		.949	9. The Citadel		.279			
2. Samford		.826	10. VMI		.183			
3. ETSU		.784	2023-24					
4. Mercer		.725	Place		Pct.			
5. UNCG		.673	1. Samford		.865			
6. Chattanooga		.624	2. ETSU		.772			
7. Western Carolina		.549	3. Furman		.755			
8. Wofford		.470	4. Wofford		.729			
9. VMI		.296	5. Chattanooga		.703			
10. The Citadel		.185	6. Mercer		.670			
			7. Western Carolina		.579			
			8. UNCG		.482			
			9. The Citadel		.294			
			10. VMI		.246			