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## **2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Cal Poly Pomona

**Mascot:** Broncos

**Location:** Pomona, CA

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Head Coach -- Joshua-James Lewis-Martin, Captain -- Ben Ghilarducci

**2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):**

- Record: **14-8 overall, 9-5 conference**
- Tournament Rankings/Results: **Cal Poly Pomona invitational tournament champions**
- Notables: **Ranked 2nd in the nation (NIRSA) in PPG**

**Number of Returning Players (Include starters):** 7 returners - Michael Kalu, Adriel McGee, Anthony Anderson, Ben Ghilarducci, Noel Teclemariam, Lance Solanoy, Steven Saldarriaga (4 starters - Kalu, McGee, Anderson, Ghilarducci)

**Players to Watch:** Michael Kalu, Adriel McGee

**New additions:** Thunder Lopez, Noah Sanchez, Emil Rogers, Myles Simien, Justin Morris, Cory Sveiven, Oliver Buckley, Isaac Monney

**Biggest Rival:** Cal Poly - SLO

**Best Player Nickname:** N/A

**2022-23 Season Outlook:** Compete for a league title and national championship.

**Head Coach Quote:** N/A



## **2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Cal Poly - SLO

**Mascot:** Mustangs

**Location:** San Luis Obispo, CA

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Captains - Matthew Soran, Justin Mazzola

**2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):**

- Record: N/A
- Tournament Rankings/Results: N/A
- Notables: N/A

**Number of Returning Players (Include starters):** Matthew Soran, Esai Contreras, Jack Milne, Justin Mazzola, Justin Wood, Kyle Anderson, Liam O'Hara, Zach Espiritu, Jack Strohman

**Players to Watch:**

**New additions:** Alex Sanchez, Augustine Fleisher, GC Rivera, Max Wise, Nicholas Alvarez, Steven Hartinger, Tyler Kelly

**Biggest Rival:**

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2022-23 Season Outlook:** Many players are returning to help make this team move forward creating a balanced offense and defense.

**Head Coach Quote:** Be Better.



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**Team Name:** Stanford

**Mascot:** Cardinal

**Location:** Palo Alto, CA

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Captain: Josue Gil-Silva, Coach: TBD

**2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):**

- Record:
- Tournament Rankings/Results:
- Notables:

**N/A; Did not compete  
due to COVID**

**Number of Returning Players (Include starters):**

**11 returners: Acker, Cullen, Suisman, Williams, Belardi, Donahue, 5  
starters: Owens, Xie, Gil-Silva, Yuan, Ruban**

**Players to Watch:**

**6-3 SG Rhett Owens, 6-6 Wing Raphael Ruban, 6-1 PG Josue Gil-Silva, 6-0 sharpshooter Roy Yuan**

**New additions:**

**6-3 Freshman forward Nick Allen, 6-3 Freshman guard Casey Traina, and 6-1  
sophomore guard Hasani Spann**

**Biggest Rival:**

**Santa Clara**

**Best Player Nickname:**

**Still in the works...**

**2022-23 Season Outlook:**

We have a strong returning core and a solid group of new additions that could put Stanford back in the national stage for club basketball.

**Head Coach Quote:**

N/A



## **2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW**

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**Team Name:** UCLA

**Mascot:** Joe and Josephine Bruin

**Location:** Westwood, CA

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Head Coach - Cameron Ro, Captains - Roxroy Davis Jr (RJ) & Gabe Hawkins

**2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):**

- Record: **11-9 overall , 6-4 in conference**
- Tournament Rankings/Results: **6th Place in Nirsa West Region Conference, 3rd Place SoCal Classic**
- Notables: **Split 1-1 with ASU who finished 2nd in conference, split 1-1 with USC who ended up winning the SoCal Classic**

**Number of Returning Players (Include starters):** 9 returners - Davis Jr, Hawkins, Carol, O'Brien, Wang, Decastro, Noruwa, Reiss, Ganeshram (2 starters - Davis Jr, Hawkins)

**Players to Watch:** 6-4 Gabriel Hawkins, 6-4 Jonny Garnett, 6-4 Jack Williams, 6-3 Chimezie Maduno

**New additions:** Freshman - Cody Yamaki, Sophomores - Kyle Hardnett, Benji Moore, Finn Barkeneas, Jack Williams, Juniors - Michael Umolu, Jake Kremer, Joseph Dolloway, Seniors - Jonny Garnett, Chimezie Maduno,

**Biggest Rival:** University of Southern California (USC Trojans)

**Best Player Nickname:** Gabe "Mr. Worldwide" Hawkins



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**2022-23 Season Outlook:** The Bruins have some key core players returning this year (Davis Jr, Hawkins, Carol) that will be spearheading what looks to be a very promising bounce back year for the Bruins. With plenty of new additions that fill much needed holes across the roster, headlined by power forward/center Jonny Garnett, the team looks to be in good shape from top to bottom.

**Head Coach Quote:** “This team has the talent, drive, and depth to win at the highest level this year. We’re coming in hungry and ready to make some noise with the ultimate goal of competing in the National Championship Tournament.”



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## 20 22- 23 NCBBA - M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

**Team Name: USC Black**

**Mascot: Trojans**

**Location: Los Angeles, California**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach - Alex Grossman, Assistant Coach: Sergio Castillo, Stephen Kim, Bill Hwang, and Cameron Mallory**

**2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):**

- Record: N/A - Debut season
- Tournament Rankings/Results: N/A
- Notables: N/A

**Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 5 returners, 6 new players**

**Players to Watch: Jared Wilson, Sean Wilcox, Liam Kim**

**New additions: Jared Wilson, Henry Groome, Michael Demetriades, Nicky Ho**

**Biggest Rival: UCLA, USC Gold**

**Best Player Nickname: Nicholas “Nicky” Ho**

**2022-23 Season Outlook: Led by a trio of crafty guards in Wilson, Wilcox, and Kim, USC Black is primed to develop and challenge themselves against quality competition. USC’s team of the future, this youthful squad plays fast and unselfishly - their future is bright.**

**Head Coach Quote: “With the number of promising underclassmen in our club, the staff wanted to prioritize game reps against quality opponents for optimal development. Our returning guards will lead a dynamic perimeter oriented attack with a deep playbook, and focus on the fundamentals as we look to improve every day on both sides of the ball.”**



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## 20 22- 23 NCBBA - M T E A M P R E V I E W G U I D E

**Team Name: USC Cardinal**

**Mascot: Trojans**

**Location: Los Angeles, California**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach - Alex Grossman, Assistant Coaches - Sergio Castillo, Nico Bricker, Stephen Kim**

**2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):**

- Record: **17-4 overall, 10-4 conference**
- Tournament Rankings/Results: **Spring 2022 SoCal Classic Champions (6-0 record)**
- Notables: **Wins over every team in Southern California (UCLA, Cal Poly Pomona, UC Riverside, Claremont, CSUN, and 3-0 against Cal Poly SLO). This month (October 2022), beat Long Beach City College (18-12 overall Juco, 7-3 tied for 1st in conference) in a pre-season scrimmage.**

**Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 9 (5 starters), 3 new players**

**Players to Watch: Marc Daly, Kola Bamgbose, Kip Gorey**

**New additions: Bradley Frisch, Coby Hawkins, Will Frederick**

**Biggest Rival: UCLA, Cal Poly Pomona**

**Best Player Nickname: Chris "Superman" Kress**

**2022-23 Season Outlook: A fast paced and experienced attack led by Daly, Bamgbose, and Gorey with help from a strong freshman class of Frisch, Hawkins, and Frederick. Deep, versatile, and balanced, USC Cardinal is looking to build off of last season's momentum and enters the NCBBA with championship aspirations.**

**Head Coach Quote: "Our team's competitive process improved significantly on and off the court last season - moving the ball, playing with pace, and locking in defensively. Returning so many guys is a major asset for team chemistry and we can't wait to integrate the new guys into the program we're building."**





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**Team Name: USC Gold**

**Mascot: Trojans**

**Location: Los Angeles, California**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach - Alex Grossman, Assistant Coach: Nico Bricker**

**2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):**

- Record: N/A - Debut season
- Tournament Rankings/Results: N/A
- Notables: N/A

**Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 4 returners, 10 new players**

**Players to Watch: Porter Moody, James Tian, Nate Solomon**

**New additions: Henry Wiggins, Jack Weyer, Marco Ebeling, Enzo Chimienti**

**Biggest Rival: UCLA, USC Cardinal**

**Best Player Nickname: Zavian “Z” Rivera**

**2022-23 Season Outlook: An exciting and energetic blend of returners and new faces led by steady veterans Moody, Tian, and Solomon, with young emerging talents in Wiggins, Ebeling, and Chimienti. With extensive perimeter depth and interior size, USC Gold is looking to build a name for itself as a legitimate conference contender.**

**Head Coach Quote: “With the depth in our program, it was critical to establish USC Gold to provide minutes and reps against top competition for our most promising young players. Our returners will help guide a talented squad into a formidable 2-way team that is going to improve throughout the season. Our staff is high on their ceiling.”**