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## 2023-24 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 Wood, Liam O'hara, Jack Milne

## 2022-2023 Performance (If applicable):

- Record: 14 5
- Tournament Rankings/Results:
- Notables: Conference Champions

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 11

Players to Watch: Jack Milne, Liam O'hara

New additions: Freshmen: Justin Ard, Joe Kelly, and Grant Zell / Third Year: Nick Weitzel and Owen McCarry

**Biggest Rival:** 

**Best Player Nickname: Twin** 

2023-24 Season Outlook: With a lot of returners, look to have another strong year with an improve performance.

Head Coach Quote: Keep your head on a swivel.



## 2023–24 NCBBA–M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: UCLA

Mascot: Bruins

Location: Los Angeles, CA

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach - Gabriel Hawkins, Asst. Coaches - Trey Doty, Cameron Rho, Captain - Misha Reiss

## 2022-2023 Performance (If applicable):

- Record: 19-2 Overall 9-1 League
- Tournament Rankings/Results: NCBBA National Champions, NCBBA Pacific Region Champions, NCBBA Pacific Region Regular Season Champions
- Notables: Only lost to USC all season and beat them in the Pacific Regional Championship game

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 10 Returners - Garnett, Kremer, Yamaki, Williams, Reiss, Barkanaeas, Moore, O'Brien, Dolloway, Hardnett (2 Starters - Garnett, Kremer)

Players to Watch: Cody Yamaki (12 points in the championship game), Jonny Garnett (reigning National Championship MVP), Jake Kremer

New additions: Freshman - Theo Stoll, DJ Ryan, Connor Zhang, Keahi Brumsickle, Sophomore - Jalen Edwards, Ryan Roggio, Junior Transfer - Chris Fowler, Senior - Abel Mengistu

Biggest Rival: USC

**Best Player Nickname:** 



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2023-24 Season Outlook: Coming off of an electric national championship run, the defending champions are looking ready to repeat. Returning players like national championship MVP Jonny Garnett and sharpshooter Jake Kremer should put the Bruins back in the running once again. With returners ready to take a leap into bigger roles (Cody Yamaki, Jack Williams, Misha Reiss, Benji Moore) and plenty of newcomers ready to contribute, UCLA should be the team to beat once again this season.

Head Coach Quote: I'm really excited about how our team looks this season. It's going to be tough to go back-to-back but if anyone can do it, it's this group of guys.