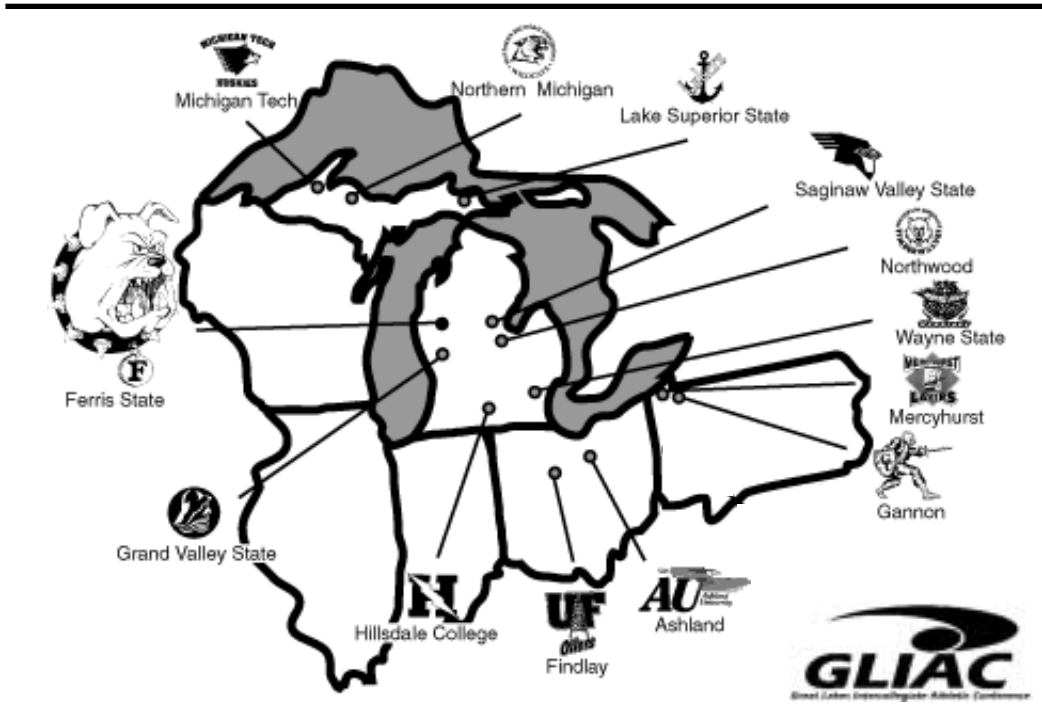




PAST GLIAC CHAMPIONS

2000	Grand Valley State
1999	Northwood
1998	Northern Michigan
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1990	Ferris State
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1988	Oakland
1987	Ferris State
1986	Ferris State
1985	Grand Valley State
1984	Ferris State
1983	Ferris State
1982	Ferris State
1981	Wayne State
1980	Wayne State
1979	Wayne State
	Oakland
1978	Lake Superior State
1977	Grand Valley State
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Inaugurated during the 1972-73 season, the GLIAC is in its 26th season of operation and has 13 member institutions — Ashland University, Ferris State University, University of Findlay, Gannon University, Grand Valley State University, Hillsdale College, Lake Superior State University, Mercyhurst College, Michigan Technological University, Northern Michigan University, Northwood University, Saginaw Valley State University, and Wayne State University.

The 1996 season marked the advent of divisional volleyball play with both a North and South Division. The North tier includes Ferris State, Grand Valley State, Lake Superior State, Michigan Tech, Northern Michigan, Northwood and Saginaw Valley State. The South tier is made up of the remaining six teams.

The GLIAC continues to be one of the most dominating volleyball conferences at the Division II level. During the 1997 season, Northern Michigan represented the GLIAC at the NCAA-II Championships and recorded a fourth-place finish. Four of the last five seasons, the GLIAC has placed three of the four teams in the NCAA Great Lakes Regional Tournament. Last year, Grand Valley State, Northwood, Northern Michigan and Findlay were NCAA Tournament participants.

In 1996, five GLIAC teams, including Ferris State, were ranked among the NCAA-II top 25 teams in the national poll. From 1992-95, NMU advanced to the NCAA-II Championship match and claimed back-to-back national titles.

Overall, the GLIAC conducts championships in 20 sports, nine for men and 11 for women. Men's championship sports are baseball, basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, swimming and diving, tennis, indoor track and outdoor track. Women's championship sports include basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, swimming and diving, tennis, indoor track, outdoor track and volleyball.

2000 FSU HONORS

All-GLIAC First Team

Erin Minnis - Middle Hitter

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2000 GLIAC Standings

North Division

School	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Northwood *	17	1	30	5
Grand Valley State #	16	2	31	4
Northern Michigan	13	5	18	12
Ferris State	11	7	21	9
Michigan Tech	8	10	18	14
Saginaw Valley State	4	14	8	21
Lake Superior State	3	15	10	20

* - North Division Champion

South Division

School	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Findlay §	11	6	25	12
Hillsdale §	11	6	21	15
Gannon	9	8	15	10
Wayne State	6	11	11	17
Ashland	3	14	9	22
Mercyhurst	2	15	11	20

- GLIAC Champion

§ - South Division Co-champion