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## 2011 MOUNTAIN PACIFIC SPORTS FEDERATION ALL-MPSF MEN'S VOLLEYBALL SELECTIONS

### ***2011 MPSF Player of the Year***

**MURPHY TROY • #11 • SENIOR • OPPOSITE • USC**



Opposite hitter Murphy Troy is having a stellar 2011 senior season, leading USC in kills (309) and aces (33) and is fourth in digs (121) and blocks (57). He ranks third in the MPSF in both points (4.89) and aces (0.43, seventh nationally) and seventh in kills (4.01, 13th nationally), while his .364 hitting percentage is 10th nationally. This season, he was named AVCA National Player of the Week once (Jan. 24) and 3 times was MPSF Player of the Week (Jan. 24, Jan. 31, March 7). In an early-season win at UC Irvine, he became a YouTube sensation when he made a match-turning save: after USC had come back from a 5-point deficit late in the second set and with the score tied 24-24, he made an unbelievable kick save on a ball that allowed USC to get to set point.

### ***2011 MPSF Freshman of the Year***

**TAYLOR SANDER • #15 • FRESHMAN • OUTSIDE HITTER • BYU**



In his first season, Taylor Sander has earned a starting spot in 22 of BYU's 25 matches this season while totaling 326 kills, a team-leading 40 service aces, 115 digs, 65 blocks and a .348 attacking percentage. Sander was named MPSF Player of the Week on Jan. 10, after his first collegiate weekend and the team's first week of action in 2011. He has recorded double-digit kills in 19 of the 25 matches this season with his first career double-double coming on April 9 against Pepperdine on 19 kills and 10 digs. He's currently ranked second in the MPSF and fifth in the NCAA in aces per set (0.45 A/S), 12th in NCAA season hitting percentage (.348), and 22nd in NCAA kills per set (3.66 K/S).

### ***2011 MPSF Coach of the Year***

**BILL FERGUSON • FIFTH YEAR • HEAD COACH • USC**



Fifth-year USC head coach Bill Ferguson has led the Trojans to a number of superlatives in 2011. He has guided them to their first MPSF regular season title since 2000 (and first outright since 1991), their most MPSF victories (20) since 1986 and their best overall record (21-2) since 1991. USC has been the nation's No. 1 ranked team all season. Along the way, the Trojans won 12 consecutive matches (its longest winning streak since 1990-91) and 11 straight MPSF matches (its longest streak since 1991-92), as well as their last 15 home matches (their most since 1999-2001). Thirteen of USC's wins in 2011 have been 3-0 sweeps (losing just 17 sets all year). USC is making its fifth consecutive MPSF Tournament appearance, its longest stretch since 1989-95.

## ***ALL-MPSF FIRST-TEAM***

<i>Student-Athlete</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Position</i>	<i>School</i>	<i>Hometown/Last School</i>
Murphy Troy	11	Senior	Opposite	USC	St. Louis, MO/University HS
Jonas Umlauf	10	Sophomore	Opposite	Hawaii	Stadtbergen, Germany/Kempfenhauser
Cory Yoder	15	Senior	Outside Hitter	UC Irvine	San Clemente, CA/San Clemente HS
Brad Lawson	9	Junior	Outside Hitter	Stanford	Honolulu, HI/Iolani School
Taylor Sander	15	Freshman	Outside Hitter	BYU	Norco, CA/Norco HS
Carson Clark	9	Junior	Opposite	UC Irvine	Santa Barbara, CA/Santa Barbara HS
Futi Tavana	17	Junior	Middle Blocker	BYU	Kalaheo, HI/Kauai HS
Jeff Menzel	1	Senior	Outside Hitter	UC Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara, CA/San Marcos HS
Robb Stowell	13	Junior	Opposite	BYU	San Juan Capistrano, CA/Capo Valley
Riley McKibbin	10	Senior	Setter	USC	Honolulu, HI/Punahou HS
Antwain Aguillard	11	Senior	Middle Blocker	Long Beach State	Las Vegas, NV/Long Beach CC
Tony Ciarelli	14	Junior	Outside Hitter	USC	Huntington Beach, CA/Huntington Beach

## ***ALL-MPSF SECOND-TEAM***

Scott Slaughter	19	Senior	Middle Blocker	UC Santa Barbara	Newport Beach, CA/Corona Del Mar HS
Erik Shoji	1	Junior	Libero	Stanford	Honolulu, HI/Punahou HS
Josh Walker	7	Senior	Outside Hitter	Hawaii	Virginia Beach, VA/Tallwood HS
Spencer McLachlin	7	Senior	Outside Hitter	Stanford	Honolulu, HI/Punahou HS
Weston Dunlap	6	RS Junior	Middle Blocker	UCLA	Newport Beach, CA/Newport Harbor HS
Phil Bannan	8	Senior	Setter	UC San Diego	Newport Beach, CA/Corona Del Mar HS
Andy McGuire	20	Senior	Libero	UC Santa Barbara	Manhattan Beach, CA/Loyola HS
Nejc Zemljak	15	Senior	Setter	Hawaii	Maribor, Slovenia/Maribor HS
Steven Shandrick	18	Junior	Middle Blocker	USC	Lake Forest, CA/Santa Margarita HS
Tri Bourne	17	Senior	Outside Hitter	USC	Honolulu, HI/Academy of the Pacific
Jordan DuFault	7	Senior	Outside Hitter	UC Irvine	Lakewood, CA/St. John Bosco HS
Gonzalo Quiroga	23	Freshman	Outside Hitter	UCLA	San Juan, Argentina/Medalla Milagrosa

## ***ALL-MPSF HONORABLE MENTION***

Vince Devany	8	Senior	Setter	UC Santa Barbara	San Ramon, CA/Mater Dei HS
Taylor Hughes	12	RS Sophomore	Opposite	Pacific	Fallbrook, CA/Fallbrook Union HS
Austin Zahn	16	Senior	Middle Blocker	USC	Hermosa Beach, CA/Redondo Union HS
Joe Kauliakamoa	8	Junior	Setter	BYU	Las Vegas, NV/Palo Verde HS
Taylor Crabb	4	Freshman	Outside Hitter	Long Beach State	Honolulu, HI/Punahou HS
Kirk Francis	20	Senior	Libero	Long Beach State	Torrance, CA/Redondo Union HS
Thomas Amberg	18	Junior	Middle Blocker	UCLA	El Cajon, CA/Valhalla HS
Henry Cassidy	6	Freshman	Libero	USC	Honolulu, HI/Punahou HS
Javier Caceres	2	Freshman	Libero	Pacific	San Juan, PR/Colegio Marista

## ***ALL-MPSF FRESHMAN TEAM***

Taylor Sander	15	Freshman	Outside Hitter	BYU	Norco, CA/Norco HS
Gonzalo Quiroga	23	Freshman	Outside Hitter	UCLA	San Juan, Argentina/Medalla Milagrosa
Taylor Crabb	4	Freshman	Outside Hitter	Long Beach State	Honolulu, HI/Punahou HS
Eric Mochalski	13	Freshman	Middle Blocker	Stanford	Manhattan Beach, CA/Mira Costa HS
Henry Cassidy	6	Freshman	Libero	USC	Honolulu, HI/Punahou HS
Scott Kevorken	11	Freshman	Middle Blocker	UC Irvine	Westlake Village, CA/Westlake HS
Greg Faulkner	17	Freshman	Middle Blocker	CS Northridge	Los Angeles, CA/Westchester HS