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RHIT's Vatterrodt & Schiff & Transy's Sizemore Claim Men's Soccer MVPs

GREENWOOD, IN – Rose-Hulman's **Clint Vatterrodt (Bloomington, Ill./University)** and **Mike Schiff (Martinsville, Ind./Mooreville)** and Transylvania's **Evan Sizemore (Versaille, Ky./Woodford Co.)** have been named the 2011 Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference Most Valuable Players on offense and defense respectively. Vatterrodt and Schiff helped guide the Engineers to their second HCAC men's soccer tournament title, while Sizemore led the Pioneers to their seventh HCAC crown with an 8-0-1 conference mark.

Vatterrodt has led the Rose-Hulman offense this season, leading the conference in points, goals, and assists. The senior forward has scored 21 goals (5th nationally) and added 10 assists to lead the Engineers offense that ranks first in the HCAC in scoring with 59 goals this season. In conference matches, Vatterrodt led the league with a conference record 11 goals and 24 points scored in nine matches.

Schiff and Sizemore were named Co-Defensive Most Valuable Players for their efforts this fall. Schiff anchored the Engineers defensive unit during the season as the Engineers allowed only five goals in league play. The sophomore back was the star of the Rose defense that allowed only 16 goals in 21 matches this season, including 10 shutouts.

Sizemore was instrumental in Transylvania boasting the HCAC's top defensive unit in 2011. The Pioneers allowed only two goals in HCAC action to lead the conference. The sophomore back helped the Transy defense limit its opponents to only 13 goals in 19 matches, including a HCAC-best 12 shutouts.

Rose-Hulman's **Andrew Bartush (Granger, Ind./Penn)** has been selected as the 2011 HCAC Freshman of the Year. Bartush, a back for the Engineers, alongside Schiff helped the RHIT defense rank among the leaders of the HCAC during the 2011 season. Offensively, Bartush contributed one goal during the campaign.

Rose-Hulman's **Sean Helliwell** has been named the 2011 HCAC Coach of the Year, earning his third honor as the head man for the Engineers. He has led Rose-Hulman to a 16-5 record this season, including the school's second trip to the NCAA Division III tournament.

Fourteen players join Vatterrodt, Schiff, and Sizemore as All-HCAC First Team members. Those players include Anderson's Austin Fridley (Sr., Anderson, Ind.), Defiance's Kevin Elson (Sr., Wauseon, Ohio), Franklin's Drew Ferguson (Jr., Louisville, Ky.), Hanover's Jake Stawick (Sr., Indianapolis, Ind.) and Matt Flora (Fr., Scipio, Ind.), Manchester's Dian Radev (Jr., Burgas, Bulgaria) and Corey Brueggeman (Sr., Loveland, Ohio), Mount St. Joseph Chris Corbett (So., Cincinnati, Ohio), Rose-Hulman's Will Senat (So., Edmond, Okla.), Tim Hollingshead (Sr., St. Peters, Mo.), and Drew Miller (Fr., Cincinnati, Ohio), and Transylvania's Christian King (So., Nicholasville, Ky.), Peter Mikhail (Sr., Park Hills, Ky.), and Tony Spero (Sr., Lexington, Ky.).

Second-team All-HCAC and All-Sportsmanship selections are listed below.

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Offensive Most Valuable Player: Clint Vatterrodt, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology

Co-Defensive Most Valuable Player: Mike Schiff, Rose-Hulman & Evan Sizemore, Transylvania University

Freshman of the Year: Andrew Bartush, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology

Coach of the Year: Sean Helliwell, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology

All-HCAC Team

Austin Fridley	Anderson	Senior	Forward	Anderson, Ind.
Kevin Elson	Defiance	Senior	Back	Wauseon, Ohio
Drew Ferguson	Franklin	Junior	Back	Louisville, Ky.
Jake Stawick	Hanover	Senior	Midfield	Indianapolis, Ind.
Matt Flora	Hanover	Freshman	Forward	Scipio, Ind.
Dian Radev	Manchester	Junior	Forward	Burgas, Bulgaria
Corey Brueggeman	Manchester	Senior	Midfield	Loveland, Ohio
Chris Corbett	Mount St. Joseph	Sophomore	Forward	Cincinnati, Ohio
Clint Vatterrodt	Rose-Hulman	Senior	Forward	Bloomington, Ill.
Will Senat	Rose-Hulman	Sophomore	Forward	Edmond, Okla.
Tim Hollingshead	Rose-Hulman	Senior	Midfield	St. Peters, Mo.
Mike Schiff	Rose-Hulman	Sophomore	Back	Martinsville, Ind.
Drew Miller	Rose-Hulman	Freshman	Goalkeeper	Cincinnati, Ohio
Christian King	Transylvania	Sophomore	Forward	Nicholasville, Ky.
Peter Mikhail	Transylvania	Senior	Midfield	Park Hills, Ky.
Tony Spero	Transylvania	Senior	Midfield	Lexington, Ky.
Evan Sizemore	Transylvania	Sophomore	Back	Versaille, Ky.

Second Team All-HCAC

Eric Spencer	Anderson	Senior	Midfield	Noblesville, Ind.
Kyle Boyer	Anderson	Sophomore	Midfield	Franklin, Tenn.
Dan Saville	Bluffton	Senior	Goalkeeper	Toledo, Ohio
Sean Roberts	Defiance	Sophomore	Goalkeeper	Canal Winchester, Ohio
Joe Loftis	Defiance	Senior	Forward	Armada, Mich.
Irhad Strika	Earlham	Senior	Forward	Bosnia-Herzegovina
Frank Mbaya	Earlham	Sophomore	Midfield	Lexington, Ky.
Craig Wood	Franklin	Senior	Forward	Fishers, Ind.
Blake Bowers	Franklin	Sophomore	Midfield	Indianapolis, Ind.
Matt Grau	Hanover	Freshman	Midfield	Cincinnati, Ohio
Ryan Moriarty	Hanover	Freshman	Back	Louisville, Ky.
Cody Freels	Manchester	Junior	Back	Auburn, Ind.
Matt Servizzi	Manchester	Senior	Back	Loveland, Ohio
Lee Rogers	Mount St. Joseph	Junior	Midfield	Cincinnati, Ohio
Tim Pope	Mount St. Joseph	Senior	Midfield	Cincinnati, Ohio
Ben Green	Rose-Hulman	Sophomore	Midfield	Frisco, Tex.
Andrew Bartush	Rose-Hulman	Freshman	Back	Granger, Ind.
Ethan Collins	Transylvania	Senior	Back	Lawrenceburg, Ky.
Kyle Smith	Transylvania	Sophomore	Forward	Cincinnati, Ohio
Robbie Gorham	Transylvania	Sophomore	Back	Nicholasville, Ky.

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HCAC All-Sportsmanship Team

Matt Young	Anderson	Senior	Midfield	Westerville, Ohio
Andrew Keeler	Bluffton	Senior	Back	Bluffton, Ohio
Sean Roberts	Defiance	Sophomore	Goalkeeper	Canal Winchester, Ohio
Felipe Buitrago	Earlham	Junior	Forward	Bogota, Colombia
Kevin Black	Franklin	Junior	Back	Indianapolis, Ind.
Matt Grau	Hanover	Freshman	Midfield	Cincinnati, Ohio
Cody Freels	Manchester	Junior	Back	Auburn, Ind.
Nicholas Siko	Mount St. Joseph	Junior	Forward	Avon Lake, Ohio
Spencer Johnson	Rose-Hulman	Sophomore	Back	Yorkville, Ill.
Jake Ruckman	Transylvania	Senior	Midfield	Monroe, Ohio

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