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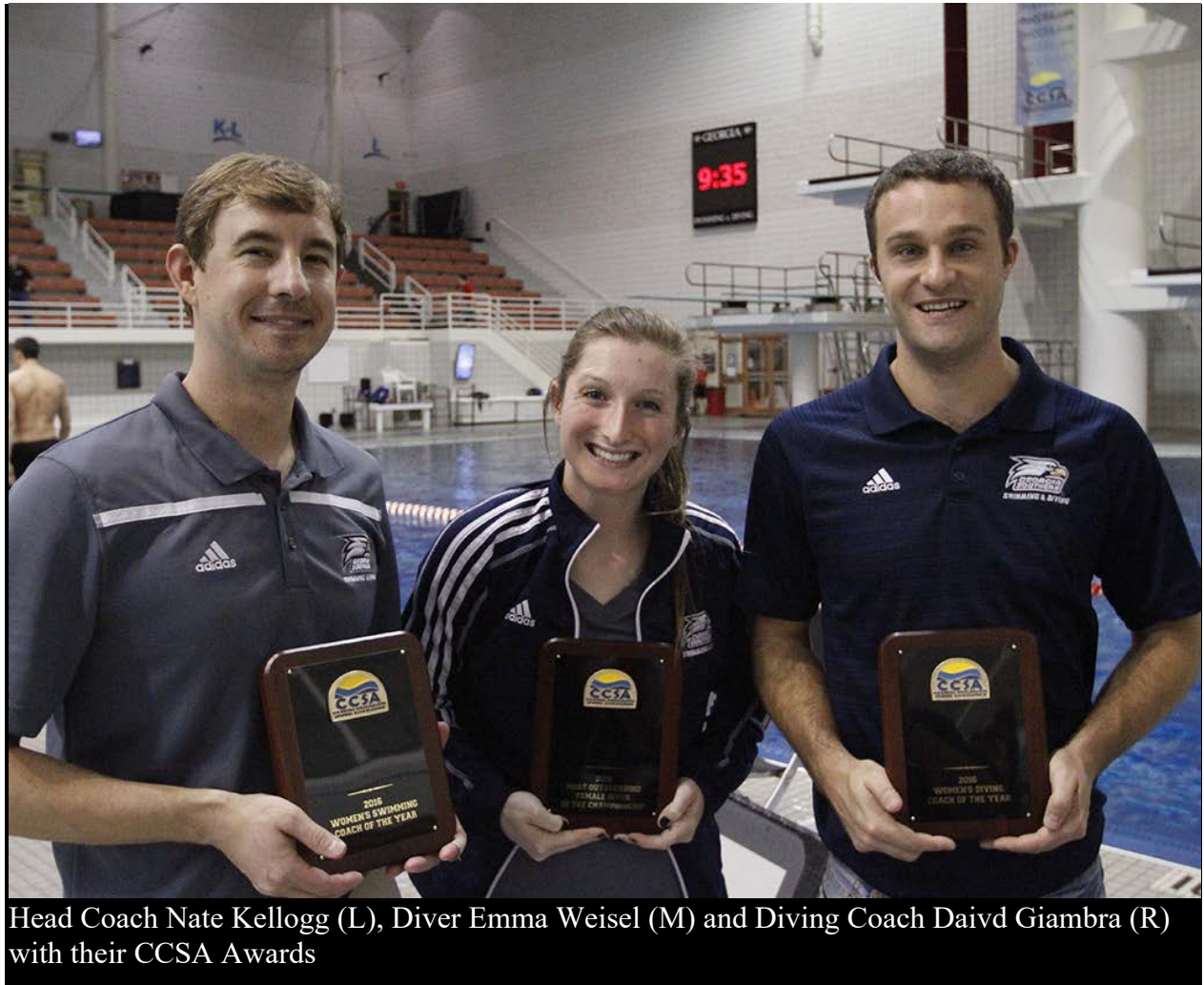
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*Georgia Southern also ears Co-Swimming Coach of the Year, Diving Coach of the Year and Diver of the Year*



Head Coach Nate Kellogg (L), Diver Emma Weisel (M) and Diving Coach David Giambra (R) with their CCSA Awards

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**ATHENS, GA.** – Georgia Southern closed the 2016 CCSA Swimming & Diving Championships by claiming third place in the final team standings. The Eagles earned a

pair of podium finishes in the 400 Free Relay while [Mykala Arnold](#) took third in the 200 Back.

Head Coach [Nate Kellogg](#) was named Co-Swimming Coach of the Year while [David Giambra](#) claimed Diving Coach of the Year. With a pair of wins in the 1M and 3M events, [Emma Weisel](#) took the CCSA Diver of the Year award.

### **What Coach Said**

#### **Head Coach [Nate Kellogg](#)**

"I'm so impressed with how we fought and never backed down. This is a tremendous group of young ladies who have worked very hard for every bit of success they've achieved. Today was a product of that consistent effort."

### **FINAL TEAM STANDINGS**

1. FGCU – 1670
2. Liberty – 1358
- 3. Georgia Southern – 925**
4. Gardner-Webb - 898
5. Campbell – 715
6. Incarnate Word - 683
7. UNC Asheville - 506
8. North Florida – 470
9. Howard - 183
10. North Carolina A&T – 177
11. VMI – 166

### **INDIVIDUAL RESULTS**

#### **[Mykala Arnold](#)**

##### **3rd – 200 Back**

Prelims – 1:59.79 (School Record)

Finals – 1:58.52 (School Record)(NCAA B-Cut)

#### **[Kylee Parsons](#)**

##### **5th – 100 Free**

Prelims – 50.92

Finals – 50.85

#### **[Christina Moran](#)**

##### **7th – 200 Back**

Prelims – 2:01.77

Finals – 2:02.08

#### **[Kaylyn Thomas](#)**

##### **7th – 100 Free**

Prelims – 50.70

Finals – 51.18

**Amber Cortazzo**

**11th – 200 Breast**

Prelims – 2:24.34

Finals – 2:23.26

**Laren Campbell**

**13th – 200 Fly**

Prelims – 2:04.82

Finals – 2:05.96

**Anna Rose Moore**

**14th – 1650 Free**

Finals – 17:24.81

**Madison Lichtefeld**

**15th – 200 Breast**

Prelims – 2:24.34

Finals – 2:25.79

**Athena Cimino**

**16th – 100 Free**

Prelims – 51.85

Finals – 52.14

**Madison Heydinger**

**19th – 1650 Free**

Finals – 17:49.23

**Anna Kassis**

**20th – 200 Fly**

Prelims – 2:10.31

Finals – 2:10.99

**22nd – 1650 Free**

Finals – 17:57.09

**Rachel Pelzek**

**21st – 100 Free**

Prelims – 52.53

Finals – 52.37

**Mary Roberts**

**22nd – 100 Free**

Prelims – 52.60

Finals – 53.32

**Abbey Moore**  
**24th – 100 Free**  
Prelims – 52.14  
Finals – 53.32

**Relay Results**  
**3rd – 200 Free Relay – 3:24.67**  
*Kylee Parsons* – 51.30  
*Kaylyn Thomas* – 50.81  
*Athena Cimino* – 51.15  
*Mykala Arnold* – 51.41

The CCSA Championships conclude the swimming portion of the season for the Eagles. Georgia Southern diving will compete in the NCAA Diving Zone meet in Atlanta March 7-9.

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