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Award given annually to the nation's top center in Division I football



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STATESBORO - Senior [Andy Kwon](#) of the Georgia Southern football squad was named Tuesday to the spring watch list for the Rimington Trophy, given annually to the nation's top center in Division I football. He's one of 61 players on this year's list of candidates.

In order to create this list, the committee accepted nominations from programs across the country that submitted their current starting centers for consideration.

Last year, Kwon was a key cog in the nation's leading rushing offense as four Eagles rushed for 600 or more yards for the season. He started all 13 games at center position and was second-team all-conference honors for his play. The Suwanee, Georgia, native was on the field for 831 offensive snaps and had a big game in the Eagles' win over

Bowling Green in the GoDaddy Bowl as GS scored eight touchdowns.

The center with the most first-team votes on various All-America squads will be determined the winner. If there is a tie with first-team votes, then the center with the most second-team votes will win. If there is still a tie, the winner will be determined by a majority vote from the Rimington Trophy committee. The winner will be recognized at the Rimington Trophy Presentation at the Rococo Theatre in Lincoln, Nebraska, on Saturday, Jan. 14, 2017.

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