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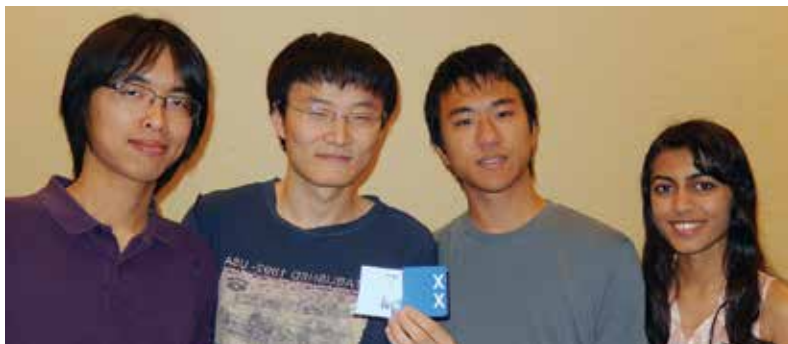
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Ben Bomber, Lee Holstein, Daniel Poore and Greg Herman — the Collegiate Team Championship winners from the University of Washington.



Collegiate team runner-up University of Pennsylvania: Xingtang Zhang, James Sundstrom, Kendrick Chow and Zhuo Wang.



The third-place collegiate team from the University of California at Berkeley: Antony Lee, Qucheng Gong, Eric Chan and Isha Thapa.



This University of Texas squad finished in fourth place: Dennis Kriventsov, Yaoguang Zhu, Anant Rathi and Samuel Harris.

U Dub Does It!

University of Washington wins Collegiate Championship

The squad from the University of Washington won the U.S. Collegiate Team Championship on Aug. 3, held during the Summer NABC in Atlanta. Finishing second was the team from the University of Pennsylvania.

Playing for Washington were Ben Bomber, Greg Herman, Lee Holstein and Daniel Poore. The Penn squad roster was Kendrick Chow, James Sundstrom, Zhuo Wang and Xingtang Zhang.

Bomber, 21, is majoring in international studies and economics. Twenty-year-old Herman studied computer science, physics and atmospheric science as an undergraduate; he is a graduate student in atmospheric science. Holstein, 20, is a marketing major. Poore, a graduate student in computer science, completed his undergraduate degree program in computer science and math.

An online qualifier last spring whittled the 20 college teams who entered the contest to eight. Those eight had their travel expenses paid to compete in Atlanta. The field was halved again in an opening-round Swiss qualifier.

In semifinal action, Washington beat the University of Texas 58–42, and Penn beat the University of California 83–51 to advance. In the final, Washington bested Penn 92–75. Cal won the consolation bracket 77–53 over Texas.

Semifinal

Univ. of Washington	51	58
Univ. of Texas	15	42

Univ. of California	32	51
Univ. of Pennsylvania	40	83

Final

Univ. of Washington	57	92
Univ. of Pennsylvania	17	75

Consolation

Univ. of Texas	14	53
Univ. of California	53	77