

DIVISION III FIELD HOCKEY ALL TIME CHAMPIONSHIP BRACKET NORTH REGIONAL – FIRST ROUND

BLOOM 1984 v BOWDOIN 2013

19-0 • NCAA Champions

GAA: .57 GpG: 3.05 MoV: 2.48

The 1984 Huskies opened with four shutouts in their first five games and never looked back. Bloom entered the PC tournament with a 13-0 record and eight shutouts, and after an overtime win over Kutztown, defeated Ship for the title and earned the third seed in NCAAs. A clean sheet against Millersville gave the Huskies their tenth of the season and a date against Salisbury, which Bloom took in overtime. In the semis, the Huskies knocked off undefeated and reigning champion Trenton State, setting up a contest against the only other undefeated team in the nation, Messiah. Bloom rallied twice from one-goal deficits to win the NCAA Division III title, a year after they claimed the NCAA Division II title. All-Americans Karen Hertzler, Diane Shields, and Linda Hershey helped Bloom extend their winning streak to 30.

18-3 • NCAA Champions

GAA: 1.05 GpG: 4.29 MoV: 3.24

The 2013 Polar Bears opened with a pair of wins before a loss to Amherst put them at 2-1. From there, Bowdoin put together a 10-game win streak with six shutouts, including the final three. In that stretch, the Polar Bears outscored their opponents 58-5. A loss at Tufts to end the regular season came just before the NESCAC tournament, in which Bowdoin won a pair to move into the final, where they fell in overtime to Middlebury. A 5-2 win against New Paltz was followed by a 1-0 shutout of Montclair State on the road, setting up a trip to the semis. The Polar Bears defeated CNU 4-1 before beating Salisbury 1-0 in the final. Rachel Kennedy, Olivia King and Katie Riley were all named All-Americans.

