

April Beard

Winneconne High School: 1992 – 1996

Coaches: John Schmidt and Rick Kamps

Team Captain: 1996

Most Valuable Award: 1995

High School Events & Best Performances:

Outdoor: 200m (25.58), 400m (56.10) & 1600m Relay (4:06.54)

Conference Highlights:

4-Time East Central Conference 400m Dash Champion

2-Time East Central Conference 200m Dash Champion

WIAA State Meet:

1994 – Champion 400m Dash (57.54); 4th 1600m Relay (4:08.83);
3rd 3200m Relay (9:52.12)

1995 – Champion 400m Dash (56.10), 200m Dash (25.58);
3rd 1600m Relay (4:06.54)

1996 – Champion 400m Dash (57.74) & 200m Dash (26.73)

College:

University of Wisconsin-Madison 1996 – 2000

Collegiate Best Performances:

Indoor: 600m (1:32.07) & 800m (2:08.1)

Collegiate Highlights:

1997 – 7th Big Ten Indoor 600m (1:36.63)

8th Big Ten Outdoor 4 x 400m Relay (3:51.73)

1998 – NCAA Division I All-American – 2nd DMR 11:10.62 (400m
leg 56.3), 3rd Big Ten Indoor 600m (1:32.07), 6th Big Ten
Outdoor 800m (2:09.4), 4th Big Ten Outdoor 4 x 400m
Relay (3:45.56)

1999 – NCAA Division I Indoor Nationals 800m (2:08.1)

All Big Ten Honors

4th Big Ten Indoor 600m (1:33.89)

5th Big Ten Indoor 4 x 400m Relay (3:51.53)

6th Big Ten Outdoor 4 x 400m Relay (3:45.99)

1999 – 2000 – UW Madison Track & Field Team Captain

Post-Collegiate:

2003 – Chicago Marathon Finisher

2008 – Ironman Wisconsin Finisher

Inducted 2009

