



# COLORADO AVALANCHE 2017 NHL DRAFT GUIDE



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# 2017 NHL DRAFT DETAILS

The 2017 NHL Draft will take place June 23-24 at the United Center in Chicago. The first round will be held on Friday, June 23, beginning at 5 p.m. MT and continues with rounds two through seven on Saturday, June 24, starting at 8 a.m. MT. It's the first time in the event's 53-year history that the draft is being held in the Windy City.

The first round of the draft will be broadcast live on NBC Sports Network, and the second through seventh rounds can be seen on NHL Network.

The 14 teams that didn't make the Stanley Cup Playoffs, along with the expansion Vegas Golden Knights, were entered into the NHL Draft Lottery, which took place on April 29 and determined the first 15 picks of the draft. The Stanley Cup Playoffs established the remaining 16 selections. The Avalanche holds the No. 4-overall pick for the second time in franchise history and the first time since the franchise relocated to Denver.

## AVALANCHE 2017 DRAFT CHOICES

Round	Overall Pick	Pick Information
1	4	Original Pick
2	32	Original Pick
4	94	Original Pick
4	114	From NYR (6/25/16 trade, D Nick Holden)
5	125	Original Pick
6	156	Original Pick
7	187	Original Pick

## DRAFT REGULATIONS

Each team will have no more than three minutes (including a one-minute final warning) to make its first-round selection. Additionally, each club has the option to use up to five additional minutes no more than five times throughout the draft or it may use those timeouts on a cumulative basis.

Clubs can make trades at any time, including within the three minutes prior to the deadline for selection. However, in the first round, a team that elects to utilize one of its timeouts is not permitted to make a trade in that time.

## 2017 AVALANCHE DRAFT HEADQUARTERS

For more information about the 2017 NHL Draft, including news, draft history, prospect profiles, player rankings and more, visit the Coors Light Colorado Avalanche Draft Headquarters at [ColoradoAvalanche.com/2017draft](http://ColoradoAvalanche.com/2017draft).

## 2017 NHL FIRST-ROUND DRAFT ORDER

Pick	Team	2016-17 Record
1.	New Jersey Devils	28-40-14
2.	Philadelphia Flyers	39-33-10
3.	Dallas Stars	34-37-11
<b>4.</b>	<b>Colorado Avalanche</b>	<b>22-56-4</b>
5.	Vancouver Canucks	30-43-9
6.	Vegas Golden Knights	N/A
7.	Arizona Coyotes	30-42-10
8.	Buffalo Sabres	33-37-12
9.	Detroit Red Wings	33-36-13
10.	Florida Panthers	35-36-11
11.	Los Angeles Kings	39-35-8
12.	Carolina Hurricanes	36-31-15
13.	Winnipeg Jets	40-35-7
14.	Tampa Bay Lightning	42-30-10
15.	New York Islanders	41-29-12
16.	Calgary Flames	45-33-4
17.	Toronto Maple Leafs	40-27-15
18.	Boston Bruins	44-31-7
19.	San Jose Sharks	46-29-7
20.	St. Louis Blues	46-29-7
21.	New York Rangers	48-28-6
22.	Edmonton Oilers	47-26-9
23.	Arizona Coyotes (from Wild)	30-42-10
24.	Columbus Blue Jackets	50-24-8
25.	Montreal Canadiens	47-26-9
26.	Chicago Blackhawks	50-23-9
27.	St. Louis Blues (from Capitals)	46-29-7
28.	Ottawa Senators	44-28-10
29.	Dallas Stars (from Ducks)	34-37-11
30.	Nashville Predators	41-29-12
31.	Pittsburgh Penguins	50-21-11

## 2017 AVALANCHE DEVELOPMENT CAMP

The Colorado Avalanche will hold its annual Development Camp June 26-29. Media availability with camp attendees, including available 2017 NHL Draft picks, will be held Monday, June 26, at 3:30 p.m. in the Avalanche dressing room at Pepsi Center. On-ice sessions at Family Sports Center will be open to the media. A full schedule for the Avs' 2017 Development Camp is forthcoming.



# A LOOK BACK: THE NO. 4 PICK

The Avalanche holds the fourth overall pick in the 2017 NHL Draft, the second time in franchise history they have the fourth pick in the first round and the first time since the team moved to Denver. The Quebec Nordiques selected left wing Todd Warriner with the fourth overall pick in the 1992 NHL Draft, but Warriner would never play a game for the club, as he was traded to the Toronto Maple Leafs in 1994. In the "Entry Draft Era," every player chosen with the fourth overall pick has played in the NHL.

Year	Team	Player	Nation	Pos.	Age	Amateur Team	League	NHL
2016	Edmonton Oilers	Jesse Puljujarvi	Finland	RW	18	Karpat	Finland	x
2015	Toronto Maple Leafs	Mitchell Marner	Canada	C	18	London	OHL	x
2014	Calgary Flames	Samuel Bennett	Canada	C	18	Kingston	OHL	x
2013	Nashville Predators	Seth Jones	United States	D	18	Portland	WHL	x
2012	New York Islanders	Griffin Reinhart	Canada	D	18	Edmonton	WHL	x
2011	New Jersey Devils	Adam Larsson	Sweden	D	18	Skelleftea	Sweden	x
2010	Columbus Blue Jackets	Ryan Johansen	Canada	C	18	Portland	WHL	x
2009	Atlanta Thrashers	Evander Kane	Canada	LW	18	Vancouver	WCHL	x
2008	St. Louis Blues	Alex Pietrangelo	Canada	D	18	Niagara	OHL	x
2007	Los Angeles Kings	Thomas Hickey	Canada	D	18	Seattle	WHL	x
2006	Washington Capitals	Nicklas Backstrom	Sweden	C	18	Brynäs Gavle	Sweden	x
2005	Minnesota Wild	Benoit Pouliot	Canada	LW	18	Sudbury	OHL	x
2004	Carolina Hurricanes	Andrew Ladd	Canada	LW	18	Calgary	WHL	x
2003	Columbus Blue Jackets	Nikolai Zherdev	Russia	W	18	CSKA Moscow	Russia	x
2002	Philadelphia Flyers	Joni Pitkanen	Finland	D	18	Karpat Oulu		x
2001	Florida Panthers	Stephen Weiss	Canada	C	18	Plymouth	OHL	x
2000	Columbus Blue Jackets	Rostislav Klesla	Czech Republic	D	18	Brampton	OHL	x
1999	New York Rangers	Pavel Brendl	Czech Republic	RW	18	Calgary	WHL	x
1998	Vancouver Canucks	Bryan Allen	Canada	D	18	Oshawa	OHL	x
1997	New York Islanders	Roberto Luongo	Canada	G	18	Val d'Or	QMJHL	x
1996	Washington Capitals	Alexandre Volchkov	Russia	C	18	Barrie	OHL	x
1995	Anaheim Ducks	Chad Kilger	Canada	LW	18	Kingston	OHL	x
1994	Edmonton Oilers	Jason Bonsignore	United States	C	18	Niagara Falls	OHL	x
1993	Anaheim Ducks	Paul Kariya	Canada	LW	18	U. of Maine	H-East	x
<b>1992</b>	<b>Quebec Nordiques</b>	<b>Todd Warriner</b>	<b>Canada</b>	<b>LW</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>Windsor</b>	<b>OHL</b>	<b>x</b>
1991	New York Islanders	Scott Lachance	United States	D	18	Boston University	H-East	x
1990	Philadelphia Flyers	Mike Ricci	Canada	C	18	Peterborough	OHL	x
1989	Winnipeg Jets	Stu Barnes	Canada	C	18	Tri-City	WHL	x
1988	Pittsburgh Penguins	Darrin Shannon	Canada	LW	18	Windsor	OHL	x
1987	Los Angeles Kings	Wayne McBean	Canada	D	18	Medicine Hat	WHL	x
1986	Pittsburgh Penguins	Zarley Zalapski	Canada	D	18	Canadian National		x
1985	Vancouver Canucks	Jim Sandlak	Canada	RW	18	London	OHL	x
1984	Toronto Maple Leafs	Al Iafrate	United States	D	18	Belleville	OHL	x
1983	Detroit Red Wings	Steve Yzerman	Canada	C	18	Peterborough	OHL	x
1982	Philadelphia Flyers	Ron Sutter	Canada	C	18	Lethbridge	WHL	x
1981	Hartford Whalers	Ron Francis	Canada	C	18	Sault Ste. Marie	OHL	x
1980	Los Angeles Kings	Larry Murphy	Canada	D	19	Peterborough	OHL	x
1979	Washington Capitals	Mike Gartner	Canada	RW	19	Niagara Falls	OHL	x

# CURRENT ROSTER BY DRAFT POSITION

## FIRST ROUND (10)

Player	Year	Pick	Team
Erik Johnson, D	2006	1	St. Louis Blues
<b>Nathan MacKinnon, C</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Colorado Avalanche</b>
<b>Gabriel Landeskog, LW</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Colorado Avalanche</b>
<b>Matt Duchene, C</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Colorado Avalanche</b>
<b>Mikko Rantanen, RW</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>Colorado Avalanche</b>
<b>Tyson Jost, C</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>Colorado Avalanche</b>
Mikhail Grigorenko, C	2012	12	Buffalo Sabres
Joe Colborne, C	2008	16	Boston Bruins
Nikita Zadorov, D	2013	16	Buffalo Sabres
Semyon Varlamov, G	2006	23	Washington Capitals

## SECOND ROUND (9)

Player	Year	Pick	Team
J.T. Compher, LW	2013	35	Buffalo Sabres
Cody Goloubof, D	2008	37	Columbus Blue Jackets
Fedor Tyutin, D	2001	40	New York Rangers
Patrick Wiercioch, D	2008	42	Ottawa Senators
Blake Comeau, LW	2004	47	New York Islanders
Matt Nieto, LW	2011	47	San Jose Sharks
<b>Calvin Pickard, G</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>Colorado Avalanche</b>
Carl Soderberg, C	2004	49	St. Louis Blues
Jeremy Smith, G	2007	54	Nashville Predators

## THIRD ROUND (3)

Player	Year	Pick	Team
<b>Tyson Barrie, D</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>Colorado Avalanche</b>
Francois Beauchemin, D	1998	75	Montreal Canadiens
Sven Andrighetto, RW	2013	86	Montreal Canadiens

## FIFTH ROUND (1)

Player	Year	Pick	Team
John Mitchell, C	2003	158	Toronto Maple Leafs

## SIXTH ROUND (1)

Player	Year	Pick	Team
Mark Barberio, D	2008	152	Tampa Bay Lightning

## UNDRAFTED

Rene Bourque, RW

\*roster as of the conclusion of the 2016-17 season

## NOTABLE

The Avalanche has 24 drafted players on its active roster with 19 who were drafted in the first and second rounds.

There are seven Avalanche draft picks on Colorado's current roster, including five players who were selected by the organization in the first round.

Overall, Colorado's roster features 10 players who were chosen in the first round of the NHL Draft, all between 2006 and 2016.

The Avs' current roster features two former first-overall picks in center Nathan MacKinnon and defenseman Erik Johnson and four players who were chosen in the top three of their respective drafts.

Right wing Mikko Rantanen, who was taken by Colorado with the 10th overall pick in 2015, was the first Finnish player to be selected in the first round in franchise history.

There are no fourth- or seventh-round picks on Colorado's current roster.

Center Nathan MacKinnon is the Avalanche's only first overall pick since relocating to Denver in 1995.

Of the first-round draft picks on Colorado's roster, three have been selected to represent the Avs in the NHL All-Star Game (Duchene, Johnson (injured - DNP), MacKinnon) and two have won the Calder Memorial Trophy as the league's top rookie (Landeskog, MacKinnon).



Nathan MacKinnon speaks to the media after being drafted first overall in 2013.



# AVS IN THE FIRST ROUND

The Avalanche has made 39 first-round picks in franchise history, including 21 since relocating to Denver in 1995. The franchise has owned the first overall pick in the NHL Draft on four occasions: in 1989 (Mats Sundin), 1990 (Owen Nolan), 1991 (Eric Lindros) and most recently 2013 (Nathan MacKinnon).

Yr.	Player	Choice	Team
1979	Michel Goulet, LW	20	Birmingham (WHA)
1981	Randy Moller, D	11	Lethbridge (WHL)
1982	David Shaw, D	13	Kitchener (OHL)
1984	Trevor Stienburg, RW	15	Guelph (OHL)
1985	David Latta, LW	15	Kitchener (OHL)
1986	Ken McRae, C	18	Sudbury (OHL)
1987	Bryan Fogarty, D	9	Kingston (OHL)
	Joe Sakic, C	15	Swift Current (WHL)
1988	Curtis Leschyshyn, D	3	Saskatoon (WHL)
	Daniel Dore, RW	5	Drummondville (QMJHL)
1989	Mats Sundin, RW	1	Nacka (Sweden)
1990	Owen Nolan, RW	1	Cornwall (OHL)
1991	Eric Lindros, C	1	Oshawa (OHL)
1992	Todd Warriner, LW	4	Windsor (OHL)
1993	Jocelyn Thibault, G	10	Sherbrooke (QMJHL)
	Adam Deadmarsh, C	14	Portland (WHL)
1994	Wade Belak, D	12	Saskatoon (WHL)
	Jeffrey Kealty, D	22	Catholic Memorial (USHS)
1995	Marc Denis, G	25	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
1996	Peter Ratchuk, D	25	Shattuck St. Mary's (USHS)
1997	Kevin Grimes, D	26	Kingston (OHL)
1998	Alex Tanguay, C	12	Halifax (QMJHL)
	Martin Skoula, D	17	Barrie (OHL)
	Robyn Regehr, D	19	Kamloops (WHL)
	Scott Parker, RW	20	Kelowna (WHL)
1999	Mikhail Kuleshov, LW	25	Cherepovets (Russia)
2000	Vaclav Nedorost, C	14	Budejovice (Czech Republic)
2002	Jonas Johansson, RW	28	HV71 (Sweden)
2004	Wojtek Wolski, LW	21	Brampton (OHL)
2006	Chris Stewart, RW	18	Kingston (OHL)
2007	Kevin Shattenkirk, D	14	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2009	Matt Duchene, C	3	Brampton (OHL)
2010	Joey Hishon, C	17	Owen Sound (OHL)
2011	Gabriel Landeskog, LW	2	Kitchener (OHL)
	Duncan Siemens, D	11	Saskatoon (WHL)
2013	Nathan MacKinnon, C	1	Halifax (QMJHL)
2014	Conner Bleackley, C	23	Red Deer (WHL)
2015	Mikko Rantanen, RW	10	TPS (Finland)
2016	Tyson Jost, C	10	Penticton (BCHL)

## FRANCHISE HISTORY



One each: Russia, Czech Republic, NTDP, Finland, WHA, BCHL



## AVALANCHE HISTORY



One each: USHS, Russia, Czech Republic, Sweden, NTDP, Finland, BCHL



## NOTABLE

The franchise has had 13 top-10 selections in its history, including three straight No. 1 picks from 1989-91. Since moving to Denver, the Avalanche has selected in the top 10 five times, all in the last eight years since choosing Matt Duchene with the No. 3 overall pick in 2009.

The franchise has never had selections in the Nos. 6, 7, 8, 16, 24, 27, 29 or 30th spots but has chosen three times each at Nos. 10, 14, 15 and 25, the most popular first-round selections in the history of the franchise.

# ALL-TIME PICKS BY ROUND

## FIRST ROUND (39) | COL (21)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1979	Michel Goulet, LW	20	Birmingham (WHA)
1981	Randy Moller, D	11	Lethbridge (WHL)
1982	David Shaw, D	13	Kitchener (OHL)
1984	Trevor Stienburg, RW	15	Guelph (OHL)
1985	David Latta, LW	15	Kitchener (OHL)
1986	Ken McRae, C	18	Sudbury (OHL)
1987	Bryan Fogarty, D	9	Kingston (OHL)
1987	Joe Sakic, C	15	Swift Current (WHL)
1988	Curtis Leschyshyn, D	3	Saskatoon (WHL)
1988	Daniel Dore, RW	5	Drummondville (QMJHL)
1989	Mats Sundin, RW	1	Nacka (Sweden)
1990	Owen Nolan, RW	1	Cornwall (OHL)
1991	Eric Lindros, C	1	Oshawa (OHL)
1992	Todd Warriner, LW	4	Windsor (OHL)
1993	Jocelyn Thibault, G	10	Sherbrooke (QMJHL)
1993	Adam Deadmarsh, C	14	Portland (WHL)
1994	Wade Belak, D	12	Saskatoon (WHL)
1994	Jeffrey Kealty, D	22	Catholic Mem. (USHS)
1995	Marc Denis, G	25	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
1996	Peter Ratchuk, D	25	Shattuck (USHS)
1997	Kevin Grimes, D	26	Kingston (OHL)
1998	Alex Tanguay, C	12	Halifax (QMJHL)
1998	Martin Skoula, D	17	Barrie (OHL)
1998	Robyn Regehr, D	19	Kamloops (WHL)
1998	Scott Parker, RW	20	Kelowna (WHL)
1999	Mikhail Kulshov, LW	25	Cherepovets (Russia)
2000	Vaclav Nedorost, C	14	Budejovice (Czech)
2002	Jonas Johansson, RW	28	HV71 (Sweden)
2004	Wojtek Wolski, LW	21	Brampton (OHL)
2006	Chris Stewart, RW	18	Kingston (OHL)
2007	Kevin Shattenkirk, D	14	U.S. NTDP (USA)
2009	Matt Duchene, C	3	Brampton (OHL)
2010	Joey Hishon, C	17	Owen Sound (OHL)
2011	Gabriel Landeskog, LW	2	Kitchener (OHL)
2011	Duncan Siemens, D	11	Saskatoon (WHL)
2013	Nathan MacKinnon, C	1	Halifax (QMJHL)
2014	Conner Bleackley, C	23	Red Deer (WHL)
2015	Mikko Rantanen, RW	10	TPS (Finland)
2016	Tyson Jost, C	10	Penticton (BCHL)

## SECOND ROUND (49) | COL (33)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1979	Dale Hunter, C	41	Sudbury (OHL)
1980	Normand Rochefort, D	24	Quebec (QMJHL)
1982	Paul Gillis, C	34	Niagara Falls (OHL)
1983	Yves Heroux, RW	32	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
1984	Jeff Brown, D	36	Sudbury (OHL)
1985	Jason Lafreniere, C	36	Hamilton (OHL)
1986	J.M. Routhier, RW	39	Hull (QMJHL)
1986	Stephane Guerard, D	41	Shawinigan (QMJHL)
1988	Stephane Fiset, G	24	Victoriaville (QMJHL)
1989	Adam Foote, D	22	Sault Ste-Marie (OHL)
1990	Ryan Hughes, C	22	Cornell (ECAC)
1991	Rene Corbet, LW	24	Drummondville (QMJHL)
1992	Paul Brousseau, RW	28	Hull (QMJHL)
1992	Tuomas Gronman, D	29	Tacoma (WHL)
1993	A. Buckberger, RW	49	Swift Current (WHL)
1994	Josef Marha, C	35	Dukla Jihlava (Czech)
1995	Nic Beaudoin, LW	51	Detroit (OHL)
1996	Yuri Babenko, C	51	Krylia Sovetov (Russia)
1997	Graham Belak, D	53	Edmonton (WHL)
1998	Ramzi Abid, LW	28	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
1998	Phillippe Sauve, G	38	Rimouski (QMJHL)
1998	Steve Moore, C	53	Harvard (ECAC)
1999	Martin Grenier, D	45	Quebec (QMJHL)
2000	Jared Aulin, C	47	Kamloops (WHL)
2000	Sergei Soin, C	50	Krylia Sovetov (Russia)
2000	Argis Saviels, D	63	Owen Sound (OHL)
2001	Peter Budaj, G	63	Tor. St. Michael's (OHL)
2002	Johnny Boychuk, D	61	Calgary (WHL)
2003	David Liffiton, D	63	Plymouth (OHL)
2004	Victor Oreskovich, RW	55	Green Bay (USHL)
2005	Ryan Stoa, C	34	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2005	Paul Stastny, C	44	Univ. of Denver (WCHA)
2005	Tom Fritsche, LW	47	Ohio State Univ. (CCHA)
2005	Chris Durand, C	52	Seattle (WHL)
2006	Nigel Williams, D	51	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2006	Codey Burki, C	59	Brandon (WHL)
2007	Colby Cohen, D	45	Lincoln (USHL)
2007	Trevor Cann, G	49	Peterborough (OHL)
2007	T.J. Galiardi, LW	55	Dartmouth (ECAC)
2008	Cameron Gaunce, D	50	Miss. St. Michael's (OHL)
2008	Peter Delmas, G	61	Lewiston (QMJHL)
2009	Ryan O'Reilly, C	33	Erie (OHL)
2009	Stefan Elliott, D	49	Saskatoon (WHL)
2010	Calvin Pickard, G	49	Seattle (WHL)
2012	Mitchell Heard, C	41	Plymouth (OHL)
2013	Chris Bigras, D	32	Owen Sound (OHL)
2015	A.J. Greer, LW	39	Boston University (HE)
2015	Nicolas Meloche, D	40	Baie-Comeau (QMJHL)
2016	Cameron Morrison, LW	40	Youngstown (USHL)

## THIRD ROUND (37) | COL (20)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1979	Lee Norwood, D	62	Oshawa (OHL)
1981	Jean-Marc Gaulin, RW	53	Sorel (QMJHL)
1982	Mario Gosselin, G	55	Shawinigan (QMJHL)
1983	Bruce Bell, D	53	Windsor (OHL)
1983	Iiro Jarvi, RW	55	IFK Helsinki (Finland)
1984	Steven Finn, D	57	Laval (QMJHL)
1985	Max Middelendorf, RW	57	Sudbury (OHL)
1987	Jim Sprott, D	51	London (OHL)
1988	Petri Aaltonen, C	45	IFK Helsinki (Finland)
1989	Stephane Morin, C	43	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
1989	John Tanner, G	54	Peterborough (OHL)
1990	Bradley Zavisha, LW	43	Seattle (WHL)
1991	Richard Brennan, D	46	Tabor Academy (USHS)
1992	E. Fernandez, G	52	Laval (QMJHL)
1993	William Pierce, C	75	Lawrence Acad. (USHS)
1994	Sebastien Bety, D	61	Drummondville (QMJHL)
1994	Chris Drury, C	72	Fairfield Prep (USHS)
1995	John Tripp, RW	77	Oshawa (OHL)
1996	Mark Parrish, LW	79	St. Cloud State (WCHA)
1997	Rick Berry, D	55	Seattle (WHL)
1997	Ville Nieminen, RW	78	Tappara Tamp. (Finland)
1998	Evgeny Lazarev, LW	79	Kitchener Jr. B (OJHL)
1999	B. Radivojevic, RW	93	Belleville (OHL)
2000	Kurt Sauer, D	88	Spokane (WHL)
2000	Sergei Klyazmin, LW	92	Tver (Russia)
2001	Danny Bois, RW	97	London (OHL)
2002	Eric Lundberg, D	94	Providence College (H.E.)
2004	Denis Parshin, RW	72	CSKA 2 (Russia)
2005	T.J. Hensick, C	88	Michigan (CCHA)
2006	Michael Carman, C	81	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2009	Tyson Barrie, D	64	Kelowna (WHL)
2010	Michael Bournival, LW	71	Shawinigan (QMJHL)
2012	Troy Bourke, LW	72	Prince George (WHL)
2013	Spencer Martin, G	63	Mississauga (OHL)
2014	Kyle Wood, D	84	North Bay (OHL)
2015	J.C. Beaudin, C	71	Rouyn-Noranda (QMJHL)
2016	Josh Anderson, D	71	Prince George (WHL)

## FOURTH ROUND (39) | COL (23)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1979	Anton Stastny, LW	83	Slovan Brat. (Czech)
1980	Jay Miller, LW	66	New Hampshire (H.E.)
1981	Clint Malarchuk, G	74	Portland (WHL)
1982	Jiri Lala, RW	76	Dukla Jihlava (Czech)
1984	Terry Perkins, RW	78	Portland (WHL)
1985	Peter Massey, LW	65	Northeastern (H.E.)
1985	Dave Espe, D	78	White Bear Lake (USHS)
1986	Ron Tugnutt, G	81	Peterborough (OHL)
1987	Kip Miller, C	72	Michigan State (CCHA)
1988	Darin Kimble, RW	66	Prince Albert (WHL)
1989	Niklas Andersson, LW	68	Frolunda (Sweden)
1989	Eric Dubois, D	76	Laval (QMJHL)
1991	Dave Karpa, D	68	Ferris State (CCHA)
1992	Ian McIntyre, C	76	Beaumont (QMJHL)
1993	Ryan Tocher, D	101	Niagara Falls (OHL)
1994	Milan Hejduk, RW	87	Pardubice (Czech)
1995	Tomi Kallio, LW	81	Kiekko-67 (Finland)
1996	Ben Storey, D	98	Harvard Univ. (ECAC)
1996	Randy Petruk, G	107	Kamloops (WHL)
1997	Brad Larsen, LW	87	Swift Current (WHL)
1999	Sanny Lindstrom, D	112	Huddinge (Sweden)
1999	Kristian Kovac, RW	122	Kosice (Slovakia)
2000	Brian Fahey, D	119	Wisconsin (WCHA)
2001	Colt King, LW	130	Guelph (OHL)
2002	Mikko Kalteva, D	107	Jokerit Jr. (Finland)
2002	Tom Gilbert, D	129	Chicago (USHL)
2003	David Svagrovsky, RW	131	Seattle (WHL)
2005	Ray Macias, D	124	Kamloops (WHL)
2006	Kevin Montgomery, D	110	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2007	Brad Malone, C	105	Sioux Falls (USHL)
2007	Kent Patterson, G	113	Cedar Rapids (USHL)
2008	Kelsey Tessier, C	110	Quebec (QMJHL)
2010	Stephen Silas, D	95	Belleville (OHL)
2010	Sami Aittokallio, G	107	Ilves Jr. (Finland Jr.)
2011	Joachim Nermark, C	93	Linkoping Jr. (Sweden)
2013	Mason Geertsen, D	93	Vancouver (WHL)
2014	Nicholas Magyar, RW	93	Kitchener (OHL)
2014	Alexis Pepin, LW	114	Gatineau (QMJHL)
2015	Andrei Mironov, D	101	Dynamo Moscow (Russ.)



# ALL-TIME PICKS BY ROUND

## FIFTH ROUND (40) | COL (25)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1979	Pierre Lacroix, D	104	Trois Rivières (QMJHL)
1980	Basil McRae, LW	87	London (OHL)
1981	Ed Lee, RW	95	Princeton (ECAC)
1982	Phil Stanger, LW	97	Seattle (WHL)
1983	Luc Guenette, G	95	Quebec (QMJHL)
1985	Bruce Major, C	99	Richmond (BCJHL)
1986	Gerald Bzdel, D	102	Regina (WHL)
1987	Rob Mendel, D	93	Wisconsin (WCHA)
1988	Stephane Venne, D	87	Univ. of Vermont (ECAC)
1989	Kevin Kaiser, LW	85	Minn. Duluth (WCHA)
1991	Patrick Labrecque, G	90	St-Jean (QMJHL)
1991	Bill Lindsay, LW	103	Tri-City (WHL)
1992	Charlie Wasley, D	100	St. Paul (USHL)
1993	Anders Myrvold, D	127	Farjestad (Sweden)
1994	Tony Tuzzolino, RW	113	Michigan State (CCHA)
1995	Brent Johnson, G	129	Owen Sound (OHL)
1996	Luke Curtin, LW	134	Kelowna (WHL)
1997	Aaron Miskovich, RW	133	Green Bay (USHL)
1998	K.C. Timmons, LW	141	Tri City (WHL)
1999	William Magnuson, D	142	Lake Superior (CCHA)
1999	J. Krestanovich, LW	152	Calgary (WHL)
2000	John-Michael Liles, D	159	Michigan State (CCHA)
2001	Frantisek Skladany, LW	143	Boston University (H.E.)
2001	Cody McCormick, C	144	Belleville (OHL)
2001	Mikko Vitanen, D	149	Ahmat (Fin. D.I)
2001	Pierre-Luc Emond, C	165	Drummondville (QMJHL)
2002	Tyler Weiman, G	164	Tri-City (WHL)
2003	Mark McCutcheon, C	146	New England (EJHL)
2003	Brad Richardson, C	163	Owen Sound (OHL)
2004	R. Demen-Willlaume, D	154	Frolunda Jr. (Sweden)
2007	Paul Carey, C	135	Salisbury (USHS)
2008	Mark Olver, C	140	N. Michigan (CCHA)
2009	Kieran Millan, G	124	Boston University (H.E.)
2010	Troy Rutkowski, D	137	Portland (WHL)
2010	Luke Walker, RW	139	Portland (WHL)
2011	Garrett Meurs, C	123	Plymouth (OHL)
2012	Michael Clarke, C	132	Windsor (OHL)
2013	Will Butcher, D	123	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2014	Anton Lindholm, D	144	Skelleftea (Sweden)
2016	Adam Werner, G	131	Farjestad Jr. (Sweden)

## SIXTH ROUND (40) | COL (24)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1979	Scott McGeown, D	125	Toronto (OHL)
1980	Mark Kumpel, RW	108	Mass. Lowell (H.E.)
1981	Mike Eagles, C	116	Kitchener (OHL)
1983	Brad Walcott, D	112	Kingston (OHL)
1984	Darren Cota, RW	120	Kelowna (WHL)
1985	Andy Akervik, C	120	Eau Claire Mem. (USHS)
1986	Scott White, D	117	Mich. Tech Univ. (WCHA)
1986	Morgan Samuelsson, C	123	Boden (Sweden)
1987	Garth Snow, G	114	Mt. St. Charles (USHS)
1988	Ed Ward, RW	108	N. Michigan (WCHA)
1989	Dan Lambert, D	106	Swift Current (WHL)
1990	Jeff Parrott, D	106	Minn.-Duluth (WCHA)
1992	Paxton Schulte, LW	124	Spokane (WHL)
1993	Nicholas Checoco, C	137	Bloom. Jefferson (USHS)
1993	Christian Matte, RW	153	Granby (QMJHL)
1994	Nicholas Windsor, D	139	Cornwall (CJHL)
1995	John Cirjak, RW	155	Spokane (WHL)
1996	Brian Willisie, RW	146	Guelph (OHL)
1996	Kai Fischer, G	160	Dusseldorf (Germany)
1997	David Aebischer, G	161	Fribourg (Switzerland)
1998	A. Ryazantsev, D	167	Victoriaville (QMJHL)
1999	Anders Lovdahl, C	158	HV 71 (Sweden)
1999	Riku Hahl, C	183	Hameenlinna (Finland)
2000	Chris Bahen, D	189	Clarkson (ECAC)
2001	Scott Horvath, RW	184	Mass-Amherst (H.E.)
2001	Charlie Stevens, C	196	Guelph (OHL)
2002	Taylor Christie, D	195	Bowling Green (CCHA)
2004	Derek Peltier, D	184	Cedar Rapids (USHL)
2005	Jason Lynch, D	166	Spokane (WHL)
2005	Justin Mercier, LW	168	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2007	Jens Hellgren, D	155	Frolunda Jr. (Sweden)
2008	Joel Chouinard, D	167	Victoriaville (QMJHL)
2008	Jonas Holos, D	170	Sarpsborg (Norway)
2009	Brandon Maxwell, G	154	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2011	Gabriel Beaupre, D	153	Val-d'Or (QMJHL)
2012	Joseph Blandisi, C	162	Owen Sound (OHL)
2013	Ben Storm, D	153	Muskegon (USHL)
2014	Maximilian Pajpach, G	174	Slovakia U-18 (Slovakia)
2015	Sergei Boikov, D	161	Drummondville (QMJHL)
2016	Nathan Clurman, D	161	Culver Academy (USHS)

## SEVENTH ROUND (38) | COL (23)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1980	Gaston Therrien, D	129	Quebec (QMJHL)
1982	Daniel Poudrier, D	131	Shawinigan (QMJHL)
1983	Craig Mack, D	132	East Grand Forks (USHS)
1984	Henrik Cedergren, RW	141	Brynas (Sweden)
1985	Mike Oliverio, C	141	Sault Ste-Marie (OHL)
1986	Mark Vermette, RW	134	Lake Superior St. (CCHA)
1986	Jean-Francois Nault, C	144	Granby (QMJHL)
1987	Tim Hanus, LW	135	Minnetonka (USHS)
1988	Valeri Kamensky, LW	129	CSKA Moscow (Russia)
1989	Sergei Mylnikov, G	127	Traktor Chel. (Russia)
1990	Dwayne Norris, RW	127	Michigan State (CCHA)
1991	Mikael Johansson, C	134	Djurgardens (Sweden)
1992	Martin Lepage, D	148	Hull (QMJHL)
1993	David Ling, RW	179	Kingston (OHL)
1994	Calvin Elfring, D	165	Powell River (BCJHL)
1995	Dan Smith, D	181	British Columbia (CIAU)
1996	Dan Hinote, RW	167	Army (IND)
1996	Samuel Pahlsson, C	176	MoDo (Sweden)
1996	Roman Pylner, C	188	Litvinov (Czech)
1999	Radim Vrbata, RW	212	Hull (QMJHL)
2000	Aaron Molnar, G	221	London (OHL)
2001	Marek Svatos, RW	227	Kootenay (WHL)
2002	Ryan Steeves, C	227	Yale University (ECAC)
2003	Linus Videll, LW	204	Sodertalje Jr. (Sweden)
2003	Brett Hemingway, LW	225	Coquitlam (BCHL)
2004	Ian Keresich, G	215	Cleveland (NAHL)
2005	Kyle Cumiskey, D	222	Kelowna (WHL)
2006	Billy Sauer, G	201	Michigan (CCHA)
2007	Johan Alcen, RW	195	Brynas (Sweden)
2008	Nathan Condon, C	200	Wausau (USHS)
2009	Gus Young, D	184	Nobles (USHS)
2010	Luke Moffatt, C	197	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)
2011	Dillon Donnelly, D	183	Shawinigan (QMJHL)
2012	Colin Smith, C	192	Kamloops (WHL)
2013	Wilhelm Westlund, D	183	Farjestad (Sweden)
2014	Julien Nantel, LW	204	Rouyn-Noranda (QMJHL)
2015	Gustav Olhaver, C	191	Rogle Jr. (Sweden)
2016	Travis Barron, LW	191	Ottawa (OHL)

## EIGHTH ROUND (25) | COL (9)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1980	Michel Bolduc, D	150	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
1981	Andre Cote, RW	158	Quebec (QMJHL)
1983	Tommy Albelin, D	152	Djurgardens (Sweden)
1984	Jyrki Maki, D	162	St. Paul Simley (USHS)
1985	Mario Brunetta, G	162	Quebec (QMJHL)
1986	Keith Miller, LW	165	Guelph (OHL)
1987	Jake Enebak, LW	156	Northfield Prep (USHS)
1988	Sakari Lindfors, G	150	IFK Helsinki (Finland)
1989	Paul Krake, G	148	Alaska-Anch. (WCHA)
1990	Andrei Kovalenko, RW	148	CSKA Moscow (Russia)
1990	A. Karpovtsev, D	158	Dynamo Moscow (Russ.)
1991	Janne Laukkanen, D	156	Reipas (Finland)
1991	Aaron Asp, C	157	Ferris State (CCHA)
1992	Mike Jickling, C	172	Spokane (WHL)
1993	Petr Franek, G	205	Litvinov (Russia)
1994	Jay Bertsch, RW	191	Spokane (WHL)
1995	Tommi Hirvonen, C	207	Iives Tampere (Finland)
1996	Matthew Scorsune, D	214	Hotchkiss (USHS)
1997	Doug Schmidt, D	217	Waterloo (USHL)
1999	Jeff Finger, D	240	Green Bay (USHL)
2000	Darryl Bootland, RW	252	Tor. St. Michael's (OHL)
2002	Sergei Shemetov, LW	258	Yaroslavl (Russia)
2003	Darryl Yachoski, D	257	Regina (WHL)
2004	Brandon Yip, RW	239	Coquitlam (BCHL)
2004	J.D. Corbin, LW	249	Denver (WCHA)



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## NINTH ROUND (26) | COL (9)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1980	Christian Tanguay, RW	171	Trois Rivieres (QMJHL)
1981	Marc Brisebois, RW	179	Sorel (QMJHL)
1982	Mike Hough, LW	181	Kitchener (OHL)
1983	Wayne Groulx, C	172	Sault Ste-Marie (OHL)
1984	Guy Ouellette, C	183	Quebec (QMJHL)
1985	Brit Peer, RW	183	Sault Ste-Marie (OHL)
1986	Pierre Millier, D	186	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
1987	Jaroslav Sevcik, LW	177	Zetor Brno (Czech)
1987	Ladislav Trest, C	183	Zetor Brno (Czech)
1988	Dan Wiebe, LW	171	Univ. of Alberta (CIAU)
1989	Viacheslav Bykov, C	169	CSKA Moscow (Russia)
1990	Pat Mazzoli, G	169	Humboldt (SJHL)
1991	Adam Bartell, D	178	Niagara (NAHL)
1991	Brent Brekke, D	188	Western Mich. (CCHA)
1992	Steve Passmore, G	196	Victoria (WHL)
1993	Vincent Auger, C	231	Hawkesbury (CJHL)
1994	Tim Thomas, G	217	Univ. of Vermont (ECAC)
1995	Chris George, RW	228	Sarnia (OHL)
1996	Justin Clark, RW	240	Michigan (CCHA)
1997	Kyle Kidney, LW	243	Salisbury (USHS)
1997	Stephen Lafleur, D	245	Belleville (OHL)
2000	Sean Kotary, C	266	Northwood Prep (USHS)
2000	Blake Ward, G	285	Tri-City (WHL)
2002	Sean Collins, LW	289	New Hampshire (H.E.)
2003	David Jones, RW	288	Coquitlam (BCHL)
2004	Stephen McClellan, D	281	Catholic Mem. (USHS)

## TENTH ROUND (14) | COL (0)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1980	William Robinson, D	192	Boxborough (USHS)
1981	Karri Takko, G	200	Assat (Finland)
1982	Vincent Lukac, LW	202	Dukla Jihlava (Czech)
1983	Scott Shaunessy, D	192	St. John's Prep (USHS)
1984	Ken Quinney, RW	203	Calgary (WHL)
1985	Tom Sasso, C	204	Babson College (Ind.)
1986	Chris Lappin, D	207	Canterbury (USHS)
1987	Darren Nauss, RW	198	North Battleford (CA HS)
1989	Andrei Khomutov, RW	190	CSKA Moscow (Russia)
1990	Scott Davis, D	190	Univ. of Manitoba (CIAU)
1991	Paul Koch, D	200	Omaha (USHL)
1992	Anson Carter, C	220	Wexford (MetJHL)
1993	Mark Pivetz, D	257	Saskatoon (SJHL)
1994	Chris Pittman, LW	243	Kitchener (OHL)

## ELEVENTH ROUND (11) | COL (0)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1982	Andre Martin, D	223	Montreal (QMJHL)
1985	Gary Murphy, D	225	Arlington (USHS)
1986	Martin Latreille, D	228	Laval (QMJHL)
1987	Mike Williams, G	219	Ferris State (CCHA)
1988	Alexei Gusarov, D	213	CSKA Moscow (Russia)
1989	Byron Witkowski, LW	211	Nipawin (SJHL)
1990	Mika Stromberg, D	211	Jokerit (Finland)
1991	Doug Friedman, LW	222	Boston University (H.E.)
1992	Aaron Ellis, G	244	Culver Academy (USHS)
1993	John Hillman, C	283	St. Paul (USHL)
1994	Steven Low, D	285	Sherbrooke (QMJHL)

## TWELFTH ROUND (11) | COL (0)

Yr.	Player	Pick	Team
1982	Jozef Lukac, C	244	Kosice (Czech)
1982	Jan Jasko, LW	248	Slovan Brat. (Czech)
1983	Bo Berglund, RW	232	Djurgardens (Sweden)
1983	Jindrich Kokrment, C	239	Czech Nat'l Team
1984	Peter Loob, D	244	Sodertalje (Sweden)
1985	Jean Bois, LW	246	Trois Rivieres (QMJHL)
1986	Sean Boudreault, LW	249	Mt. St. Charles (USHS)
1988	Claude Lapointe, C	234	Laval (QMJHL)
1989	Noel Rahn, C	232	Edina (USHS)
1990	Wade Klippenstein, LW	232	Alaska-Fairbanks (CCHA)
1991	Eric Meloche, RW	244	Drummondville (QMJHL)



Selected in the ninth round (No. 288 overall) in the 2003 NHL Draft, David Jones is the lowest selection in the history of the franchise to make the NHL.



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Rd.	Player	Pick	Team
<b>1979</b>			
1.	Michel Goulet, LW	20	Birmingham (WHA)
2.	Dale Hunter, C	41	Sudbury (OHL)
3.	Lee Norwood, D	62	Oshawa (OHL)
4.	Anton Stastny, LW	83	Slovan Bratislava (CZECH)
5.	Pierre Lacroix, D	104	Trois Rivieres (QMJHL)
6.	Scott McGeown, D	125	Toronto (OHL)

<b>1980</b>			
2.	Normand Rochefort, D	24	Quebec (QMJHL)
4.	Jay Miller, LW	66	Univ. of New Hamp. (H.E.)
5.	Basil McRae, LW	87	London (OHL)
6.	Mark Kumpel, RW	108	Univ. of Mass Lowell (H.E.)
7.	Gaston Therrien, D	129	Quebec (QMJHL)
8.	Michel Bolduc, D	150	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
9.	Christian Tanguay, RW	171	Trois Rivieres (QMJHL)
10.	William Robinson, D	192	Boxborough (USHS)

<b>1981</b>			
1.	Randy Moller, D	11	Lethbridge (WHL)
3.	Jean-Marc Gaulin, RW	53	Sorel (QMJHL)
4.	Clint Malarchuk, G	74	Portland (WHL)
5.	Ed Lee, RW	95	Princeton Univ. (ECAC)
6.	Mike Eagles, C	116	Kitchener (OHL)
8.	Andre Cote, RW	158	Quebec (QMJHL)
9.	Marc Brisebois, RW	179	Sorel (QMJHL)
10.	Karri Takko, G	200	Assat (FINLAND)

<b>1982</b>			
1.	David Shaw, D	13	Kitchener (OHL)
2.	Paul Gillis, C	34	Niagara Falls (OHL)
3.	Mario Gosselin, G	55	Shawinigan (QMJHL)
4.	Jiri Lala, RW	76	Dukla Jihlava (CZECH)
5.	Phil Stanger, LW	97	Seattle (WHL)
7.	Daniel Poudrier, D	131	Shawinigan (QMJHL)
9.	Mike Hough, LW	181	Kitchener (OHL)
10.	Vincent Luka, LW	202	Dukla Jihlava (CZECH)
11.	Andre Martin, D	223	Montreal (QMJHL)
12.	Jozef Lukac, C	244	Kosice (CZECH)
12.	Jan Jasko, LW	248	Slovan Bratislava (CZECH)

<b>1983</b>			
2.	Yves Heroux, RW	32	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
3.	Bruce Bell, D	52	Windsor (OHL)
3.	Iiro Jarvi, RW	54	IFK Helsinki (FINLAND)
5.	Luc Guenette, G	92	Quebec (QMJHL)
6.	Brad Walcott, D	112	Kingston (OHL)
7.	Craig Mack, D	132	East Grand Forks (USHS)
8.	Tommy Albelin, D	152	Djurgardens (SWEDEN)
9.	Wayne Groulx, C	172	Sault Ste-Marie (OHL)
10.	Scott Shaunessy, D	192	St. John's Prep (USHS)
12.	Bo Berglund, RW	232	Djurgardens (SWEDEN)
12.	Jindrich Kokrmnt, C	239	Czechoslovakia Nat'l Team

Rd.	Player	Pick	Team
<b>1984</b>			
1.	Trevor Stienburg, RW	15	Guelph (OHL)
2.	Jeff Brown, D	36	Sudbury (OHL)
3.	Steven Finn, D	57	Laval (QMJHL)
4.	Terry Perkins, RW	78	Portland (WHL)
6.	Darren Cota, RW	120	Kelowna (WHL)
7.	Henrik Cedergren, RW	141	Brynas (SWEDEN)
8.	Jyrki Maki, D	162	St. Paul Simley (USHS)
9.	Guy Ouellette, C	183	Quebec (QMJHL)
10.	Ken Quinney, RW	203	Calgary (WHL)
12.	Peter Loob, D	244	Sodertalje (SWEDEN)

<b>1985</b>			
1.	David Latta, LW	15	Kitchener (OHL)
2.	Jason Lafreniere, C	36	Hamilton (OHL)
3.	Max Middendorf, RW	57	Sudbury (OHL)
4.	Peter Massey, LW	65	New Hampton (USHS)
4.	Dave Espe, D	78	White Bear Lake (USHS)
5.	Bruce Major, C	99	Richmond (BCJHL)
6.	Andy Akervik, C	120	Eau Claire Mem. (USHS)
7.	Mike Oliverio, C	141	Sault Ste-Marie (OHL)
8.	Mario Brunetta, G	162	Quebec (QMJHL)
9.	Brit Peer, RW	183	Sault Ste-Marie (OHL)
10.	Tom Sasso, C	204	Babson College (IND.)
11.	Gary Murphy, D	225	Arlington (USHS)
12.	Jean Bois, LW	246	Trois Rivieres (QMJHL)

<b>1986</b>			
1.	Ken McRae, C	18	Sudbury (OHL)
2.	J.M. Routhier, RW	39	Hull (QMJHL)
2.	Stephane Guerard, D	41	Shawinigan (QMJHL)
4.	Ron Tugnut, G	81	Peterborough (OHL)
5.	Gerald Bzdel, D	102	Regina (WHL)
6.	Scott White, D	117	Mich. Tech Univ. (WCHA)
6.	Morgan Samuelsson, F	123	Boden (SWEDEN)
7.	Mark Vermette, RW	134	Lake Superior St. (CCHA)
7.	Jean-Francois Nault, C	144	Granby (QMJHL)
8.	Keith Miller, LW	165	Guelph (OHL)
9.	Pierre Millier, D	186	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
10.	Chris Lappin, D	207	Canterbury (USHS)
11.	Martin Latreille, D	228	Laval Titans (QMJHL)
12.	Sean Boudreault, F	249	Mount St. Charles (USHS)

<b>1987</b>			
1.	Bryan Fogarty, D	9	Kingston (OHL)
1.	Joe Sakic, C	15	Swift Current (WHL)
3.	Jim Sprott, D	51	London (OHL)
4.	Kip Miller, C	72	Michigan State (CCHA)
5.	Rob Mendel, D	93	Univ. of Wisconsin (WCHA)
6.	Garth Snow, G	114	Mount St. Charles (USHS)
7.	Tim Hanus, LW	135	Minnetonka (USHS)
8.	Jake Enebak, LW	156	Northfield Prep (USHS)
9.	Jaroslav Sevcik, LW	177	Zetor Brno (CZECH)
9.	Ladislav Tresl, C	183	Zetor Brno (CZECH)
10.	Darren Nauss, RW	198	North Battleford (USHS)
11.	Mike Williams, G	219	Ferris State (CCHA)

Rd.	Player	Pick	Team
<b>1988</b>			
1.	Curtis Leschyshyn, D	3	Saskatoon (WHL)
1.	Daniel Dore, RW	5	Drummondville (QMJHL)
2.	Stephane Fiset, G	24	Victoriaville (QMJHL)
3.	Petri Aaltonen, C	45	IFK Helsinki (FINLAND)
4.	Darin Kimble, RW	66	Prince Albert (WHL)
5.	Stephane Venne, D	87	Univ. of Vermont (ECAC)
6.	Ed Ward, RW	108	Northern Mich. (WCHA)
7.	Valeri Kamensky, LW	129	CSKA Moscow (RUSSIA)
8.	Sakari Lindfors, G	150	IFK Helsinki (FINLAND)
9.	Dan Wiebe, LW	171	Univ. of Alberta (CIAU)
11.	Alexei Gusarov, D	213	CSKA Moscow (RUSSIA)
12.	Claude Lapointe, C	234	Laval (QMJHL)

<b>1989</b>			
1.	Mats Sundin, RW	1	Nacka (SWEDEN)
2.	Adam Foote, D	22	Sault Ste-Marie (OHL)
3.	Stephane Morin, C	43	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
3.	John Tanner, G	54	Peterborough (OHL)
4.	Niklas Andersson, LW	68	Frolunda (SWEDEN)
4.	Eric Dubois, D	76	Laval (QMJHL)
5.	Kevin Kaiser, LW	85	Minneota Duluth (WCHA)
6.	Dan Lambert, D	106	Swift Current (WHL)
7.	Sergei Mylnikov, G	127	Traktor Chel. (RUSSIA)
8.	Paul Krake, G	148	Alaska-Anchorage (WCHA)
9.	Viacheslav Bykov, C	169	CSKA Moscow (RUSSIA)
10.	Andrei Khamutov, RW	190	CSKA Moscow (RUSSIA)
11.	Byron Witkowski, LW	211	Nipawin (SJHL)
12.	Noel Rahn, C	232	Edina (USHS)

<b>1990</b>			
1.	Owen Nolan, RW	1	Cornwall (OHL)
2.	Ryan Hughes, C	22	Cornell (ECAC)
3.	Bradley Zavisha, LW	43	Seattle (WHL)
6.	Jeff Parrott, D	106	MinnesotavDuluth (WCHA)
7.	Dwayne Norris, RW	127	Michigan State (CCHA)
8.	Andrei Kovalenko, RW	148	CSKA Moscow (RUSSIA)
8.	A. Karpovtsev, D	158	Dynamo Moscow (RUSSIA)
9.	Pat Mazzoli, G	169	Humboldt (SJHL)
10.	Scott Davis, D	190	Univ. of Manitoba (CIAU)
11.	Mika Stromberg, D	211	Jokerit (FINLAND)
12.	Wade Klippenstein, LW	232	Alaska Fairbanks (CCHA)

<b>1991</b>			
1.	Eric Lindros, C	1	Oshawa (OHL)
2.	Rene Corbet, LW	24	Drummondville (QMJHL)
3.	Richard Brennan, D	46	Tabor Academy (USHS)
4.	Dave Karpa, D	68	Ferris State (CCHA)
5.	Patrick Labrecque, G	90	St-Jean (QMJHL)
5.	Bill Lindsay, LW	103	Tri-City (WHL)
7.	Mikael Johansson, C	134	Djurgardens (SWEDEN)
8.	Janne Laukkanen, D	156	Reipas (FINLAND)
8.	Aaron Asp, C	157	Ferris State (CCHA)
9.	Adam Bartell, D	178	Niagara (NAHL)
9.	Brent Brekke, D	188	Western Michigan (CCHA)
10.	Paul Koch, D	200	Omaha (USHL)
11.	Doug Friedman, LW	222	Boston University (H.E.)
12.	Eric Meloche, RW	244	Drummondville (QMJHL)

Rd.	Player	Pick	Team
<b>1992</b>			
1.	Todd Warriner, LW	4	Windsor (OHL)
2.	Paul Brousseau, RW	28	Hull (QMJHL)
2.	Tuomas Gronman, D	29	Tacoma (WHL)
3.	E. Fernandez, G	52	Laval (QMJHL)
4.	Ian McIntyre, C	76	Beaumont (QMJHL)
5.	Charlie Wasley, D	100	St. Paul (USHL)
6.	Paxton Schulte, LW	124	Spokane (WHL)
7.	Martin Lepage, D	148	Hull (QMJHL)
8.	Mike Jickling, C	172	Spokane (WHL)
9.	Steve Passmore, G	196	Victoria (WHL)
10.	Anson Carter, C	220	Wexford (MeJHL)
11.	Aaron Ellis, G	244	Culver Acad. (USHS)

<b>1993</b>			
1.	Jocelyn Thibault, G	10	Sherbrooke (QMJHL)
1.	Adam Deadmarsh, C	14	Portland (WHL)
2.	A. Buckberger, RW	49	Swift Current (WHL)
3.	William Pierce, C	75	Lawrence Acad. (USHS)
4.	Ryan Tocher, D	101	Niagara Falls (OHL)
5.	Anders Myrvald, D	127	Farjestad Karl. (SWEDEN)
6.	Nicholas Checco, C	137	Bloom. Jefferson (USHS)
6.	Christian Matte, RW	153	Granby (QMJHL)
7.	David Ling, RW	179	Kingston (OHL)
8.	Petr Franek, G	205	Litvinov (RUSSIA)
9.	Vincent Auger, C	231	Hawkesbury (CJHL)
10.	Mark Pivetz, D	257	Saskatoon (SJHL)
11.	John Hillman, C	283	St. Paul (USHL)

<b>1994</b>			
1.	Wade Belak, D	12	Saskatoon (WHL)
1.	Jeffrey Kealty, D	22	Catholic Memorial (USHS)
2.	Josef Marha, C	35	Dukla Jihlava (CZECH)
3.	Sebastien Bety, D	61	Drummondville (QMJHL)
3.	Chris Drury, C	72	Fairfield Prep (USHS)
4.	Milan Hedjuk, RW	87	Pardubice (CZECH)
5.	Tony Tuzzolino, RW	113	Michigan State (CCHA)
6.	Nicholas Windsor, D	139	Cornwall (CJHL)
7.	Calvin Elfring, D	165	Powell River (BCJHL)
8.	Jay Bertsch, RW	191	Univ. of Vermont (ECAC)
9.	Tim Thomas, G	217	Univ. of Vermont (ECAC)
10.	Chris Pittman, LW	243	Kitchener (OHL)
11.	Steven Low, D	285	Sherbrooke (QMJHL)

<b>1995</b>			
1.	Marc Denis, G	25	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)
2.	Nic Beaudoin, LW	51	Detroit (OHL)
3.	John Tripp, RW	77	Oshawa (OHL)
4.	Tomi Kallio, LW	81	Kiekko-67 (FINLAND)
5.	Brent Johnson, G	129	Owen Sound (OHL)
6.	John Cirjak, RW	155	Spokane (WHL)
7.	Dan Smith, D	181	British Columbia (CIAU)
8.	Tomi Hirvonen, C	207	Ives Tampere (FINLAND)
9.	Chris George, RW	228	Sarnia (OHL)

# ALL-TIME DRAFT PICKS BY YEAR

Rd.	Player	Pick	Team	Rd.	Player	Pick	Team	Rd.	Player	Pick	Team	Rd.	Player	Pick	Team	
<b>1996</b>																
1.	Peter Ratchuk, D	25	Shattuck (USHS)	1.	Vaclav Nedorost, C	14	Budejovice (CZECH)	2005	Ryan Stoa, C	34	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	2011	Gabriel Landeskog, LW	2	Kitchener (OHL)	
2.	Yuri Babenko, C	51	Krylja Sovetov (RUSSIA)	2.	Jared Aulin, C	47	Kamloops (WHL)	2005	Paul Stastny, C	44	Univ. of Denver (WCHA)	2011	Duncan Siemens, D	11	Saskatoon (WHL)	
3.	Mark Parrish, LW	79	St. Cloud State (WCHA)	2.	Sergei Soin, C	50	Krylja Sovetov (RUSSIA)	2005	Tom Fritsche, LW	47	Ohio State Univ. (CCHA)	2011	Joachim Nermark, C	93	Linköping Jr. (SWEDEN)	
4.	Ben Storey, D	98	Harvard Univ. (ECAC)	2.	Argis Saviels, D	63	Owen Sound (OHL)	2005	Chris Durand, C	52	Seattle (WHL)	2011	Garrett Meurs, C	123	Plymouth (OHL)	
4.	Randy Petruk, G	107	Kamloops (WHL)	3.	Kurt Sauer, D	88	Spokane (WHL)	2005	T.J. Hensick, C	88	Univ. of Michigan (CCHA)	2011	Gabriel Beaupre, D	153	Val-d'Or (QMJHL)	
5.	Luke Curtin, LW	134	Kelowna (WHL)	3.	Sergei Klyazmin, LW	92	Tver (RUSSIA)	2005	Ray Macias, D	124	Kamloops (WHL)	2011	Dillon Donnelly, D	183	Shawinigan (QMJHL)	
6.	Brian Willsie, RW	146	Guelph (OHL)	4.	Brian Fahey, D	119	Wisconsin (WCHA)	2005	Jason Lynch, D	166	Spokane (WHL)	2012	Mitchell Heard, C	41	Plymouth (OHL)	
6.	Kai Fischer, G	160	Dusseldorf (GERMANY)	5.	John-Michael Liles, D	159	Michigan State (CCHA)	2005	Justin Mercier, C/W	168	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	2012	Troy Bourke, LW	72	Prince George (WHL)	
7.	Dan Hinote, RW	167	Army (IND)	6.	Chris Bahen, D	189	Clarkson (ECAC)	2005	Kyle Cumiskey, D	222	Kelowna (WHL)	2012	Michael Clarke, C	132	Windsor (OHL)	
7.	Samuel Pahlsson, C	176	MoDo (SWEDEN)	7.	Aaron Molnar, G	221	London (OHL)	2006	Chris Stewart, RW	18	Kingston (OHL)	2012	Joseph Blandisi, C/RW	162	Owen Sound (OHL)	
7.	Roman Pylner, C	188	Litvinov (CZECH)	8.	Darryl Bootland, RW	252	Toronto St. Michael's (OHL)	2006	Nigel Williams, D	51	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	2012	Colin Smith, C	192	Kamloops (WHL)	
8.	Matthew Scorsone, D	214	Hotchkiss (USHS)	9.	Sean Kotary, C	266	Northwood Prep (USHS)	2006	Codey Burki, C	59	Brandon (WHL)	2013	Nathan MacKinnon, C	1	Halifax (QMJHL)	
9.	Justin Clark, RW	240	Univ. of Mich. (CCHA)	9.	Blake Ward, G	285	Tri-City (WHL)	2006	Michael Carman, C	81	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	2013	Chris Bigras, D	32	Owen Sound (OHL)	
<b>1997</b>																
1.	Kevin Grimes, D	26	Kingston (OHL)	2.	Peter Budaj, G	63	Toronto St. Michael's (OHL)	2006	Kevin Montgomery, D	110	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	2013	Spencer Martin, G	63	Mississauga (OHL)	
2.	Graham Belak, D	53	Edmonton (WHL)	3.	Danny Bois, RW	97	London (OHL)	2006	Billy Sauer, G	201	Univ. of Michigan (CCHA)	2013	Mason Geertsen, D	93	Vancouver (WHL)	
3.	Rick Berry, D	55	Seattle (WHL)	4.	Colt King, LW	130	Guelph (OHL)	2007	Kevin Shattenkirk, D	14	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	2013	Will Butcher, D	123	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	
3.	Ville Nieminen, RW	78	Tappara Tampere (FIN.)	5.	Frantisek Skladany, LW	143	Boston Univ. (H-East)	2007	Colby Cohen, D	45	Lincoln (USHL)	2013	Ben Storm, D	153	Muskegon (USHL)	
4.	Brad Larsen, LW	87	Swift Current (WHL)	5.	Cody McCormick, C	144	Belleville (OHL)	2007	Trevor Cann, G	49	Peterborough (OHL)	2013	Wilhelm Westlund, D	183	Farjestad (SWEDEN)	
5.	Aaron Miskovich, RW	133	Green Bay (USHL)	5.	Mikko Viitanen, D	149	Ahmat (Fin. D.I)	2007	T.J. Galiardi, LW	55	Dartmouth (ECAC)	2014	Conner Bleackley, C	23	Red Deer (WHL)	
6.	David Aebischer, G	161	Fribourg (SWITZERLAND)	5.	Pierre-Luc Emond, C	165	Drummondville (QMJHL)	2007	Brad Malone, C	105	Sioux Falls (USHL)	2014	Kyle Wood, D	84	North Bay (OHL)	
8.	Doug Schmidt, D	217	Waterloo (USHL)	6.	Scott Horvath, RW	184	Mass-Amherst (H-East)	2007	Kent Patterson, G	113	Cedar Rapids (USHL)	2014	Nicholas Magyar, RW	93	Kitchener (OHL)	
9.	Kyle Kidney, LW	243	Salisbury (USHS)	6.	Charlie Stevens, C	196	Guelph (OHL)	2007	Paul Carey, C	135	Salisbury CT High (USHS)	2014	Alexis Pepin, LW	114	Gatineau (QMJHL)	
9.	Stephen Lafleur, D	245	Belleville (OHL)	7.	Marek Svatos, RW	227	Kootenay (WHL)	2007	Johan Alcen, W	195	Brynäs (SWEDEN)	2014	Anton Lindholm, D	144	Skelleftea (SWEDEN)	
<b>1998</b>																
1.	Alex Tanguay, C	12	Halifax (QMJHL)	1.	Jonas Johansson, W	28	HV71 (SWEDEN)	2008	Cameron Gaunce, D	50	Miss. St. Michael's (OHL)	2014	Maximilian Pajpach, G	174	Slovakia U18 (SLOVAKIA)	
1.	Martin Skoula, D	17	Barrie (OHL)	2.	Johnny Boychuk, D	61	Calgary (WHL)	2008	Peter Delmas, G	61	Lewiston (QMJHL)	2014	Julien Nantel, LW/C	204	Rouyn-Noranda (QMJHL)	
1.	Robyn Regehr, D	19	Kamloops (WHL)	3.	Eric Lundberg, D	94	Providence (H-East)	2008	Kelsey Tessier, C	110	Quebec (QMJHL)	2015	Mikko Rantanen, RW	10	TPS (FINLAND)	
1.	Scott Parker, RW	20	Kelowna (WHL)	4.	Mikko Kalteva, D	107	Jokerit Jr. (FINLAND)	2008	Mark Olver, C	140	Northern Mich. U. (CCHA)	2015	A.J. Greer, LW	39	Boston University (H.E.)	
2.	Ramzi Abid, LW	28	Chicoutimi (QMJHL)	4.	Tom Gilbert, D	129	Chicago (USHL)	2008	Joel Chouinard, D	167	Victoriaville (QMJHL)	2015	Nicolas Meloche, D	40	Baie-Comeau (QMJHL)	
2.	Philippe Sauve, G	38	Rimouski (QMJHL)	5.	Tyler Weiman, G	164	Tri-City (WHL)	2008	Jonas Holos, D	170	Sarpsborg (NORWAY)	2015	J.C. Beaudin, C	71	Rouyn-Noranda (QMJHL)	
2.	Steve Moore, C	53	Harvard (ECAC)	6.	Taylor Christie, D	195	Bowling Green (CCHA)	2008	Nathan Condon, C	200	Wausau (USHS)	2015	Andrei Mironov, D	101	Dynamo Moscow (RUSSIA)	
3.	Evgeny Lazarev, LW	79	Kitchener Jr. B (OJHL)	7.	Ryan Steeves, C/W	227	Yale University (ECAC)	2009	Matt Duchene, C	3	Brampton (OHL)	2015	Sergei Boikov, D	161	Drummondville (QMJHL)	
5.	K.C. Timmons, LW	141	Tri City (WHL)	8.	Sergei Shemetov, W	258	Yaroslavl (RUSSIA)	2009	Ryan O'Reilly, C	33	Erie (OHL)	2015	Gustav Olhaver, C	191	Rogle Jr. (SWEDEN)	
6.	A. Ryzantsev, D	167	Victoriaville (QMJHL)	9.	Sean Collins, LW	289	New Hampshire (H-East)	2009	Stefan Elliott, D	49	Saskatoon (WHL)	2015	Tyson Jost, C	10	Penticton (BCHL)	
<b>1999</b>																
1.	Mikhail Kuleshov, LW	25	Cherepovets (RUSSIA)	2002	David Liffiton, D	63	Plymouth (OHL)	2009	Tyson Barrie, D	64	Kelowna (WHL)	2015	Cameron Morrison, LW	40	Youngstown (USHL)	
2.	Martin Grenier, D	45	Quebec (QMJHL)	2002	David Svagrovsky, RW	131	Seattle (WHL)	2009	Kieran Millan, G	124	Boston University (H.E.)	2015	Josh Anderson, D	71	Prince George (WHL)	
3.	B. Radivojevic, RW	93	Belleville (OHL)	2002	Mark McCutcheon, C	146	New England (EJHL)	2009	Brandon Maxwell, G	154	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	2015	Adam Werner, G	131	Farjestad Jr. (SWEDEN)	
4.	Sanny Lindstrom, D	112	Huddinge (SWEDEN)	2002	Brad Richardson, C	163	Owen Sound (OHL)	2009	Gus Young, D	184	Nobles (USHS)	2015	Nathan Clurman, D	161	Culver Academy (USHS)	
4.	Kristian Kovac, RW	122	Kosice (SLOVAKIA)	2002	Linus Videll, LW	204	Sodertälje Jr. (SWEDEN)	2010	Joey Hishon, C	17	Owen Sound (OHL)	2015	Travis Barron, LW	191	Ottawa (OHL)	
5.	William Magnuson, D	142	Lake Superior (CCHA)	2002	Brett Hemingway, LW	225	Coquitlam (BCHL)	2010	Calvin Pickard, G	49	Seattle (WHL)	2015				
5.	J. Krestanovich, LW	152	Calgary (WHL)	2002	Darryl Yachoski, D	257	Regina (WHL)	2010	Michael Bournival, LW	71	Shawinigan (QMJHL)	2015				
6.	Anders Lovdahl, C	158	HV 71 (SWEDEN)	2002	David Jones, RW	288	Coquitlam (BCHL)	2010	Stephen Silas, D	95	Belleville (OHL)	2015				
6.	Riku Hahl, C	183	Hameenlinna (FINLAND)	2002	Wojtek Wolski, LW	21	Brampton (OHL)	2010	Sami Aittokallio, G	107	Ives Jr. (FINLAND)	2015				
7.	Radim Vrbata, RW	212	Hull (QMJHL)	2002	Victor Oreskovich, RW	55	Green Bay (USHL)	2010	Troy Rutkowski, D	137	Portland (WHL)	2015				
8.	Jeff Finger, D	240	Green Bay (USHL)	2002	Denis Parshin, RW	72	CSKA 2 (RUSSIA)	2010	Luke Walker, RW	139	Portland (WHL)	2015				
				2002	R. Demen-Willlaume, D	154	Frolunda Jr. (SWEDEN)	2010	Luke Moffatt, C	197	U.S. Nat'l U-18 (USA)	2015				
				2002	Derek Peltier, D	184	Cedar Rapids (USHL)									
				2002	Ian Keserich, G	215	Cleveland (NAHL)									
				2002	Brandon Yip, RW	239	Coquitlam (BCHL)									
				2002	J.D. Corbin, LW	249	Denver (WCHA)									
				2002	Stephen McClellan, D	281	Catholic Memorial (USHS)									



# ALL-TIME PICKS BY LEAGUE (FRANCHISE HISTORY)

**Ontario Hockey League (68)**

**Quebec Major Junior Hockey League (58)**

**Western Hockey League (55)**

**College Hockey (47)**

**High School (30)**

**Sweden (22)**

**Russia (14)**

**Finland (14)**

**USHL (14)**

**Czech Republic (13)**

**USNTDP (9)**

**British Columbia Hockey League (4)**

**Canadian Interuniversity Athletic Union (3)**

**Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League (3)**

**British Columbia Junior Hockey League (2)**

**Canadian Junior Hockey League (2)**

**National Teams (2)**

**North American Hockey League (2)**

**Eastern Junior Hockey League (1)**

**Germany (1)**

**Metropolitan Junior Hockey League (1)**

**Norway (1)**

**Ontario Junior Hockey League (1)**

**Switzerland (1)**

**World Hockey Association (1)**



Gabriel Landeskog is one of seven players the franchise has drafted from the OHL's Kitchener Rangers.

## ONTARIO HOCKEY LEAGUE

Kitchener: 7  
Owen Sound: 6  
Guelph: 5  
Kingston: 5  
Belleville: 4  
London: 4  
Sault Ste. Marie: 4  
Sudbury: 4  
Oshawa: 3  
Peterborough: 3  
Plymouth: 3  
Windsor: 3  
Brampton: 2  
Niagara Falls: 2  
Toronto St. Michael's: 2

11 Tied at one\*

## QUEBEC MAJOR JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE

Quebec: 8  
Chicoutimi: 6  
Drummondville: 6  
Laval: 5  
Shawinigan: 5  
Hull: 4  
Trois Rivieres: 3  
Victoriaville: 3  
Granby: 2  
Halifax: 2  
Rouyn-Noranda: 2  
Sherbrooke: 2  
Sorel: 2

8 Tied at one\*

## WESTERN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Seattle: 6  
Spokane: 6  
Kamloops: 5  
Kelowna: 5  
Portland: 5  
Saskatoon: 4  
Swift Current: 4  
Tri-City: 4  
Calgary: 3  
Prince George: 2  
Regina: 2

9 Tied at one\*

## COLLEGE HOCKEY

### By School

Boston University: 4  
Michigan State: 4  
Ferris State: 3  
Michigan: 3  
Denver: 2  
Harvard: 2  
Lake Superior State: 2  
New Hampshire: 2  
Northern Michigan: 2  
Minnesota Duluth: 2  
Vermont: 2  
Wisconsin: 2

17 Tied at one\*

### By Conference

CCHA: 17  
WCHA: 10  
ECAC: 9  
Hockey East: 9  
Independent: 2

\* see pages 13-14

## NOTABLE

Of the 29 high school players drafted in franchise history, two have been first round picks, both defensemen (Jeffrey Kealty, 22 overall in 1994 and Peter Ratchuk, 25 overall in 1996).

The highest slot with which the franchise has taken a college player is No. 22 overall, as the Nordiques selected center Ryan Hughes in the second round of the 1990 NHL Draft.

Three of Kitchener's OHL-leading seven picks in franchise history have been in the first round: David Shaw, D, No. 13 overall in 1982; David Latta, LW, No. 15 overall in 1985; Gabriel Landeskog, LW, No. 2 overall in 2011

Of the 14 players in franchise history selected from Russian leagues, five have been from CSKA Moscow: LW Valeri Kamensky, 1988; D Alexei Gusarov, 1988; C Viacheslav Bykov, 1989; RW Andrei Khomutov, 1989; RW Andrei Kovalenko, 1990, D Alexander Karpovtsev, 1990.

The organization's eight selections from the QMJHL's Quebec Remparts are the most from a single team in any league.

Of the 13 players the franchise has drafted from Czech leagues, all but one (goaltender Petr Franek, 1993) have been forwards.

# ALL-TIME PICKS BY LEAGUE (AVALANCHE HISTORY)

Ontario Hockey League (37)

Western Hockey League (34)

College Hockey (24)

Quebec Major Junior Hockey League (20)

Sweden (13)

USHL (11)

High School (9)

USNTDP (9)

Finland (8)

Russia (7)

British Columbia Hockey League (4)

Czech Republic (3)

Canadian Interuniversity Athletic Union (1)

Eastern Junior Hockey League (1)

Germany (1)

National Teams (1)

North American Hockey League (1)

Norway (1)

Ontario Junior Hockey League (1)

Switzerland (1)

## ONTARIO HOCKEY LEAGUE

Owen Sound: 6  
 Belleville: 4  
 Guelph: 3  
 Plymouth: 3  
 Brampton: 2  
 Kingston: 2  
 Kitchener: 2  
 London: 2  
 Toronto St. Michael's: 2

11 Tied at one\*

## QUEBEC MAJOR JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE

Chicoutimi: 2  
 Drummondville: 2  
 Halifax: 2  
 Quebec: 2  
 Rouyn-Noranda: 2  
 Shawinigan: 2  
 Victoriaville: 2

6 Tied at one\*

## WESTERN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Kamloops: 5  
 Kelowna: 4  
 Seattle: 4  
 Spokane: 3  
 Tri-City: 3  
 Calgary: 2  
 Portland: 2  
 Prince George: 2  
 Saskatoon: 2

7 Tied at one\*

## NOTABLE

The Avalanche has drafted two players from the OHL's Brampton Battalion, both of which are first-round picks (Wojtek Wolski, 2004 and Matt Duchene, 2009).

Selected in the second round (No. 44 overall) in the 2005 NHL Draft, center Paul Stastny (University of Denver) is the highest-drafted collegiate player in Avalanche history.

Tyson Jost (Penticton), who the Avalanche drafted with the 10th overall pick in 2016, was the fourth player the organization has selected from the British Columbia Hockey League and the first to be chosen in the first round. The other three were all from the Coquitlam Express.

Prior to the selection of defenseman Nathan Clurman (Culver Academy, IN) in the sixth round of the 2016 NHL Draft, the Avalanche had not drafted a player out of high school since 2009 (Gus Young, D, Nobles, MA).

The Avalanche's six selections from the Ontario Hockey League's Owen Sound Attack is the most from a single team in any league.

Colorado's last two collegiate draft picks (LW A.J. Greer, 2015 and G Kieran Millan, 2009) were both selected out of Boston University.

All eight of the Avs' draft picks from Finnish leagues since 1995 have come from different teams.

## COLLEGE HOCKEY

### By School

Boston University: 3  
 Michigan: 3  
 Denver: 2  
 Harvard: 2

14 Tied at one\*

### By Conference

CCHA: 8  
 Hockey East: 6  
 ECAC: 5  
 WCHA: 4  
 Independent: 1

\*see pages 13-14



Tyson Jost became the first BCHL player selected by the Avalanche in the first round in 2016.



# ALL-TIME PICKS BY LEAGUE

## ONTARIO HOCKEY LEAGUE (68) | COL (37)

Yr.	Player	Team
1979	Dale Hunter, C	Sudbury
1979	Lee Norwood, D	Oshawa
1979	Scott McGeown, D	Toronto
1980	Basil McRae, LW	London
1981	Mike Eagles, C	Kitchener
1982	David Shaw, D	Kitchener
1982	Paul Gillis, C	Niagara Falls
1982	Mike Hough, LW	Kitchener
1983	Bruce Bell, D	Windsor
1983	Brad Walcott, D	Kingston
1983	Wayne Groulx, C	Sault Ste-Marie
1984	Trevor Stienburg, RW	Guelph
1984	Jeff Brown, D	Sudbury
1985	David Latta, LW	Kitchener
1985	Jason Lafreniere, C	Hamilton
1985	Max Middendorf, RW	Sudbury
1985	Mike Oliverio, C	Sault Ste-Marie
1985	Brit Peer, RW	Sault Ste-Marie
1986	Ken McRae, C	Sudbury
1986	Ron Tugnut, G	Peterborough
1986	Keith Miller, LW	Guelph
1987	Bryan Fogarty, D	Kingston
1987	Jim Sprott, D	London
1989	Adam Foote, D	Sault Ste-Marie
1989	John Tanner, G	Peterborough
1990	Owen Nolan, RW	Cornwall
1991	Eric Lindros, C	Oshawa
1992	Todd Warriner, LW	Windsor
1993	Ryan Tocher, D	Niagara Falls
1993	David Ling, RW	Kingston
1994	Chris Pittman, LW	Kitchener
1995	Nic Beaudoin, LW	Detroit
1995	John Tripp, RW	Oshawa
1995	Brent Johnson, G	Owen Sound
1995	Chris George, RW	Sarnia
1996	Brian Willsie, RW	Guelph
1997	Kevin Grimes, D	Kingston
1997	Stephen Lafleur, D	Belleville
1998	Martin Skoula, D	Barrie
1999	Branko Radivojevic, RW	Belleville
2000	Argis Saviels, D	Owen Sound
2000	Aaron Molnar, G	London
2000	Darryl Bootland, RW	Toronto St. Michael's
2001	Peter Budaj, G	Toronto St. Michael's
2001	Danny Bois, RW	London
2001	Colt King, LW	Guelph
2001	Cody McCormick, C	Belleville
2001	Charlie Stevens, C	Guelph
2003	David Liffiton, D	Plymouth
2003	Brad Richardson, C	Owen Sound
2004	Wojtek Wolski, LW	Brampton
2006	Chris Stewart, RW	Kingston
2007	Trevor Cann, G	Peterborough
2008	Cameron Gaunce, D	Miss. St. Michael's
2009	Matt Duchene, C	Brampton

2009	Ryan O'Reilly, C	Erie
2010	Joey Hishon, C	Owen Sound
2010	Stephen Silas, D	Belleville
2011	Gabriel Landeskog, LW	Kitchener
2011	Garrett Meurs, C	Plymouth
2012	Mitchell Heard, C	Plymouth
2012	Michael Clarke, C	Windsor
2012	Joseph Blandisi, C	Owen Sound
2013	Chris Bigras, D	Owen Sound
2013	Spencer Martin, G	Mississauga
2014	Kyle Wood, D	North Bay
2014	Nicholas Magyar, RW	Kitchener
2016	Travis Barron, LW	Ottawa

## QUEBEC MAJOR JR. HOCKEY LEAGUE (58) | COL (20)

Yr.	Player	Team
1979	Pierre Lacroix, D	Trois Rivières
1980	Normand Rocheford, D	Quebec
1980	Gaston Therrien, D	Quebec
1980	Michel Bolduc, D	Chicoutimi
1980	Christian Tanugay, RW	Trois Rivières
1981	Jean-Marc Gaulin, RW	Sorel
1981	Andre Cote, RW	Quebec
1981	Marc Brisebois, RW	Sorel
1982	Mario Gosselin, G	Shawinigan
1982	Daniel Poudrier, D	Shawinigan
1982	Andre Martin, D	Montreal
1983	Yves Heroux, RW	Chicoutimi
1983	Luc Guenette, G	Quebec
1984	Steven Finn, D	Laval
1984	Guy Ouellette, C	Quebec
1985	Mario Brunetta, G	Quebec
1985	Jean Bois, LW	Trois Rivières
1986	Jean-Marc Routhier, RW	Hull
1986	Stephane Guerard, D	Shawinigan
1986	Jean-Francois Nault, C	Granby
1986	Pierre Millier, D	Chicoutimi
1986	Martin Latreille, D	Laval
1988	Daniel Dore, RW	Drummondville
1988	Stephane Fiset, G	Victoriaville
1988	Claude Lapointe, C	Laval
1989	Stephane Morin, C	Chicoutimi
1989	Eric Dubois, D	Laval
1991	Rene Corbet, LW	Drummondville
1991	Patrick Labrecque, G	St-Jean
1991	Eric Meloche, RW	Drummondville
1992	Paul Brousseau, RW	Hull
1992	Emmanuel Fernandez, G	Laval
1992	Ian McIntyre, C	Beauport
1992	Martin Lepage, D	Hull
1993	Jocelyn Thibault, G	Sherbrooke
1993	Christian Matte, RW	Granby
1994	Sebastien Bety, D	Drummondville
1994	Steven Low, D	Sherbrooke
1995	Marc Denis, G	Chicoutimi
1998	Alex Tanguay, C	Halifax

1998	Ramzi Abid, LW	Chicoutimi
1998	Philippe Sauve, G	Rimouski
1998	Alexander Ryazantsev, D	Victoriaville
1999	Martin Grenier, D	Quebec
1999	Radim Vrbata, RW	Hull
2001	Pierre-Luc Emond, C	Drummondville
2008	Peter Delmas, G	Lewiston
2008	Kelsey Tessier, C	Quebec
2008	Joel Chouinard, D	Victoriaville
2010	Michael Bournival, LW	Shawinigan
2011	Gabriel Beaupre, D	Val-d'Or
2011	Dillon Donnelly, D	Shawinigan
2013	Nathan MacKinnon, C	Halifax
2014	Alexis Pepin, LW	Gatineau
2014	Julien Nantel, LW	Rouyn-Noranda
2015	Nicolas Meloche, D	Baie-Comeau
2015	J.C. Beaudin, C	Rouyn-Noranda
2015	Sergei Boikov, D	Drummondville

## WESTERN HOCKEY LEAGUE (55) | COL (34)

Yr.	Player	Team
1981	Randy Moller, D	Lethbridge
1981	Clint Malarchuk, G	Portland
1982	Phil Stanger, LW	Seattle
1984	Terry Perkins, RW	Portland
1984	Darren Cota, RW	Kelowna
1984	Ken Quinney, RW	Calgary
1986	Gerald Bzdel, D	Regina
1987	Joe Sakic, C	Swift Current
1988	Curtis Leschyshyn, D	Saskatoon
1988	Darin Kimble, RW	Prince Albert
1989	Dan Lambert, D	Swift Current
1990	Bradley Zavisa, LW	Seattle
1991	Bill Lindsay, LW	Tri-City
1992	Tuomas Gronman, D	Tacoma
1992	Paxton Schulte, LW	Spokane
1992	Mike Jickling, C	Spokane
1992	Steve Passmore, G	Victoria
1993	Adam Deadmarsh, C	Portland
1993	Ashley Buckberger, RW	Swift Current
1994	Wade Belak, D	Saskatoon
1994	Jay Bertsch, RW	Spokane
1995	John Cirjak, RW	Spokane
1996	Randy Petruk, G	Kamloops
1996	Luke Curtin, LW	Kelowna
1997	Graham Belak, D	Edmonton
1997	Rick Berry, D	Seattle
1997	Brad Larsen, LW	Swift Current
1998	Robyn Regehr, D	Kamloops
1998	Scott Parker, RW	Kelowna
1998	K.C. Timmons, LW	Tri-City
1999	Jordan Krestanovich, LW	Calgary
2000	Jared Aulin, C	Kamloops
2000	Kurt Sauer, D	Spokane
2000	Blake Ward, G	Tri-City
2001	Marek Svatos, RW	Kootenay

2002	Johnny Boychuk, D	Calgary
2002	Tyler Weiman, G	Tri-City
2003	David Svagrovsky, RW	Seattle
2003	Darryl Yacboski, D	Regina
2005	Chris Durand, C	Seattle
2005	Ray Macias, D	Kamloops
2005	Jason Lynch, D	Spokane
2005	Kyle Cumiskey, D	Kelowna
2006	Codey Burki, C	Brandon
2009	Stefan Elliott, D	Saskatoon
2009	Tyson Barrie, D	Kelowna
2010	Calvin Pickard, G	Seattle
2010	Troy Rutkowski, D	Portland
2010	Luke Walker, RW	Portland
2011	Duncan Siemens, D	Saskatoon
2012	Troy Bourke, LW	Prince George
2012	Colin Smith, C	Kamloops
2013	Mason Geertsen, D	Vancouver
2014	Conner Bleackley, C	Red Deer
2016	Josh Anderson, D	Prince George

## COLLEGE HOCKEY (47) | COL (24)

Yr.	Player	Team
1980	Jay Miller, LW	New Hampshire (H.E.)
1980	Mark Kumpel, RW	Mass. Lowell (H.E.)
1981	Ed Lee, RW	Princeton (ECAC)
1985	Tom Sasso, C	Babson College (Ind.)
1986	Scott White, D	Mich. Tech (WCHA)
1986	Mark Vermette, RW	Lake Superior St. (CCHA)
1987	Kip Miller, C	Michigan State (CCHA)
1987	Rob Mendel, D	Wisconsin (WCHA)
1987	Mike Williams, G	Ferris State (CCHA)
1988	Stephane Venne, D	Vermont (ECAC)
1988	Ed Ward, RW	Northern Mich. (WCHA)
1989	Kevin Kaiser, LW	Minnesota Duluth (WCHA)
1989	Paul Krake, G	Ak. Anchorage (WCHA)
1990	Ryan Hughes, C	Cornell (ECAC)
1990	Jeff Parrott, D	Minnesota Duluth (WCHA)
1990	Dwayne Norris, RW	Michigan State (CCHA)
1990	Wade Klippenstein, LW	Alaska-Fairbanks (CCHA)
1991	Dave Karpa, D	Ferris State (CCHA)
1991	Aaron Asp, C	Ferris State (CCHA)
1991	Brent Brekke, D	Western Michigan (CCHA)
1991	Doug Friedman, LW	Boston University (H.E.)
1994	Tony Tuzzolino, RW	Michigan State (CCHA)
1994	Tim Thomas, G	Vermont (ECAC)
1996	Mark Parrish, LW	St. Cloud State (WCHA)
1996	Ben Storey, D	Harvard (ECAC)
1996	Dan Hinote, RW	Army (IND)
1996	Justin Clark, RW	Michigan (CCHA)
1998	Steve Moore, C	Harvard (ECAC)
1999	William Magnuson, D	Lake Superior St. (CCHA)
2000	Brian Fahey, D	Wisconsin (WCHA)
2000	John-Michael Liles, D	Michigan State (CCHA)
2000	Chris Bahen, D	Clarkson (ECAC)
2001	Frantisek Skladany, LW	Boston University (H.E.)

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2001	Scott Horvath, RW	Mass-Amherst (H.E.)
2002	Eric Lundberg, D	Providence (H.E.)
2002	Taylor Christie, D	Bowling Green (CCHA)
2002	Ryan Steeves, C	Yale University (ECAC)
2002	Sean Collins, LW	New Hampshire (H.E.)
2004	J.D. Corbin, LW	Denver (WCHA)
2005	Paul Stastny, C	Denver (WCHA)
2005	Tom Fritsche, LW	Ohio State (CCHA)
2005	T.J. Hensick, C	Michigan (CCHA)
2006	Billy Sauer, G	Michigan (CCHA)
2007	T.J. Galiardi, LW	Dartmouth (ECAC)
2008	Mark Olver, C	Northern Mich. (CCHA)
2009	Kieran Millan, G	Boston University (H.E.)
2015	A.J. Greer, LW	Boston University (H.E.)

## HIGH SCHOOL (30) | COL (9)

Yr.	Player	Team
1980	William Robinson, D	Boxborough (MA)
1983	Craig Mack, D	East Grand Forks (MN)
1983	Scott Shaunessy, D	St. John's Prep (MA)
1984	Jyrki Maki, D	St. Paul Simley (MN)
1985	Peter Massey, LW	New Hampton (NH)
1985	Dave Espe, D	White Bear Lake (MN)
1985	Andy Akervik, C	Eau Claire Memorial (WI)
1985	Gary Murphy, D	Arlington (MA)
1986	Chris Lappin, D	Canterbury (CT)
1986	Sean Boudreaull, LW	Mount St. Charles (RI)
1987	Garth Snow, G	Mount St. Charles (RI)
1987	Tim Hanus, LW	Minnetonka (MN)
1987	Jake Enebak, LW	Northfield Prep (MN)
1987	Darren Nauss, RW	North Battleford (Canada)
1989	Noel Rahn, C	Edina (MN)
1991	Richard Brennan, D	Tabor Academy (MA)
1992	Aaron Ellis, G	Culver Academy (IN)
1993	William Pierce, C	Lawrence Academy (MA)
1993	Nicholas Checco, C	Bloomington Jeff. (MN)
1994	Jeffrey Kealty, D	Catholic Memorial (MA)
1994	Chris Drury, C	Fairfield Prep (CT)
1996	Peter Ratchuk, D	Shattuck St. Mary's (MN)
1996	Matthew Scorsune, D	Hotchkiss (CT)
1997	Kyle Kidney, LW	Salisbury (CT)
2000	Sean Kotary, C	Northwood Prep (NY)
2004	Stephen McClellan, D	Catholic Memorial (MA)
2007	Paul Carey, C	Salisbury (CT)
2008	Nathan Condon, C	Wausau (WI)
2009	Gus Young, D	Nobles (MA)
2016	Nathan Clurman, D	Culver Academy (IN)

## SWEDEN (22) | COL (13)

Yr.	Player	Team
1983	Tommy Albelin, D	Djurgardens
1983	Bo Berglund, RW	Djurgardens
1984	Henrik Cedergren, RW	Brynas
1984	Peter Loob, D	Sodertalje
1986	Morgan Samuelsson, C	Boden
1989	Mats Sundin, RW	Nacka

1989	Niklas Andersson, LW	Frolunda
1991	Mikael Johansson, C	Djurgardens
1993	Anders Myrvold, D	Farjestad Karlstad
1996	Samuel Pahlsson, C	MoDo
1999	Sanny Lindstrom, D	Huddinge
1999	Anders Lovdahl, C	HV71
2002	Jonas Johansson, RW	HV71
2003	Linus Videll, LW	Sodertalje Jr.
2004	R. Demen-Willaume, D	Frolunda Jr.
2007	Jens Hellgren, D	Frolunda Jr.
2007	Johan Alcen, RW	Brynas
2011	Joachim Nermark, C	Linkoping Jr.
2013	Wilhelm Westlund, D	Farjestad
2014	Anton Lindholm, D	Skelleftea
2015	Gustav Olhaver, C	Rogle Jr.
2016	Adam Werner, G	Farjestad Jr.

## RUSSIA (14) | COL (7)

Yr.	Player	Team
1988	Valeri Kamensky, LW	CSKA Moscow
1988	Alexei Gusarov, D	CSKA Moscow
1989	Sergei Mylnikov, G	Traktor Chel.
1989	Viacheslav Bykov, C	CSKA Moscow
1989	Andrei Khomutov, RW	CSKA Moscow
1990	Andrei Kovalenko, RW	CSKA Moscow
1990	Alexander Karpovtsev, D	Dynamo Moscow
1996	Yuri Babenko, C	Krylja Sovetov
1999	Mikhail Kuleshov, LW	Cherepovets
2000	Sergei Soim, C	Krylja Sovetov
2000	Sergei Klyazmin, LW	Tver
2002	Sergei Shemetov, LW	Yaroslavl
2004	Denis Parshin, RW	CSKA 2
2015	Andrei Mironov, D	Dynamo Moscow

## FINLAND (14) | COL (8)

Yr.	Player	Team
1981	Kari Takko, G	Assat
1983	Iiro Jarvi, RW	IFK Helsinki
1988	Petri Aaltonen, C	IFK Helsinki
1988	Sakari Lindfors, G	IFK Helsinki
1990	Mika Stromberg, D	Jokerit
1991	Janne Laukkanen, D	Reipas
1995	Tomi Kallio, LW	Kiekko-67
1995	Tomi Hirvonen, C	Ilves Tampere
1997	Ville Nieminen, RW	Tappara Tampere
1999	Riku Hahl, C	Hameenlinna
2001	Mikko Vitanen, D	Ahmat
2002	Mikko Kalteva, D	Jokerit Jr.
2010	Sami Aittokallio, G	Ilves Jr.
2015	Mikko Rantanen, RW	TPS

## UNITED STATES HOCKEY LEAGUE (14) | COL (11)

Yr.	Player	Team
1991	Paul Koch, D	Omaha
1992	Charley Wasley, D	St. Paul
1993	John Hillman, C	St. Paul

1997	Aaron Miskovich, RW	Green Bay
1997	Doug Schmidt, D	Waterloo
1999	Jeff Finger, D	Green Bay
2002	Tom Gilbert, D	Chicago
2004	Victor Oreskovich, RW	Green Bay
2004	Derek Peltier, D	Cedar Rapids
2007	Colby Cohen, D	Lincoln
2007	Brad Malone, C	Sioux Falls
2007	Kent Patterson, G	Cedar Rapids
2013	Ben Storm, D	Muskegon
2016	Cameron Morrison, LW	Youngstown

## CZECH REPUBLIC (13) | COL (3)

Yr.	Player	Team
1979	Anton Stastny, LW	Slovan Bratislava
1982	Jiri Lala, RW	Dukla Jihlava
1982	Vincent Lukac, LW	Dukla Jihlava
1982	Jozef Lukac, C	Kosice
1982	Jan Jasko, LW	Slovan Bratislava
1987	Jaroslav Sevcik, LW	Zetor Brno
1987	Ladislav Trest, C	Zetor Brno
1993	Petr Franek, G	Litvinov
1994	Josef Marha, C	Dukla Jihlava
1994	Milan Hejduk, RW	Pardubice
1996	Roman Pylner, C	Litvinov
1999	Kristian Kovac, RW	Kosice
2000	Vaclav Nedorost, C	Budejovice

## U.S. NTDP (9) | COL (9)

Yr.	Player	Team
2005	Ryan Stoa, C	U.S. Nat'l U-18
2005	Justin Mercier, LW	U.S. Nat'l U-18
2006	Nigel Williams, D	U.S. Nat'l U-18
2006	Michael Carman, C	U.S. Nat'l U-18
2006	Kevin Montgomery, D	U.S. Nat'l U-18
2007	Kevin Shattenkirk, D	U.S. Nat'l U-18
2009	Brandon Maxwell, G	U.S. Nat'l U-18
2010	Luke Moffatt, C	U.S. Nat'l U-18
2013	Will Butcher, D	U.S. Nat'l U-18

## BRITISH COLUMBIA HOCKEY LEAGUE (4) | COL (4)

Yr.	Player	Team
2003	Brett Hemingway, LW	Coquitlam
2003	David Jones, RW	Coquitlam
2004	Brandon Yip, RW	Coquitlam
2016	Tyson Jost, C	Penticton

## CAN. INTERUNIVERSITY ATHLETIC UNION (3) | COL (1)

Yr.	Player	Team
1988	Dan Wiebe, LW	Alberta (CIAU)
1990	Scott Davis, D	Manitoba (CIAU)
1995	Dan Smith, D	British Columbia (CIAU)

## SASKATCHEWAN JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE (3) | COL (0)

Yr.	Player	Team
1989	Byron Witkowski, LW	Nipawin
1990	Pat Mazzoli, G	Humboldt
1993	Mark Pivetz, D	Saskatoon

## BRITISH COLUMBIA JR. HOCKEY LEAGUE (2) | COL (0)

Yr.	Player	Team
1985	Bruce Major, C	Richmond
1994	Calvin Elfring, D	Powell River

## CANADIAN JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE (2) | COL (0)

Yr.	Player	Team
1993	Vincent Auger, C	Hawkesbury
1994	Nicholas Windsor, D	Cornwall

## NATIONAL TEAMS (2) | COL (1)

Yr.	Player	Team
1983	Jindrich Kokrment, C	Czech Nat'l Team
2014	Maximilian Paipach, G	Slovakia U-18

## NORTH AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE (2) | COL (1)

Yr.	Player	Team
1991	Adam Bartell, D	Niagara Jr. A
2004	Ian Keserich, G	Cleveland

## EASTERN JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE (1) | COL (1)

Yr.	Player	Team
2003	Mark McCutcheon, C	New England

## GERMANY (1) | COL (1)

Yr.	Player	Team
1996	Kai Fischer, G	Dusseldorf

## METROPOLITAN JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE (1) | COL (0)

Yr.	Player	Team
1992	Anson Carter, C	Wexford

## NORWAY (1) | COL (1)

Yr.	Player	Team
2008	Jonas Holos, D	Sarpsborg

## ONTARIO JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE (1) | COL (1)

Yr.	Player	Team
1998	Evgeny Lazarev, LW	Kitchener Jr. B

## SWITZERLAND (1) | COL (1)

Yr.	Player	Team
1997	David Aebischer, G	Fribourg

## WORLD HOCKEY ASSOCIATION (1) | COL (0)

Yr.	Player	Team
1979	Michel Goulet, LW	Birmingham



# ALL-TIME PICKS BY POSITION

## FRANCHISE HISTORY

Defense (122)

Center (81)

Right Wing (63)

Left Wing (60)

Goaltender (43)

## AVALANCHE HISTORY

Defense (63)

Center (44)

Left Wing (31)

Right Wing (27)

Goaltender (22)



Anton Lindholm, who was selected in the fifth round of the 2014 NHL Draft, made his NHL debut on March 15, 2017 against the Detroit Red Wings.

### NOTABLE

The highest pick the Avalanche has used on a defenseman since moving to Denver was in 2011 when it drafted Duncan Siemens with the 11th overall pick.

Curtis Leschyshyn, who was chosen third overall in 1988, is the highest-drafted blueliner in franchise history.

Goaltender Jocelyn Thibault, who was taken with the 10th overall pick in the 1993 NHL Draft, is the highest-drafted goaltender in franchise history. Marc Denis (25th overall in 1995), is the only goalie that's been drafted in the first round since the franchise relocated.

The Quebec Nordiques used three draft picks on goaltenders in both 1989 (John Tanner, Round 3; Sergei Mylnikov, Round 7; Paul Krake, Round 8) and 1992 (Emmanuel Fernandez, Round 3; Steve Passmore, Round 9; Aaron Ellis, Round 11), the highest number of selections the franchise has used on the position in a single NHL Draft.

The No. 2 overall pick is the highest position the franchise has used on a left wing, selecting Gabriel Landeskog in that slot in 2012.

Eric Lindros (1991) and Nathan MacKinnon (2013) are the only two centers the organization has selected with the first overall pick in the NHL Draft. The franchise has also twice used the No. 1 overall pick on right wings, selecting Mats Sundin in 1989 and Owen Nolan in 1990.



# ALL-TIME PICKS BY POSITION

## LEFT WING (60) | COL (31)

Yr.	Player	Rd.	Overall
1979	Michel Goulet	1	20
1979	Anton Stastny	4	83
1980	Jay Miller	4	66
1980	Basil McRae	5	87
1982	Phil Stanger	5	97
1982	Mike Hough	9	181
1982	Vincent Lukac	10	202
1982	Jan Jasko	12	248
1985	David Latta	1	15
1985	Peter Massey	4	65
1985	Jean Bois	12	246
1986	Keith Miller	8	165
1986	Sean Boudreault	12	249
1987	Tim Hanus	7	135
1987	Jake Enebak	8	156
1987	Jaroslav Sevcik	9	177
1988	Valeri Kamensky	7	129
1988	Dan Wiebe	9	171
1989	Niklas Andersson	4	68
1989	Kevin Kaiser	5	85
1989	Byron Witkowski	11	211
1990	Bradley Zavisha	3	43
1990	Wade Klippenstein	12	232
1991	Rene Corbet	2	24
1991	Bill Lindsay	5	103
1991	Doug Friedman	11	222
1992	Todd Warriner	1	4
1992	Paxton Schulte	6	124
1994	Chris Pittman	10	243
1995	Nic Beaudoin	2	51
1995	Tomi Kallio	4	81
1996	Mark Parrish	3	79
1996	Luke Curtin	5	134
1997	Brad Larsen	4	87
1997	Kyle Kidney	9	243
1998	Ramzi Abid	2	28
1998	Evgeny Lazarev	3	79
1998	K.C. Timmons	5	141
1999	Mikhail Kuleshov	1	25
1999	Jordan Krestanovich	5	152
2000	Sergei Klyazmin	3	92
2001	Colt King	4	130
2001	Frantisek Skladany	5	143
2002	Sergei Shemetov	8	258
2002	Sean Collins	9	289
2003	Linus Videll	7	204
2003	Brett Hemingway	7	225
2004	Wojtek Wolski	1	21
2004	J.D. Corbin	8	249
2005	Tom Fritsche	2	47
2005	Justin Mercier	6	168
2007	T.J. Galiardi	2	55
2010	Michael Bournival	3	71

2011	Gabriel Landeskog	1	2
2012	Troy Bourke	3	72
2014	Alexis Pepin	4	114
2014	Julien Nantel	7	204
2015	A.J. Greer	2	39
2016	Cameron Morrison	2	40
2016	Travis Barron	7	191

## CENTER (81) | COL (44)

Yr.	Player	Round	Overall
1979	Dale Hunter	2	41
1981	Mike Eagles	6	116
1982	Paul Gillis	2	34
1982	Jozef Lukac	12	244
1983	Wayne Groulx	9	172
1983	Jindrich Kokrment	12	239
1984	Guy Ouellette	9	183
1985	Jason Lafreniere	2	36
1985	Bruce Major	5	99
1985	Andy Akervik	6	120
1985	Mike Oliverio	7	141
1985	Tom Sasso	10	204
1986	Ken McRae	1	18
1986	Morgan Samuelsson	6	123
1986	Jean-Francois Nault	7	144
1987	Joe Sakic	1	15
1987	Kip Miller	4	72
1987	Ladislav Trestl	9	183
1988	Petri Aaltonen	3	45
1988	Claude Lapointe	12	234
1989	Stephane Morin	3	43
1989	Viacheslav Bykov	9	169
1989	Noel Rahn	12	232
1990	Ryan Hughes	2	22
1991	Eric Lindros	1	1
1991	Mikael Johansson	7	134
1991	Aaron Asp	8	157
1992	Ian McIntyre	4	76
1992	Mike Jickling	8	172
1992	Anson Carter	10	220
1993	Adam Deadmarsh	1	14
1993	William Pierce	3	75
1993	Nicholas Checco	6	137
1993	Vincent Auger	9	231
1993	John Hillman	11	283
1994	Josef Marha	2	35
1994	Chris Drury	3	72
1995	Tomi Hirvonen	8	207
1996	Yuri Babenko	2	51
1996	Samuel Pahlsson	7	176
1996	Roman Pylnar	7	188
1998	Alex Tanguay	1	12
1998	Steve Moore	2	53
1999	Anders Lovdahl	6	158
1999	Riku Hahl	6	183



Hall-of-Famer Michel Goulet, pictured in action against the New York Islanders on October 24, 1985, was the first-ever draft pick of the Quebec/Colorado franchise, chosen 20th overall by the Nordiques in the 1979 NHL Draft.

2000	Vaclav Nedorost	1	14	1981	Jean-Marc Gaulin	3	53
2000	Jared Aulin	2	47	1981	Ed Lee	5	95
2000	Sergei Soin	2	50	1981	Andre Cote	8	158
2000	Sean Kotary	9	266	1981	Marc Brisebois	9	179
2001	Cody McCormick	5	144	1982	Jiri Lala	4	76
2001	Pierre-Luc Emond	5	165	1983	Yves Heroux	2	32
2001	Charlie Stevens	6	196	1983	Iiro Jarvi	3	55
2002	Ryan Steeves	7	227	1983	Bo Berglund	12	232
2003	Mark McCutcheon	5	146	1984	Trevor Stienburg	1	15
2003	Brad Richardson	5	163	1984	Terry Perkins	4	78
2005	Ryan Stoa	2	34	1984	Darren Cota	6	120
2005	Paul Stastny	2	44	1984	Henrik Cedergren	7	141
2005	Chris Durand	2	52	1984	Ken Quinney	10	203
2005	T.J. Hensick	3	88	1985	Max Middendorf	3	57
2006	Codey Burki	2	59	1985	Brit Peer	9	183
2006	Michael Carman	3	81	1986	Jean-Marc Routhier	2	39
2007	Brad Malone	4	105	1986	Mark Vermette	7	134
2007	Paul Carey	5	135	1987	Darren Nauss	10	198
2008	Kelsey Tessier	4	110	1988	Daniel Dore	1	5
2008	Mark Olver	5	140	1988	Darin Kimble	4	66
2008	Nathan Condon	7	200	1988	Ed Ward	6	108
2009	Matt Duchene	1	3	1989	Mats Sundin	1	1
2009	Ryan O'Reilly	2	33	1989	Andrei Khomutov	10	190
2010	Joey Hishon	1	17	1990	Owen Nolan	1	1
2010	Luke Moffatt	7	197	1990	Dwayne Norris	7	127
2010	Joachim Nermark	4	93	1990	Andrei Kovalenko	8	148
2011	Garrett Meurs	5	123	1991	Eric Meloche	12	244
2012	Mitchell Heard	2	41	1992	Paul Brousseau	2	28
2012	Michael Clarke	5	132	1993	Ashley Buckberger	2	49
2012	Joseph Blandisi	6	162	1993	Christian Matte	6	153
2012	Colin Smith	7	192	1993	David Ling	7	179
2013	Nathan MacKinnon	1	1	1994	Milan Hejduk	4	87
2014	Conner Bleackley	1	23	1994	Tony Tuzzolino	5	113
2015	J.C. Beaudin	3	71	1994	Jay Bertsch	8	191
2015	Gustav Olhaver	7	191	1995	John Tripp	3	77
2016	Tyson Jost	1	10	1995	John Cirjak	6	155
				1995	Chris George	9	228
				1996	Brian Willsie	6	146
				1996	Dan Hinote	7	167
				1996	Justin Clark	9	240
				1997	Ville Nieminen	3	78

## RIGHT WING (63) | COL (27)

Yr.	Player	Round	Overall
1980	Mark Kumpel	6	108
1980	Christian Tanguay	9	171



# ALL-TIME PICKS BY POSITION

1997	Aaron Miskovich	5	133
1998	Scott Parker	1	20
1999	Branko Radivojevic	3	93
1999	Kristian Kovac	4	122
1999	Radim Vrbata	7	212
2000	Darryl Bootland	8	252
2001	Danny Bois	3	97
2001	Scott Horvath	6	184
2001	Marek Svatos	7	227
2002	Jonas Johansson	1	28
2003	David Svagrovsky	4	131
2003	David Jones	9	288
2004	Victor Oreskovich	2	55
2004	Denis Parshin	3	72
2004	Brandon Yip	8	239
2006	Chris Stewart	1	18
2007	Johan Alcen	7	195
2010	Luke Walker	5	139
2014	Nicholas Magyar	4	93
2015	Mikko Rantanen	1	10

## DEFENSE (122) | COL (63)

Yr.	Player	Round	Overall
1979	Lee Norwood	3	62
1979	Pierre Lacroix	5	104
1979	Scott McGeown	6	125
1980	Normand Rochefort	2	24
1980	Gaston Therrien	7	129
1980	Michel Bolduc	8	150
1980	William Robinson	10	192
1981	Randy Moller	1	11
1982	David Shaw	1	13
1982	Daniel Poudrier	7	131
1982	Andre Martin	11	223
1983	Bruce Bell	3	53
1983	Brad Walcott	6	112
1983	Craig Mack	7	132
1983	Tommy Albelin	8	152
1983	Scott Shaunessy	10	192
1984	Jeff Brown	2	36
1984	Steven Finn	3	57
1984	Jyrki Maki	8	162
1984	Peter Loob	12	244
1985	Dave Espe	4	78
1985	Gary Murphy	11	225
1986	Stephane Guerard	2	41
1986	Gerald Bzdel	5	102
1986	Scott White	6	117
1986	Pierre Millier	9	186
1986	Chris Lappin	10	207
1986	Martin Latreille	11	228
1987	Bryan Fogarty	1	9
1987	Jim Sprott	3	51
1987	Rob Mendel	5	93
1988	Curtis Leschyshyn	1	3

1988	Stephane Venne	5	87
1988	Alexei Gusarov	11	213
1989	Adam Foote	2	22
1989	Eric Dubois	4	76
1989	Dan Lambert	6	106
1990	Jeff Parrott	6	106
1990	Alexander Karpovtsev	8	158
1990	Scott Davis	10	190
1990	Mika Stromberg	11	211
1991	Richard Brennan	3	46
1991	Dave Karpa	4	68
1991	Janne Laukkanen	8	156
1991	Adam Bartell	9	178
1991	Brent Brekke	9	188
1991	Paul Koch	10	200
1992	Tuomas Gronman	2	29
1992	Charlie Wasley	5	100
1992	Martin Lepage	7	148
1993	Ryan Tocher	4	101
1993	Anders Myrvold	5	127
1993	Mark Pivetz	10	257
1994	Wade Belak	1	12
1994	Jeffrey Kealty	1	22
1994	Sebastien Bety	3	61
1994	Nicholas Windsor	6	139
1994	Calvin Elfring	7	165
1994	Steven Low	11	285
1995	Dan Smith	7	181
1996	Peter Ratchuk	1	25
1996	Ben Storey	4	98
1996	Matthew Scorsune	8	214
1997	Kevin Grimes	1	26
1997	Graham Belak	2	53
1997	Rick Berry	3	55
1997	Doug Schmidt	8	217
1997	Stephen Lafleur	9	245
1998	Martin Skoula	1	17
1998	Robyn Regehr	1	19
1998	Alexander Ryazantsev	6	167
1999	Martin Grenier	2	45
1999	Sanny Lindstrom	4	112
1999	William Magnuson	5	142
1999	Jeff Finger	8	240
2000	Argis Saviels	2	63
2000	Kurt Sauer	3	88
2000	Brian Fahey	4	119
2000	John-Michael Liles	5	159
2000	Chris Bahen	6	189
2001	Mikko Vitanen	5	149
2002	Johnny Boychuk	2	61
2002	Eric Lundberg	3	94
2002	Mikko Kalteva	4	107
2002	Tom Gilbert	4	129
2002	Taylor Christie	6	195
2003	David Liffiton	2	63

2003	Darryl Yacboski	8	257
2004	R. Demen-Willame	5	154
2004	Derek Peltier	6	184
2004	Stephen McClellan	9	281
2005	Ray Macias	4	124
2005	Jason Lynch	6	166
2005	Kyle Cumiskey	7	222
2006	Nigel Williams	2	51
2006	Kevin Montgomery	4	110
2007	Kevin Shattenkirk	1	14
2007	Colby Cohen	2	45
2007	Jens Hellgren	6	155
2008	Cameron Gaunce	2	50
2008	Joel Chouinard	6	167
2008	Jonas Holos	6	170
2009	Stefan Elliott	2	49
2009	Tyson Barrie	3	64
2009	Gus Young	7	184
2010	Stephen Silas	4	95
2010	Troy Rutkowski	5	137
2011	Duncan Siemens	1	11
2011	Gabriel Beaupre	6	153
2011	Dillon Donnelly	7	183
2013	Chris Bigras	2	32
2013	Mason Geertsen	4	93
2013	Will Butcher	5	123
2013	Ben Storm	6	153
2013	Wilhelm Westlund	7	183
2014	Kyle Wood	3	84
2014	Anton Lindholm	5	144
2015	Nicolas Meloche	2	40
2015	Andrei Mironov	4	101
2015	Sergei Boikov	6	161
2016	Josh Anderson	3	71
2016	Nathan Clurman	6	161

## GOALTENDER (43) | COL (22)

Yr.	Player	Round	Overall
1981	Clint Malarchuk	4	74
1981	Karri Takko	10	200
1982	Mario Gosselin	3	55
1983	Luc Guenette	5	95
1985	Mario Brunetta	8	162
1986	Ron Tugnutt	4	81



Clint Malarchuk was the first goaltender to be drafted in the history of the franchise.

1987	Garth Snow	6	114
1987	Mike Williams	11	219
1988	Stephane Fiset	2	24
1988	Sakari Lindfors	8	150
1989	John Tanner	3	54
1989	Sergei Mylnikov	7	127
1989	Paul Krake	8	148
1990	Pat Mazzoli	9	169
1991	Patrick Labrecque	5	90
1992	Emmanuel Fernandez	3	52
1992	Steve Passmore	9	196
1992	Aaron Ellis	11	244
1993	Jocelyn Thibault	1	10
1993	Petr Franek	8	205
1994	Tim Thomas	9	217
1995	Marc Denis	1	25
1995	Brent Johnson	5	129
1996	Randy Petruk	4	107
1996	Kai Fischer	6	160
1997	David Aebischer	6	161
1998	Philippe Sauve	2	38
2000	Aaron Molnar	7	221
2000	Blake Ward	9	285
2001	Peter Budaj	2	63
2002	Tyler Weiman	5	164
2004	Ian Keserich	7	215
2006	Billy Sauer	7	201
2007	Trevor Cann	2	49
2007	Kent Patterson	4	113
2008	Peter Delmas	2	61
2009	Kieran Millan	5	124
2009	Brandon Maxwell	6	154
2010	Calvin Pickard	2	49
2010	Sami Aittokallio	4	107
2013	Spencer Martin	3	63
2014	Maximilian Pajpach	6	174
2016	Adam Werner	5	131



Curtis Leschyshyn is the highest-drafted defenseman in franchise history.

# ALL-TIME PICKS BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

## CANADA (200) | COL (91)

Player	Year
Michel Goulet, LW	1979
Dale Hunter, C	1979
Pierre Lacroix, D	1979
Scott McGeown, D	1979
Normand Rochefort	1980
Basil McRae, LW	1980
Gaston Therrien, D	1980
Michel Bolduc, D	1980
Christian Tanguay, RW	1980
Randy Moller, D	1981
Clint Malarchuk, G	1981
Mike Eagles, C	1981
Andre Cote, RW	1981
Marc Brisebois, RW	1981
David Shaw, D	1982
Paul Gillis, C	1982
Mario Gosselin, G	1982
Phil Stanger, LW	1982
Phil Poudrier, D	1982
Mike Hough, LW	1982
Andre Martin, D	1982
Yves Heroux, RW	1983
Bruce Bell, D	1983
Luc Guenette, G	1983
Brad Walcott, D	1983
Wayne Groulx, C	1983
Trevor Stienburg, RW	1984
Jeff Brown, D	1984
Steven Finn, D	1984
Terry Perkins, RW	1984
Darren Cota, RW	1984
Guy Ouellette, C	1984
Ken Quinney, RW	1984
David Latta, LW	1985
Jason Lafreniere, C	1985
Bruce Major, C	1985

Mike Oliverio, C	1985
Mario Brunetta, G	1985
Brit Peer, RW	1985
Jean Bois, LW	1985
Ken McRae, C	1986
Jean-Marc Routhier, RW	1986
Stephane Guerard, D	1986
Ron Tugnutt, G	1986
Gerald Bzdel, D	1986
Scott White, D	1986
Mark Vermette, RW	1986
Jean-Francois Nault, C	1986
Keith Miller, LW	1986
Pierre Millier, D	1986
Martin Latreille, D	1986
Bryan Fogarty, D	1987
Joe Sakic, C	1987
Jim Sprott, D	1987
Darren Nauss, RW	1987
Curtis Leschyshyn, D	1988
Daniel Dore, RW	1988
Stephane Fiset, G	1988
Darin Kimble, RW	1988
Stephane Venne, D	1988
Ed Ward, RW	1988
Dan Wiebe, LW	1988
Claude Lapointe, C	1988
Adam Foote, D	1989
Stephane Morin, C	1989
John Tanner, G	1989
Eric Dubois, D	1989
Kevin Kaiser, LW	1989
Dan Lambert, D	1989
Paul Krake, G	1989
Byron Witkowski, LW	1989
Ryan Hughes, C	1990
Bradley Zavisha, LW	1990
Jeff Parrott, D	1990

Dwayne Norris, RW	1990
Pat Mazzoli, G	1990
Scott Davis, D	1990
Wade Klippenstein, LW	1990
Eric Lindros, C	1991
Rene Corbet, LW	1991
Dave Karpa, D	1991
Patrick Labrecque, G	1991
Bill Lindsay, LW	1991
Aaron Asp, C	1991
Eric Meloche, RW	1991
Todd Warriner, LW	1992
Paul Brousseau, RW	1992
Emmanuel Fernandez, G	1992
Ian McIntyre, C	1992
Paxton Schulte, LW	1992
Martin Lepage, D	1992
Mike Jickling, C	1992
Steve Passmore, G	1992
Anson Carter, C	1992
Jocelyn Thibault, G	1993
Adam Deadmarsh, C	1993
Ashley Buckberger, RW	1993
Ryan Tocher, D	1993
Christian Matte, RW	1993
David Ling, RW	1993
Vincent Auger, C	1993
Mark Pivetz, D	1993
Wade Belak, D	1994
Sebastien Bety, D	1994
Nicholas Windsor, D	1994
Calvin Elfring, D	1994
Jay Bertsch, RW	1994
Chris Pittman, LW	1994
Steven Low, D	1994
Marc Denis, G	1995
Nic Beaudoin, LW	1995
John Tripp, RW	1995

John Cirjak, RW	1995
Dan Smith, D	1995
Chris George, RW	1995
Ben Storey, D	1996
Randy Petruk, G	1996
Brian Willisie, RW	1996
Kevin Grimes, D	1997
Graham Belak, D	1997
Rick Berry, D	1997
Brad Larsen, LW	1997
Stephen Lafleur, D	1997
Alex Tanguay, C	1998
Robyn Regehr, D	1998
Ramzi Abid, LW	1998
Steve Moore, C	1998
K.C. Timmons, LW	1998
Martin Grenier, D	1999
Jordan Krestanovich, LW	1999
Jared Aulin, C	2000
Chris Bahen, D	2000
Aaron Molnar, G	2000
Darryl Bootland, RW	2000
Blake Ward, G	2000
Danny Bois, RW	2001
Colt King, LW	2001
Cody McCormick, C	2001
Pierre-Luc Emond, C	2001
Charlie Stevens, C	2001
Johnny Boychuk, D	2002
Tyler Weiman, G	2002
Taylor Christie, D	2002
Ryan Steeves, C	2002
David Liffiton, D	2003
Brad Richardson, C	2003
Brett Hemingway, LW	2003
Darryl Yacboski, D	2003
David Jones, RW	2003
Victor Oreskovich, RW	2004

Brandon Yip, RW	2004
Paul Stastny, C	2005
Chris Durand, C	2005
Jason Lynch, D	2005
Kyle Cumiskey, D	2005
Chris Stewart, RW	2006
Codey Burki, C	2006
Trevor Cann, G	2007
T.J. Galiardi, LW	2007
Brad Malone, C	2007
Cameron Gaunce, D	2008
Peter Delmas, G	2008
Kelsey Tessier, C	2008
Mark Olver, C	2008
Joel Chouinard, D	2008
Matt Duchene, C	2009
Ryan O'Reilly, C	2009
Stefan Elliott, D	2009
Tyson Barrie, D	2009
Kieran Millan, G	2009
Brandon Maxwell, G	2009
Joey Hishon, C	2010
Calvin Pickard, G	2010
Michael Bournival, LW	2010
Stephen Silas, D	2010
Troy Rutkowski, D	2010
Luke Walker, RW	2010
Duncan Siemens, D	2011
Garrett Meurs, C	2011
Gabriel Beaupre, D	2011
Mitchell Heard, C	2012
Troy Bourke, LW	2012
Michael Clarke, C	2012
Joseph Blandisi, C	2012
Colin Smith, C	2012
Nathan MacKinnon, C	2013
Chris Bigras, D	2013
Spencer Martin, G	2013

Mason Geertsen, D	2013
Conner Bleackley, C	2014
Kyle Wood, D	2014
Alexis Pepin, LW	2014
Julien Nantel, LW	2014
A.J. Greer, LW	2015
Nicolas Meloche, D	2015
J.C. Beaudin, C	2015
Tyson Jost, C	2016
Cameron Morrison, LW	2016
Josh Anderson, D	2016
Travis Barron, LW	2016

## UNITED STATES (84) | COL (48)

Player	Year
Lee Norwood, D	1979
Jay Miller, LW	1980
Mark Kumpel, RW	1980
William Robinson, D	1980
Ed Lee, RW	1981
Craig Mack, D	1983
Scott Shaunessy, D	1983
Max Middledorf, RW	1985
Peter Massey, LW	1985
Dave Espe, D	1985
Andy Akervik, C	1985
Tom Sasso, C	1985
Gary Murphy, D	1985
Chris Lappin, D	1986
Sean Boudreault, LW	1986
Kip Miller, C	1987
Rob Mendel, D	1987
Garth Snow, G	1987
Tim Hanus, LW	1987
Jake Enebak, LW	1987
Mike Williams, G	1987
Noel Rahn, C	1989
Richard Brennan, D	1991



Goalkeeper David Aebischer, who was selected by the Avalanche in the sixth round (161st overall) in 1997, is the only Swiss player to be drafted in the history of the franchise.



Travis Barron became the 200th Canadian player to be drafted in franchise history when the Avalanche chose him with the 191st overall pick in the seventh round of the 2016 NHL Draft.



Valeri Kamensky, pictured at the 2016 Coors Light Stadium Series Alumni Game at Coors Field, was the first Russian-born player to be drafted by the organization. He was selected by the Quebec Nordiques in the seventh round (129th overall) of the 1988 NHL Draft.



# ALL-TIME PICKS BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

Adam Bartell, D	1991
Brent Brekke, D	1991
Paul Koch, D	1991
Doug Friedman, LW	1991
Charlie Wasley, D	1992
Aaron Ellis, G	1992
William Pierce, C	1993
Nicholas Checco, C	1993
John Hillman, C	1993
Jeffrey Kealty, D	1994
Chris Drury, C	1994
Tony Tuzzolino, RW	1994
Tim Thomas, G	1994
Brent Johnson, G	1995
Peter Ratchuk, D	1996
Mark Parrish, LW	1996
Luke Curtin, LW	1996
Dan Hinote, RW	1996
Matthew Scorsone, D	1996
Justin Clark, RW	1996
Aaron Miskovich, RW	1997
Doug Schmidt, D	1997
Kyle Kidney, LW	1997
Scott Parker, RW	1998
Philippe Sauve, G	1998
William Magnuson, D	1999
Jeff Finger, D	1999
Kurt Sauer, D	2000
Brian Fahey, D	2000
John-Michael Liles, D	2000
Sean Kotary, C	2000
Scott Horvath, RW	2001
Eric Lundberg, D	2002
Tom Gilbert, D	2002
Sean Collins, LW	2002
Mark McCutcheon, C	2003
Derek Peltier, D	2004
Ian Keserich, G	2004
J.D. Corbin, LW	2004
Stephen McClellan, D	2004
Ryan Stoa, C	2005
Tom Fritzsche, LW	2005
T.J. Hensick, C	2005
Ray Macias, D	2005
Justin Mercier, LW	2005
Nigel Williams, D	2006
Michael Carman, C	2006
Kevin Montgomery, D	2006
Billy Sauer, G	2006
Kevin Shattenkirk, D	2007
Colby Cohen, D	2007
Kent Patterson, G	2007
Paul Carey, C	2007
Nathan Condon, C	2008
Gus Young, D	2009

Luke Moffatt, C	2010
Dillon Donnelly, D	2011
Will Butcher, D	2013
Ben Storm, D	2013
Nicholas Magyar, RW	2014
Nathan Clurman, D	2016

## SWEDEN (22) | COL (14)

Player	Year
Tommy Albelin, D	1983
Bo Berglund, RW	1983
Henrik Cedergren, RW	1984
Peter Loob, D	1984
Morgan Samuelsson, C	1986
Mats Sundin, RW	1989
Niklas Andersson, LW	1989
Mikael Johansson, C	1991
Samuel Pahlsson, C	1996
Sanny Lindstrom, D	1999
Anders Lovdahl, C	1999
Jonas Johansson, RW	2002
Linus Videll, LW	2003
Richard Demen-Willaume, D	2004
Jens Hellgren, D	2007
Johan Alcen, RW	2007
Gabriel Landeskog, LW	2011
Joachim Nermark, C	2011
Wilhelm Westlund, D	2013
Anton Lindholm, D	2014
Gustav Olhaver, C	2015
Adam Werner, G	2016

## FINLAND (16) | COL (7)

Player	Year
Karri Takko, G	1981
Iiro Jarvi, RW	1983
Jyrki Maki, D	1984
Petri Aaltonen, C	1988
Sakari Lindfors, G	1988
Mika Stromberg, D	1990
Janne Laukkanen, D	1991
Tuomas Gronman, D	1992
Tomi Kallio, LW	1994
Tomi Hirvonen, C	1995
Ville Nieminen, RW	1997
Riku Hahl, C	1999
Mikko Viitanen, D	2001
Mikko Kalteva, D	2002
Sami Aittokallio, G	2010
Mikko Rantanen, RW	2015

## RUSSIA (16) | COL (9)

Player	Year
Valeri Kamensky, LW	1988
Alexei Gusarov, D	1988
Sergei Mylnikov, G	1989
Viacheslav Bykov, C	1989
Andrei Khomutov, RW	1989
Andrei Kovalenko, RW	1990

Alexander Karpovtsev, D	1990
Yuri Babenko, C	1996
Alexander Ryazantsev, D	1998
Mikhail Kuleshov, LW	1999
Sergei Soin, C	2000
Sergei Klyazmin, LW	2000
Sergei Shemetov, LW	2002
Denis Parshin, RW	2004
Andrei Mironov, D	2015
Sergei Boikov, D	2015

## CZECH REPUBLIC (12) | COL (5)

Player	Year
Jiri Lala, RW	1982
Jindrich Kokrmert, C	1983
Jaroslav Sevcik, LW	1987
Ladislav Trel, C	1987
Petr Franek, G	1993
Josef Marha, C	1994
Milan Hejduk, RW	1994
Roman Pylner, C	1996
Martin Skoula, D	1998
Radim Vrbata, RW	1999
Vaclav Nedorost, C	2000
David Svagrovsky, RW	2003

## SLOVAKIA (10) | COL (6)

Player	Year
Anton Stastny, LW	1979
Vincent Lukac, LW	1982
Jozef Lukac, C	1982
Jan Jasko, LW	1982
Branko Radivojevic, RW	1999
Kristian Kovac, RW	1999
Peter Budaj, G	2001
Frantisek Skladany, LW	2001
Marek Svatos, RW	2001
Maximilian Pajpach, G	2014

## GERMANY (2) | COL (1)

Player	Year
Jean-Marc Gaulin, RW	1981
Kai Fischer, G	1996

## NORWAY (2) | COL (1)

Player	Year
Anders Myrvold, D	1993
Jonas Holos, D	2008

## IRELAND (1) | COL (0)

Player	Year
Owen Nolan, RW	1990

## LATVIA (1) | COL (1)

Player	Year
Argis Saviels, D	2000

## POLAND (1) | COL (1)

Player	Year
Wojtek Wolski, LW	2004

## SWITZERLAND (1) | COL (1)

Player	Year
David Aebischer, G	1997

## UKRAINE (1) | COL (1)

Player	Year
Evgeny Lazarev, LW	1998



Wojtek Wolski is the only Polish draft pick in Quebec/Colorado franchise history.

## AMERICAN-BORN PLAYERS BY STATE

### FRANCHISE HISTORY

Minnesota:	19
New York:	13
Massachusetts:	13
Michigan:	10
Connecticut:	4
California:	3
Illinois:	3
Ohio:	3
Rhode Island:	3
Colorado:	2
Indiana:	2
Pennsylvania:	2
Wisconsin:	2
Alaska:	1
Arizona:	1
Florida:	1
New Jersey:	1
North Dakota:	1

### AVALANCHE HISTORY

Minnesota:	9
New York:	9
Michigan:	6
Massachusetts:	4
Ohio:	3
California:	2
Colorado:	2
Connecticut:	2
Illinois:	2
Pennsylvania:	2
Wisconsin:	2
Alaska:	1
Arizona:	1
Florida:	1
Indiana:	1
New Jersey:	1

# AVALANCHE DRAFTS BY THE NUMBERS

**1**  
Previous selections the franchise has made with the No. 4 overall pick, which is where the Avalanche currently sits in the first round of the NHL Draft. The Quebec Nordiques selected left wing Todd Warriner with the fourth overall pick in 1992. Since moving to Denver, the Avalanche have never chosen in the No. 4 spot.

**2**  
Players from Colorado that have been drafted in franchise history: left wing J.D. Corbin in 2004 and defenseman Nathan Clurman in 2016.

**2**  
Total number of players in franchise history drafted from the OHL's Brampton Battalion (LW Wojtek Wolski, 2004 and C Matt Duchene, 2009), both of which were first-round picks.

**3**  
Number of players drafted out of Boston University and the University of Michigan (each) since the franchise moved to Denver, tied for the most draft picks from a single university.

**4**  
Number of first-round picks the Avalanche had in 1998, a franchise high for picks in the first round. Colorado selected Alex Tanguay at No. 12 overall, Martin Skoula at No. 17, Robyn Regher at No. 19 and Scott Parker at No. 25.

**5**  
The most players the Nordiques/Avalanche have selected from one league in a single draft, which occurred twice. The most recent was in 2001 when Colorado drafted five players from the Ontario Hockey League. Quebec drafted five players from college in 1990, four from the NCAA and one from the University of Manitoba.

**5**  
Fewest number of selections the Nordiques/Avalanche have had in a draft in 37 seasons, which occurred in 2012.

**6**  
Number of times the franchise has had more than one first-round pick. Those years were: 1987 (2), 1988 (2), 1993 (2), 1994 (2), 1998 (4) and 2011 (2).



Alex Tanguay was one of four first-round picks for the Avs in 1998, selected with the 12th overall pick.

**6**  
Players who have been drafted out of the Owen Sound Attack – G Brent Johnson, D Argis Saviels, C Brad Richardson, C Joey Hishon, C Joseph Blandisi and D Chris Bigras – the most of any OHL team in Avalanche history. The franchise has selected seven players from the Kitchener Rangers but just two since the franchise relocated.

**7**  
Years in which the organization did not have a first-round pick. The Nordiques didn't have a first-round selection in 1980 or 1983, and the Avalanche didn't select until the second round of the draft in 2001, 2003, 2005, 2008 and 2012.

**7**  
Number of players the Avalanche have drafted that were named to the NHL's All-Rookie team in their first season: Chris Drury (1998-99), Milan Hejduk (1998-99), John-Michael Liles (2003-04), Paul Stastny (2006-07), Matt Duchene (2009-10), Gabriel Landeskog (2011-12) and Nathan MacKinnon (2013-14). Bruce Bell's selection to the 1984-85 NHL All-Rookie Team brings the organization's total to eight.

**8**  
Number of slots in the first round the franchise has never selected a player from: 6, 7, 8, 16, 24, 27, 29, 30

**14**  
The most picks the franchise has had in a single draft, occurring three times (1986, 1989 and 1991). Since moving to Denver, the most selections the Avalanche have had in one draft is 13, which happened in 1996 and 2000.

**17**  
Number of players the organization has drafted



Chris Bigras is one of six players who the Avalanche has drafted from the OHL's Owen Sound Attack.

out of college who played in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association (CCHA), the most of any NCAA conference. Since the team relocated to Denver, eight draftees have come from the CCHA, followed closely by Hockey East which has had six players drafted by the Avalanche.

**18**  
Different states represented among the American-born players that have been drafted by the Nordiques/Avalanche organization.

**84**  
Number of United States-born players that have been selected in franchise history, 48 of which have been drafted since the team moved to Denver. Minnesota leads the way with 19 players drafted while New York and Massachusetts are tied for second with 13 each.

**288**  
Overall pick used to select right wing David Jones in the ninth round of the 2003 NHL Draft, the lowest selection in the history of the franchise to play in the NHL.

**369**  
Total draft picks in franchise history. Since moving to Denver, the Avalanche have made 187 selections.

**1988**  
The first year – nine years after the inception of the franchise – that the organization selected a Russian-born player, drafting left wing Valeri Kamensky in the seventh round (129 overall).

**2011**  
The last time the Avalanche had two first-round draft choices. They selected left wing Gabriel Landeskog with the No. 2 overall pick and drafted defenseman Duncan Siemens at No. 11.



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## NOLAN PATRICK

NO. 1-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - BRANDON WHEAT KINGS, WHL

FINAL RANK: 1  
MIDTERM RANK: 1  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Right

HEIGHT: 6' 2"  
WEIGHT: 198 lbs.  
BORN: Sept. 19, 1998  
BORN IN: Winnipeg, Manitoba

- Patrick was named captain of the Brandon Wheat Kings prior to the 2016-17 season and averaged more than a point per game despite missing significant time due to injury (20-26-46 in 33 games).
- He was named MVP of the 2016 WHL Playoffs after helping Brandon win its first championship in 20 years, tying teammate Jayce Hawryluk (selected in the second round by the Florida Panthers in 2014) for the league lead with 30 points (13 goals, 17 assists in 21 games). In the 2015-16 regular season, Patrick finished tied for third in the WHL in assists (61) and fifth in points (102) in 72 games.
- Patrick was named the WHL rookie of the year in 2014-15 after averaging more than a point per game (30-26-56 in 55 games) and pacing all rookies in goals.
- His father, Steve Patrick, played 250 games with the Buffalo Sabres, New York Rangers and Quebec Nordiques from 1980-86, while his uncle, James Patrick, skated in 1,280 games with the Rangers, Hartford Whalers, Calgary Flames and Sabres.
- Athletic bloodlines run even deeper in the Patrick family: Nolan's mother, Carrie, played volleyball at the University of Winnipeg and was a member of the Canadian National Team; his grandfather, Steve, played 13 seasons with the Canadian Football League's Winnipeg Blue Bombers; his older sister, Madison, plays hockey with the University of British Columbia; and his younger sister, Aimee, plays minor bantam in Winnipeg.
- Internationally, Patrick helped Canada win a gold medal at the 2015 Ivan Hlinka Memorial Tournament and captained Canada Red at the 2014 World Under-17 Hockey Challenge.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"He has more than proven over the last three years that he is the real deal and will be an impact NHL player. The poise, the presence, the attention to detail, the way he processes and executes plays-everything has been far more precise, far more accurate and a lot quicker this season."

-Dan Marr, Director of NHL Central Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	BRANDON	WHL	33	20	26	46	36
2015-2016	BRANDON	WHL	72	41	61	102	41
2015-2016	CANADA U-18	IVAN HLINKA	5	3	3	6	6
2014-2015	BRANDON	WHL	55	30	26	56	19
2014-2015	CANADA RED	U17 CHALLENGE	5	0	5	5	6

# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## NICO HISCHIER

NO. 2-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - HALIFAX MOOSEHEADS, QMJHL

FINAL RANK: 2  
MIDTERM RANK: 2  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Left

HEIGHT: 6' 1"  
WEIGHT: 176 lbs.  
BORN: Jan. 4, 1999  
BORN IN: Naters, Switzerland

- Hischier – who looks to become the highest-drafted Swiss player in NHL history (Nino Niederreiter: 5th overall by NYI in 2010) – led QMJHL rookies with 86 points (38 goals, 48 assists) in 57 games this season and added seven points (three goals, four assists) in six playoff contests. He was named the QMJHL Rookie of the Year and awarded the Mike Bossy Trophy as the league’s best professional prospect.
- His 2016-17 totals include a six-point (three goals, three assists) performance on Oct. 26 in which he set a Halifax Mooseheads record for points in a game by a rookie.
- Representing Switzerland as a 16-year-old at the 2016 World Junior Championship, Hischier was the second-youngest player at the event, recording two assists in six games. He took on a larger role with the team in 2017, pacing all 2017 NHL draft-eligible skaters with seven points (four goals, three assists) in five games.
- Hischier made his professional hockey debut in 2015-16 at age 16 when he skated in each of the top two leagues in Switzerland, including a 15-game stint alongside his older brother, Luca, with eventual National League A-champion SC Bern.
- Playing with Bern’s junior team in the 2016 playoffs, Hischier averaged a point per game--including a league-leading eight assists (tied)--to help his team win the championship. He also won a title with the Under-17 team in 2014-15 after pacing all skaters with 61 points (28 goals, 33 assists) during the regular season.
- Compares his style of play to former NHL forward Pavel Datsyuk.

### SCOUTING REPORT

“Hischier is definitely worth the price of admission. He has a high skill level, but what’s most impressive is the way he competes, his drive and work ethic. He is a player who is first on the forecheck forcing a turnover and when the play transitions, he’s the first player back. He’s in that category as a special player.”

- Dan Marr, Director Of NHL Central Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	HALIFAX	QMJHL	57	38	48	86	24
2016-2017	SWITZERLAND	WJC	5	4	3	7	2
2016-2017	SWITZERLAND	U18 WC	5	1	5	6	0
2016-2017	SWITZERLAND U20	4-NATIONS	3	1	1	2	2
2016-2017	SWITZERLAND U18	IVAN HLINKA	3	1	1	2	2



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## CASEY MITTELSTADT

NO. 3-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - EDEN PRAIRIE, USHS

FINAL RANK: 3  
MIDTERM RANK: 5  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Left

HEIGHT: 6' 1"  
WEIGHT: 201 lbs.  
BORN: Nov. 22, 1998  
BORN IN: Edina, Minnesota

• Mittelstadt skated for his hometown Eden Prairie High School in 2016-17, leading the team in goals (21), assists (43) and points (64) in 25 games. He also spent time with the Green Bay Gamblers of the USHL, averaging more than a point per game (13-17-30 in 24 games played).

• Mittelstadt was named the winner of Minnesota's Mr. Hockey Award in 2016-17 as the top senior high school hockey player in the state. Previous winners who have made an impact in the NHL include Florida Panthers forward Nick Bjugstad (2010), New York Islanders defenseman Nick Leddy (2009) and New York Rangers defenseman Ryan McDonagh (2007).

• In 2015-16, Mittelstadt split his season between Eden Prairie High School – where he led the team in goals (22), assists (37) and points (59) – and the USA National Team Development Program – where he collected 13 points (seven goals, six assists) in 13 contests for the Under-18 team.

• Internationally, Mittelstadt represented Team USA at the 2015 Ivan Hlinka Memorial Tournament (3-4-7 in four games played) and helped his country earn a bronze medal at the 2016 Under-18 World Championship (4-5-9 in seven games played).

• A dynamic offensive player, Mittelstadt models his style of play after Islanders forward John Tavares and Dallas Stars forward Tyler Seguin.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"Mittelstadt is one of these anomalies that come along every few years [from high school hockey]. We've watched him play against his peers in international tournaments and have seen him play in the USHL and at various camps, and he always makes a difference. It doesn't really matter where he plays because you get the same game from him no matter the environment."

- Dan Marr, Director Of NHL Central Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	EDEN PRAIRIE	HIGH-MN	25	21	43	64	8
2016-2017	GREEN BAY	USHL	24	13	17	30	2
2015-2016	EDEN PRAIRIE	HIGH-MN	25	22	37	59	16
2015-2016	TEAM SOUTH EAST	UMWHESEL	19	14	27	41	24
2015-2016	USA U18	IVAN HLINKA	4	3	4	7	4
2015-2016	TEAM USA	USHL	2	2	0	2	2
2014-2015	EDEN PRAIRIE	HIGH-MN	25	22	25	47	4
2014-2015	TEAM SOUTH EAST	UMWHESEL	20	14	14	28	8



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## GABRIEL VILARDI

NO. 4-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - WINDSOR, OHL

FINAL RANK: 4  
MIDTERM RANK: 3  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Right

HEIGHT: 6' 3"  
WEIGHT: 201 lbs.  
BORN: Aug. 16, 1999  
BORN IN: Kingston, Ontario

- Vilardi produced at more than a point-per-game pace in 2016-17, recording 61 points (29 goals, 32 assists) in 49 games for the Windsor Spitfires. His 29 goals led the Spitfires; his 61 points ranked second on the team.
- Vilardi led Windsor in postseason points with two goals and four assists in a seven-game, first-round series loss to London in the 2017 OHL Playoffs.
- In 2015-16, Vilardi registered 38 points (17 goals, 21 assists) in the regular season and added four points (one goal, three assists) in the playoffs (five games played) to earn OHL Second All-Rookie Team honors.
- Vilardi was taken second overall by the Spitfires in the 2015 OHL Priority Selection after receiving the 2014-15 Hockey Eastern Ontario Player of the Year Award for recording 39 points (18 goals, 21 assists) in 21 games with the CIHA Voyageurs.
- Internationally, Vilardi helped Canada White win a gold medal at the 2015 World Under-17 Hockey Challenge (four goals, three assists in six games played).
- His older brother, Francesco, collected 75 points (27 goals, 48 assists) in 204 career OHL games with the Sudbury Wolves, Plymouth Whalers and Flint Firebirds from 2012-13 to 2015-16, and currently skates for Queen's University (CIS) in their hometown of Kingston, Ontario.
- Compares his style of play to New York Islanders forward John Tavares.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"Vilardi is a high-end possession center with excellent hockey sense and puck-handling ability. He plays a very composed game with the puck, using his vision and playmaking ability to influence the game in all three zones. Vilardi excels below the dots in the offensive zone, where he utilizes his size and reach to control the play and generate scoring opportunities."

- Dan Marr, Director of NHL Central Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	WINDSOR	OHL	49	29	32	61	12
2015-2016	WINDSOR	OHL	62	17	21	38	14



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## MICHAEL RASMUSSEN

NO. 5-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - TRI-CITY, WHL

FINAL RANK: 5  
MIDTERM RANK: 6  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Left

HEIGHT: 6' 6"  
WEIGHT: 215 lbs.  
BORN: April 17, 1999  
BORN IN: Vancouver, BC

- Rasmussen led the Tri-City Americans with 15 power-play goals in 2016-17, finishing the campaign with 55 points (32 goals, 23 assists) in 50 games.
- Rasmussen notched a four-goal outing in Tri-City's season opener on Sept. 24, 2016, becoming the first Americans player to score four goals in a game since Brendan Shinnimin on Feb. 26, 2012.
- After being selected seventh overall by the Americans in the 2014 WHL Bantam Draft, Rasmussen led Tri-City rookies in goals (18) and points (43) in 2015-16 (63 games played).
- Rasmussen collected 50 points (27 goals, 23 assists) with Okanagan Hockey Academy in 2014-15 (28 games played) en route to a Canadian Sport School Hockey League championship.
- Internationally, Rasmussen represented Canada at the 2016 Ivan Hlinka Memorial Tournament (one goal and three assists in four games played) and played for Canada Black at the 2015 World Under-17 Hockey Challenge (two goals and one assist in five games played).
- A big, strong power forward, Rasmussen compares his style of play to Florida Panthers forward Aleksander Barkov and former NHL forward Mats Sundin.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"He's playing with much more confidence this season. He's adapted to playing a bigger role and playing heavy minutes against opponents' top lines and defense. The game has slowed down for him a little bit and he's just that much more poised. He can take that extra bit of time and understands he can take that time to make plays and score goals."

- John Williams, NHL Central Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	TRI-CITY	WHL	50	32	23	55	50
2016-2017	CANADA U18	IVAN HLINKA	4	1	3	4	8
2015-2016	TRI-CITY	WHL	63	18	25	43	37
2014-2015	TRI-CITY	WHL	1	0	0	0	2

# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## CODY GLASS

NO. 6-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - PORTLAND, WHL

FINAL RANK: 6  
MIDTERM RANK: 8  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Right

HEIGHT: 6' 2"  
WEIGHT: 178 lbs.  
BORN: April 1, 1999  
HOMETOWN: Winnipeg, Manitoba

- After being selected 19th overall by the Portland Winterhawks in the 2014 WHL Bantam Draft, Cody Glass went on to record 27 points (10 goals, 17 assists) in 65 games during his first season (2015-16) with the club.
- Paced the Winterhawks in assists (62) and points (94) and finished second on the team in goals (32) during the 2016-17 campaign. His 94 points placed him seventh in the WHL in scoring.
- His 1.36 points per game led Portland in 2016-17.
- Was named to the WHL (West) First All-Star Team for his efforts during his second year in the league.
- Registered three points (two goals, one assist) in three games while representing Canada at the 2017 IIHF U18 World Championship in Slovakia.

### SCOUTING REPORT

“Probably one of the surprises of the year. Started off very quick and sustained it. Very good speed, good skill, sees the ice very well, can make a play and very competitive. Goes and battles for pucks. He’s not one that will physically outmuscle you, but outsmarts you and things like that and comes out of the pile with the puck.”

- Alan Hepple, Colorado Avalanche Director of Amateur Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	PORTLAND	WHL	69	32	62	94	36
2016-2017	CANADA	U18 WC	3	2	1	3	0
2015-2016	PORTLAND	WHL	65	10	17	27	20
2014-2015	PORTLAND	WHL	3	0	0	0	0



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## OWEN TIPPETT

NO. 7-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - MISSISSAUGA, OHL

FINAL RANK: 7  
MIDTERM RANK: 4  
POSITION: Right Wing  
SHOOTS: Right

HEIGHT: 6' 0"  
WEIGHT: 200 lbs.  
BORN: Feb. 16, 1999  
BORN IN: Peterborough, Ontario

- After being drafted No. 4 overall by the Mississauga Steelheads in the 2015 OHL Priority Selection, Tippett finished third on the team in rookie scoring with 20 points (15 goals, five assists) in 48 games. His 15 goals put him second among club freshman.
- Was named to the OHL First All-Rookie Team after his first campaign.
- Registered eight points (five goals, three assists) en route to winning a goal medal with Canada White at the 2015 World Under-17 Hockey Challenge. Tippett was named to the tournament's All-Star Team for his efforts.
- Led Mississauga in goals (44) and points (75) in 2016-17, his second year with the squad.
- Recorded a six-game point streak (11 goals, three assists) from Oct. 12-23, 2016.
- Added another 19 points (10 goals, nine assists) in 20 playoff games before falling to the eventual-champion Erie Otters in the OHL Championship Series.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"He's a natural goal scorer who is extremely dangerous when attacking with speed. He possesses an excellent release while also displaying the vision and passing ability to create offense for his teammates, making him very difficult to defend."

- Matt Ryan, NHL Central Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	MISSISSAUGA	OHL	60	44	31	75	36
2016-2017	CANADA U18	IVAN HLINKA	4	1	1	2	0
2015-2016	MISSISSAUGA	OHL	48	15	5	20	10

# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## EELI TOLVANEN

NO. 8-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - SIOUX CITY, USHL

FINAL RANK: 8  
MIDTERM RANK: 7  
POSITION: Right Wing  
SHOOTS: Left

HEIGHT: 5' 10"  
WEIGHT: 170 lbs.  
BORN: April, 22, 1999  
BORN IN: Vihti, Finland

- Tolvanen recorded 38 points (17 goals, 21 assists) in 49 games with the Sioux City Musketeers during his first season in the USHL. Finished first on the team in goals and second in points and was named to the USHL All-Rookie Team.
- Was named to the 2015 World Under-17 Hockey Challenge All-Star Team after leading the tournament in goals (nine) and points (10) in five games while representing Finland.
- Added nine points (seven goals, two assists) in seven games at the 2016 U18 World Championship en route to winning a gold medal with Team Finland. Tolvanen's seven goals led all players at the event.
- Registered 54 points (30 goals, 24 assists) in 52 games with the Musketeers in 2015-16, earning USHL First All-Star Team honors. Tolvanen added eight points (four goals, four assists) in 10 postseason contests.
- Represented Finland at the 2017 IIHF World Junior Championship, where he put up six points (two goals, four assists) in six games.
- Will begin his collegiate career during the 2017-18 season, joining Boston College after two campaigns in the USHL.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"He's got excellent skill and hockey sense. Plays the game at a high pace and is very tough to contain. He is dangerous offensively creating opportunities with a quick shot that he can release on the fly. He is very good at finding the open man with a tape-to-tape pass. He understands the game very well and can be responsible in all zones. He scored at over a point per game in a league that is tough to score in."

- David Gregory, NHL Central Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	SIOUX CITY	USHL	52	30	24	54	26
2016-2017	FINLAND (2017 WJC)	NATOUR	6	2	4	6	2
2015-2016	SIOUX CITY	USHL	49	17	21	38	12
2015-2016	FINLAND	U18 WC	7	7	2	9	0
2015-2016	FINLAND U18	IVAN HLINKA	5	1	1	2	0
2015-2016	FINLAND U18	5 NATIONS	4	2	3	5	0
2014-2015	BLUES U18	FINLAND-JR.	41	39	45	84	24
2014-2015	BLUES JR.	FINLAND-JR.	7	2	3	5	2



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## CALE MAKAR

**NO. 9-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - BROOKS, AJHL**

FINAL RANK: 9  
 MIDTERM RANK: 10  
 POSITION: Defenseman  
 SHOOTS: Right

HEIGHT: 5' 11"  
 WEIGHT: 180 lbs.  
 BORN: Oct. 30, 1998  
 BORN IN: Calgary, Alberta

- Finished fifth on the Bandits in scoring in 2015-16 with 55 points (10 goals, 45 assists) in 54 games as a rookie and earned AJHL Rookie of the Year honors. Added 14 points (three goals, 11 assists) in 13 postseason contests en route to winning the AJHL's Gas Drive Cup.
- Received the Rolan Mercier Trophy as the RBC Cup's Most Valuable Player in 2015-16 and was named the tournament's Top Defenseman and Top Scorer.
- Makar served as captain of Team Canada West at the 2016 World Junior A Challenge, and scored eight points (four goals, four assists) in just four games, including a defensive-record five points in a single game.
- Makar led all AJHL defensemen in scoring in 2016-17 with 75 points (24 goals, 51 assists) in 54 games and added 16 points (5 goals, 11 assists) in 13 playoff games as the Bandits won their second consecutive Gas Drive Cup.
- Makar was named CJHL Top Defenseman after recording three goals and five assists in five games en route to winning the 2017 Western Canada Cup.
- Named the 2016-17 Canadian Junior Hockey League Most Valuable Player, AJHL Most Outstanding Defenseman, AJHL Most Valuable Player, and AJHL Playoff MVP.
- Will begin his collegiate career with the University of Massachusetts-Amherst in 2017-18.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"Cale Makar is probably one of the surprises of the draft. A defenseman that plays tier-II in Brooks (Alberta). A very good skater, a very good puck-mover. Very good puck management. Offensive upside with a great shot, great vision, and he's making lots of waves."

- Alan Hepple, Colorado Avalanche Director of Amateur Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	BROOKS	AJHL	54	24	51	75	18
2015-2016	BROOKS	AJHL	54	10	45	55	28
2014-2015	BROOKS	AJHL	3	1	4	5	4

# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## NICK SUZUKI

NO. 10-RANKED NORTH AMERICAN SKATER - OWEN SOUND, OHL

FINAL RANK: 10  
MIDTERM RANK: 16  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Right

HEIGHT: 5' 11"  
WEIGHT: 183 lbs.  
BORN: Aug. 10, 1999  
BORN IN: London, Ontario

- After being drafted No. 14 overall by the Owen Sound Attack in the 2015 OHL Priority Selection, Suzuki finished second on the squad in goals (20) and paced team rookies in goals, assists (18) and points (38) in 63 games.
- He was named to the OHL First All-Rookie Team for his efforts.
- Recorded four points (one goal, three assists) in six games en route to winning a gold medal with Canada White at the 2015 World Under-17 Hockey Challenge.
- Finished the 2016-17 campaign ranked fourth in the OHL in goals (45) and fifth in points (96) after 65 games played, while also earning the William Hanley Trophy as the OHL's Most Sportsmanlike Player.
- Paced Owen Sound with 23 points (eight goals, 15 assists) in 17 postseason contests before falling to the eventual-champion Erie Otters in the Western Conference Championship.
- Suzuki was named to the 2016-17 OHL Second All-Star Team along with teammates Jonah Gadjovich and Petrus Palmu.
- Lists Sidney Crosby of the Pittsburgh Penguins as his childhood hockey idol.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"He's definitely been one of the more consistent prospects all year as far as his offense output. He's continued to get better. He's been an offensive leader on this team that has been top-10 in Canada all season long. He plays one of the toughest schedules and has some of the toughest matchups every night but can still produce consistently."

- Matt Ryan, NHL Central Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	OWEN SOUND	OHL	65	45	51	96	10
2016-2017	CANADA U18	IVAN HLINKA	4	1	2	3	0
2015-2016	OWEN SOUND	OHL	63	20	18	38	4



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## KLIM KOSTIN

**NO. 1-RANKED EUROPEAN SKATER - DYNAMO MOSCOW, KHL**

FINAL RANK: 1  
MIDTERM RANK: 1  
POSITION: LW/C  
SHOOTS: Left

HEIGHT: 6' 3"  
WEIGHT: 196 lbs.  
BORN: May 5, 1999  
BORN IN: Penza, Russia

- Kostin spent the majority of the 2016-17 season playing professional hockey in Russia, despite missing significant time due to injury. He played in eight games with Dynamo Moscow in the Kontinental Hockey League and nine contests with Balashikha in Russia's minor hockey league (VHL).
- In 2015-16, Kostin spent the majority of the season with Balashikha's junior team (MHL), recording 21 points (eight goals, 13 assists) in 30 games.
- A leader internationally, Kostin captained Russia to a silver medal at the 2015 World Under-17 Hockey Challenge, where he registered five points (two goals, three assists) in six matches.
- He also captained his country's entries at the 2016 U18 World Championship, where he recorded four assists in five contests, and 2016 Ivan Hlinka Memorial Tournament, where Kostin managed seven points (four goals, three assists) in five games.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"Kostin is a big, strong, mobile power forward who plays a physical game. He is a strong skater with good speed, very good hockey sense and is an excellent competitor."

- Goran Stubb, NHL Director of European Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	BALASHIKHA	RUSSIA-2	9	1	0	1	4
2016-2017	DYNAMO MOSCOW	RUSSIA	8	0	0	0	27
2016-2017	RUSSIA U18	IVAN HLINKA	5	4	3	7	29
2016-2017	RUSSIA U20	4-NATIONS	3	1	0	1	4
2016-2017	MVD BALASHIKHA 2	RUSSIA-JR.	1	0	1	1	2
2015-2016	MVD BALASHIKHA 2	RUSSIA-JR.	30	8	13	21	74
2015-2016	DYNAMO MOSCOW U17	RUSSIA-JR. U17	10	10	5	15	18
2015-2016	RUSSIA	U17 CHALLENGE	6	2	3	5	16
2015-2016	RUSSIA	U18 WC	5	0	4	4	4



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## ELIAS PETTERSSON

NO. 2-RANKED EUROPEAN SKATER - TIMRA, SWEDEN-2

FINAL RANK: 2  
MIDTERM RANK: 2  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Left

HEIGHT: 6' 2"  
WEIGHT: 161 lbs.  
BORN: Nov. 12, 1998  
BORN IN: Sundsvall, Sweden

• Pettersson spent the entire 2016-17 season with Timra in Sweden's second professional division, where he produced at almost a point-per-game pace (19 goals, 22 assists in 43 games) as an 18-year-old. He ranked second on Timra in goals (19) and points (41) in 2016-17, while his 21 assists were the most by a junior-aged player in Sweden's second division.

• In 2015-16, Pettersson split time between Timra's junior club, where he posted 14 points (six goals, eight assists) in 22 games played, and its main team in the second division, where he registered nine points (three goals, six assists) in 25 contests.

• Pettersson's 2014-15 season saw him excel with Timra's under-18 team. He recorded 38 points (20 goals, 18 assists) in 18 regular-season matches before adding 14 points (five goals, nine assists) in eight playoff games to help secure the league's bronze medal.

• A regular in international play, Pettersson won a silver medal for Sweden at both the 2016 U18 World Championship, where he had eight points (one goal, seven assists) in seven games, and the 2015 Ivan Hlinka Memorial Tournament. He also was a member of Sweden's fourth-place finish at the 2017 World Junior Championship.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"A fast, speedy star, he had a sensational season for Timra in Sweden's second division, consistently producing offense despite the fact he's playing with and against much older players."

- Goran Stubb, NHL Director of European Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	TIMRA	SWEDEN-2	43	19	22	41	14
2016-2017	SWEDEN	WJC	6	0	1	1	0
2016-2017	SWEDEN U20	4-NATIONS	3	0	1	1	2
2016-2017	SWEDEN U20	4-NATIONS	3	3	4	7	0
2015-2016	TIMRA	SWEDEN-2	25	3	6	9	0
2015-2016	TIMRA JR.	SWEDEN-JR.	22	6	8	14	20
2015-2016	SWEDEN	U18 WC	7	1	7	8	4
2015-2016	SWEDEN U18	IVAN HLINKA	5	0	0	0	0
2015-2016	SWEDEN U18	5-NATIONS	4	3	2	5	0
2015-2016	SWEDEN U18	5 NATIONS	4	1	2	3	2
2015-2016	TIMRA U18	SWE-JR. U18	2	3	1	4	2
2014-2015	TIMRA U18	SWE-JR. U18	40	31	34	65	8
2014-2015	TIMRA JR.	SWEDEN-JR.	6	4	9	13	2



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## LIAS ANDERSSON

NO. 3-RANKED EUROPEAN SKATER - HV71, SWEDEN

FINAL RANK: 3  
MIDTERM RANK: 3  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Left

HEIGHT: 5' 11"  
WEIGHT: 198 lbs.  
BORN: Oct. 13, 1998  
BORN IN: Smogen, Sweden

- Andersson compiled 19 points (nine goals, 10 assists) in 42 games during the 2016-17 regular season and five points (four goals, one assists) in 16 playoff contests to help HV71 capture its fifth Le Mat Trophy, awarded to the Swedish Hockey League champion.
- Andersson led Sweden's junior league in assists and points with 59 points (24 goals, 35 assists) in 37 games during the 2015-16 season. He also made his SHL debut during the 2015-16 campaign, appearing in 22 regular-season games and four playoff contests.
- Internationally, Andersson represented Sweden at the 2017 World Junior Championship, where he recorded three goals in seven matches, and the 2016 U18 World Championship, where he put away nine points (five goals, four assists) in seven contests en route to winning a silver medal.
- His father, Niklas, was selected 68th overall by the Quebec Nordiques in 1989 and skated in 164 career NHL games across five seasons with the Nordiques, New York Islanders, San Jose Sharks, Nashville Predators and Calgary Flames.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"He is a really skilled, two-way forward with great moves with the puck. He shows very good attitude, works hard both ways, has smooth hands and is very effective in the offensive zone as he can both shoot and create scoring chances for linemates."

- Goran Stubb, NHL Director of European Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	HV 71	SWEDEN	42	9	10	19	18
2016-2017	SWEDEN	WJC	7	3	0	3	6
2016-2017	HV 71 JR.	SWEDEN-JR.	3	2	0	2	2
2016-2017	SWEDEN U20	4-NATIONS	3	2	5	7	4
2015-2016	HV 71 JR.	SWEDEN-JR.	37	24	35	59	91
2015-2016	HV 71	SWEDEN	22	0	0	0	6
2015-2016	SWEDEN	U18 WC	7	5	4	9	8
2015-2016	SWEDEN U18	IVAN HLINKA	5	0	0	0	18
2015-2016	SWEDEN U18	5-NATIONS	4	3	3	6	0
2015-2016	SWEDEN U18	5 NATIONS	4	2	0	2	4
2015-2016	HV 71 U18	SWE-JR. U18	2	1	5	6	0
2014-2015	HV 71 JR.	SWEDEN-JR.	25	6	3	9	16
2014-2015	HV 71 U18	SWE-JR. U18	13	6	13	19	20
2014-2015	SWEDEN	U17 CHALLENGE 6	1	3	4	2	

# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## MIRO HEISKANEN

NO. 4-RANKED EUROPEAN SKATER - HIFK, FINLAND

FINAL RANK: 4  
 MIDTERM RANK: 6  
 POSITION: Defenseman  
 SHOOTS: Left

HEIGHT: 6' 0"  
 WEIGHT: 170 lbs.  
 BORN: July 18, 1999  
 BORN IN: Espoo, Finland

• Heiskanen collected 10 points (five goals, five assists) in 37 games during the 2016-17 regular season and added three assists in eight playoff contests with HIFK in the top professional league in Finland (Liiga). Internationally, Heiskanen represented Finland in its silver-medal finish at the 2017 U18 World Championship, where he registered 12 points (two goals, 10 assists) in seven games, earned Best Defenseman honors and was named to the tournament All-Star Team after leading all skaters in assists (10) and all defensemen in points (12).

• Heiskanen also represented Finland at the 2017 World Junior Championship and won a gold medal at the 2016 U18 World Championship.

• In 2015-16, Heiskanen posted 14 points (three goals, 11 assists) in 30 games for HIFK's junior team to capture the league's Rookie of the Year honors. Other notable players to win the award include Carolina Hurricanes forward Sebastian Aho, Nashville Predators forward Miikka Salomaki and Vancouver Canucks prospect Olli Juolevi.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"A defenseman that plays in Finland; a good puck mover, great skater--probably one of the best skaters in the draft. Puck management is very good. Offense has been one of the discussions, if he has it or not, but again, a puck-mover that plays the game the right way."

- Alan Hepple, Colorado Avalanche Director of Amateur Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	HIFK	FINLAND	37	5	5	10	4
2016-2017	FINLAND	U18 WC	7	2	10	12	0
2016-2017	FINLAND	WJC	6	0	1	1	0
2016-2017	FINLAND U20	4-NATIONS	3	0	1	1	0
2016-2017	FINLAND U20	4-NATIONS	3	0	0	0	0
2015-2016	HIFK JR.	FINLAND-JR.	30	3	11	14	6
2015-2016	HIFK U18	FINLAND-JR.	7	0	7	7	0
2015-2016	FINLAND U18	U18 WC	7	0	1	1	0
2015-2016	FINLAND	U17 CHALLENGE	5	0	4	4	2
2015-2016	FINLAND U18	5-NATIONS	4	0	2	2	0
2015-2016	FINLAND U18	5-NATIONS	4	1	3	4	0
2014-2015	HIFK U18	FINLAND-JR.	35	7	13	20	8



# 2017 NHL DRAFT PROFILES



## MARTIN NECAS

NO. 5-RANKED EUROPEAN SKATER - BRNO, CZECH REPUBLIC

FINAL RANK: 5  
MIDTERM RANK: 5  
POSITION: Center  
SHOOTS: Right

HEIGHT: 6' 0"  
WEIGHT: 167 lbs.  
BORN: Jan. 15, 1999  
BORN IN: Nove Mesto na Morave,  
Czech Republic

- Necas registered 15 points (seven goals, eight assists) in 41 games during the 2016-17 regular season and four goals in 10 playoff contests to help HC Kometa Brno win the franchise's first championship in the Czech Republic's top league.
- As a member of the HC Kometa Brno Under-18 club in 2015-16, Necas collected 30 points (nine goals, 21 assists) in 18 regular-season games and 15 points (four goals, 11 assists) in the 10 playoff contests en route to a Czech Under-18 championship. Necas led the Czech Under-16 league in assists (59) and points (91) in 34 games during the 2014-15 season.
- Internationally, Necas represented the Czech Republic at the 2017 World Junior Championship, where he managed three points (one goal, two assists) in five games, and the 2016 U18 World Championship, where he again registered three points (all assists) in five games played. He also served as captain at the 2016 Ivan Hlinka Memorial Tournament, where he recorded six points (two goals, four assists) in four matches while helping the Czech Republic win its first gold medal at the tournament.
- Models his style of play after Chicago Blackhawks forward Patrick Kane and Washington Capitals forward Evgeny Kuznetsov.

### SCOUTING REPORT

"He plays pro hockey in the Czech Republic, playing with men. He competes. He's a 17-year-old kid, so he still has to fill out, but he plays hard and has skill. He has a great passing ability--probably more of a passer than a goalscorer. Great vision, can make plays through traffic, so that lends itself to the offensive upside of the game."

- Alan Hepple, Colorado Avalanche Director of Amateur Scouting

### STATS

SEASON	TEAM	LEAGUE	GP	G	A	P	PIM
2016-2017	BRNO	CZREP	41	7	8	15	6
2016-2017	CZECH REPUBLIC	WJC	5	1	2	3	2
2016-2017	CZECH REPUBLIC U18	IVAN HLINKA	5	2	4	6	2
2016-2017	CZECH REPUBLIC	U18 WC	5	0	3	3	4
2016-2017	CZECH REPUBLIC U18	5-NATIONS	4	1	2	3	0
2016-2017	CZECH REPUBLIC U20	4-NATIONS	3	1	2	3	9
2016-2017	BRNO JR.	CZREP-JR.	1	1	2	3	4
2015-2016	BRNO U18	CZREP-JR. U18	18	9	21	30	14
2015-2016	CZECH REPUBLIC	U17 CHALLENGE	5	4	1	5	4
2015-2016	CZECH REPUBLIC U17	4-NATIONS	3	1	3	4	0