

## **CFPA ANNOUNCES 2020 NATIONAL PERFORMER OF THE YEAR TROPHY WATCH LIST**

SEPTEMBER 1, 2020 – CHARLESTON, South Carolina – College Football Performance Awards (CFPA) announced its 2020 preseason watch list for the CFPA National Performer of the Year Trophy. Thirty players earned spots on the list.

The 2020 CFPA National Performer of the Year Trophy is a 22-inch K-9 optic crystal tower with eight-inch crystal football on top. All FBS players are eligible for the award.

The 2020 CFPA National Performer of the Year will be announced January 14, 2021. A total of four annual and multi-season/career award winners will be honored throughout the academic calendar year.

### **2020 CFPA National Performer of the Year Trophy Watch List:**

Najee Harris (RB), Alabama  
DeVonta Smith (WR), Alabama  
Zac Thomas (QB), App State  
Layne Hatcher (QB), Arkansas State  
Bo Nix (QB), Auburn  
Charlie Brewer (QB), Baylor  
Desmond Ridder (QB), Cincinnati  
Travis Etienne (RB), Clemson  
Trevor Lawrence (QB), Clemson  
Kyle Trask (QB), Florida  
Jamie Newman (QB), Georgia  
Brock Purdy (QB), Iowa State  
Skylar Thompson (QB), Kansas State  
Levi Lewis (QB), Louisiana  
Micale Cunningham (QB), Louisville  
Brady White (QB), Memphis  
D'Eriq King (QB), Miami  
K.J. Costello (QB), Mississippi State  
Sam Howell (QB), North Carolina  
Ian Book (QB), Notre Dame  
Chuba Hubbard (RB), Oklahoma State  
John Rhys Plumlee (QB), Ole Miss  
Kenny Pickett (QB), Pittsburgh  
Shane Buechele (QB), SMU  
Jarrett Guarantano (QB), Tennessee  
Sam Ehlinger (QB), Texas  
Kellen Mond (QB), Texas A&M  
Alan Bowman (QB), Texas Tech  
Dillon Gabriel (QB), UCF  
Hendon Hooker (QB), Virginia Tech