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Swimming & Diving Qualifies 16 To Thursday's Finals At Horizon League Championships

Booher wins 50 free preliminary race.

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Chicago, Ill.- The UIC swimming and diving team advanced 16 student-athletes to Thursday evening's Horizon League Championship finals session after some superb swimming performances during the day's preliminaries.

[Blake Booher](#) capped the session with a winning :20.24 in the 50 free to earn the event's top seed.

[Cameron Seebeck](#) (5th/:21.05) and [Brenden Dougherty](#) (7th/:21:21) also moved on to the 50 free finals.

[Andrea Giczewski](#) placed second in the women's 50 free prelims with a :23.80, while [Kelly Hyatt](#), [Colleen Dougherty](#) and [Emily Biancalana](#) also finished in the Top 8 to move on to the finals.

[Dan Hare](#) and [Mike Conroy](#) will compete in the men's 200 IM finals, while [Jessica Darud](#) and [Courtney Eck](#) will swim in the women's version.

[Davor Trnovljakovic](#) finished sixth in the men's 500 free, while [Mike Hare](#) and [Sean Dawson](#) will also compete in the event tonight. [Shaina Israel](#) and [Meghan Daly](#) will compete in the women's 500 free after placing in the Top 16.

Thursday's finals session will begin at 6:00 p.m. at the UIC Natatorium.

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