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Award goes to the top FBS senior long snapper

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STATESBORO - Georgia Southern senior long snapper [Ryan Langan](#) was named one of 10 semifinalists for the Patrick Mannelly Award Wednesday by the organization. Named after former NFL long snapper Patrick Mannelly, the award will be presented again this season to the best FBS senior long snapper. The Award benefits Bernie's Book Bank, a non-profit organization located in Lake Bluff, Illinois. Last year's inaugural winner was John Shannon from Notre Dame.

Three finalists selected on Dec. 22, 2020 and will be presented in a virtual ceremony Saturday, Jan. 9, 2021..

Langan, from Cedar Rapids, Nebraska, played in all 13 games as the special team's long snapper last season, earning Second-Team All-Sun Belt plaudits by Phil Steele. He handled every punt, field goal and PAT snap for the entire season and was on the field for 132 snaps. Phil Steele had him as the Sun Belt's top snapper and a second-team All-American in his preseason awards. For his career, he has started all 49 games, snapping for 470 total plays (239 punt, 143 PAT, 88 FG).

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