

# Brian Essery

GREAT BRITAIN BASEBALL TEAM

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## POSITION

Pitcher

## BACKGROUND

Pitched professionally in the independent Frontier League with the Altoona Rail Kings (Pennsylvania) and the Welland Aquaducks (Ontario) ... Earned a junior baseball scholarship, playing at Glen Oaks Community College (Michigan)

## ROSTER APPEARANCES

2007 - European Championship A-Pool, German Baseball Open, 4th US try-out series; 2008 - Four Nations Tournament; 2009 - World Cup warm-up series, World Cup; 2010 - European Championship A-Pool

## OFFICIAL PITCHING STATS (WHERE AVAILABLE)

Event	Games	Innings	Hits	Runs	Earned runs	Walks	Strike-outs	Wins-losses	Saves	Earned-run average
2007 (German Baseball Open)	2	6.0	6	1	1	0	7	0-0	0	1.50
2007 (European Championship A-Pool)	3	16.1	17	9	6	4	3	1-1	0	3.31
2008 (Four Nations Tournament)	1	6.1	7	3	2	3	4	1-0	0	2.84
2009 (World Cup)	2	12.0	11	4	3	1	4	1-1	0	2.25
2010 (European Championship A-Pool)	1	7.0	8	4	4	2	1	0-1	0	5.14

## BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

**2007:** Yielded four hits in 5.0 scoreless innings to secure the victory against Ukraine at European Championship A-Pool in Spain ... Took the loss in finals against The Netherlands but pitched well, allowing just 3 earned runs in 6.1 innings. **2008:** Pitched Great Britain to win against Quebec in opening game of Four Nations Tournament in Belgium. **2009:** Pitched 5.0 scoreless innings against Croatia to pick up Great Britain's only win at the World Cup in Europe ... Conceded 3 earned runs over 7.0 innings in Great Britain's second encounter with Nicaragua but took the loss. **2010:** Pitched 7.0 innings against Sweden in single appearance at the European Championship A-Pool in Germany, finishing on the wrong end of a 4-1 verdict.