



# Notre Dame Fighting Irish

- BIG EAST Tournament semifinalist
- BIG EAST regular season champion
- 13 straight NCAA appearances
- 23 straight winning seasons

2012	Records	All-Time
1-4 (.200)	Overall	938-426-3 (.687)
0-0 (.000)	BIG EAST	262-47 (.848)
0-0 (.000)	NCAA Championship	24-32 (.429)
NR (NFCA)	<b>2012 Rankings</b>	NR (ESPN)

# Carolina Classic


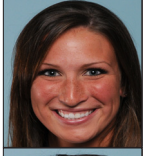










Anderson Stadium (500)  
University of North Carolina  
Chapel Hill, N.C.



Location ..... Notre Dame, Ind. 46556  
 Founded ..... 1842  
 Enrollment ..... 8,437 (undergraduate) / 11,985 (total)  
 Nickname ..... Fighting Irish  
 Colors ..... Gold and Blue  
 Fight Song ..... Notre Dame Victory March  
 Conference ..... BIG EAST  
 Facility ..... Melissa Cook Stadium (1,250)  
 President ..... Rev. John I. Jenkins, C.S.C.  
 Provost ..... Thomas G. Burish  
 Executive Vice President ..... John Affleck-Graves  
 NCAA Faculty Representative ..... Patricia Bellia

Starters returning / lost ..... 4 / 6  
 Pitchers returning / lost ..... 3 / 1  
 Monogram winners returning / lost ..... 12 / 8  
 First season ..... 1989 / 24th season  
 NCAA Championship appearances ..... 16 (13 consecutive)  
 BIG EAST regular season ..... 262-47 (.848) / 16 seasons  
 BIG EAST regular season titles ..... 13 (last in 2011)  
 BIG EAST Championship ..... 33-19 (.635) / 16 seasons  
 BIG EAST Championship titles ..... 6 (last in 2009)  
 Winning seasons ..... 23 (23 consecutive)  
 NFCA All-America honorees ..... 20  
 All-BIG EAST accolades ..... 109 (since 1996)

	<b>1</b>	<b>Kelsey Thornton</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Primarily used as a pinch-runner • Solid glove in outfield</li> <li>• Started in leftfield in season opener at San Diego State</li> <li>• Third career hit came in the form of a single vs. Boise State</li> <li>• Older sister, Shay, earned degree from Notre Dame in 2010</li> </ul>	Outfield • 5-6 • Junior • L / R • Sugar Land, Texas • Elkins <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .333 4 1 3 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 <b>TOTAL .375 96 2 8 45 3 0 0 0 0 0 2 28 35</b>
	<b>3</b>	<b>Emilee Koerner</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recorded a hit in first collegiate at-bat</li> <li>• Went 2-for-4 and scored twice at San Diego State</li> <li>• Totaled four hits in first four games played</li> <li>• Brother, Matt, played baseball at Arizona</li> </ul>	Outfield • 5-5 • Freshman • L / L • Tustin, Calif. • Foothill <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .286 4 4 14 3 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 <b>TOTAL .286 4 4 14 3 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0</b>
	<b>4</b>	<b>Lauren Stuhr</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Used as a designated player and outfielder</li> <li>• 1-for-1 with a 3B and RBI vs. Oregon State</li> <li>• Singled and scored vs. UC Santa Barbara</li> <li>• Father (volleyball) and grandfather (golf) were Notre Dame athletes</li> </ul>	Outfield • 5-6 • Sophomore • R / R • Huntington Beach, Calif. • Huntington <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .250 4 4 8 1 2 0 1 0 1 2 3 0 0 <b>TOTAL .277 37 27 65 16 18 2 1 3 14 5 14 2 3</b>
	<b>6</b>	<b>Kasey O'Connor</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vocal leader, steady at the plate with good hands</li> <li>• Earned three starts in first five games of opening weekend</li> <li>• Had one hit against both San Diego State and Boise State</li> <li>• Brothers Kevin (Delaware) and Ryan (Boston College) played college lax</li> </ul>	Second Base • 6-0 • Senior • R / R • Yorktown Heights, N.Y. • Yorktown <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .222 3 3 9 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 <b>TOTAL .256 96 25 78 38 20 2 2 1 5 7 20 7 9</b>
	<b>7</b>	<b>Jenna Simon</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Saw action in season's first five affairs</li> <li>• Two hits and a stolen base at San Diego</li> <li>• Steady at second base with six assists</li> <li>• Finalist for Indiana's Gatorade Player of the Year (2010)</li> </ul>	Infield • 5-4 • Freshman • L / L • Granger, Ind. • Penn <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .200 5 3 10 2 2 0 0 0 0 1 2 1 1 <b>TOTAL .200 5 3 10 2 2 0 0 0 0 1 2 1 1</b>
	<b>9</b>	<b>Katey Haus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Went 2-for-4 in career debut at San Diego State</li> <li>• Earned four prep letters in both softball and field hockey</li> <li>• Two-time team captain and all-city choice in softball</li> <li>• Aunt played softball at New Mexico</li> </ul>	Infield • 5-5 • Freshman • R / R • Oceanside, Calif. • Vista <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .231 4 4 13 0 3 0 0 0 1 1 4 0 0 <b>TOTAL .231 4 4 13 0 3 0 0 0 1 1 4 0 0</b>
	<b>13</b>	<b>Alexa Maldonado</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Three multi-hit contests in opening weekend</li> <li>• Belted 10th career home run vs. Boise State</li> <li>• Slugging at a .625 rate with .444 on-base pct.</li> <li>• Played for USA Baseball Women's National Team (summer 2011)</li> </ul>	Outfield • 5-6 • Senior • L / L • Short Hills, N.J. • Millburn <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .375 5 5 16 3 6 1 0 1 2 1 2 3 3 <b>TOTAL .336 175 171 452 115 152 28 10 10 57 48 69 37 46</b>
	<b>14</b>	<b>Monica Torres</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Possesses great speed and sound judgment on the field</li> <li>• Appeared as a pinch runner in season's first four games</li> <li>• Scored 16 times as a pinch-runner in 2011</li> <li>• Two-time Winter Springs (Fla.) Athlete of the Year</li> </ul>	Outfield • 5-7 • Sophomore • R / R • Winter Springs, Fla. • Winter Springs <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .000 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 <b>TOTAL .000 36 0 4 16 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 2</b>
	<b>15</b>	<b>Jackie Bowe</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provides depth at first base • Power hitter at the plate</li> <li>• Went without a decision in only pitching start this season</li> <li>• Three appearances, six strikeouts and seven walks</li> <li>• Four-time all-Michigan performer as a prep</li> </ul>	Pitcher / Infield • 5-7 • Junior • R / R • Galesburg, Mich. • Galesburg-Augusta <b>Year Avg GP GS AB R H 2B 3B HR RBI BB SO SB ATT</b> 2012 .000 4 2 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 <b>TOTAL .224 60 26 58 11 13 1 0 0 2 7 14 4 5</b>

	<b>17</b>	<p><b>Dani Miller</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Six RBI and six hits through first five games</li> <li>• Homered in back-to-back contests to open season</li> <li>• Only Irish player with 10+ home runs in first three seasons</li> <li>• Did not commit an error in 210 chances as a junior</li> </ul>	<p>Infield • 5-9 • Senior • R / R • Huntington Beach, Calif. • Edison</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Year</th> <th>Avg</th> <th>GP</th> <th>GS</th> <th>AB</th> <th>R</th> <th>H</th> <th>2B</th> <th>3B</th> <th>HR</th> <th>RBI</th> <th>BB</th> <th>SO</th> <th>SB</th> <th>ATT</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2012</td> <td>.375</td> <td>5</td> <td>5</td> <td>16</td> <td>2</td> <td>6</td> <td>1</td> <td>0</td> <td>2</td> <td>6</td> <td>0</td> <td>4</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>TOTAL</b></td> <td><b>.333</b></td> <td><b>166</b></td> <td><b>155</b></td> <td><b>468</b></td> <td><b>66</b></td> <td><b>156</b></td> <td><b>28</b></td> <td><b>1</b></td> <td><b>34</b></td> <td><b>124</b></td> <td><b>30</b></td> <td><b>67</b></td> <td><b>3</b></td> <td><b>3</b></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Year	Avg	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	ATT	2012	.375	5	5	16	2	6	1	0	2	6	0	4	0	0	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>.333</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>			
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	<b>22</b>	<p><b>Kathryn Lux</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reliable glove with the ability to go yard at any at-bat</li> <li>• Started season with one hit at San Diego State</li> <li>• Sister, Christine ('10), was an All-American at Notre Dame</li> <li>• Sixth family member to attend Notre Dame</li> </ul>	<p>First Base • 5-10 • Junior • R / R • Glendale Heights, Ill. • Glenbard West</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Year</th> <th>Avg</th> <th>GP</th> <th>GS</th> <th>AB</th> <th>R</th> <th>H</th> <th>2B</th> <th>3B</th> <th>HR</th> <th>RBI</th> <th>BB</th> <th>SO</th> <th>SB</th> <th>ATT</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2012</td> <td>.091</td> <td>5</td> <td>4</td> <td>11</td> <td>0</td> <td>1</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>2</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>TOTAL</b></td> <td><b>.152</b></td> <td><b>36</b></td> <td><b>11</b></td> <td><b>46</b></td> <td><b>4</b></td> <td><b>7</b></td> <td><b>0</b></td> <td><b>0</b></td> <td><b>1</b></td> <td><b>7</b></td> <td><b>3</b></td> <td><b>13</b></td> <td><b>1</b></td> <td><b>1</b></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Year	Avg	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	ATT	2012	.091	5	4	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>.152</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>			
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	<b>28</b>	<p><b>Brittany O'Donnell</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Credited with team's lone win on opening weekend</li> <li>• Tossed scoreless 1.1 inn. for victory over UC Santa Barbara</li> <li>• Pitched complete-game seven-hitter in loss at San Diego</li> <li>• Flawless with 10-0 record during 2011 regular season</li> </ul>	<p>Pitcher • 5-9 • Junior • R / R • Avon, N.J. • Red Bank Catholic</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Year</th> <th>ERA</th> <th>W</th> <th>L</th> <th>App</th> <th>GS</th> <th>CG</th> <th>SHO</th> <th>CBO</th> <th>SV</th> <th>IP</th> <th>H</th> <th>R</th> <th>ER</th> <th>BB</th> <th>SO</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2012</td> <td>3.11</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>3</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>9.0</td> <td>10</td> <td>4</td> <td>4</td> <td>3</td> <td>5</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>TOTAL</b></td> <td><b>3.56</b></td> <td><b>18</b></td> <td><b>5</b></td> <td><b>53</b></td> <td><b>22</b></td> <td><b>4</b></td> <td><b>1</b></td> <td><b>7</b></td> <td><b>3</b></td> <td><b>147.2</b></td> <td><b>135</b></td> <td><b>87</b></td> <td><b>75</b></td> <td><b>95</b></td> <td><b>142</b></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Year	ERA	W	L	App	GS	CG	SHO	CBO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2012	3.11	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	9.0	10	4	4	3	5	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3.56</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>142</b>
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	<b>35</b>	<p><b>Kristina Wright</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Logged two starts behind the plate on opening weekend</li> <li>• Nine putouts, two assists on the season</li> <li>• Perfect behind the plate with 1.000 fielding pct. in 2011</li> <li>• Finished 2010 season with .995 fielding pct.</li> </ul>	<p>Catcher • 5-9 • Senior • R / R • Ramona, Calif. • Ramona</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Year</th> <th>Avg</th> <th>GP</th> <th>GS</th> <th>AB</th> <th>R</th> <th>H</th> <th>2B</th> <th>3B</th> <th>HR</th> <th>RBI</th> <th>BB</th> <th>SO</th> <th>SB</th> <th>ATT</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2011</td> <td>.100</td> <td>16</td> <td>11</td> <td>20</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td> <td>6</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>TOTAL</b></td> <td><b>.227</b></td> <td><b>94</b></td> <td><b>87</b></td> <td><b>176</b></td> <td><b>23</b></td> <td><b>40</b></td> <td><b>11</b></td> <td><b>0</b></td> <td><b>7</b></td> <td><b>24</b></td> <td><b>25</b></td> <td><b>44</b></td> <td><b>0</b></td> <td><b>0</b></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Year	Avg	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	ATT	2011	.100	16	11	20	2	2	1	0	0	2	2	6	0	0	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>.227</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>			
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	<b>HC</b>	<p><b>Deanna Gumpf</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2011, 2004, 2002 BIG EAST Coaching Staff of the Year</li> <li>• 2004, 2002 NFCA Mideast Region Coaching Staff of the Year</li> <li>• Winningest coach in program history</li> <li>• Steered Irish to lead NCAA in batting in 2010 (.343 avg.)</li> </ul>	<p>Now in her 11th season as the head softball coach at Notre Dame, Gumpf has already established herself as one of the premiere college coaches in the nation. Under her tutelage, the Irish have claimed five BIG EAST Conference Tournament titles with 10 trips to the NCAA Tournament. Gumpf became the program's all-time winningest coach in 2010.</p>																																																
	<b>AC</b>	<p><b>Kris Ganeff</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11th season at Notre Dame</li> <li>• Graduated from Notre Dame in 1999</li> <li>• Arguably the best catcher in Notre Dame softball history</li> <li>• Spearheads recruiting efforts for program</li> </ul>	<p>Ganeff works closely with each player on hitting and defense while specializing in the development of the Irish catchers. In fact, she helped mold catcher Mallorie Lenn into an all-BIG EAST performer in 2004 - a season in which the Irish finished with a 49-20 record and took home the conference championship - and duplicated the act in 2011 with Alexia Clay.</p>																																																
	<b>AC</b>	<p><b>Lizzy Lemire</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Seventh season at Notre Dame</li> <li>• Earned a degree from Notre Dame in 2001</li> <li>• Works closely with outfielders • Polished hitting instructor</li> <li>• Former member of U.S. National Softball Team</li> </ul>	<p>Lemire's outfielders did not commit a single error during the regular season in 2010. It was under the guidance of Lemire that outfielder Sarah Smith posted one of the greatest single-season improvements in program history during the 2008 campaign. Smith went from being a rarely-used utility player to earning first-team all-BIG EAST and all-NFCA regional honors.</p>																																																
	<b>VA</b>	<p><b>Dawn Austin</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Long-time volunteer assistant coach</li> <li>• Seventh season at Notre Dame</li> <li>• Played softball at Penn State ('93)</li> <li>• Very active within local youth softball leagues</li> </ul>	<p>Austin turned on the jets in 2010 to help the Irish finish the campaign with a number of single-season program records: batting average (.343), runs (369), doubles (103), home runs (75), RBI (337), total bases (878), slugging pct. (.590), on-base pct. (.409) and fielding pct. (.978). The Irish were second among NCAA teams with 1.75 doubles/game and fourth in slugging pct.</p>																																																