



2005-06 University of Notre Dame Women's Tennis



Notre Dame Women's Tennis Quick Facts and Preseason Information

Location	Notre Dame, IN 46556
Founded	1842
Enrollment	8,380 (undergraduate), 11,311 (total)
Nickname	Fighting Irish
Colors	Gold and Blue
Conference	BIG EAST
Home Courts (Outdoor)	Courtney Tennis Center
Home Courts (Indoor)	Eck Tennis Pavilion
President	Rev. John I. Jenkins, C.S.C
Athletic Director	Kevin White
Associate A.D./Women's Tennis	Missy Conboy
Athletic Department Phone	(574) 631-6107

Women's Tennis Coaching Staff

Head Coach	Jay Louderback (Wichita State '76)
Louderback's Office Phone	(574) 631-5149
Record at Notre Dame	282-146 (.659)/15 years
Career Record	486-324 (.600)/25 years
Assistant Coach	Michelle Dasso (Notre Dame '01)
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Volunteer Assistant Coach	Liz Balanis (Wake Forest '94)
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2005 Review:

Overall record: 15-10
 BIG EAST Championship: champion (d. St. John's 4-0, d. Syracuse 4-0)
 NCAA Championship: second round (d. Iowa 4-1, lost to Northwestern 0-4)
 Home: 6-4 (5-4 Eck, 1-0 Courtney)
 Away: 6-6
 Neutral: 3-0
 Outdoors: 6-4
 Indoors: 9-6
 2005 Final Ranking: 24th (2nd in region)
 starters returning/lost: 6/1
 monogram winners returning/lost: 9/1

Program History:

Overall record (29 years): 479-235-1 (.671)
 12 NCAA Championship appearances since 1993
 Six BIG EAST championships
 Seven MCC championships
 13 consecutive top-30 finishes (1993-present)
 Winning seasons: 24
 .500 seasons: 3 (1977, 2002, '04)
 Losing seasons: 2 (1987 & '88)
 Div. I All-Americans: 15 (all since '94; most recently Catrina Thompson & Christian Thompson, doubles, '05)
 Academic All-Americans: 2 (most recently Jennifer Hall, '99)

2005 Results

at Ohio State	W, 6-1
#6 Vanderbilt	L, 1-6
#20 Michigan	W, 7-0
Wake Forest	W, 5-2
at #17 Harvard	L, 3-4
at Boston College	W, 7-0
#5 Duke	L, 3-4
#9 North Carolina	L, 3-4
#13 Texas	L, 3-4
Iowa	W, 7-0
at UNLV	W, 5-2
at #24 BYU	L, 1-6
at #23 Tennessee	L, 1-6
Purdue	W, 5-2
at Oklahoma State	W, 7-0
at Wisconsin	L, 3-4
Long Beach State	W, 5-2
#16 William & Mary	W, 4-3
at Indiana	W, 4-3
at Illinois	W, 4-3
at #3 Northwestern	L, 2-5
*vs. St. John's	W, 4-0
*vs. Syracuse	W, 4-0
\$vs. Iowa	W, 4-1
\$at #6 Northwestern	L, 0-4

* BIG EAST Championship
 \$ NCAA Championship

Note: BIG EAST does not have regular-season round robin play.

Returning Starters

Catrina Thompson (Jr.)

- 2005 Doubles All-American
- Preseason Rankings: 27th (singles), 2nd (doubles)

Brook Buck (So.)

- Preseason Rankings: 54th (singles), 60th (doubles)

Christian Thompson (Jr.)

- 2005 Doubles All-American
- Preseason Ranking: 2nd (doubles)

Lauren Connelly (Sr.)

Kristina Stastny (Sr.)

Liz Donohue (Sr.)

Player Lost

Sarah Jane Connelly

- Played No. 3 doubles & split time at No. 6 singles

Newcomers

Katie Potts (Brookfield, WI/
 Div. Savior Holy Angels H.S.)

Kelcy Tefft (Enid, OK/
 Chisholm H.S.)