

VIRGINIA TECH



2008 LACROSSE

If there were ever a time to dare, to make a difference,
to embark on something worth doing, it is now.

Not for any grand cause, but for something that tugs at
your heart, something that's your aspiration, something
that's your dream. You owe it to yourself to make your day
here count.

have fun.
dig deep.
stretch.

DREAM BIG.

Know that things worth doing seldom come
easy. There will be good days. And there will
be bad days. There will be a time when
you want to turn around, pack it up,
and call it quits. Those times tell you
that you are pushing yourself that
you are not afraid to learn by
trying.

PERSIST.

Because with an idea,
determination, and the
right tools, you can do
great things. Let your
instincts, your intellect,
and your heart guide you.

TRUST.

Believe in the
incredible power of the
human mind. Of doing
something that makes
a difference. Of working
hard. Of laughing and
hoping. Of all the things
that will cross your path
this year.

The start of something new
brings the hope of something
great. Anything is possible. There
is only one you. And you will pass
this way only once.

DO IT RIGHT.



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Virginia Tech's official tribute ribbon logo remembering the victims of the April 16, 2007 tragedy comes from a student-inspired design.

The logo consists of the well-known maroon VT athletic logo that symbolizes the innovative and dynamic nature of Virginia Tech, over an orange ribbon that is a recognition of the lives lost on April 16, and is a symbol of the prevailing Hokie spirit.

The tribute ribbon appears on athletes' uniforms as an inspiration and celebration of the victims' lives and the unforgettable mark they left on the Virginia Tech community, the nation and the world.



2008 SCHEDULE

Feb.	16	DREXEL	1 p.m.
	20	VIRGINIA*	4 p.m.
	22	OREGON	4 p.m.
	27	WILLIAM & MARY	4 p.m.
Mar.	1	at George Mason	1 p.m.
	4	at Vanderbilt	2 p.m.
	8	RICHMOND	1 p.m.
	12	at James Madison	5:30 p.m.
	15	at Boston College*	1 p.m.
	21	LOUISVILLE	4 p.m.
	23	DELAWARE	Noon
	26	at North Carolina*	7 p.m.
	30	OHIO STATE	1 p.m.
Apr.	5	AMERICAN	1 p.m.
	9	at Longwood	4 p.m.
	14	DUKE*	6 p.m.
	19	at Maryland*	Noon
	24-27	ACC Tournament	TBA

Home games in **BOLD CAPS**

*Denotes ACC game

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Front cover (l to r): Seniors Jenna Reich, Rose Patterson, Kady McBrearty, Christen Fratter, Kristen Burtch and Jessica Galindo. Back cover (l to r): Juniors Kristy Zeigler, Terri Coover, Rachel Culp, Casey Warner, Christina Griel and Kari Morrison.

P E R S I S T

...with an idea, determination and the right tools, you can do great things...

2008 SEASON OUTLOOK

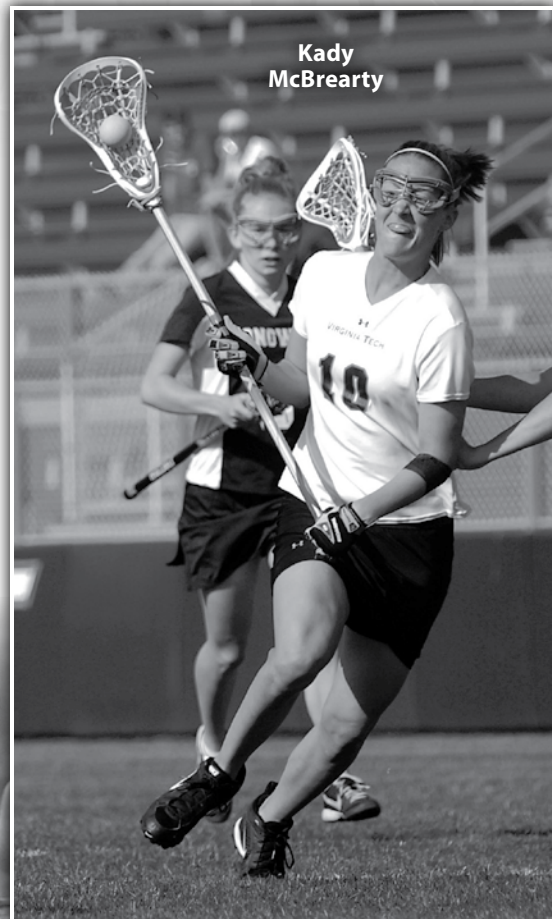
As the 2008 season approaches, the Hokies hope to combine the experience of the veterans with the youthful energy of their newcomers for a successful campaign. Second-year head coach Katrina Silva and her staff expect to push a quick transition game in order to keep contests exciting.

"We expect the strengths from each unit on the field to work together in order to find success," Silva said. "Our offense will control the tempo of the game by directing the momentum created by our midfield transition. We are stressing that the midfielders need to push the ball to keep our opponents on their toes. We want a quick, crisp transition game, which starts with our low defense. Our defenders are expected to put pressure on the ball to interrupt the flow of the opposing attack. With all three groups connecting to find success, our team will possess a strong sense of unity that is hard to beat."

With more new faces in 2008 than veterans, there are plenty of opportunities for different players to make an impact. Some returning players have made position changes to help ease the transition into this season, while providing stability, experience and a new outlook to the specific units.

Sixteen new players join 15 returning from last season's 5-12 team, and despite losing two of the school's all-time top scorers, the team returns a plethora of talent.

"With a young squad there is a constant air of excitement," Silva said. "We have an athletic group of players who have worked hard to hone their skills. The improvements we have made in the off-season bring a new confidence and drive to our preseason training. I'm looking forward to taking the field with this team against our spring competition."



Kady
McBrearty



Rachel
Culp

ATTACK

The Hokies have the luxury of returning their top playmaker from last season: senior Kady McBrearty. As a veteran starter and All-ACC selection, McBrearty will pace the attack for the Hokies once again in 2008. As a junior, McBrearty led Tech in scoring, tallying a team-high 30 goals and 21 assists, and will be looked to again for consistency and poise this year.

Alongside McBrearty, senior Jenna Reich will be relied upon for increased firepower up front. Reich was a solid attacker last season, playing in each contest and recording 24 goals with eight assists.

"Kady and Jenna bring a strong sense of balance to our attack," Silva said. "They really know how to look for one another and work together. They're a great combination that is really going to anchor our offensive unit."



Casey Warner

Jessica Galindo

Also returning to the attack with a wealth of experience is senior Christen Fratter. Coming off an injury, Fratter is going to need to be another strong presence in the offensive end. Playing in all but one contest, Fratter scored five goals last season.

"Christen possesses the strength to create great scoring looks out of our attacking transition," Silva said. "She'll give stability for the attack unit if she can come in and go hard to the goal. We expect her to provide another strong force for us."

Sophomore Briana Warner will vie for more time this season, while newcomers Caitlyn Wier and Kate Tracey will also be expected to contribute on the offense. Briana Warner saw limited action last year, but tallied her first collegiate goal against No. 3 North Carolina in the ACC Tournament.

"Caitlyn, Briana and Kate are going to help solidify this offensive unit," Silva said. "Each bring different strengths to our attacking sets and have shown that they can bring a spark to the field."

The challenge of the offense this season will be ball control. Freshmen Catherine Colliatie, Mary Kate Larkin, Theresa Sweeney and Katie Rotanz

will each join a unit that will be expected to control the tempo of the game.

"The offense will succeed if they can bring their desire and excitement to every game coupled with the discipline and poise needed to direct the midfielders as they rotate through our system," Silva said.

MIDFIELD

Tech's midfield has undergone a facelift this season. Junior Rachel Culp will be expected to lead familiar faces into new positions, as returnees Terri Coover and Kristy Zeigler have moved from the attack and into the midfield to add a burst of speed and a scoring mindset. The midfield will also welcome seven newcomers who will bring much diversity and energy to the field.

"We're extremely excited about our midfield this year," Silva commented. "There's chemistry that allows for a lot of different combinations. Culp leading the unit after playing our style last year is a real benefit. She knows what we need to do, how to move the ball, and when to take the necessary risks to push our team to the next level. She's matured as a player with National Team tryouts through the off-season, and as a junior

captain this year, she sets a great example for the team to push our limits everyday."

Culp has the discipline and fight to put up numbers this year. She's a player contributing on both ends, recording 32 points last year and collecting 18 ground balls and 20 draw controls. In the off-season, she was invited to US National Team tryouts and is expected to have a breakout season this year.

Senior Rose Patterson and sophomore Mackenzie Costello also return to the midfield unit this year to welcome the addition of seven newcomers. Patterson tallied four goals last season, while Costello scooped up seven ground balls and won 10 draw controls. Coover and Zeigler will bring an offensive mind into the midfield and be looked to help ease the transition from defense to offense because of their ball-handling skills.

"Moving Terri and Kristy into the midfield provides an opportunity to score a lot of goals if we can push the fast break," Silva said. "They have both made huge strides on their defensive skills, and they provide a valuable burst of speed in the midfield."

Freshmen Allie Emala, Joanna Kiser and Liz Carpenter are expected to step in and contrib-

HOKIES

ute immediately for the transition game to run smoothly. They will need to find a way to go hard every play to bring success to the team.

"How we excel this year is going to depend on their performances," Silva said. "We expect Allie to be able to step up and lead a line, and with the strengths of all of our midfielders, we have the ability to create a dynamic combination of strength, speed and power."

Newcomers Jamie Ariosa, Katie Berkel and Dylan Garner will also contend for time in the mid-field.

DEFENSE

Tech's backline should be one of the team's main strengths as seniors Kristen Burtch and Jessica Galindo, and junior Christina Griel return to make up a solid, experienced, defensive unit. The trio will look to welcome four fresh faces into the veteran unit, while working to become the first leg of the Hokies' attacking scheme.

"We're excited and confident in the experience of our defense," Silva said. "We have a new style of defense we're going to incorporate with a lot of newcomers. They'll bring a new element to our defensive schemes. We're trying to play a more upbeat game, where we pressure opponents. Our athleticism allows us to possess more of an exciting, strategic, fast-break mentality, where the defense starts our offense."

Griel, the team's top returning defender from last season, is a steady player who provides a strong force for the Hokies with her ability to not only win draw controls, but cause turnovers and win ground balls. Griel will be an asset for the Hokies this year, as she brings the necessary skills to spark a transition into an offensive situation. Griel returns as the top contestant for the draw, and she leads this year's squad with 59 career draw controls. She also scooped up 30 ground balls and caused 13 turnovers last year to be among the team leaders in each of the categories.

Galindo and Burtch are also solid, veteran defenders who will lead the defense this year. Their leadership will be needed to push the unit to become one of the strongest in the ACC. The duo started every game in 2007 and combined for 28 ground balls.

Junior Casey Warner has also slid down from the midfield to help the defense and sophomore Ashley Ger-

man will round out the returnees. Casey Warner collected 13 ground balls last year, in addition to tallying seven points, while German scooped up 10 ground balls.

"Christina will be expected to anchor our defense," Silva said. "But with having three defenders return, and moving Casey from the midfield, we have four experienced upperclassmen that provide stability for the unit."

Adding depth to the rotation will be newcomers Jacqueline Duggins, Sam Voelker and Kristin Campbell. Duggins brings some collegiate experience to the group, as she played a season at Old Dominion last year.

"We have three newcomers who will really challenge for field time," Silva said. "How these newcomers come along will depend on how strong our defense becomes this year. They could be a huge spark for us, providing a lot of possibilities and various combinations."

GOALKEEPERS

Guarding the net this spring is junior Kari Morrison. Last season, Morrison stepped up to lead the Hokies' backfield, setting a single-season record for ground balls, collecting 51. She also

stopped 165 shots in 953 minutes of action.

"Kari got a good taste of ACC lacrosse last spring," Silva said. "She does a great job when we play good defense in front of her, so we've changed our defensive scheme to get her more savable shots. We really expect her to step up and anchor the defensive unit again this season."

Backing up Morrison will be newcomer Catharine Riddick.

SCHEDULE

The Hokies, once again, have an extremely challenging schedule, as they will face 10 opponents who were ranked throughout the season last year. Tech will host its first four contests in Blacksburg in February, before traveling to George Mason and Vanderbilt to open the month of March.

"We have a really challenging schedule," Silva said. "Opening with Drexel is going to be huge. They're a very good team that is going to set the tone for us this season."

Atlantic Coast Conference action will be highlighted with a home game against national runner-up, and in-state rival, Virginia early in the season. Duke will also visit Tech Lacrosse Stadium to close the 10-game home schedule, while the Hokies will travel to Boston College and North Carolina before visiting Maryland to end the regular season. The ACC Tournament will be held at the University of Virginia, in Charlottesville, Va.

"Virginia is going to provide us with an early opportunity to see where we are in the ACC this year," Silva said.

In addition to the Cavaliers, Tech will take on five other in-state rivals; William & Mary and Richmond at home, and George Mason, James Madison and Longwood on the road. Also on the schedule are Drexel, Oregon, Louisville, Delaware, Ohio State and American, all in Blacksburg.

"We have a competitive schedule and a young team," Silva said. "Our newcomers have come aboard committed to the vision of making Virginia Tech Lacrosse one of the top programs in the country. We have seen this group grow stronger every week, and that strength and unity is what will bring consistency to our performance on game day. We'll be challenged every game, and as long as we're prepared to step up and meet those challenges, it's going to be a great season."



Kari Morrison

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MEET THE HOKIES

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Hometown	High School/College
00	Kari Morrison	GK	Jr.	Springfield, Va.	Bishop Ireton/Colgate
1	Kristy Zeigler	M	Jr.	Chantilly, Va.	Chantilly
2	Jacquelyn Duggins	D	So.	Charlottesville, Va.	Albermarle/Old Dominion
3	Christen Fratter	A	Sr.	Chantilly, Va.	Chantilly
4	Jenna Reich	A	Sr.	Millersville, Md.	Severna Park
5	Rachel Culp	M	Jr.	Kent, Ohio	Theodore Roosevelt
7	Dylan Garner	M	Fr.	Cornelius, N.C.	North Mecklenburg
8	Kate Tracey	A/M	Fr.	Owings Mills, Md.	Garrison Forest
9	Rose Patterson	M	Sr.	Drexel Hill, Pa.	Upper Darby
10	Kady McBrearty	A	Sr.	Alexandria, Va.	Oldfields
11	Briana Warner	A	So.	Tomkins Cove, N.Y.	North Rockland
12	Christina Griel	D	Jr.	Fairfax, Va.	Chantilly
13	Jamie Ariosa	D/M	Fr.	Parkton, Md.	Notre Dame Prep
14	Kristen Burtch	D	Sr.	Wilmington, Del.	Brandywine
15	Katie Berkel	M	Fr.	Oak Hill, Va.	Oakton
16	Casey Warner	D	Jr.	Tomkins Cove, N.Y.	North Rockland
17	Sam Voelker	D	Fr.	Timonium, Md.	Maryvale Prep
19	Catherine Colliatie	A	Fr.	Vienna, Va.	Holton-Arms
20	Joanna Kiser	M	Fr.	Severna Park, Md.	Severna Park
21	Caitlyn Wier	A	Fr.	Cockeysville, Md.	Notre Dame Prep
22	Allie Emala	M	Fr.	Baltimore, Md.	Bryn Mawr
23	Terri Coover	M	Jr.	Glenwood, Md.	Glenelg
24	Jess Galindo	D	Sr.	Ellicott City, Md.	Mt. Hebron
25	Kristin Campbell	D	Fr.	Millersville, Md.	Severna Park
26	Ashley German	D	So.	Ellicott City, Md.	Mt. Hebron
27	Liz Carpenter	M	Fr.	Lewes, Del.	Cape Henlopen
30	Mary Kate Larkin	A	Fr.	Silver Springs, Md.	Our Lady of Good Counsel
32	Theresa Sweeney	A	Fr.	Baltimore, Md.	Catonsville
34	MacKenzie Costello	M	So.	Sandy Spring, Md.	Our Lady of Good Counsel
36	Catharine Riddick	GK	Fr.	Charlottesville, Va.	Western Albemarle
37	Katie Rotanz	A	Fr.	Salem, Va.	Salem

Head Coach: Katrina Silva (Towson, '93), Second Season
Assistant Coaches: Megan Burkner (Stanford, '06), Second Season
 Lynz Keyz (Ohio, '04), First Season

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name
13	Jamie Ariosa
14	Kristen Burtch
15	Katie Berkel
25	Kristin Campbell
27	Liz Carpenter
19	Catherine Colliatie
23	Terri Coover
34	MacKenzie Costello
5	Rachel Culp
2	Jacquelyn Duggins
22	Allie Emala
3	Christen Fratter
24	Jess Galindo
7	Dylan Garner
26	Ashley German
12	Christina Griel
20	Joanna Kiser
30	Mary Kate Larkin
10	Kady McBrearty
00	Kari Morrison
9	Rose Patterson
4	Jenna Reich
36	Catharine Riddick
37	Katie Rotanz
32	Theresa Sweeney
8	Kate Tracey
17	Sam Voelker
21	Caitlyn Wier
11	Briana Warner
16	Casey Warner
1	Kristy Zeigler

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

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10	mc-brr-AIR-tee	22	em-a-la
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13	air-E-O-sa	37	row-tans
17	vOle-ker		



2008 Roster

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2008 Virginia Tech Lacrosse

...with an idea, determination and the right tools, you can do great things...



Katrina Silva • Head Coach



Virginia Tech head coach Katrina Silva enters her second season with the Hokies. Prior to Tech, Silva spent seven seasons at Colgate University in Hamilton, N.Y. Silva compiled a 67-57 overall record while at the helm of the Raider program, with her teams winning Patriot League Tournament titles in 2004 and 2005, and finishing second in 2006. Silva was the 2006 Howard Hartman Award winner as Colgate's Coach of the Year, and was named the Patriot League Coach of the Year in both 2004 and 2005, while leading Colgate to the NCAA tournament in both of those seasons.

No stranger to Western Virginia and Blacksburg, Silva was head coach of both women's lacrosse and field hockey at Roanoke College from 1996-99. During her three seasons with the Maroons, Silva coached the lacrosse team to a 37-11 record and two Old Dominion Athletic Conference championships in 1997 and 1999. In 1997, her Maroons advanced to the quarterfinal round of the NCAA Division III tournament. During the 1996 season, Silva worked as an assistant coach with the women's lacrosse team at Virginia Tech. The team compiled a 7-6 overall record in just its second season.

Silva's first stint at Colgate came during the 1994-95 academic year, where she served as an assistant coach with the women's lacrosse and field hockey teams under Cathy Foto. That spring, she helped the Raiders post their best record as a Division I program to date, 10-5, and they earned an invitation to the ECAC tournament.

Silva began her coaching career at Goucher College, where she served as an assistant coach with the women's lacrosse and field hockey teams from 1992 to 1994. Under her guidance, Goucher's goalkeeper recorded 192 saves and a .642 save percentage on her way to becoming a two-time all-region selection.

Silva is a 1993 graduate of Towson University with a bachelor's degree in physical education studies, and a minor in psychology. She was the starting goalkeeper for Towson's nationally-ranked lacrosse team for three years. During her junior campaign, the Tigers were finalists in the ECAC tournament. Silva was also the starting goalkeeper on Towson's field hockey team for four years, and she was honored as the Southeast Conference's Defensive Player of the Year as a senior.

As a member of both the Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Coaches Association and US Lacrosse Incorporated, Silva has served on several committees with the IWLCA, including the regional All-America committee, and has been a representative on US Lacrosse's board of governors.

Silva resides in Christiansburg.



THE SILVA FILE

PERSONAL:

Date of Birth: Dec. 18, 1970
Place of Birth: Philadelphia, Pa.

EDUCATION:

Towson: B.S. Physical Education, '93
Strath Haven H.S. (Wallingford, Pa.): '88

PLAYING CAREER:

Towson: NCAA Division I Lacrosse
• three-year starting goalkeeper
• 1992 ECAC finalist
Towson: NCAA Division I Field Hockey
• four-year starting goalkeeper
• 1993 Southeast Conference Defensive Player of the Year

COACHING CAREER:

Colgate University: 1999-2006
Head Lacrosse Coach
• 2006 Howard Hartman Award:
Colgate's Coach of the Year
• 2004 and 2005 Patriot League
Coach of the Year
Roanoke College: 1996-99
Head Lacrosse/Field Hockey Coach
Virginia Tech: 1995-96
Assistant Lacrosse Coach
Colgate University: 1994-95
Assistant Lacrosse/Field Hockey Coach
Goucher College: 1992-94
Assistant Lacrosse/Field Hockey Coach

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Megan Burker

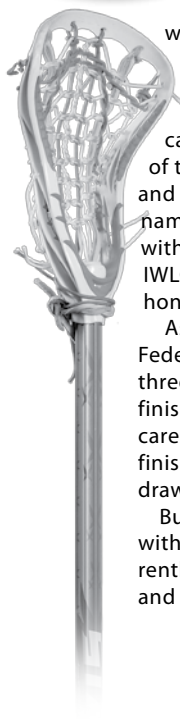
Assistant Coach

Megan Burker begins her second season at Virginia Tech as an assistant coach, where her on the field duties will include primarily working with the attack and some midfield.

A native of Baltimore, Md., Burker comes to Tech from Stanford University, where she had a standout career. As a senior, she was a member of the pre-season Tewaaraton Watch List and the first player in team history to be named an IWLCA National All-American with third-team honors. She also received IWLCA Regional First-Team All-America honors that same year.

As a four-time Mountain Pacific Sports Federation Tournament All-Star and a three-time ALL-MPSF selection, Burker finished her career atop the Cardinal career-scoring list with 143 goals. She also finished second with 64 career assists, 120 draw controls and 155 ground balls.

Burker graduated from Stanford in 2006 with a degree in Urban Studies. She is currently a member of the US Lacrosse team and resides in Blacksburg, Va.



Lynz Keys

Assistant Coach

Lynz Keys enters her first season with Virginia Tech as an assistant coach, where her on-field duties will include primarily working with the midfield.

Keys comes to Tech from Longwood University, where she served as an assistant coach for two seasons. During her first season, Keys helped the Lancers in their first full NCAA Division I schedule. In addition to coaching at Longwood, Keys served as an assistant coach with the 2007 U-19 National Canadian Women's Lacrosse team. During her tenure with the U-19 team, her responsibilities included working with the attack and midfield, as well as mental training, nutrition and conditioning.

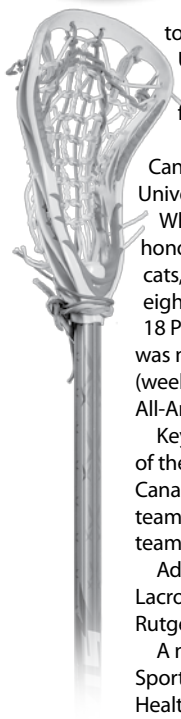
Prior to Longwood, Keys managed the Lax Shack Mississauga, in Toronto, Canada, a division of Proboss Lacrosse Company after a standout career at Ohio University.

While At Ohio, Keys earned All-Region and All-American Lacrosse Conference honors during both her junior and senior seasons. A senior captain for the Bobcats, and part of only the second graduating varsity class, Keys had 52 goals and eight assists in Ohio's best season. During the 2004 season, the Bobcats beat No. 18 Penn State, 8-7, and after leading Ohio to a 7-4 victory over Ohio State, Keys was named an *Inside Lacrosse* Division I Player of the Week Honorable Mention (week of May 10). Keys was also honored as a third-team *Inside Lacrosse* National All-American and was a Senior All-Star game participant.

Keys' playing experience extends beyond Ohio, as she was a six-year member of the Canadian National women's lacrosse team and played three years for the Canadian National U-19 Women's Lacrosse team. While on the U-19 team, her 1999 team won the bronze medal at the World Cup in Perth, Australia, and her national team competed in the world championships in High Wycombe, England, in 2001.

Additionally, Keys has 10 years of camp experience with Ohio University Rutgers Camp, Patterson Lacrosse Camp, International Lacrosse Camp hosted at Rutgers University and Merestead Sports Camps, in Richmond, Va.

A native of Whitby, Ontario, Keys earned her Bachelor of Science degree in Sports Industry from Ohio University and is currently working towards a Masters of Health Promotions at Virginia Tech.



VIRGINIA TECH LACROSSE STADIUM



Completed in the fall of 2003, the Virginia Tech Lacrosse Stadium is located in the heart of the athletic complex on the school's beautiful campus in Blacksburg.

The bluegrass playing surface measures approximately 75 by 120 yards. The field is equipped with an underground Cambridge irrigation system and is the only field in the ACC with this system. If rainy weather should occur, the field can be drained and ready for play. The wireless scoreboard enables fans to have a full score update, while a permanent Hubble lighting system allows for night games.

One of the finest facilities in the conference for spectators, the stadium features 2,028 seats where each fan has an unobstructed view of the playing surface. Spacious area around the field allows for nearly 1,500 more fans to watch games.

Across from the fans and between each team's bench area is the Sandy Thompson Press Box. A fully-heated 18 by 8-foot area, the press box contains a state-of-the-art sound system. Above the grandstand is a wired camera deck, which is accessible to all media.

While the stadium is open for full use at this time, construction of a restroom facility has already begun. After that phase is completed, a concession stand and additional seating will make the Virginia Tech Lacrosse Stadium one of the best venues in the country to watch the sport.

Burker and Keys • Assistant Coaches and Stadium

Kristen Burtch 14

Senior • Attack
Wilmington, Del.
Brandywine

2007: Started and played in all 17 contests ... Collected 15 ground balls, including a career-high three at American ... Caused a season-high three turnovers against Stanford, forcing nine caused turnovers on the season ... Also won five draw controls ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Did not compete for the Hokies.

2005: Played in four games during her freshman campaign ... Saw her first action in the win over Howard ... Played against Bucknell ... Saw playing time in the second half against Davidson and Lafayette.

High School: Two-time All-State under Coach Willy Miranda at Brandywine High School ... Three-time first-team all conference selection ... Captain on Delaware Elite team senior year ... Honorable mention all-conference in field hockey.

Personal: Kristen Elizabeth Burtch was born July 31, 1986, in Wilmington, Del. ... Daughter of Jeff and Roberta Burtch ... Has two older sisters, Lynn and Lauren ... Lauren played lacrosse at Delaware ... Majoring in biology.

Christen Fratter 3

Senior • Attack
Chantilly, Va.
Chantilly

2007: Played in 16 games and scored five goals ... Tallied a career-high two scores at Ohio State ... Also won five draw controls and caused three turnovers ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Played in 13 games ... Picked up three groundballs, three draw controls and caused three turnovers on the season.

2005: Played in five games during her freshman campaign ... Scored first collegiate goal on only shot attempt against Lafayette ... Had an assist against Duke.

High School: A three-sport standout at Chantilly High ... Concord District Player of the Year junior and senior year ... Name first-team All-Metro ... First-team All-Northeast Region ... Named to the Northern Region district tournament team ... Northern Virginia All-Journal team ... U.S. Lacrosse Academic All-American ... Coached by Kevin Broderick ... Played field hockey and basketball ... First-team All-District in field hockey ... Member of National Honor Society, Quill and Scroll.

Personal: Christen Jennifer Fratter was born August 22, 1986 in Fairfax, Va. ... Daughter of Jeffrey and Catherine Fratter ... One of four children ... Has two brothers, Jon and Joey, and a sister, Catie ... Jonathan graduated from Virginia Tech in 2002 ... Catie played club lacrosse at the University of South Carolina ... Younger brother Joey plays lacrosse at Chantilly ... Graduated in Fall 2007 with a degree in English ... Currently enrolled in the Masters of education program.

Jess Galindo 24

Senior • Defense
Ellicott City, Md.
Mount Hebron

2007: Started and played in all 17 games on defense ... Had 13 ground balls on the season, collecting a career-high four against George Mason ... Also won seven draw controls and caused five turnovers ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Played in 10 games ... Scooped up four ground balls and caused three turnovers.

2005: Played in 14 games during her freshman season, starting 12 ... Picked up 18 groundballs ... Scored her first career goal against Bucknell.

High School: Strong defender on the Mt. Hebron High lacrosse team for Coach Brooke Kuhl-McClelland ... Team was ranked No. 1 nationally for three consecutive years ... Named best junior varsity defender ... Also played basketball and ran cross country ... Named all-county in cross country.

Personal: Jessica Anne Galindo was born October 29, 1985, in Berkley, Calif. ... She is the daughter of Karen Galindo ... Has a sister, Chrissie and brother, Joey ... Majoring in accounting.

Seniors • Burtch, Fratter and Galindo

KRISTEN BURTCHE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2005	4-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
2006	Did Not Compete									
2007	17-17	0	0	0	0	.000	15	5	9	9
Total	21-17	0	0	0	0	.000	15	5	9	9

CHRISTEN FRATTER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2005	5-0	1	1	2	2	.500	0	2	0	1
2006	13-0	0	0	0	1	.000	3	3	0	3
2007	16-1	5	0	5	11	.455	3	5	11	3
Total	34-1	6	1	7	14	.429	6	10	11	7

JESSICA GALINDO'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2005	14-12	1	0	1	2	.500	18	2	4	9
2006	10-1	0	0	0	0	.000	4	1	5	3
2007	17-17	0	0	0	1	.000	13	7	9	5
Total	41-30	1	0	1	3	.333	35	10	18	17

Kady McBrearty 10

Senior • Attack
Alexandria, Va.
Oldfields

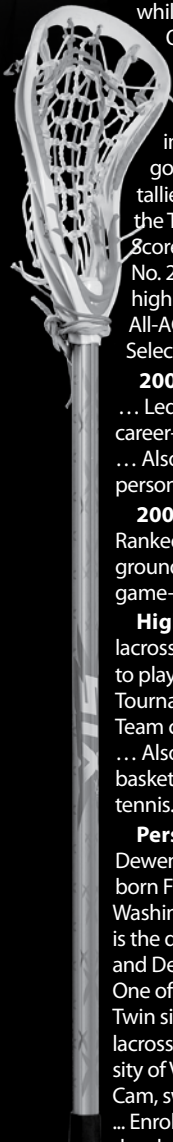
2007: Started all 17 games, recording a point in all but one ... Led team in assists and points, while sharing the team lead for goals ... Opened season on a nine-game scoring streak, before being held scoreless at No. 5 Duke ... Currently brings a seven-game scoring streak into this season ... Notched 50th goal versus No. 3 North Carolina and tallied 100th point with an assist against the Tar Heels in the ACC Tournament ... Scored a career-high four goals versus No. 2 Maryland and dished out a season high five assists at Ohio State ... Named to All-ACC Team ... ACC Academic Honor Roll Selection.

2006: Played in 16 games, starting 15 ... Led team with 17 assists ... Dished out a career-high seven assists against Delaware ... Also added two goals in the game for a personal-best nine points.

2005: Started every game at attack ... Ranked third on team with seven assists and 25 ground balls ... First goal of her career was the game-winner over George Mason.

High School: Two-time league all-star in lacrosse at the Oldfields School ... Was selected to play for the 2003 United States Lacrosse Tournament Mid-Atlantic Region Four team ... Team captain as a junior ... Also participated in basketball, soccer and tennis.

Personal: Katherine Dewenter McBrearty was born February 3, 1986, in Washington, D.C. ... She is the daughter of Bruce and Denise McBrearty ... One of three children ... Twin sister, Kendall, plays lacrosse for the University of Virginia ... Brother, Cam, swims at Wooster ... Enrolled in human development.



Rose Patterson 9

Senior • Midfield
Drexel Hill, Pa.
Upper Darby

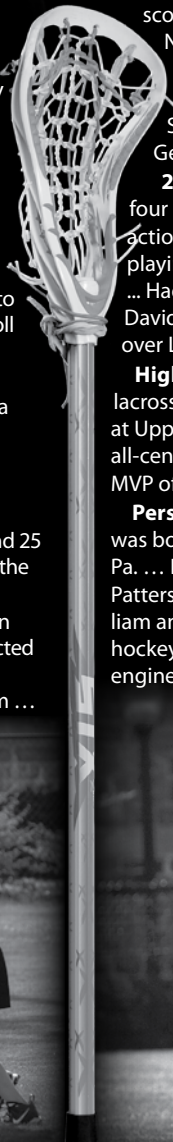
2007: Played in 13 games, scoring four goals ... Won four draw controls and scooped up three ground balls ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Played in 13 games ... Scored her first collegiate goal at George Mason.

2005: A walk-on who played in four games ... Saw her first collegiate action in the win over Howard ... Saw playing time in the win over Bucknell ... Had a ground ball in the win over Davidson ... Had two shots in the win over Lafayette.

High School: Two-time captain of the lacrosse team for Coach Tami Wenger at Upper Darby High School ... Named all-central league honorable mention ... MVP of the soccer team her senior year.

Personal: Rosemary Rita Patterson was born October 7, 1985, in Drexel Hill, Pa. ... Daughter of Joseph and Theresa Patterson ... Has two older siblings, William and Monica ... Monica played field hockey at Lafayette ... Enrolled in mining engineering.



Jenna Reich 4

Senior • Attack
Millersville, Md.
Severna Park

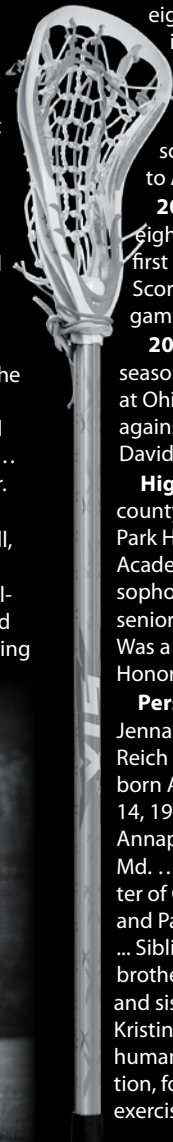
2007: Had a career year, playing in all 17 games, starting 15 ... Recorded 32 points on 24 goals and eight assists ... Was second on the team in assists ... Tallied a career-high six points against Boston College and had at least one point in all but three games ... Won 15 draw controls and scooped up 12 ground balls ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Played in 12 games ... Scored eight goals on the season ... Started her first collegiate game against UMBC ... Scored her first goal of the season in the game.

2005: Played in seven games her rookie season ... Saw her first action of the year at Ohio ... Netted her first collegiate goal against Howard ... Scored a goal against Davidson.

High School: An attacker on the 2003 county championship team at Severna Park High under Carin Peterson ... Was an Academic All-American ... Team captain as a sophomore ... Honorable mention all-Metro senior year ... Also played field hockey ... Was a member of the honor roll, National Honors Society and Mind in Motion.

Personal: Jenna Leigh Reich was born August 14, 1986, in Annapolis, Md. ... Daughter of George and Pam Reich ... Siblings are brother, Ben and sister, Kristin ... A human nutrition, foods and exercise major.



KADY MCBREARTY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2005	15-15	11	7	18	34	.324	25	4	5	3
2006	16-15	15	17	32	42	.357	15	1	25	3
2007	17-17	30	21	51	57	.526	19	20	39	2
Total	48-47	56	45	101	133	.421	59	25	69	8

ROSEMARY PATTERSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2005	4-0	0	0	0	2	.000	1	0	0	0
2006	13-0	1	0	1	2	.500	0	0	3	3
2007	13-0	4	0	4	11	.364	3	4	2	1
Total	30-0	5	0	5	15	.333	4	4	5	4

JENNA REICH'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2005	7-0	2	0	2	5	.400	0	3	0	0
2006	12-1	8	0	8	16	.500	4	0	11	2
2007	17-15	24	8	32	45	.533	12	15	29	1
Total	36-16	34	8	42	66	.515	16	18	40	3

McBrearty, Patterson and Reich • Seniors

HOKIES



Terri Coover 23

Junior • Attack
Glenwood, Md.
Glenelg

2007: Played in all 17 games ... Notched six goals for six points on the season ... Won six draw controls and caused four turnovers ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Played in 13 games in her freshman campaign ... Recorded eight points on five goals and three assists ... Caused 10 turnovers ... Collected her first point as a Hokie at George Mason, dishing out an assist ... Recorded her first goal against Ohio State ... Had a season-high two goals and personal-best three points at Longwood.

High School: Two-sport athlete at Glenelg High School, playing lacrosse and field hockey ... Two-time all-Howard County ... Scored over 100 goals and 60 assists ... Honorable mention all-Met her junior year ... Member of the National Honor Society.

Personal: Terri Ann Coover was born May 25, 1987, in Baltimore, Md. ... Daughter of Chip and Gail Coover ... Oldest of three children ... Siblings are brothers Bobby and Michael ... Majoring in marketing.



Rachel Culp 5

Junior • Midfield
Kent, Ohio
Theodore Roosevelt

2007: Started and played all 17 games ... Was one of the nation's most consistent goal scorers, as she strung together a 12 game scoring streak to end the regular season, but No. 5 North Carolina held her scoreless in the ACC Tournament to halt the streak ... Tallied 32 points on 25 goals and seven assists ... Was third on the team with 20 draw controls ... Picked up 18 ground balls and caused nine turnovers ... Earned the Coaches Award from the team ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Played in 14 games ... Recorded nine points on six goals and three assists in her freshman campaign ... Scored her first collegiate goal in the season-opener against UMBC ... Had a season-high three points at LaSalle with a goal and two assists ... Had a personal-best two goals against Ohio State.

High School: Honorable mention All-America her junior year ... Two-time all-Ohio ... Two-time all-league in basketball ...

Basketball Academic All-American ... Member of the National Honor Society.

Personal: Rachel Kathryn Culp was born April 15, 1987, in Akron, Ohio ... Daughter of Joel Culp ... Has an older brother, Jamie ... Majoring in biology.



Christina Griel 12

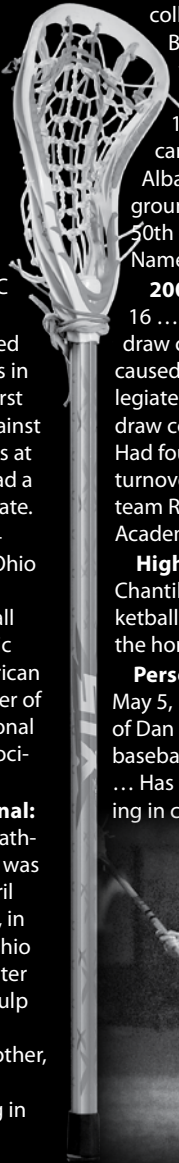
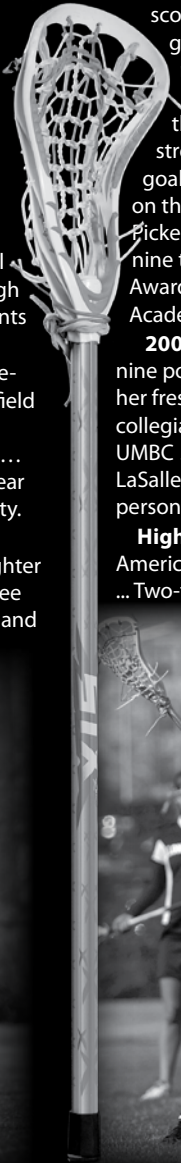
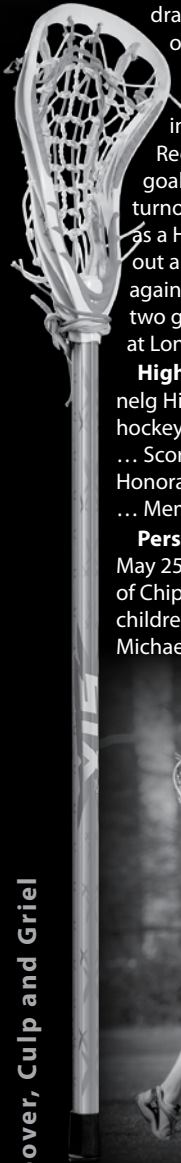
Junior • Defense
Fairfax, Va.
Chantilly

2007: Started and played in 16 games, missing the ACC Tournament due to injury ... Recorded first collegiate point with an assist against Boston College ... Was second on the team with 29 draw controls and third with 30 ground balls and 13 caused turnovers ... Collected a career-high six ground balls against Albany ... Scooped up her 50th career ground ball at Ohio State and won her 50th draw control against Longwood ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Played in all 17 games, starting 16 ... Was second on the team with 30 draw controls and tied for fifth with 12 caused turnovers ... Started her first collegiate game against Denver ... Had four draw controls in three different games ... Had four draw controls and four caused turnovers against Delaware ... Named the team Rookie of the Year and to the All-ACC Academic Team.

High School: Three-time all-district at Chantilly High School ... Also played basketball in high school ... Was a member of the honor roll.

Personal: Christina Gay Griel was born May 5, 1987, in Fairfax, Va. ... Daughter of Dan and Laurie Griel ... Father played baseball at Virginia Tech from 1975-1978 ... Has a younger sister, Brittany ... Majoring in communications.



Juniors • Coover, Culp and Griel

TERRI COOVER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2006	13-2	5	3	8	14	.357	5	4	10	3
2007	17-0	6	0	6	14	.429	2	6	11	4
Total	30-2	11	3	14	28	.393	7	10	21	7

RACHEL CULP'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2006	14-0	6	3	9	13	.462	6	2	11	2
2007	17-17	25	7	32	64	.391	18	20	44	9
Total	31-17	31	10	41	77	.403	24	22	55	11

CHRISTINA GRIEL'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2006	17-16	0	0	0	0	.000	23	30	13	12
2007	16-16	0	1	1	0	.000	30	29	13	13
Total	33-32	0	1	1	0	.000	53	59	26	25

HOKIES



Kari Morrison 00

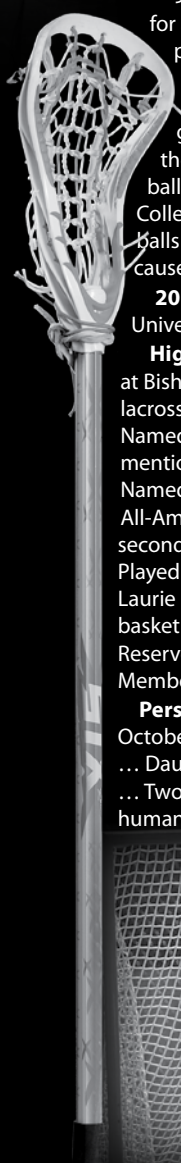
Junior • Goalkeeper
Springfield, Va.
Bishop Ireton/Colgate

2007: Started all 17 games goal ... Faced 483 shots in 953:09 minutes ... Gave up 228 goals for a 14.35 GAA ... Had a .420 save percentage, stopping 165 shots ... Stopped a career-high 15 shots against Albany, while only giving up seven goals ... Broke the single-season record for ground balls, leading the team with 51 ... Collected a career-high nine ground balls and forced a career-high five caused turnovers against Stanford.

2005 (at Colgate): Played at Colgate University in New York for Katrina Silva.

High School: Three-sport athlete at Bishop Ireton High School ... Played lacrosse for former Hokie, Amy Mantooth ... Named first-team All-WCAC and honorable-mention all-Met junior and senior seasons ... Named team MVP senior year ... US Lacrosse All-American honorable-mention ... Named second-team All-WCAC sophomore year ... Played for Future Elite lacrosse club under Laurie Podmilsak ... Also played soccer and basketball ... Named US Army National Reserve Scholar Athlete award in 2004 ... Member of National Honor Society.

Personal: Kari Morrison was born on October 16, 1986, in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba ... Daughter of Rick and Kathleen Morrison ... Two brothers, John and Bill ... Majoring in human nutrition, foods and exercise.



Casey Warner 16

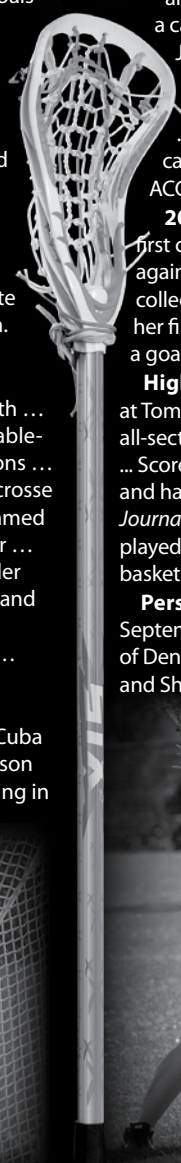
Junior • Midfield
Tomkins Cove, N.Y.
North Rockland

2007: Played in 15 contests, starting three ... Tallied six goals and an assist for seven points ... Notched a career-high two goals against No. 5 James Madison ... Collected 13 ground balls, including a career-high three in the ACC Tournament ... Won five draw controls and caused five turnovers ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Played in 14 games ... Had her first career point, dishing out an assist against James Madison ... Started her first collegiate game against LaSalle ... Notched her first goal against No. 2 Duke ... Also had a goal at Boston College.

High School: Three-time all-league player at Tomkins Cove High School ... Also named all-section and all-county as a junior and senior ... Scored 44 goals and 16 assists as a senior, and had 32 goals and 17 assists as a junior ... A *Journal News* Scholar Athlete of the Week ... Also played soccer and basketball ... All-league in basketball.

Personal: Casey Lauren Warner was born September 13, 1986, in Suffern, N.Y. ... Daughter of Denise and Pete Warner ... Siblings are Briana and Shane ... Majoring in marketing.



Kristy Zeigler 01

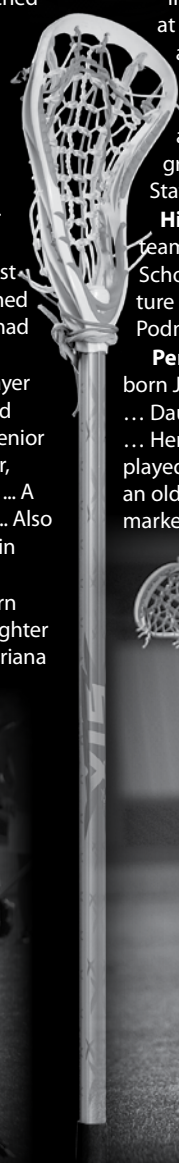
Junior • Attack
Chantilly, Va.
Chantilly

2007: Season ended early due to a broken arm ... Played in six games ... Won a draw control at Richmond and caused a turnover at Delaware ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

2006: Due to injury, was only able to play in four games ... Had a groundball against LaSalle and Ohio State.

High School: Two-time second-team all-district at Chantilly High School ... Played club lacrosse for Future Elite, who was coached by Laurie Podmilsak.

Personal: Kristy Marie Zeigler was born January 6, 1987, in Alexandria, Va. ... Daughter of John and Robin Ziegler ... Her uncle Steve and cousin JD both played football at Virginia Tech ... Has an older brother, Scotty ... Majoring in marketing.



Morrison, Warner and Zeigler • Juniors

KARI MORRISON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	Min.	GA	GAA	Sv	Pct.	W	L
2006*	5-0	96:05	12	7.49	13	.520	0	0
2007	17-17	953:09	228	14.35	165	.420	5	12
Total	22-17	1049:14	240	13.72	178	.426	5	12

* - While at Colgate

CASEY WARNER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2006	14-1	2	2	4	11	.182	10	2	11	5
2007	15-3	6	1	7	15	.400	13	5	19	5
Total	29-4	8	3	11	26	.308	23	7	30	10

KRISTY ZEIGLER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2006	4-0	0	0	0	1	.000	2	0	4	1
2007	6-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	1	4	1
Total	10-0	0	0	0	1	.000	2	1	8	2

HOKIES

Mackenzie Costello 34

Sophomore • Attack
Sandy Spring, Md.
Our Lady of Good Counsel

2007: Played in 16 games in her rookie campaign ... Won 10 draw controls, scooped up seven draw controls and caused five turnovers ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

High School: Three-sport athlete, participating in volleyball, basketball and lacrosse ... Played lacrosse for Michael Haight ... Named first-team in the Journal in both 2005 and 2006 ... Named first-team in the Gazette in 2006 ... Played for M&D Lacrosse club team for Frank LaQuang ... Made honor roll sophomore, junior and senior years.

Personal: MacKenzie Costello was born on September 24, 1988, in Burtonsville, Md. ... Daughter of Johan and Kevin Costello ... Has two sisters, Kelly and Whitney ... Uncle Jimmy Costello played football for Virginia Tech ... Majoring in university studies.

Ashley German 26

Sophomore • Defense
Ellicott City, Md.
Mt. Hebron

2007: Saw action in eight games ... Collected eight ground balls, including a personal-best four against Longwood ... Named Rookie of the Year by the team ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

High School: Three-sport athlete at Mount Hebron High School ... Played lacrosse under Brooke Kuhl-McClelland ... Team went undefeated and were state champions in 2005 and 2006 ... Was first-team all-county her senior season ... named JV team MVP "Viking award" in 2004 ... Played for M&D Lacrosse club team for Scott Robinson ... Named to All-Galaxy team for M&D lacrosse ... Also played field hockey and basketball ... Was an honor-roll athlete ... Won scholar-athlete award and merit-scholar athlete award.

Personal: Ashley Daneille German was born on October 21, 1988, in Ocean City, Md. ... Daughter of Al and Debbie German ... Has two sisters, Amanda and Allyson ... Majoring in marketing.

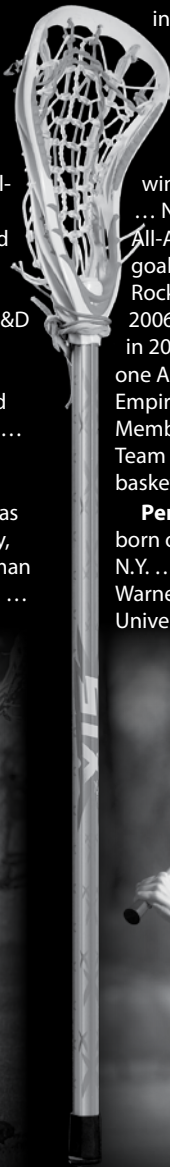
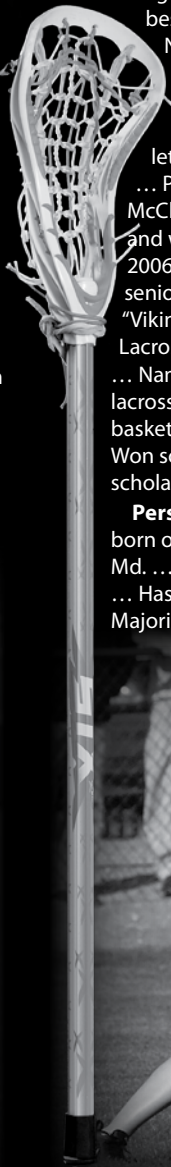
Briana Warner 11

Sophomore • Midfield
Tomkins Cove, N.Y.
North Rockland

2007: Began the season as a manager and later became part of the team ... Saw playing time in five contests ... Scored her first collegiate goal in ACC Tournament against No. 5 North Carolina ... Named to ACC Academic Honor Roll.

High School: A four-year letter-winner at Tomkins Cove High School ... Named All-American and Academic All-American ... Scored 218 career goals and had 83 assists ... Named Rockland County Player of the Year in 2006 ... First-Team All-County selection in 2005 and 2006 ... Named section-one All-Elite ... Participated in the Empire State Games in 2004 and 2005 ... Member of the New York State National Team in 2005 ... Also played soccer and basketball, and ran cross country.

Personal: Briana Christine Warner was born on December 9, 1987 in Suffern, N.Y. ... Daughter of Denise and Pete Warner ... Siblings are Casey and Shane ... University studies major.



MACKENZIE COSTELLO'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2007	16-0	0	0	0	4	.000	7	10	5	5
Total	16-0	0	0	0	4	.000	7	10	5	5

ASHLEY GERMAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2007	9-0	0	0	0	1	.000	10	0	1	4
Total	9-0	0	0	0	1	.000	10	0	1	4

BRIANA WARNER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.	Shots	Pct.	GB	DC	TO	CT
2007	5-0	1	0	1	3	.333	0	0	0	0
Total	5-0	1	0	1	3	.333	0	0	0	0

Sophomores • Costello, German and Warner



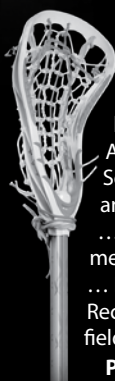
Jacquelyn Duggins 2

Sophomore • Defense
Charlottesville, Va.
Albermarle/Old Dominion

2007: Played lacrosse at Old Dominion University ... Played in three games and won one draw control.

High School: Two-sport athlete at Albemarle High School ... Named Albemarle's Female MVP ... Four-year varsity letterwinner in lacrosse ... A two-time All-Northeast Region first-team selection ... Second Team All-Central Virginia as a junior and First-Team All-Central Virginia as a senior ... Presented award for outstanding achievement in math ... Scholar Athlete award winner ... Played for Blue Ridge Club Lacrosse ... Received Scholar-Athlete Award ... Also played field hockey.

Personal: Jacquelyn Duggins was born July 14, 1988, in Chesapeake, Va. ... Daughter of Tim and Lori Duggins ... Has a brother, Tim, and a sister, Megan ... Majoring in university studies.



Jamie Ariosa 13

Freshman • Midfield
Parkton, Md.
Notre Dame Prep

High School: Earned two letters at Notre Dame Preparatory ... Was named Honorable Mention Towson Times and received the Athletic Leadership Award her senior year ... Played club lacrosse for the Skywalkers '07 Blue team ... Also played field hockey.

Personal: Jamie Nicolle Ariosa was born on March 13, 1989, in Baltimore, Md. ... Daughter of Cindy and Michael Ariosa ... Has one brother, Adam ... Majoring in communications.

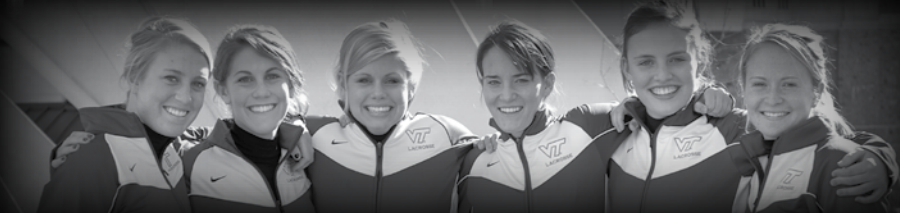
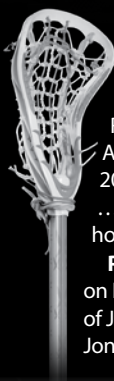


Katie Berkel 15

Freshman • Midfield
Oak Hill, Md.
Oakton

High School: Three-year varsity midfielder at Oakton High School ... Named first-team all-district in 2006 and 2007 ... Earned first-team all-region in 2007 ... Received the Amy Willard Spirit Award and All-American Honorable Mention status senior year ... Named Northern Region Honorable Mention in 2006 ... Earned All-Concorde District Second-Team honors in 2005 ... Lead team in draw controls senior year ... Also played basketball for one year and field hockey all four years.

Personal: Katherine Anna Berkel was born on Feb. 19, 1989, in Houston, Texas ... Daughter of Joe and Joyce Berkel ... Has one brother, Jonathan ... Majoring in communications.



Kristen Campbell, Katie Berkel, Jamie Ariosa, Liz Carpenter, Catherine Colliatie, Jacquelyn Duggins



Kristin Campbell 25

Freshman • Defense
Millersville, Md.
Severna Park

High School: Played four-years at Severna Park High School ... Received All-Galaxy Second Team honors in 2006 and first-team her senior year ... Played club lacrosse for CCLax with classmate Liz Carpenter ... Senior year team captain ... Also played volleyball and ran indoor track.

Personal: Kristen Regina Campbell was born on Jan. 11, 1989, in Philadelphia, Pa. ... Daughter of Tim and Mary Beth Campbell ... Has two siblings, Erin and Timmy ... Majoring in university studies.



Liz Carpenter 27

Freshman • Midfield
Lewes, Del.
Cape Henlopen

High School: Two-sport athlete at Cape Henlopen High School ... Was named first-team All-State in 2007 ... Honored as academic and athletic all-America following her senior season ... Voted team MVP her sophomore and senior years ... Named first-team All-State in 2005 and All-Galaxy League in 2006 ... Academic All-Conference 2004 and 2005 ... Played club lacrosse for CCLax with classmate Kristen Campbell ... Also played field hockey.

Personal: Elizabeth Carpenter was born on May 30, 1989, in Lewes, Del. ... Daughter of James and Patsy Carpenter ... Has two brothers and one sister ... Majoring in university studies.



Catherine Colliatie 19

Freshman • Attack
Vienna, Va.
Holton-Arms

High School: Two-sport athlete at the Holton-Arms School ... Earned three varsity letters in lacrosse ... Led team in goals her junior year ... Named second-team *All-Gazette* in 2007 ... Coach's award recipient in 2006 ... Played club lacrosse for Future Elite ... Also played field hockey.

Personal: Catherine Elizabeth Colliatie was born on June 29, 1989 in Denver, Colo. ... Daughter of Steven and Carmen Colliatie ... Has one brother, Drew ... Majoring in business.



Duggins, Ariosa, Berkel, Campbell, Carpenter and Colliatie • Newcomers



Newcomers • Emala, Garner, Kiser, Larkin, Riddick and Rotanz

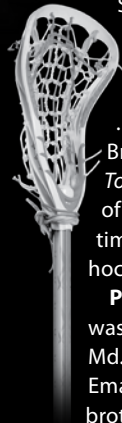


Allie Emala 22

Freshman • Midfield
Baltimore, Md.
Bryn Mawr

High School: Three-sport athlete at Bryn Mawr High School ... Named first-team All-City her sophomore and senior seasons and second-team in 2006 ... Second-team All-Metro senior year ... IAAM All-Star in 2007 ... Named a Bryn Mawr School Scholar-Athlete ... *Towson Times* and *Messenger* Athlete of the Year ... Played for the North Baltimore Club Team ... Also played field hockey and basketball.

Personal: Alexandra Stewart Emala was born on Nov. 1, 1988, in Baltimore, Md. ... Daughter of David and Jeannie Emala ... Has a sister, Nina, and two brothers, Davey and Ned ... Majoring in university studies.

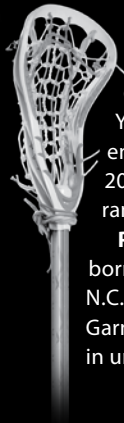


Dylan Garner 7

Freshman • Midfield
Cornelius, N.C.
North Mecklenburg

High School: Four-year letterwinner at North Mecklenburg High School ... 2005 All-American Honorable Mention ... 2005 Academic All-American ... *Charlotte Weekly News* Player of the Year in 2006 ... Named to all-conference team and team MVP in 2005 and 2006 ... Also played basketball and ran cross country.

Personal: Sarah Dylan Garner was born on May 9, 1989, in Charlotte, N.C. ... Daughter of Robin and Wendy Garner ... Has one brother ... Majoring in university studies.

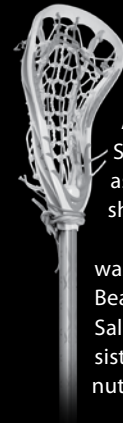


Joanna Kiser 20

Freshman • Midfield
Severna Park, Md.
Severna Park

High School: Two-sport athlete at Severna Park High School ... Received Second Team All-County honors her junior and senior year ... Played club lacrosse for SPLAX club ... A Scholar-Athlete Award recipient ... Wendy's High School Heisman finalist ... Led team as captain to 2007 state championship.

Personal: Joanna Heather Kiser was born on Oct. 30, 1988, in Newport Beach, Calif. ... Daughter of Ron and Sally Kiser ... Has a brother, Max, and a sister, Samantha ... Majoring in human nutrition, foods and exercise.



Mary Kate Larkin 30

Freshman • Attack
Silver Springs, Md.
Our Lady of Good Counsel

High School: Three-year letter winner at Our Lady of Good Counsel ... Named Second Team WCAC her senior year and honorable mention her junior season ... Earned honorable mention by *Gazette* in 2007 ... Played club lacrosse for M&D ... Member of National Honors Society.

Personal: Mary Kathleen Larkin was born on Nov. 13, 1989, in Washington, D.C. ... Daughter of Robert and Susan Larkin ... Has two brothers, Colleen and Brian ... Majoring in university studies.

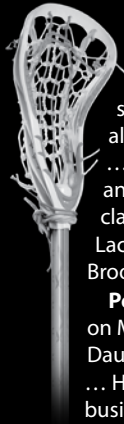


Catharine Riddick 36

Freshman • Goalkeeper
Charlottesville, Va.
Western Albemarle

High School: Earned four varsity letters at Western Albemarle High School ... Received first-team all-district, region and central Va., honors her senior year ... Chosen as team MVP her final season ... Was an honorable mention all-district after her sophomore year ... Named an astronomy rising star and was vice president of her senior class ... Also played for the Geronimo Lacrosse Club, coached by former Hokie Brooke Martin Ireland.

Personal: Catharine Riddick was born on May 31, 1989, in Charlottesville, Va. ... Daughter of David Riddick and Luci Kent ... Has one sister, Lauren ... Majoring in business.

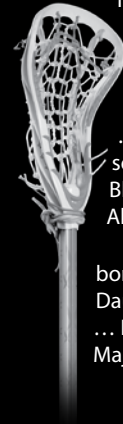


Katie Rotanz 37

Freshman • Attack
Salem, Va.
Salem

High School: Four-year lacrosse standout at Salem High School ... Received First Team All-District honors all four years ... Named First Team All-Region in 2006 and 2007 ... District and Regional Player of the Year in 2007 ... Named Academic All-American her senior year ... Played club lacrosse for Blue Ridge and Atlantic Lacrosse ... Also played basketball.

Personal: Katie Lorraine Rotanz was born on Nov. 9, 1989, in Salem, Va. ... Daughter of Bob and Wendy Rotanz ... Has two sisters, Maggie and Ryan ... Majoring in art.



HOKIES

Theresa Sweeney 32

Freshman • Attack
Baltimore, Md.
Catonsville

High School: Two-year letterwinner at Catonsville ... Received Second Team All-Division her junior and senior years ... Played club lacrosse for HEROS ... Scholar-Athlete Award recipient ... Member of National Honors Society ... Also played soccer.

Personal: Theresa Anne Sweeney was born on May 4, 1989, in Baltimore, Md. ... Daughter of Pat and Patti Sweeney ... Has a sister, Maria, and three brothers, Daniel, Patrick and Andrew ... Majoring in engineering.

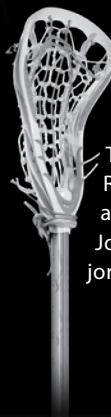


Kate Tracey 8

Freshman • Midfield
Owings Mills, Md.
Garrison Forest

High School: Played four years of lacrosse and field hockey at Garrison Forest School ... Named an IAAM All-Star her senior season ... Played club for the Skywalkers.

Personal: Katherine Carter Tracey was born on Jan. 4, 1988, in Richmond, Va. ... Daughter of John and Nina Tracey ... Has a brother, Jock, and a sister, Charlotte ... Majoring in business.



Sam Voelker 17

Freshman • Defense
Timonium, Md.
Maryvale Prep

High School: Played three years of varsity lacrosse at Maryvale Prep ... Team captain her senior year ... Named Defensive Player of the Year by her team ... Named MVP her junior season ... Student Council Vice President her senior year ... Also played soccer.

Personal: Samantha Erin Voelker was born on September 22, 1989, in Baltimore, Md. ... Daughter of Bob and Shelia Voelker ... Has a sister, Emma ... Majoring in communication.

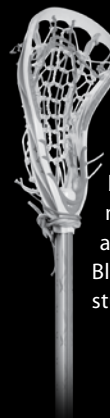


Caitlyn Wier 21

Freshman • Attack
Cockeysville, Md.
Notre Dame Prep

High School: Three-year letterwinner at Notre Dame Prep ... Earned Honorable Mention in the *Towson Times* in 2006 and 2007 ... Named team captain her senior year ... Also played soccer.

Personal: Caitlyn Wier was born on Feb. 2, 1988, in Baltimore, Md. ... Daughter of Chad and Mary Wier ... Has a brother Blake ... Majoring in university studies.



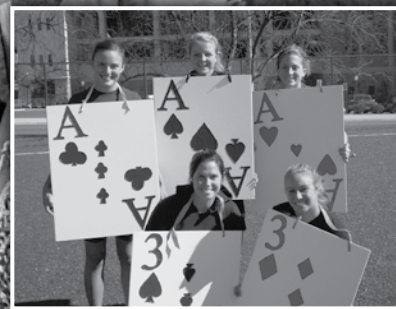
Front (l to r): Joanna Kiser, Dylan Garner, Sam Voelker; middle (l to r): Caitlyn Wier, Mary Kate Larkin, Katie Rotanz, Catharine Riddick; back (l to r): Allie Emala, Kate Tracey, Theresa Sweeney.

Sweeney, Tracey, Voelker and Wier • Newcomers

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2007 SEASON IN REVIEW

The Virginia Tech women's lacrosse team closed out the 2007 season with a 5-12 record, and despite posting an 0-5 Atlantic Coast Conference record, the Hokies proved to be a strong contender among the nation's top competitors.

Tech began the season under new direction with first-year head coach Katrina Silva. The Hokies took some time to adjust to Silva's new style of play, but used their season opener to gauge just how far the team had improved since the off-season.

The Hokies closed their fall season with a contest against Richmond only to play the Spiders again in their first regular-season game. Despite falling to the Spiders, 18-10, Richmond was ranked 13th nationally, and the Hokies

were optimistic.

Tech's next game was right up the road, as the Hokies traveled to in-state rival Virginia to begin ACC play. The then-No. 9 Cavaliers earned the Commonwealth Cup point in the contest, defeating Tech, 15-2. Tech's two goals came from junior Kady McBrearty, as she slipped two shots past her twin sister, UVa's goalkeeper, Kendall.

From there, the Hokies played six of their next seven games in Blacksburg, Va. Sophomore Kari Morrison led Tech with a career-high 15 saves in a 13-7 victory over the University of Albany, in the inaugural contest between the two programs. The game marked the first win of Tech's season, sparking a 4-1 run for the Hokies.

Tech dropped its next game to Denver before winning three straight, including an exciting last-second come-from-behind 8-7 win over George Mason. Eleven different Hokies scored in Tech's next game to lead the Hokies to their second-straight win and then Tech rallied from a 4-4 half-time score, tallying 13 second-half goals for a 17-8 win over American.

The Hokies carried their scoring streak into their next game, scoring 11 goals against No. 5 James Madison in the first half for an 11-9 half-time advantage, but the Dukes responded in the second half to hand the Hokies their first loss in four games.



Senior Jenna Reich tallied a career-high six points in a 15-16 loss to Boston College.



Defender Kristen Burtch collected 15 ground balls last season.

Highlights from the games thereafter include holding Duke scoreless for the first 14:16 minutes of the game, marking the longest drought to begin a contest for the Blue Devils all season. The Hokies also scored seven second-half goals against Stanford to come from behind and force overtime, but Tech's hopes fell short as the Cardinal provided the necessary goals in the extra time to win the game.

After a tough end to March, the Hokies opened April with a win over Longwood, which again saw 11 different Hokies contribute a goal, and in the

2007 GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	OUTCOME	VT SCORERS
2/18/07	at #13 Richmond	L, 10-18	Gray (3-0), McBrearty (2-1), Pieper (2-0), Culp (1-2), Faulkner (1-1), Richards (1-0)
2/21/07	at #9 Virginia*	L, 2-15	McBrearty (2-0), Richards (0-1)
2/25/07	ALBANY	W, 13-7	McBrearty (3-1), Pieper (3-1), Faulkner (2-0), Gray (2-0), Richards (2-0), Reich (1-0), Culp (0-1)
3/02/07	DENVER	L, 7-19	Pieper (2-0), Reich (2-0), Faulkner (1-1), McBrearty (1-0), C. Warner (1-0), Richards (0-1)
3/04/07	GEORGE MASON	W, 8-7	Pieper (2-0), McBrearty (2-0), Coover (2-0), Reich (1-0), Culp (1-0), Gray (0-1), Richards (0-1)
3/09/07	MOUNT ST. MARY'S	W, 20-9	Gray (4-1), Reich (4-1), McBrearty (3-1), Culp (2-0), Coover (2-0), Faulkner (1-2), C. Warner (1-1), Pieper (1-0), Richards (1-0), Patterson (1-0), Russo (0-1)
3/11/07	at American	W, 17-8	Faulkner (3-1), Richards (3-0), Culp (3-0), Pieper (2-1), Reich (2-1), McBrearty (1-1), Gray (1-0), Patterson (1-0), C. Warner (0-1)
3/14/07	#5 JAMES MADISON	L, 15-23	Faulkner (5-1), McBrearty (3-1), Culp (2-0), C. Warner (2-0), Reich (1-2), Pieper (1-2), Fratter (1-0), Richards (0-1)
3/18/07	BOSTON COLLEGE*	L, 15-16	Reich (4-2), Pieper (3-1), Faulkner (2-0), Culp (1-0), Gray (1-0), Richards (1-0), Patterson (1-0), Keenan (1-0), Fratter (1-0), McBrearty (0-2), Griel (0-1)
3/23/07	at #5 DUKE*	L, 7-16	Reich (3-0), Culp (1-1), Pieper (1-0), Gray (1-0), Schilling (1-0)
3/25/07	STANFORD	L, 10-12(OT)	McBrearty (3-2), Culp (2-1), Faulkner (2-0), Pieper (1-0), Reich (1-0), Gray (1-0), Richards (0-1)
3/27/07	at Delaware	L, 7-16	Faulkner (2-0), Russo (1-1), Culp (1-0), McBrearty (1-0), Richards (1-0), Patterson (1-0), Reich (0-1)
3/30/07	at Ohio State	L, 10-13	Culp (3-0), Pieper (2-1), Fratter (2-0), Faulkner (2-0), McBrearty (1-5)
4/10/07	LONGWOOD	W, 18-9	Culp (4-1), Reich (3-0), Pieper (2-0), Coover (2-0), McBrearty (1-4), Richards (1-1), Faulkner (1-0), Fratter (1-0), Russo (1-0), Schilling (1-0), C. Warner (1-0)
4/13/07	#3 NORTH CAROLINA*	L, 5-15	Faulkner (2-0), McBrearty (1-0), Pieper (1-0), Culp (1-0), Richards (0-1)
4/22/07	#2 MARYLAND*	L, 17-21	Pieper (5-1), McBrearty (4-2), Culp (3-1), Faulkner (3-0), Richards (1-0), Reich (1-0)
4/26/07	at #3 North Carolina	L, 7-18	McBrearty (2-1), Pieper (2-0), Reich (1-1), Gray (1-0), B. Warner (1-0)



regular-season finale, against then No. 2 Maryland, the Hokies scored 17 goals, the second most the Terps allowed by an opponent all season.

Individual success was noted for the Hokies as Morrison broke Tech's single-season ground ball record and was ranked 13th in the NCAA for ground balls per game, with an average of 3.00.

McBearty proudly represented the Hokies on the All-ACC team, while McBrearty and senior Lindsay Pieper were named to the VaSID second-team. McBearty is currently tied for third in the single-season record book with 21 assists and Pieper ended her career ranked in the top-three of five statistical categories.

Fellow seniors, Britt Faulkner, Bryana Keenan and Jamie Webster also ended their careers with their names etched in the program's career record book.

Sophomore Rachel Culp, who carried a 12-game scoring streak throughout the season, was selected for the US Women's Developmental and Elite Team Tryout after season's end.

Academic success was documented as 22 Hokies made the ACC Academic Honor Roll, and Faulkner, Gray, senior Kate Schilling and junior Jenna Reich were honored on the IWLCA Honor Roll. Six Hokies made the All-ACC Academic Team, while Pieper, the ACC Scholar-Athlete of the Year, received *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District first-team and Academic All-State honors by VaSID.



Junior Christina Griel wins a draw control against Maryland at home.

2007 SEASON STATS

No.	Name	GP-GS	G	A	Pts	Sh	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	FPG-FPS	GB	DC	T/O	CT	Fouls
10	Kady McBrearty	17-17	30	21	51	57	.526	45	.789	1	3-8	19	20	39	2	6
31	Lindsay Pieper	17-17	30	7	37	64	.469	46	.719	0	7-16	32	37	22	20	22
26	Britt Faulkner	17-17	27	6	33	85	.318	54	.635	0	13-23	19	11	17	8	31
5	Rachel Culp	17-17	25	7	32	64	.391	49	.766	1	6-17	18	20	44	9	20
4	Jenna Reich	17-15	24	8	32	45	.533	36	.800	0	6-11	12	15	29	1	6
8	Faith Richards	17-15	11	7	18	28	.393	22	.786	1	2-5	15	12	39	6	17
15	Jackie Gray	17-17	14	2	16	40	.350	26	.650	1	2-8	12	14	20	7	22
16	Casey Warner	15-3	6	1	7	15	.400	12	.800	0	3-6	13	5	19	5	12
23	Terri Coover	17-0	6	0	6	14	.429	10	.714	0	1-3	2	6	11	4	6
3	Christen Fratter	16-1	5	0	5	11	.455	10	.909	0	0-0	3	5	11	3	5
9	Rose Patterson	13-0	4	0	4	11	.364	7	.636	0	2-4	3	4	2	1	4
13	Katie Russo	7-0	2	2	4	3	.667	2	.667	1	1-1	1	0	1	1	1
21	Kate Schilling	15-1	2	0	2	6	.333	2	.333	0	0-1	3	9	4	0	6
11	Briana Warner	5-0	1	0	1	3	.333	2	.667	0	0-1	0	0	0	0	0
7	Bryana Keenan	17-17	1	0	1	2	.500	2	1.000	0	0-0	29	10	10	17	42
12	Christina Griel	16-16	0	1	1	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	30	29	13	13	21
34	Kenzie Costello	16-0	0	0	0	4	.000	1	.250	0	0-1	7	10	5	5	4
18	Alex Mengel	5-0	0	0	0	3	.000	1	.333	0	0-1	1	0	0	1	0
25	Ashley German	9-0	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-1	10	0	1	4	5
24	Jessica Galindo	17-17	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-1	13	7	9	5	20
99	Megan Waters	7-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	3	0	0	0	0
33	Jamie Webster	5-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
22	Sam Titus	15-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	10	3	8	5	11
14	Kristen Burtch	17-17	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	15	5	9	9	18
1	Kristy Zeigler	6-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0	1	4	1	0
00	Kari Morrison	17-17	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	51	0	10	9	0
	Total.....	17	188	62	250	457	.411	329	.720	5	46-108	323	224	334	136	289
	Opponents.....	17	242	104	346	528	.458	387	.733	11	41-84	342	241	309	128	406

2007 Review

OFFENSIVE RECORD BOOK

GOALS IN A CAREER

Name	Goals	Years Played
1. Dawn Will	186	1997-2000
2. Britt Faulkner	117	2004-2007
3. Lindsay Pieper	115	2004-2007
4. Amy Mantooth	109	1995-1998
5. Stephanie Jones	102	2003-2006
6. Catherine Augustyn	99	1996-1999
7. Courtney Hubbard	92	1997-2000
8. Kate Threadgold	91	2002-2004
9. Suzy Funston	85	1996-1999
10. Lindsey Welch	81	2001-2004

GOALS IN A SEASON

Name	Goals	Season
1. Dawn Will	61	2000
2. Dawn Will	60	1999
3. Dawn Will	46	1998
Lindsay Pieper	46	2006
5. Lindsey Welch	40	2004
6. Amy Mantooth	39	1995
7. Kellyn Hentz	38	2001
8. Britt Faulkner	36	2005
Kate Threadgold	36	2004
10. Suzy Funston	34	1996
Amy Mantooth	34	1996

GOALS IN A GAME

Name	Goals Opp	Season
1. Dawn Will	9 Duquesne	2000
Alice Matos	9 Hollins	1995
3. Kellyn Hentz	7 Vanderbilt	2001
Dawn Will	7 Vanderbilt	2000
Amy Mantooth	7 Davidson	1995



Senior Kady McBrearty currently sits third on Tech's all-time career assists chart.

TEAM RECORDS

CATEGORY	RECORD	GAME
Most Points in a Home Game	37	2005, Howard/1999, Denver
Most Points in an Away Game	31	1999, at La Salle
Most Points in a Season	303	2000 Season
Most Goals in a Home Game	23	2006, Delaware
Most Goals in an Away Game	21	1998, vs. Stanford /1995, at Hollins
Most Goals in a Season	226	2000 Season
Most Assists in a Home Game	16	2005, Howard/1999, Denver
Most Assists in an Away Game	12	1999, at La Salle
Most Assists in a Season	89	1999 Season
Most Shots in a Season	559	2000 Season
Most Groundballs in a Season	470	2003 Season
Most Draw Controls in a Season	235	2000 Season
Least Goals Allowed in Home Game	1	2000, at St. Bonaventure
Least Goals Allowed in Away Game	2	1995, at Hollins
Least Goals Allowed in Season	100	1995 Season

ASSISTS IN A CAREER

Name	Asst.	Years Played
1. Catherine Augustyn	62	1996-1999
2. Natasha Fuchs	52	2005-2006
3. Kady McBrearty	45	2005-present
4. Suzy Funston	43	1996-1999
5. Sam Sybert	42	2000-2003
6. Courtney Hubbard	37	1997-2000
Stephanie Jones	37	2003-2006
8. Dawn Will	35	1997-2000
9. Kate Threadgold	32	2002-2004
10. Maeghan O'Doherty	30	1997-2000

ASSISTS IN A SEASON

Name	Asst.	Season
1. Natasha Fuchs	36	2005
2. Suzy Funston	25	1996
3. Catherine Augustyn	21	1996
Catherine Augustyn	21	1999
Kate Threadgold	21	2004
Kady McBrearty	21	2007
7. Courtney Hubbard	19	1999
Sam Sybert	19	2002
9. Kady McBrearty	17	2006
10. Natasha Fuchs	15	2006
Stephanie Jones	15	2005

ASSISTS IN A GAME

Name	Asst.	Opp.	Season
1. Kady McBrearty	7	Delaware	2006
2. Natasha Fuchs	6	Howard	2005
Natasha Fuchs	6	Bucknell	2005
Natasha Fuchs	6	Lafayette	2005
5. Dawn Will	5	Davidson	2000
Stephanie Jones	5	Howard	2005
Suzy Funston	5	American	1996

POINTS IN A CAREER

Name	Pts.	Years Played
1. Dawn Will	221	1997-2000
2. Catherine Augustyn	161	1996-1999
3. Lindsay Pieper	144	2004-2007
4. Stephanie Jones	139	2003-2006
5. Britt Faulkner	133	2004-2007
6. Amy Mantooth	131	1995-1998
7. Courtney Hubbard	129	1997-2000
8. Suzy Funston	128	1996-1999
9. Kate Threadgold	123	2002-2004
10. Lindsey Welch	104	2001-2004

POINTS IN A SEASON

Name	Pts.	Season
1. Dawn Will	74	2000
2. Dawn Will	68	1999
3. Suzie Fuston	59	1996
4. Natasha Fuchs	57	2005
Kate Threadgold	57	2004
6. Dawn Will	55	1998
7. Lindsay Pieper	54	2006
8. Catherine Augustyn	53	1996
Catherine Augustyn	53	1999
10. Kady McBrearty	51	2007

POINTS IN A GAME

Name	Pts	Opponent	Season
1. Alice Matos	12	Hollins	1995
2. Dawn Will	11	Duquesne	2000
3. Suzy Funston	10	Mt. St. Mary's	1996
4. Kady McBrearty	9	Delaware	2006
Kellyn Hentz	9	Vanderbilt	2004
Amy Mantooth	9	Davidson	1997
Suzy Funston	9	American	1996

DEFENSIVE RECORD BOOK

DRAW CONTROLS IN A CAREER

Name	DC	Years Played
1. Karen Diacont	184	1998-2001
2. Dawn Will	123	1997-2000
3. Lindsay Pieper	117	2004-2007
4. Stephanie Jones	107	2003-2006
5. Natasha Fuchs	93	2005-2006
6. Amy Mantooth	83	1995-1998
7. Sam Sybert	79	2000-2003
8. Lindsey Welch	66	2001-2004
Katie Boyle	66	2003-2006
10. Heather Dent	63	1995-1997

DRAW CONTROLS IN A SEASON

Name	DC	Year
1. Karen Diacont	63	1999
2. Natasha Fuchs	61	2006
3. Dawn Will	54	2000
4. Karen Diacont	45	1998
Karen Diacont	45	2001
6. Stephanie Jones	42	2004
7. Dawn Will	38	1999
8. Lindsay Pieper	37	2007
9. Lindsay Pieper	36	2005
10. Natasha Fuchs	32	2005

CAUSED TURNS IN A CAREER

Name	CT	Years Played
1. Sam Sybert	148	2000-2003
2. Lindsay Pieper	82	2004-2007
3. Katie Boyle	67	2003-2006
4. Sue Cowperthwait	66	1996-1999
5. Bryana Keenan	65	2004-2007
6. Carrie Birely	56	1999-2002
7. Stephanie Jones	53	2003-2006
8. Lindsey Welch	51	2001-2004
Jamie Webster	51	2004-2007
10. Heather Dent	44	1995-1997

CAUSED TURNS IN A SEASON

Name	CT	Year
1. Sam Sybert	51	2001
2. Sam Sybert	38	2000
3. Sam Sybert	32	2002
4. Carrie Birely	30	2002
5. Lindsay Pieper	27	2006
Katie Boyle	27	2006
Sam Sybert	27	2003
8. Sue Cowperthwait	26	1996
9. Jamie Webster	24	2006
10. Katie Boyle	22	2004
Heather Dent	22	1996
Lisa Pfeiffer	22	2000



Junior goalkeeper Kari Morrison set Tech's single season record for ground balls last year, scooping up 51 loose balls.

GROUND BALLS IN A CAREER

Name	GB	Years Played
1. Sam Sybert	155	2000-2003
2. Sue Cowperthwait	127	1996-1999
3. Lindsay Pieper	119	2004-2007
4. Lindsey Welch	118	2001-2004
5. Katie Boyle	113	2003-2006
6. Stephanie Jones	112	2003-2006
7. Jamie McGraw	111	2001-2004
Dawn Will	111	1997-2000
9. Lisa Pfeiffer	103	1997-2000
10. Courtney Hubbard	102	1997-2000
Meaghan O'Doherty	102	1997-2000

GROUND BALLS IN A SEASON

Name	GB	Year
1. Kari Morrison	51	2007
2. Jamie McGraw	50	2002
3. Lindsey Welch	48	2002
4. Katie Madden	47	2003
5. Sam Sybert	45	2002
6. Stephanie Jones	44	2003
7. Lisa Pfeiffer	43	1997
8. Katie Boyle	42	2004
Sue Cowperthwait	42	1996
Brooke Martin	42	1995

GOALIE RECORDS

CAREER GAA (min. 800 mins.)

Name	GAA	Years Played
1. Carrie Hill	10.72	2003-2006
2. Melissa Wagner	11.18	1996-1999
3. Nikki Schiavone	11.22	2004-2005
4. Stacey Rainbolt	11.95	1998-2001
5. Jamie McGraw	12.23	2001-2004

SEASON GAA (min. 50% of season mins.)

Name	GAA	Year
1. Melissa Wagner	10.41	1999
2. Carrie Hill	10.54	2006
3. Nikki Schiavone	10.99	2005
4. Melissa Wagner	11.37	1998
5. Stacey Rainbolt	11.43	2000

CAREER SAVE PERCENTAGE

Name	Pct.	Years Played
1. Melissa Wagner	.533	1996-1999
2. Christina Francis	.521	1995-2001
3. Stacey Rainbolt	.515	1998-2001
4. Jamie McGraw	.501	2001-2004
5. Nikki Schiavone	.463	2004-2005

SEASON SAVE PERCENTAGE

Name	Pct.	Year
1. Stacey Rainbolt	.615	1998
2. Melissa Wagner	.570	1999
3. Christina Francis	.559	1996
4. Jamie McGraw	.555	2002
5. Stacey Rainbolt	.547	2000

CAREER SAVES

Name	Saves	Years Played
1. Melissa Wagner	609	1996-1999
2. Jamie McGraw	531	2001-2004
3. Stacey Rainbolt	461	1998-2001
4. Carrie Hill	212	2003-2006
5. Christina Francis	176	1995-1996

SEASON SAVES

Name	Saves	Year
1. Jamie McGraw	228	2002
2. Stacey Rainbolt	210	2000
3. Melissa Wagner	200	1999
4. Jamie McGraw	193	2004
5. Melissa Wagner	171	1997

AWARDS AND HONORS

NATIONAL AWARDS

Brine/IWLCA All-American

- 2000 Dawn Will (third-team, midfield)
- 1999 Dawn Will (honorable mention)

IWLCA All-South Region

- 2006 Lindsay Pieper (second-team)
- 2000 Sam Sybert (second-team)
- 1999 Dawn Will (second-team)

NSCA All-America

- 2001 Lisa Givens

VaSID All-State Team

- 2007 Kady McBrearty (second-team)
Lindsay Pieper (second-team)
- 2006 Lindsay Pieper (first-team)
Kate Boyle (second-team)
Natasha Fuchs (second-team)
- 2005 Natasha Fuchs (first-team)
- 2004 Lindsey Welch (second-team)

US LACROSSE DEVELOPMENTAL TEAM

- 2005 Natasha Fuchs



Sophomore Ashley German was voted the team Rookie of the Year last year.



Britt Faulkner was voted last season's team MVP

TEAM HONORS

Most Valuable Player

- 2007 Britt Faulkner
- 2006 Lindsay Pieper
- 2005 Lindsay Pieper
- 2004 Jamie McGraw
- 2003 Katie Madden
- 2002 Sam Sybert and Jamie McGraw
- 2001 Sam Sybert
- 2000 Lisa Pfeiffer
- 1999 Sue Cowperthwait
- 1998 Dawn Will*
- 1997 Lisa Pfeiffer
- 1996 Suzy Funston
- 1995 Amy Mantooth

*Selected by *hokiesports* the newspaper

Rookie of the Year

- 2007 Ashley German
- 2006 Christina Griel
- 2005 Natasha Fuchs
- 2004 Lindsay Pieper
- 2003 Ashley Puckett

Coaches Award

- 2007 Rachel Culp
- 2006 Carrie Hill
- 2005 Nikki Schiavone
- 2004 Virginia Tech Lacrosse Team
- 2003 Lauren Kenney
- 2002 Katie Madden

Strength & Conditioning Award

- 2007 Bryana Keenan
- 2006 Katie Boyle

Competitor Award

Created in 2002, this award is given to the member of the lacrosse team who displays the highest amount of competitiveness. Through a point system that begins in the fall and runs through the spring, athletes are encouraged to compete at the highest level at all times. A quote on the plaque on which the winners' names appear, reads, "The tougher the competition, the more motivated you'll be to excel!"

- 2005 Jamie Webster
- 2004 Jamie McGraw, Lindsey Welch
- 2003 Jamie McGraw, Kate Threadgold
- 2002 Sam Sybert

ACADEMIC AWARDS

IWLCA Honor Squad

- 2007 Merit Squad

IWLCA Scholar-Athlete of the Year

- 2007 Lindsay Pieper

IWLCA Academic Honor Roll

- 2007 Britt Faulkner
Jackie Gray
Kate Schilling
Kristen Burtch

ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District

- 2007 Lindsay Pieper (first-team)

ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America

- 2007 Lindsay Pieper (third-team)

VaSID Academic All-State Team

- 2007 Lindsay Pieper

Virginia Tech Scholar-Athlete of the Year

- 2007 Lindsay Pieper

All-ACC Academic Team

- 2007 Rachel Culp, Britt Faulkner, Jackie Gray, Kari Morrison, Lindsay Pieper, Jenna Reich
- 2006 Britt Faulkner, Jackie Gray, Christina Griel, Stephanie Jones, Lindsay Pieper, Kate Schilling

ACC Post-Graduate Scholarship

- 2007 Lindsay Pieper

A-10 Academic All-Conference

- 2000 Karen Diacont, Dawn Will

CONFERENCE HONORS

CONFERENCE HONORS

Regular-Season Championships

2000 Atlantic 10 Conference

Tournament Championships

1999 Atlantic 10 Conference

ACC (2005-Present)

Freshman of the Year

2005 Natasha Fuchs

All-ACC Team

2007 Kady McBrearty
2006 Lindsay Pieper

All-ACC Tournament Team

2005 Natasha Fuchs

ACC Sportsmanship Award

2007 Lacrosse Team
2006 Lacrosse Team
2005 Lacrosse Team

BIG EAST (2001-2004)

All-BIG EAST First Team

2003 Sam Sybert
2002 Sam Sybert
2001 Sam Sybert†
† unanimous selection



Lindsay Pieper garnered both athletic and academic honors throughout her career at Tech.



Sam Sybert was a three-year All-BIG EAST selection

All-BIG EAST Second Team

2004 Lindsey Welch
2003 Katie Madden
2002 Jamie McGraw
2001 Kellyn Hentz

PRESEASON ALL-BIG EAST

2004 Kate Threadgold

ATLANTIC 10 (1999-2000)

A-10 Coach of the Year

1999 Brooke Martin

A-10 Player of the Year

2000 Dawn Will

A-10 Defensive Player of the Year

1999 Sue Cowperthwait

All-A-10 Team

2000 Courtney Hubbard
Lisa Pfeiffer
Dawn Will
1999 Catherine Augustyn
Sue Cowperthwait
Karen Diacont
Dawn Will

All-A-10 Championship Team

2000 Courtney Hubbard
Lisa Tsimbidis
1999 Sue Cowperthwait
Erin Curran
Dawn Will

WEEKLY HONORS

Virginia Tech Athlete of the Week

Athletes from all 21 varsity sports at Tech are eligible for this award which is voted on each week by a panel of athletic administrators and athletics communications personnel.

2007	April 16	Rachel Culp
2006	April 10	Lindsay Pieper
2005	April 11	Natasha Fuchs
2004	April 5	Stephanie Jones
2002	April 14	Katie Madden
2001	April 15	Jamie McGraw
2000	April 10	Kellyn Hentz
	April 3	Kellyn Hentz
1999	April 26	Dawn Will

BIG EAST Players of the Week

2004	3/15	Lindsey Welch
	3/29	Jamie McGraw
2002	3/11	Jamie McGraw
2001	4/9	Kellyn Hentz

A-10 Players of the Week

2000	3/19	Dawn Will
	4/2	Karen Diacont
	4/23	Dawn Will
		Kellyn Hentz
1999	3/22	Courtney Hubbard



Junior Rachel Culp was voted a Virginia Tech Athlete of the Week last season.



ALL-TIME ROSTER

A

Adams, Jessica 1997-1999
 Anderson, Kerry 2001-2002
 Anglim, Julie 1997
 Anselmo, Elizabeth 1995
 Aprahamiam, Carey Ann 2001
 Augustyn, Catherine 1996-1999

B

Barry, Meredith 2001
 Birely, Carrie 1999-2002
 Bjorke, Katie 1998-2001
 Bogar, Gayle 1995
 Boyle, Katie 2003-2006
 Broom, Tanya 1998
 Bunn, Courtney 1995
Burtch, Kristen 2005-2007

C

Cade, Christie 1995
 Cannon, Deanna 2000-2003
 Caldwell, Kimberly 1995
 Callaghan, Erin 1996-1997
 Cini, Alanna 1996-1997
 Connolly, Addy 1999-2002
 Coffas, Melissa 1998
 Coolahan, Kathleen 2001-2002
Coover, Terri 2006-2007
Costello, MacKenzie 2007
 Counts, Amanda 2001-2004
 Covais, Lori 1996
 Cowperthwait, Sue 1996-1999
Culp, Rachel 2006-2007
 Curran, Erin 1997, 1999-2000

D

Dent, Heather 1996-1997
 Depaz, Nicholle 2006
 DeSomma, Lauren 1999-2001
 Diacont, Karen 1998-2001
 Dieringer, Lacey 2000-2002
 Doutherty, Wendy 1998-1999
 Duffy, Sarah 2000-2003

E

Eareckson, Debbie 1996
 Engle, Jill 1999-2001

F

Faulkner, Britt 2004-2007
 Fay, Hilary 2001-2004
 Fernandez, Joy 1995
 Francis, Christina 1995-1996
Fratter, Christen 2005-2007
 Fuchs, Natasha 2005-2006
 Fullenkamp, Melissa 2002-2003
 Funston, Suzy 1996-1999

G

Galindo, Jess 2005-2007
 Geis, Kim 2000-2002

German, Ashley 2007
 Givens, Lisa 1998-1999, 2001-2002
 Goertler, Jessie 2001-2002
 Goodman, Casey 2003-2006
 Grant, Noelle 2005-2006
 Gray, Jackie 2004-2007
Griel, Christina 2006-2007

H

Hazel, Suzanne 2002-2003
 Hentz, Kellyn 2000-2002
 Hill, Carrie 2003-2006
 Hocker, Lauren 1998-1999
 Holecheck, Melissa 2003
 Hubbard, Courtney 1997-2000
 Huber, Kiersten 2000-2003

J

Jahnke, Heather 1995
 Jones, Stephanie 2003-2006

K

Keenan, Bryana 2004-2007
 Kenney, Lauren 2000-2003
 Kindel, Susan 1997
 King, Kendra Marie 1995-1998

L

Lock, Dianne 1997-1999
 Lock, Janie 1997
 Longo, Liz 2003
 Loughlin, Kristin 2002-2004
 Lovelady, Jessica 2003

M

Madden, Katie 2000-2003
 Major, Katie 1997
 Mantooth, Amy 1995-1998
 Mantos, Alice 1995
 Martin, Brooke 1995-1996
 Mastro, Chris 1996-1999
 Mays, Kelsey 2004-2005
 Maza, Ashley 2001-2002
McBrearty, Kady 2005-2007
 McGraw, Jamie 2001-2004
 McIntosh, Kelly 1998
 Meador, Carolyn 1995
 Melnivoce, Anna 2003
 Mengel, Alex 2007
 Miller, Eileen 1997-1998
Morrison, Kari 2007
 Mueller, Kate 2000-2001

N

Neese, Lindsay 2003

O

Obrist, Megan 1997-1999
 O'Doherty, Meaghan 1997-2000
 Osburn, Kelly 1998

P

Pace, Lucinda 1995
 Patriquin, Michelle 2005
Patterson, Rosemary 2005-2007
 Pfeiffer, Lisa 1997-2000
 Pieper, Lindsay 2004-2007
 Poole, Jane 1999-2001
 Puckett, Ashley 2003

R

Radecic, Taylor 2006
 Rainbolt, Stacey 1998-2001
Reich, Jenna 2005-2007
 Richards, Faith 2007
 Ringle, Lindsay 2000-2001
 Rogers, Leigh 2005
 Russo, Katie 2005-2007

S

Saddler, Stacy 1999
 Sandridge, Monica 1997-1998
 Schiavone, Nikki 2004-2005
 Schilling, Kate 2004-2007
 Sheppard, Shannon 1995-1996
 Shin, Catherine 1995-1996
 Swenson, Lauren 2006
 Sybert, Samantha 2000-2003

T

Therit, Lauren 2003
 Thomas, Caitlin 2006
 Thomas, Mary Cay 2004
 Threadgold, Kate 2002-2004
 Titus, Sam 2007
 Trevisan, Kate 1999-2000
 Tsimbidis, Lisa 2000-2002

U

Urban, Rachel 2001-2002

V

Vissoe, Kate 2000-2002

W

Wagner, Melissa 1996-1999
Warner, Briana 2007
Warner, Casey 2006-2007
 Waters, Megan 2006-2007
 Webster, Jamie 2004-2007
 Welch, Lindsey 2001-2004
 Whitty, Lauren 2002-2003
 Will, Dawn 1997-2000
 Wilson, Robin 1995
 Wise, Kati 1996-1997
 Wolff, Kristen 1996-1999
 Wooten, Lindsay 2003

Z

Zeigler, Kristy 2006-2007

* Current players in **bold**.

All-Time Roster

OPPONENT INFORMATION

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BOSTON COLLEGE EAGLES

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 Head Coach: Bowen Holden
 2007 Record: 6-11, 1-4 ACC
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 Head Coach: Kim Ciarrocca
 2007 Record: 11-6, 5-2 CAA
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Location: Philadelphia, Pa.
 Head Coach: Anna Marie Vesco
 2007 Record: 12-5, 3-4 CAA
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Location: Durham, N.C.
 Head Coach: Kerstin Kimel
 2007 Record: 16-4, 4-1 ACC
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 Web: www.GoDuke.com

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Location: Fairfax, Va.
 Head Coach: Amy Bokker
 2007 Record: 6-10, 1-6 CAA
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Location: Farmville, Va.
 Head Coach: Janey Grubbs
 2007 Record: 3-13, 0-0
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LOUISVILLE CARDINAL

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 2007 Record: 0-0
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 Head Coach: Cathy Reese
 2007 Record: 16-4, 4-1 ACC
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OREGON DUCKS

Location: Eugene, Ore.
 Head Coach: Jen Larsen
 2007 Record: 12-7, 4-1 MPFS
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 Head Coach: Sue Murphy
 2007 Record: 14-6, 6-1 A-10
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 Email: morghan.vahue@richmond.edu
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VANDERBILT COMMODORES

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 2007 Record: 11-6, 3-1 ALC
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 Head Coach: Julie Myers
 2007 Record: 19-4, 3-2 ACC
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 2007 Record: 3-13, 1-6 CAA
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SERIES RECORDS

Opponent	Record	Home	First	Last	Strk
Albany	1-0	1-0	07	07	W1
American	3-4	2-1	95	07	W2
Boston College	2-4	1-2	01	07	L2
Bucknell	4-0	2-0	98	06	W4
California	1-0	1-0	00	00	W1
Colby	0-1	0-0	95	95	L1
Colgate	0-2	0-1	96	97	L2
Columbia	1-0	1-0	03	03	W1
Connecticut	1-3	0-2	01	04	L3
Cornell	0-2	0-1	97	98	L2
Davidson	9-4	5-1	95	06	W3
Delaware	1-1	1-1	06	07	L1
Denver	3-1	2-1	99	07	L1
Drexel	2-0	1-0	97	98	W2
Duke	0-9	0-3	97	07	L9
Duquesne	2-0	1-0	99	00	W2
George Mason	3-8	1-4	95	07	W1
Georgetown	0-4	0-1	01	04	L4
Goucher	0-1	0-1	95	95	L1
Hofstra	2-2	1-1	97	00	L1
Hollins	1-0	0-0	95	95	W1
Howard	1-0	1-0	05	05	W1
James Madison	0-5	0-1	01	07	L5
LaSalle	4-1	2-0	98	06	W1
Lafayette	2-0	1-0	04	05	W2
Longwood	1-2	1-0	04	07	W1
Louisville	0-0	0-0	08	08	-
Maryland	0-4	0-2	03	07	L4
Massachusetts	2-2	0-0	99	00	L1
Monmouth	4-0	2-0	95	02	W4
Mount St. Mary's	3-0	2-0	96	07	W3
New Hampshire	1-0	0-0	03	03	W1
North Carolina	0-12	0-1	96	07	L12
Northwestern	2-1	1-0	02	04	L1
Notre Dame	0-4	0-2	01	04	L4
Ohio	2-2	2-0	03	06	W1
Ohio State	8-4	6-1	96	07	L1
Old Dominion	0-2	0-1	96	97	L2
Oregon	0-0	0-0	08	08	-
Richmond	0-4	0-1	95	07	L4
Rutgers	3-2	1-0	00	04	W1
St. Bonaventure	1-1	0-0	00	05	L1
St. Joseph's	3-0	2-0	96	00	W3
Stanford	2-1	0-1	96	07	L1
Syracuse	0-4	0-1	01	04	L4
Temple	1-3	0-1	96	00	L1
UMBC	4-0	3-0	97	06	W4
Vanderbilt	2-4	2-1	96	01	W1
Virginia	0-11	0-5	97	07	L11
William & Mary	0-1	0-0	02	02	L1

2008 opponents are in bold type.

ALL-TIME RESULTS

HEAD COACH: Dipi Bhaya

1995 (2-7)

Captain: Brooke Martin

Mar. 6	at Hollins	W, 21-2
Mar. 15	at Richmond	L, 1-14
Mar. 22	Goucher	L, 13-15
Apr. 1	vs. Colby	L, 7-13
Apr. 4	George Mason	L, 4-10
Apr. 9	Davidson	L, 12-13
Apr. 11	at American	L, 10-13
Apr. 23	Monmouth	W, 13-7
Apr. 26	at Davidson	L, 11-13

1996 (7-6)

Captains: Heather Dent and Brooke Martin

Mar. 9	Colgate	L, 8-10
Mar. 12	at Temple	L, 3-22
Mar. 14	at St. Joseph's	W, 16-13
Mar. 16	at Monmouth	W, 20-10
Mar. 23	vs. Stanford	W, 12-11
Mar. 25	at Vanderbilt	L, 12-18
Mar. 30	at North Carolina	L, 4-19
Apr. 3	Old Dominion	L, 8-16
Apr. 6	American	W, 18-5
Apr. 13	Mount St. Mary's	W, 20-5
Apr. 18	Davidson	W, 22-4
Apr. 20	Ohio State	W, 14-4
Apr. 23	at George Mason	L, 5-16

1997 (4-11)

Captains: Heather Dent, Amy Mantooth and Kendra King

Mar. 4	at Drexel	W, 10-6
Mar. 6	at Hofstra	L, 5-8
Mar. 8	Vanderbilt	L, 9-13
Mar. 14	at Ohio State	W, 8-5
Mar. 15	vs. Colgate	L, 7-10
Mar. 19	Cornell	L, 10-11
Mar. 22	at American	L, 8-12
Mar. 25	#12 North Carolina	L, 3-15
Mar. 27	at Mount St. Mary's	W, 15-7
Mar. 29	at Davidson	L, 16-17
Apr. 5	George Mason	L, 10-13
Apr. 7	at #14 Old Dominion	L, 6-16
Apr. 15	at Duke	L, 4-11
Apr. 23	at Virginia	L, 2-18
Apr. 29	UMBC	W, 10-9

The 2000 squad charged to the Atlantic 10 regular-season championship, setting a school record with five conference wins.

HEAD COACH: Brooke Martin

1998 (8-6)

Captains: Amy Mantooth and Kendra King

Mar. 4	at George Mason	L, 6-12
Mar. 15	vs. Cornell	L, 3-12
Mar. 16	at Vanderbilt	L, 7-14
Mar. 20	Bucknell	W, 18-3
Mar. 22	Drexel	W, 15-4
Mar. 25	at #1 North Carolina	L, 8-22
Mar. 28	vs. Stanford	W, 21-11
Mar. 29	at UMBC	W, 17-15
Apr. 1	at Davidson	W, 21-11
Apr. 4	La Salle	W, 15-4
Apr. 11	Ohio State	W, 10-8
Apr. 14	American	L, 13-14
Apr. 22	#1 Virginia	L, 2-13
Apr. 25	Hofstra	W, 13-8

1999 (11-6, 2-1 Atlantic 10)

Atlantic 10 Tournament Champions

Captains: Kristen Wolff, Lisa Pfeiffer and Melissa Wagner

Mar. 19	UMBC	W, 17-16
Mar. 20	Denver	W, 21-9
Mar. 26	at Hofstra	W, 12-10
Mar. 31	at Davidson	W, 15-13
Apr. 3	at Ohio State	W, 9-8
Apr. 7	North Carolina	L, 15-18
Apr. 10	Temple*	L, 7-8
Apr. 11	St. Joseph's*	W, 16-11
Apr. 14	at Virginia	L, 4-16
Apr. 17	Duquesne	W, 16-9
Apr. 18	at American	L, 12-15
Apr. 20	at Duke	L, 10-21
Apr. 23	at Massachusetts	L, 7-8
Apr. 25	at La Salle*	W, 19-8
Apr. 28	Vanderbilt	W, 14-13
May 1	vs. Massachusetts^	W, 12-11
May 2	at Temple^	W, 8-7

2000 (9-8, 5-1 Atlantic 10)

Atlantic 10 Regular Season Champions

Captains: Dawn Will, Courtney Hubbard, Lisa Pfeiffer and Karen Diacont

Feb. 29	#2 Duke	L, 6-17
Mar. 10	Ohio State	W, 13-10
Mar. 12	American	W, 20-8
Mar. 20	at Rutgers	L, 6-7
Mar. 24	at #18 Vanderbilt	L, 16-19
Mar. 28	California	W, 19-5
Apr. 2	at #5 North Carolina	L, 7-18
Apr. 7	St. Joseph's*	W, 17-5
Apr. 10	at #18 Temple*	L, 6-18
Apr. 12	#7 Virginia	L, 9-17
Apr. 14	at Massachusetts*	W, 8-6
Apr. 16	at La Salle*	W, 17-7
Apr. 18	Hofstra	L, 13-14
Apr. 21	at Duquesne*	W, 20-19
Apr. 23	at St. Bonaventure*	W, 19-1
Apr. 27	Davidson	W, 21-8
May 6	at Massachusetts^	L, 9-10

2001 (6-9, 3-3 BIG EAST)

Captains: Karen Diacont, Jill Engle, Lisa Givens and Stacey Rainbolt

Feb. 27	at #4 Duke	L, 2-14
Mar. 4	at #20 Rutgers*	W, 11-8
Mar. 7	vs. #2 Georgetown*	L, 7-21
Mar. 13	Notre Dame*	L, 8-19
Mar. 17	Monmouth	W, 13-10
Mar. 27	at #7 North Carolina	L, 1-20
Mar. 31	at Boston College	W, 16-13
Apr. 4	Vanderbilt	W, 17-16
Apr. 7	#18 George Mason	L, 14-16
Apr. 13	at #8 Virginia	L, 4-19
Apr. 15	at Ohio State	L, 5-11
Apr. 18	at #13 James Madison	L, 6-13
Apr. 21	at Connecticut*	W, 12-11
Apr. 26	at Davidson	W, 16-4
Apr. 28	#10 Syracuse	L, 6-14

All-Time Results





Coach Brooke Martin led the Hokies to the A-10 regular-season championship in 2000.

HEAD COACH: Tami Riley

2002 (6-10, 1-5 BIG EAST)

Captains: Carrie Birely, Kim Geis,
Lisa Givens and Sam Sybert

Feb. 26	#2 Duke	L, 3-13
Mar. 2	at Rutgers*	W, 9-8
Mar. 3	at Monmouth	W, 13-7
Mar. 10	at #2 Georgetown*	L, 9-11
Mar. 15	Richmond	L, 9-10
Mar. 22	vs. Denver	W, 10-5
Mar. 23	at George Mason	L, 9-13
Mar. 26	Davidson	W, 19-6
Mar. 30	at #14 Notre Dame*	L, 4-15
Apr. 1	at Northwestern	W, 10-5
Apr. 6	Boston College*	L, 15-16
Apr. 10	#3 Virginia	L, 3-18
Apr. 13	#15 Ohio State	W, 16-14
Apr. 20	Connecticut*	L, 11-12
Apr. 24	at William & Mary	L, 12-16
Apr. 28	at #18 Syracuse*	L, 8-18

2003 (3-14, 0-6 BIG EAST)

Captains: Lauren Kenney, Katie Madden,
Jamie McGraw and Sam Sybert

Feb. 21	at #2 Duke	L, 2-16
Feb. 25	vs. #4 Georgetown*	L, 5-17
Mar. 4	vs. #7 Syracuse*	L, 7-8
Mar. 8	George Mason	L, 9-13
Mar. 14	at Ohio	L, 7-12
Mar. 16	at #18 Ohio State	L, 5-14
Mar. 18	Columbia	W, 16-10
Mar. 23	at Richmond	L, 10-14
Mar. 29	#14 Notre Dame*	L, 13-16
Apr. 4	at Boston College*	L, 8-10
Apr. 6	at New Hampshire	W, 9-8 (OT)
Apr. 9	at #4 Virginia	L, 3-19
Apr. 13	#20 Northwestern	W, 14-9
Apr. 15	at Davidson	L, 7-10
Apr. 19	at Connecticut*	L, 10-16
Apr. 21	at #20 Rutgers*	L, 5-9
Apr. 26	at #2 Maryland	L, 1-18

2004 (8-8, 2-4 BIG EAST)

Captains: Hilary Fay and Lindsey Welch

Mar. 7	#4 Georgetown*	L, 7-16
Mar. 11	at Bucknell	W, 13-7
Mar. 13	at Lafayette	W, 13-9
Mar. 19	Rutgers*	W, 16-7
Mar. 21	at #8 James Madison	L, 8-20
Mar. 26	at #3 Notre Dame*	L, 11-18
Mar. 28	at #13 Northwestern	L, 11-12
Apr. 2	#17 Ohio State	W, 10-6
Apr. 4	Boston College*	W, 14-6
Apr. 9	at #11 Syracuse*	L, 7-12
Apr. 11	Ohio	W, 14-12
Apr. 14	Davidson	W, 18-6
Apr. 17	Connecticut*	L, 10-21
Apr. 19	Virginia	L, 13-20
Apr. 22	at Longwood	L, 14-15 (2OT)
Apr. 24	at #18 George Mason	W, 5-4

2005 (5-10, 0-4 ACC)

Captains: Katie Boyle, Melissa Fullenkamp
and Stephanie Jones

Feb. 26	vs. UMBC	Cancelled
Mar. 2	Longwood	Cancelled
Mar. 5	at George Mason	W, 11-8
Mar. 7	vs. St. Bonaventure	L, 8-13
Mar. 11	at Ohio	L, 11-12 (3OT)
Mar. 13	at Ohio State	L, 7-13
Mar. 17	at #16 James Madison	L, 10-14
Mar. 20	vs. La Salle	L, 8-9
Mar. 24	Howard	W, 21-4
Mar. 26	Bucknell	W, 16-6
Apr. 2	#9 Maryland*	L, 7-14
Apr. 6	Davidson	W, 20-2
Apr. 12	#6 North Carolina*	L, 10-12
Apr. 15	at #5 Virginia*	L, 3-18
Apr. 17	Lafayette	W, 17-5
Apr. 22	at #2 Duke*	L, 7-20
Apr. 28	vs. #9 North Carolina^	L, 5-15

2006 (8-9, 0-5 ACC)

Captains: Stephanie Jones, Katie Boyle,
Britt Faulkner and Lindsay Pieper

Feb. 24	UMBC	W, 18-12
Feb. 26	Denver	W, 11-10 (OT)
Mar. 3	at George Mason	L, 9-10
Mar. 8	vs. James Madison	L, 10-14
Mar. 11	La Salle	W, 16-8
Mar. 13	at #3 North Carolina*	L, 11-18
Mar. 18	Ohio State	W, 17-4
Mar. 22	Duke*	L, 6-22
Mar. 25	at Bucknell	W, 6-5 (OT)
Mar. 27	Delaware	W, 23-8
Mar. 31	at Maryland*	L, 9-18
Apr. 4	Ohio	W, 14-5

COACHING RECORDS

Coach	Seasons	Overall	Conf.
Dipi Bhaya	3	13-23	-
Brooke Martin	4	34-29	11-6
Tami Riley	5	30-51	3-24
Katrina Silva	1	5-12	0-5

Year	Coach	Record	Conference
1995	Dipi Bhaya	2-7	
1996	Dipi Bhaya	7-6	
1997	Dipi Bhaya	4-11	
1998	Brooke Martin	8-6	
1999	Brooke Martin	11-6	3-2 (A-10)
2000	Brooke Martin	9-8	5-1 (A-10)
2001	Brooke Martin	6-9	3-3 (BIG EAST)
2002	Tami Riley	6-10	1-5 (BIG EAST)
2003	Tami Riley	3-14	0-6 (BIG EAST)
2004	Tami Riley	8-8	2-4 (BIG EAST)
2005	Tami Riley	5-10	0-4 (ACC)
2006	Tami Riley	8-9	0-5 (ACC)
2007	Katrina Silva	5-12	0-5 (ACC)
13	Overall	82-116	14-35

Apr. 9	at Boston College*	L, 8-13
Apr. 12	at Longwood	L, 13-15
Apr. 14	#3 Virginia*	L, 5-12
Apr. 19	at Davidson	W, 16-5
Apr. 27	vs. #3 North Carolina^	L, 7-12

HEAD COACH: Katrina Silva

2007 (5-12, 0-5 ACC)

Captains: Britt Faulkner, Jackie Gray
and Lindsay Pieper

Feb. 18	at #13 Richmond	L, 10-18
Feb. 21	at #9 Virginia*	L, 15-2
Feb. 25	Albany	W, 13-7
Mar. 2	Denver	L, 7-19
Mar. 4	George Mason	W, 8-7
Mar. 9	Mount St. Mary's	W, 20-9
Mar. 11	at American	W, 17-8
Mar. 14	#5 James Madison	L, 15-23
Mar. 18	Boston College*	L, 15-16
Mar. 23	at #5 Duke*	L, 7-16
Mar. 25	Stanford	L, 10-12 (OT)
Mar. 27	at Delaware	L, 7-16
Mar. 30	at Ohio State	L, 10-13
Apr. 10	Longwood	W, 18-9
Apr. 13	#3 North Carolina*	L, 5-15
Apr. 22	#2 Maryland*	L, 17-21
Apr. 26	at #5 North Carolina^	L, 7-18

* Conference game

^ Conference tournament

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Beginning in 1872 with 132 students and two programs of study, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, popularly known as Virginia Tech, has evolved into a comprehensive university of national and international prominence. With about 25,800 full-time students in Blacksburg and more than 2,000 other students statewide, the university produces world-class scholarship in a challenging academic environment. University tradition is firmly rooted in our motto, *Ut Prosim* (That I May Serve), and our historic land-grant mission is brought to life through learning, discovery, and engagement.

LEARNING

Virginia Tech's challenging academic standards attract high-achieving students. Our eight colleges (Agriculture & Life Sciences, Architecture & Urban Studies, Engineering, Liberal Arts & Human Sciences, Natural Resources, Pamplin Business, Science, and Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine) and Graduate School offer more degree programs than any

TECH AT A GLANCE

- Eight colleges and graduate school
- 16:1 student-faculty ratio
- Main campus includes more than 100 buildings, 2,600 acres, and an airport
- Ranked 56th in university research in the United States
- All campus facilities, including residence halls, have high-speed connections to voice, data and video communications.
- The university's undergraduate engineering program is 17th among the nation's engineering schools and ninth among public universities, according to *U.S. News & World Report*.
- In 2004, the *London Times* ranked Virginia Tech among its top 200 universities in the world.

other university in the state with 60 undergraduate and 140 graduate offerings. Virginia Tech is one of the nation's leaders in developing and using instructional technologies. Some 85 percent of our departments offer e-learning courses, which have attracted more than 60,000 enrollments since 1998.

DISCOVERY

The university's groundbreaking research transforms lives and communities. With annual research expenditures of about \$322 million, Virginia Tech is ranked 56th among research universities in the United States. The university, which has more than 100 research centers, also consistently ranks among the top institutions in industry-supported research and near the top 10 in the number of patents issued each year.

The university's nationally and internationally recognized faculty and motivated students are involved in more than 3,500 research projects in fields ranging from biotechnology to materials, from the environment and energy to food and health, and from transportation to computing information.

ENGAGEMENT

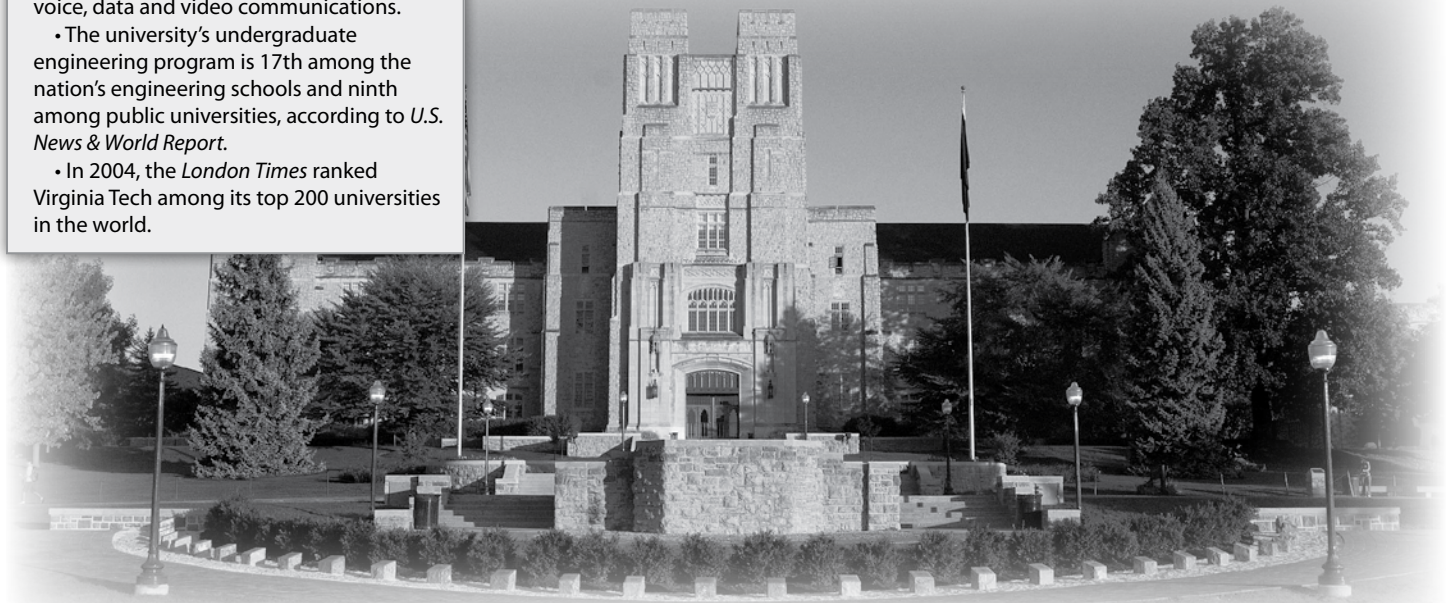
As part of our outreach mission and in adherence to our motto, we serve and engage the citizens of the commonwealth, the nation, and the world. Virginia Tech is involved in a multitude of

economic and community development projects. These efforts focus on education and the dissemination of knowledge to the global society in which we live.

Professionals, organizations, and communities tap Virginia Tech's vast resources, expertise, and research results through hundreds of continuing and professional education programs and five campus centers. Virginia Tech has a long history of providing innovative distance-learning techniques, such as satellite videoconferencing, multimedia, interactive video, interactive computer conferencing, and Web-based courses, to meet the various needs of working adults and other nontraditional students.

Virginia Tech manages more than \$30 million in funded economic development projects in 27 countries and encourages faculty members to develop global course content and study abroad opportunities for students. In 2005-06, about 1,870 students from 117 foreign countries studied at Tech, while more than 800 Virginia Tech students studied abroad.

Virginia Cooperative Extension, operated jointly in the commonwealth by Virginia Tech and Virginia State University, has been helping people improve their economic, cultural, and social well being for more than 90 years. With 107 city/county offices, tens of thousands of volunteers, and programs across the state, Extension reaches and teaches millions of Virginians annually.



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STUDENT LIFE

The Virginia Tech Athletics Office of Student Life is under the direction of Patricia Lovett. Lovett, a transplant from Murray State, is the Coordinator of Student Life. The programs and services implemented by the Virginia Tech Athletics Office of Student Life are inspired by the NCAA/CHAMPS Life Skills Program. The program was honored for its commitment to serving the good of the student-athletes by the Division I-A Athletic Director's Association as a Program of Excellence.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The Athletics Office of Student Life community outreach program is "Hokies with Heart". Student-athletes are encouraged to volunteer throughout their college experience. The lacrosse team has a partnership with Kipps Elementary School.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Virginia Tech student-athletes are savoring their collegiate athletic experiences with the understanding that upon graduation they will need to have a job secured. Lovett works with Becca Scott in the Virginia Tech Career Services Center to create programs designed to teach student-athletes why they are much sought after for their transferable skills (resiliency, time-management, teamwork, competitiveness and ambition).

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

The Virginia Tech Athletics Office of Student Life is responsible for nominating student-athletes for academic honors and awards. Athletes are nominated for on-campus, ACC and national awards. Student-athletes with a 3.0 GPA are rewarded each semester by being honored on the Athletic Director's Honor Roll. The 2006 calendar year listed 449 student-athletes with this honor, a 20 percent increase from the 2005 calendar year.

SAAC

The Student Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) promotes effective communication between athletic administration and student-athletes. SAAC is comprised of two representatives from each sport, who meet twice a month to discuss issues and concerns regarding their sports, the department of athletics, ACC and NCAA legislation. The student-athletes encourage their teammates to get involved both on campus and in the community. The lacrosse representatives this year are Rachel Culp and Kari Morrison.

SPORTS MEDICINE

The Virginia Tech Sports Medicine Department is an ever-changing and developing unit that strives to provide the most current and comprehensive care to all student-athletes. Under the leadership of Mike Goforth, assistant director of athletics for athletic training, the department is constantly evolving to incorporate new ideas and state-of-the-art resources for the betterment of student-athletes.

Their team of certified athletic trainers, orthopaedic surgeons, Board Certified primary care physicians, chiropractors, physical therapists, sport psychologists, nutritionists, massage therapists and orthotists are available on site to manage the health care needs of Tech athletes. The staff continually looks for ways to enhance the services provided for their athletes as evidenced by their participation in local and national projects pertaining to related topics such as concussion management, prevention of antibiotic resistant types of staph infection, high ankle sprains and collegiate health care management strategies.

As part of the evolution, Tech recently completed its sixth full year in the 4,300-square-foot Eddie Ferrell Memorial Training Room. This area consolidated the training rooms that existed in the Merryman Center and Cassell Coliseum. The facility gives the training staff a centralized area to care for the needs of all Virginia Tech student-athletes. Virginia Tech now has more than 10,000 square feet dedicated to sports medicine, placing it in the top five percent nationally. The \$10 million Merry-

man Center includes 2,400 square feet of medical space and a physician's suite. The suite is equipped with a new state-of-the-art X-ray system, fluoroscopy unit and minor procedure room, while the training room has offices for the staff, dozens of training tables, two cold tubs, whirlpools, an underwater treadmill, a Biodex System 3 and various other pieces of rehabilitation equipment and treatment modalities.

The sports medicine staff takes great pride in treating the athletes year-round. Special attention is paid to off-season activity. During this time, the staff will analyze past injury data from each participant and construct a preventative program.

A vital part of student-athlete medical services

is access to the Montgomery Regional Hospital's SWVA Center for Orthopaedics and Schiffert Student Health Center. Both facilities are staffed with qualified physicians and staff, and have a wide variety of technologies designed to increase the level of care available to athletes.

"Our goal is to provide the same high level of health care that professional and Olympic athletes receive," Goforth said.

Over the past 10 years, Virginia Tech has developed the reputation for producing top-level certified athletic trainers. Graduates are now employed in positions across the country at various levels of the profession. Colby Harris is the trainer for the lacrosse team this fall.



Outside the Eddie Ferrell Memorial Training Room, Colby Harris prepares Kady McBrearty for practice.



ACADEMIC SERVICES

The success of Virginia Tech's lacrosse program rests largely on the academic progress of each student-athlete. The academic performance of Tech student-athlete has improved each year due in part to the Student Athlete Academic Support Services (SAASS).

The Virginia Tech graduation rate for student-athletes has risen significantly in recent years and will be a school-best 76 percent for 2007. This marks the fourth time in the last six years that Virginia Tech's student-athlete graduation rate has been 70 percent or better.

In addition to posting impressive graduation figures, current Virginia Tech student-athletes continue to excel in the classroom. For the 2006 calendar year, 449 3.0 GPA's were earned by student-athletes, student trainers, student managers, cheerleaders and High Techs.

Student-athletes devote many hours to

practice, conditioning and training that are not required of all students. Due to their time commitment and their high visibility, it is an obligation and in the best interest of the university to supply these students with services which will allow them to maximize their academic potential.

The Virginia Tech SAASS office is committed to providing fundamental and supplemental programming, consistent with university and NCAA policy, aimed at enhancing each student-athlete's educational experience.

In the 2006-07 academic year, the SAASS office moved to the West Side of Lane Stadium. Here, student-athletes have access to state-of-the-art technology, quiet study facilities, individualized tutorial rooms and direct access to the SAASS staff. This complex is the focal point for the Athletics Department, both

aesthetically and pragmatically, and provides a centralized place for student-athlete services.

Together, these spaces provide the student-athletes with a variety of study environments conducive to their success. Athletes can use these facilities between classes, after practice or in the evenings, with flexible hours tailored to make the most of a student-athlete's limited time.

Chris Helms, in his ninth year at Tech, is the director and is responsible for the development and leadership of the Student Athlete Academic Support Services office.

Terrie Repass is in her 33rd year at Virginia Tech. She serves as the office secretary and "first contact" person for SAASS.

Linda Soderberg is overseeing lacrosse student athletes this spring.

ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE

There's much more to athletic performance than weight training. Always striving to stay on the cutting edge, Virginia Tech has combined strength and conditioning with nutrition and sport psychology to the benefit of its student-athletes. At Tech, these areas are part of the student-athletes' preparation – not just for game day, but also for life.

SPORTS NUTRITION

Eating healthy and choosing nutritious diets are important aspects of a Virginia Tech student-athlete's life and that's why in July 2002, the athletics department implemented the sports nutrition program. Amy Freel serves as the director.

Freel provides individual players with diet counseling on issues such as gaining lean muscle mass, losing body fat, and eating choices to improve performance.

"It is extremely beneficial for our student-athletes to have nutrition education and counseling available to them in order for them to remain successful in their sports and outside of athletics," Freel said. "The individualized nutrition education allows the athletes and me to get very specific on their nutritional, personal and sport-specific goals."

STRENGTH & CONDITIONING

One of the most important aspects of a successful college athletics program is its strength and conditioning program.

Thanks to the direction of assistant athletics director for athletic performance Mike Gentry, the Virginia Tech strength and conditioning program is among the best in the nation.

Tech football players can also train in the Jim "Bulldog" Haren Weight Room. Located in Jamerson Athletic Center, the 5,000-square foot weight room was officially dedicated in September 1985 to Haren, a former Hokie player and long-time supporter of the Virginia Tech Athletics Department. With the two facilities, the Hokies have more than 22,000-square feet of strength and conditioning training space.

Assisting Gentry in the weight room this year are four full-time assistant strength and conditioning coaches. Terry Mitchell is the assistant director of strength and conditioning. Former football players Jarrett Ferguson and Keith Short, as well as former Tech volleyball player Jamie Meyer, serve as coordinators for strength and conditioning.

SPORT PSYCHOLOGY

Virginia Tech offers another important service to all of its student-athletes – sport psychology. Dr. Gary Bennett coordinates the sport psychology department, which offers psychological and performance enhancement services for student-athletes. Bennett also works closely with the Cook Counseling Center.

Bennett meets with student-athletes on an individual basis for personal counseling and to discuss the mental aspects of the game. He also works on team building, communication and performance enhancement. The sport psychology department also offers injured athletes the opportunity to meet with other injured athletes and talk about their recovery process.

"We try to address all the various factors that affect student-athletes' performance on and off the field," Bennett said. "We believe we can help athletes perform better by addressing those concerns."

The student-athletes are very receptive to the services offered by the doctors. The sport psychology office reaches out to athletes who may not have considered going to the counseling service that is offered to all students at Virginia Tech.

MEDIA INFORMATION

Media Information

Virginia Tech lacrosse home games are held at the Tech Lacrosse Stadium and are free of charge. Media interested in covering events are to notify the Athletics Communications Office at least 24 hours in advance.

The Sandy D. Thompson press box is located on the opposite side of the field from the grandstand between the team benches. Additional space, including filming area, is located on top of the grandstand. No media pass is needed to enter the press box.

Coach/Player Interviews

PLEASE SCHEDULE ALL INTERVIEWS THROUGH THE VIRGINIA TECH ATHLETICS COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE AT (540) 231-6726.

For interviews with head lacrosse coach Katrina Silva or any of the Hokies, please contact the Virginia Tech Athletics Communications Office – (540) 231-6726.

Coach Silva is usually available for interviews during the week, depending on practice schedules, while interviews with players will be available according to class and practice.

At no time will an athlete's phone number be released and members of the media are asked not to contact athletes at home, on their cell phones or via E-mail.

Post-Game Interviews

Coach Silva and players will be available for interviews after home contests on the field. Please make all requests for interviews with the Athletics Communications Director in the press box.

Game Results

Box scores will be available immediately following the conclusion of the game, and will also be sent to the opposing team's media relations office. Media can access the statistics via the Internet by logging onto www.hokiesports.com for complete results, stats, bios and stories.

Live Stats and Broadcasts

Fans and media can keep up with the Hokies via the Internet with live stats. At all home games, and selected away contests, play-by-play, as well as up-to-date box scores and stats, are available by clicking on the live stats link on Tech's athletic homepage, www.hokiesports.com.

Directions to Blacksburg

From the north or east, take I-81 south to exit 118B, following US 460 west to Blacksburg.

From the south, take I-81 north to exit 118B, following US 460 west to Blacksburg.

From West Virginia, take I-77 south (West Virginia Turnpike) to exit 9. Exit and turn left onto 460 east. Follow 460 east to Blacksburg.

Once in Blacksburg, use the 460 bypass around the downtown area. Follow 460 to the traffic light at Southgate Drive (Va. 314). Turn into campus, and proceed one-half mile on Southgate Drive. Turn left onto Spring Road at the traffic light. The Virginia Tech Lacrosse Stadium is on the left past the outdoor track and field house, just across the parking lot from Lane Stadium and the Jamerson Athletics Center.

QUICK FACTS

General Information

Name of School: Virginia Tech
Location: Blacksburg, Va.
Founded: 1872, Virginia land-grant university
Enrollment: 28,000
Colors: Chicago maroon & burnt orange
Nickname: Hokies
Field: Tech Lacrosse Stadium (Grass/2,028)
Conference: Atlantic Coast Conference
President: Dr. Charles W. Steger
Director of Athletics: Jim Weaver
Senior Women's Admin: Sharon McCloskey
Website: www.hokiesports.com

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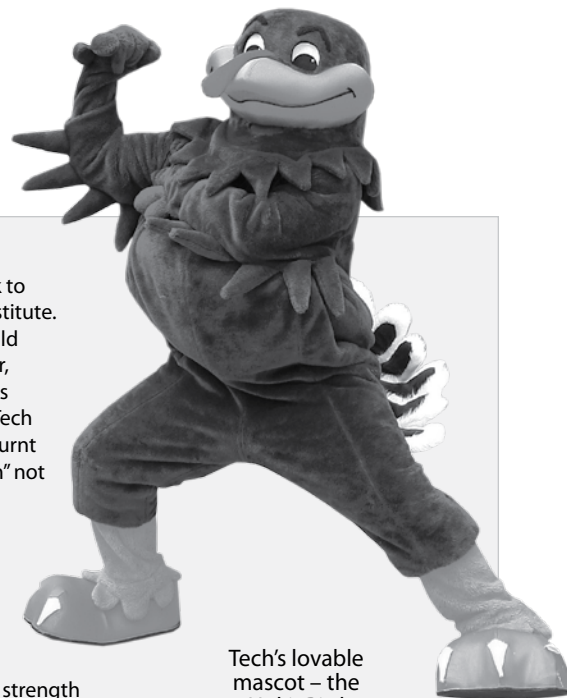
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Just what is a Hokie, anyway?

That's the most often-asked question in Virginia Tech athletics. The answer leads all the way back to 1896 when Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College changed its name to Virginia Polytechnic Institute. With the change came the necessity for writing a new cheer and a contest for such a purpose was held by the student body. Senior O.M. Stull won first prize for his "Hokie" yell which still is used today. Later, when asked if "Hokie" had any special meaning, Stull explained the word was solely the product of his imagination and was used only as an attention-getter for his yell. It soon became a nickname for all Tech teams and for those people loyal to Tech athletics. The official school colors – Chicago maroon and burnt orange – also were introduced in 1896. They were chosen because they made a "unique combination" not worn elsewhere at the time.

The Hokie Stone Story

Most of the buildings on the beautiful Tech campus are constructed using Hokie Stone. This natural rock is 475-million-year-old dolomite limestone, some of which is mined from a quarry located not far from from Cassell Coliseum. In constructing the buildings at Tech, a stone mason shapes individual stones, arranges them and cements them together with mortar to create walls of great strength and durability.



Tech's lovable mascot – the HokieBird

BLACKSBURG, VA

AND THE NEW RIVER VALLEY



One of America's best college towns, Blacksburg is a perfect setting for Virginia Tech. Located in Southwest Virginia on a plateau between the Blue Ridge and Alleghany Mountains, Blacksburg combines the laid-back lifestyle of a small town with the amenities one would expect to find in a major center of higher education. Together, the town and university have worked hard to create a progressive community that ranks among the nation's elite living environments.

Established in 1798 by John and William Black, the town is surrounded by scenic mountain views that accentuate the area. Today, the nearly 42,000 residents (including students) enjoy a variety of recreation areas in close proximity such as the Blue Ridge Parkway, Appalachian Trail, Claytor Lake and the New River.





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