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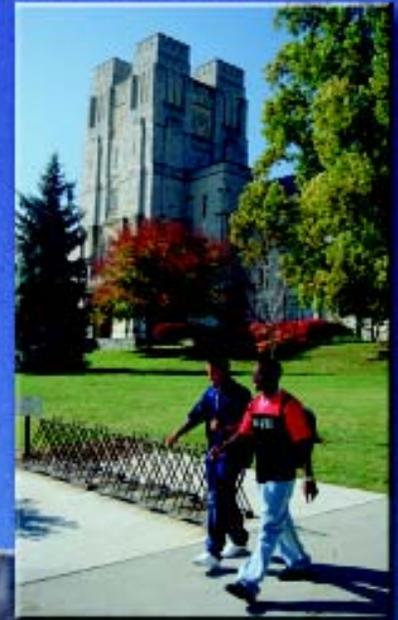
Since its founding in 1872, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, commonly known as Virginia Tech, has grown to become the state's largest university and its top research institution. It has evolved into a comprehensive university of national and international prominence.

Recognizing that higher education is a key force behind the quality of American life, its economic competitiveness, and our democratic form of government, President Charles W. Steger has now challenged the university to become one of the nation's top 30 research schools by the end of the decade.

The university is organized into eight colleges: Agriculture and Life Sciences, Architecture and Urban Studies, Arts and Sciences, Pamplin College of Business, Engineering, Human Resources and Education, Natural Resources, and Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine. Together, they offer about 170 bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degree programs.

Many of Virginia Tech's traditions and strengths are rooted in the university's motto, Ut Prosim: "That I May Serve," and its land-grant missions of instruction, research, and solving the problems of society through public service and outreach activities. Through the generation of new knowledge and the outreach mandate, Virginia Tech disseminates practical knowledge through the classroom and to society as a whole. It is a university that puts knowledge to work.

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## Blacksburg, Virginia

One of America's best college towns, Blacksburg is a perfect setting for Virginia Tech. The town is located 2,100 feet above sea level on a plateau between the Blue Ridge and Alleghany Mountains in Southwest Virginia. It features a laid-back lifestyle of a small town while still offering the amenities one would expect to find around a major center of higher education.

Virginia Tech and Blacksburg are nearly indistinguishable, but the town and university really come together to support their beloved Hokies.





**Rob  
Smith**

# 2001 SOCCER MEDIA GUIDE



**Fred  
Silva**

## Hokie Quick Facts

### University Information

- Location:** Blacksburg, Virginia
- Founded:** 1872
- Enrollment:** 25,000
- President:** Charles W. Steger
- Director of Athletics:** Jim Weaver
- Nickname:** Hokies
- Colors:** Chicago maroon and burnt orange
- NCAA Affiliation:** Division I
- Conference:** BIG EAST

### Men's Soccer Information

- Home Field:** Moseley Field (natural grass, 500)
- Head Coach:** Jerry Cheynet
- Alma Mater:** Kansas State '66
- Record at School:** 227-207-33 (27 years)
- Career Record:** 227-207-33 (27 years)
- Assistant Coaches:** Ryan Spencer, Ryan Cummins
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# 2001 ROSTERS

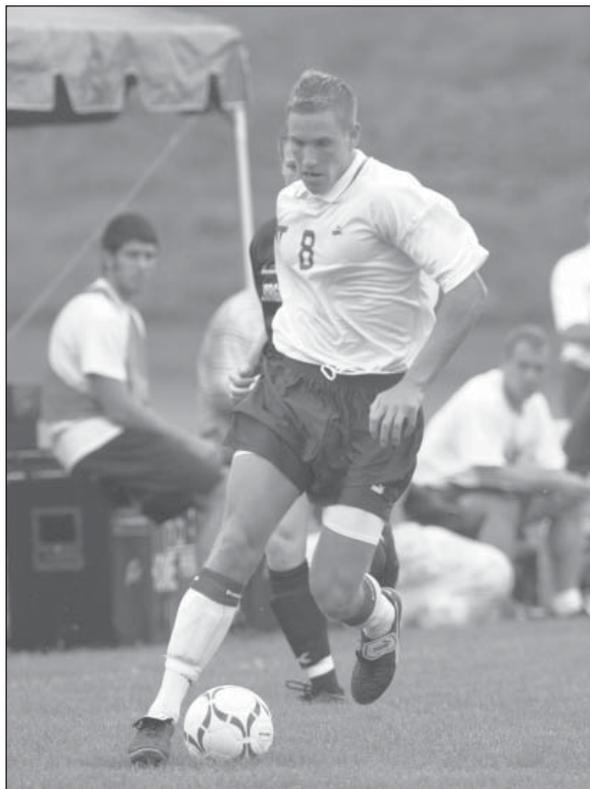
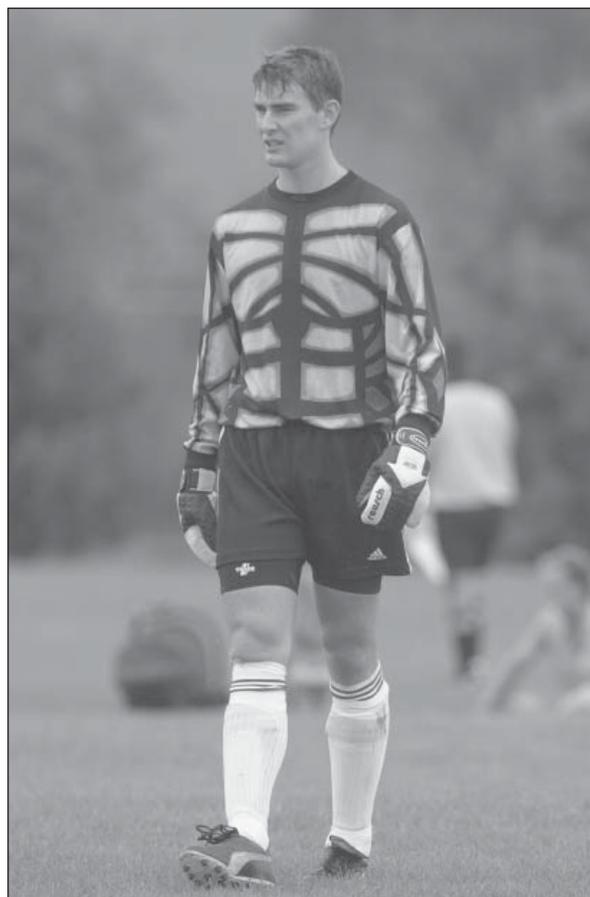
## ALPHABETICAL LISTING

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown
3	Bailey Allman	S	Fr.	Virginia Beach, Va.
4	Keith Benderoth	D	r-Jr.	Woodbridge, Va.
22	Justin Bogner	S	r-Fr.	Herndon, Va.
16	Dustin Bond	MF	Jr.	Blacksburg, Va.
24	Stephan D'Adamo	D	r-Sr.	Mechanicsville, Va.
25	Chris Davidovicz	GK	r-So.	Charlotte, N.C.
11	Mike DeTora	MF	r-So.	Auburn, Mass.
10	Ty Enmark	MF	r-Sr.	Sterling Heights, Mich.
12	John Havas	S	r-So.	Mechanicsburg, Pa.
19	Ken Jonmaire	S	r-Fr.	East Aurora, N.Y.
1	Colin Kibler	GK	r-Sr.	Virginia Beach, Va.
5	Greg Medsker	D	Jr.	Fredericksburg, Va.
14	Drew Myers	S	r-Jr.	High Point, N.C.
21	Bobby O'Brien	S	So.	Williamsburg, Va.
8	Garrett Owens	D	r-Sr.	San Antonio, Texas
7	Jeremy Parsels	MF	r-Sr.	Woodbridge, Va.
6	Michael Piranian	MF	r-Jr.	Lexington, Va.
17	Eric Prigot	D	r-Jr.	Park Ridge, N.J.
20	Harold Russell	D	r-So.	Swarthmore, Pa.
15	Karl Schlegel	MF	r-So.	Indianapolis, Ind.
9	Fred Silva	MF	r-Sr.	Sao Paulo, Brazil
18	Rob Smith	D	Jr.	Greenville, S.C.
0	Monroe Williams	GK	r-Fr.	Wichita, Kan.
13	Sam Vida	D	r-Jr.	Detroit, Mich.
2	Toni Visnjic	D	r-Jr.	Zagreb, Croatia

**Head Coach:** Jerry Cheynet

**Assistants:** Ryan Spencer and Ryan Cummins

**Trainer:** Gary Tedeschi



## NUMERICAL LISTING

No.	Name	Pos	Yr	Hometown
0	Monroe Williams	GK	r-Fr.	Wichita, Kan.
1	Colin Kibler	GK	r-Sr.	Virginia Beach, Va.
2	Toni Visnjic	D	r-Jr.	Zagreb, Croatia
3	Bailey Allman	S	Fr.	Virginia Beach, Va.
4	Keith Benderoth	D	r-Jr.	Woodbridge, Va.
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25	Chris Davidovicz	GK	r-So.	Charlotte, N.C.

# 2001 OUTLOOK

## Hokies Hope for Success in BIG EAST Play

This season brings a new challenge to the Virginia Tech men's soccer team and head coach Jerry Cheynet. After playing as an independent in 2000, the Hokies will end their nomadic voyage by finding a home in one of the nation's premiere soccer conferences, the BIG EAST. But with that home comes stiff competition from the likes of the Connecticut Huskies and the Notre Dame Fighting Irish as well as a host of other teams.

Tech only lost three seniors from the 2000 team, leaving an experienced core of talent for its first year of competition in the conference. Seniors Fred Silva and Ty Enmark will be looked to to provide leadership in 2001. Silva led the Hokies in total points (27), assists (9), and goals scored (9) last year and looks to be in the same position this coming year. His nine assists gave him a total of 30 in his career, breaking the previous school record of 21. Silva was named to the second team of the Virginia (SID) All-State Team. Enmark sat out the majority of last year after injuring his foot in the Radford game early in the season, but has made a full recovery after redshirting. Enmark's tenacious hunger for the ball and knack for goal scoring will be a welcomed addition to the line-up. Add in redshirt senior Garrett Owens, who scored one goal at the defender position last year, and Tech has a solid base in its senior leaders that is sure to provide the team with direction both on and off the field.

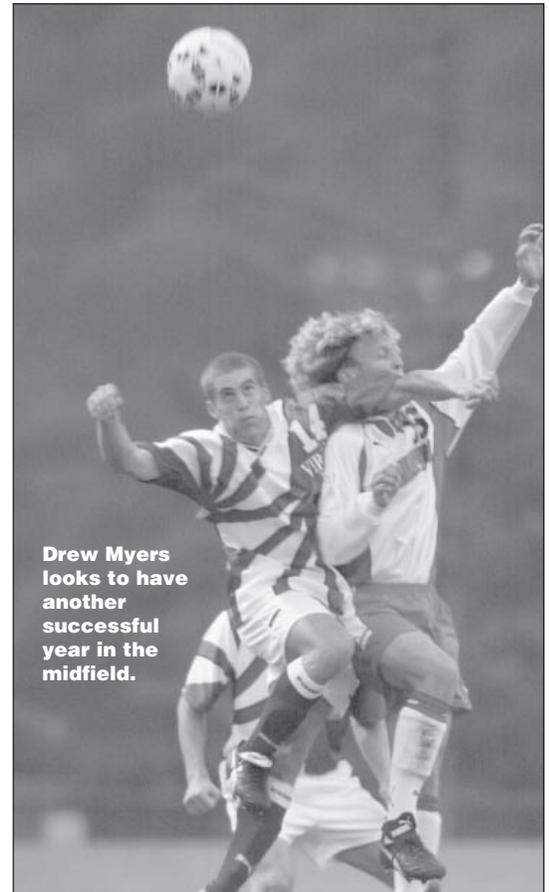
The 2001 season presents Cheynet the luxury of having a solid base of returning players that learned much needed skills last year on the field. At the top of the list is a pair of redshirt juniors at the midfield position. Drew Myers continued his development as a key part of the Hokies offense by scoring six goals, good for second on the team. Myers' drive and determination as well as his knack for goal scoring will definitely give Tech an added advantage at the midfielder position. Pairing with Myers is Keith Benderoth. Benderoth's speed and attentiveness makes him a dangerous threat both as a setup man and as a goal scorer. Rounding out the midfield position is redshirt sophomore Karl Schlegel.

stepped up big time in 2000 by playing in all 19 games and scoring two goals to go along with four assists. His eight total points was tied for fifth best on the team.

As potent as the Hokies' offense may be, their defense may be even more dominating. Defender Owens and goalkeeper Colin Kibler will spearhead the 2001 edition of Tech's defense. Owens powerful frame and speedy pursuit helps erase mistakes on the field. His tough defensive play and on-field leadership earned him the team defensive MVP award in 2000. Pairing up with Owens at the defenseman position is Rob Smith. Voted the most dedicated player in 2000, Smith was the only player to start every match for the Hokies. Add team rookie of the year Harold Russell into the mix and Tech has a solid defensive line ready for BIG EAST play.

Holding down the fort in goal for Tech in 2001 is senior goalkeeper Kibler. Kibler started all but one game for the Hokies in 2000 and tallied over 1,471 minutes in goal. He collected 120 saves throughout the season and posted an 8-8-2 record with four victories coming by way of a shutout. Kibler's excellent footwork and athletic build enables him to make saves others could not.

The Hokies will need strong leadership and chemistry to help them through the tough schedule in front of them this year. Tech will face stiff competition from intra-state rivals James Madison and Old Dominion in addition to BIG EAST opponents. With six seniors returning to play key positions and with a host of young talent blossoming, Tech may have the perfect blend to be successful in its inaugural year in the BIG EAST.



**Drew Myers looks to have another successful year in the midfield.**

**Midfielder Ty Enmark returns to the club after missing most of the 2000 season due to injury.**

# The COACHES

## JERRY CHEYNET • HEAD COACH



Jerry Cheynet remains a fixture in Virginia Tech athletics as he enters his 28th year as the head coach of the Hokie soccer team.

In 2000, the seasoned leadership and game experience of Cheynet helped produce yet another successful season for Virginia Tech soccer. Cheynet displayed some of his best coaching last year. After pulling his team out of a dismal 1-7-2 start, Cheynet helped lead the Hokies to seven victories out of their last nine games, giving the team an overall record of 8-9-2 while playing a tough independent schedule.

Even more will be expected from Cheynet's experience this season as the Hokies look to make their debut in one of the nation's premiere soccer leagues, the BIG EAST.

Cheynet's best years of coaching have been his most recent years. In 1999, Cheynet commanded the Tech squad to an impressive 11-8 record that marked the fourth season in a row that the Hokies had experienced a winning season.

The previous year, 1998, also brought great success to men's soccer at Virginia Tech. Cheynet led his team to the final round of the Bell Atlantic Atlantic 10 Championship before falling to the Flyers from Dayton 0-1. The Hokies ended the season 11-9-1.

The Hokies also posted a record-breaking season in 1997, in which the team earned a program-best 14 wins, set six school records and won the regular-season conference crown. Cheynet was named the 1997 Atlantic 10 Coach of the Year.

Cheynet took over the head coaching role in the program's third year at the varsity level in 1974. He has compiled a record of 227-207-33 during his career at Tech.

Soon after his arrival, the Hokies put together five consecutive winning seasons, including their first 10-win campaign in 1981. Under Cheynet's guidance, the Hokies posted six consecutive

seasons with 10 or more wins from 1988 to 1993.

Virginia Tech, with Cheynet at the helm, was the only school to win the Metro Conference Tournament title four times. The Hokies captured the championship in 1984, 1985, 1989 and 1990, beating Cincinnati in three of the four title games.

In a state with several powerhouse soccer programs, Cheynet has kept the Tech program successful through consistent coaching and strong recruiting efforts. He has guided many of his players to regional and national recognition and helped give some individuals the opportunity to pursue professional soccer careers.

In 1997 forward Matt Whalen was named to the all-South Atlantic team and in 1993, Eric McClellan and Tarik Walker garnered the same honors. During his career, Cheynet has had 11 players named to all-South Atlantic teams and 19 chosen for all-state teams.

In addition to his soccer duties at Tech, Cheynet also served as the head wrestling coach from 1975-95, compiling a record of 188-161-6. He was named Coach of the Year in 1993 after the Hokie grapplers captured the Colonial Athletic Association championship. The following year, wrestler Josh Feldman earned All-America honors and finished seventh in the NCAA Championships.

Cheynet also directed the golf team from 1980 through 1983, leading the team to a state intercollegiate title in 1980.

A native of Wichita, Kan., Cheynet attended Kansas State University and competed in soccer and wrestling. He received All-America honors in wrestling during his senior year with the Wildcats. He graduated with a bachelor's degree in physical education in 1966 and received a master's from KSU in 1967.

Cheynet is married to the former Mary Jane Faust of Independence, Kan. The couple's two sons are both Hokies: George graduated with an M.B.A. in 1995, and John graduated in 1994 with a degree in forestry.

## RYAN CUMMINS • ASSISTANT COACH



Ryan Cummins is no stranger to Virginia Tech soccer. Cummins played soccer for the Hokies for four years before graduating in 2000 with his degree in business. He now focuses his attention on helping the men's soccer program be successful on the field.

Cummins can only hope he can have as much success on the sidelines as a coach as he did on the

field as a player. In his four year career he totalled eight goals, 12 assists and a total of 20 points. Cummins' most successful year on the pitch was his last. He went on to score four goals and tally three assists for a total of 11 points, third on the team overall. His success on the field in 2000 led to him being named to the Virginia (SID) All-State second team.

Cummins' duties as an assistant coach include helping with conditioning drills and assisting Coach Jerry Cheynet with game preparations in practice.

## RYAN SPENCER • GRADUATE ASSISTANT



Ryan Spencer enters his second year as a graduate assistant for the men's soccer team.

Spencer graduated from Virginia Tech in 1998 after completing his degree in geography. While at Tech, Spencer participated in both soccer and wrestling, lettering in both. Spencer played

goalkeeper for the Hokies in 1994-1997.

Since graduating from Tech, Spencer served two years as the

assistant coach for the boy's soccer team at W.T. Woodson High School in Northern Virginia. While coaching there he helped lead the Cavaliers to their first AAA state championship.

Spencer also served as the assistant coach and goalkeeper trainer for the BRYC Warhawks in 1999. The Warhawks were the Region 1 under-17 Virginia state champions and the Youth National Champions in 1999.

Spencer is currently enrolled in the graduate school program at Virginia Tech, working to acquire his master's degree in geography.



# Meet THE HOKIES



## Stephen D'Adamo 24

MF/D • 5-11 • 165 • r-Sr.  
Mechanicsville, Va.

Back on the roster after redshirting in 2000 ... Dedicated all summer to soccer ... Is a true blue collar worker who works as hard off the field as on ... Possesses strong defensive ability that will mesh well with Jeremy Parsel's offensive attack in the midfield ... **2000:** Redshirted ... **1999:** Appeared in 17 games, starting 12 ... Was a strong defensive presence in the midfield ... Assisted on one goal to give him a total of one point on the year ... Took five shots on goal ... **1998:** Played in three games ... Gained valuable experience playing soccer at the collegiate level ... **Mercer College:** Transferred to Tech after his freshman year ... Was a starter in the midfield for Coach Tom Melville ... **High School:** Was a four-year letterwinner for Coach Ed Kidder at Lee-Davis H.S. ... Was selected to the all-district team his last three years of play ... Named to the all-regional team his final two years ... **Personal:** Born February 22, 1979 ... Son of Steve and Virginia D'Adamo ... Majoring in aerospace engineering.

### D'ADAMO'S CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1998	3-0	0	0	0	0
1999	17-12	5	0	1	1
Career	20-12	5	0	1	1



## Ty Enmark 10

MF • 6-2 • 170 • r-Sr.  
Detroit, Mich.

Has made a full recovery after suffering a season-ending injury in the third game of last season ... Had played in every game since his freshman year ... Played well in spring ball ... Is an extremely strong player in the defensive midfield that provides the Hokies with big game experience ... Is a top notch defensive stopper and has the skills to be involved in the offense when needed ... **2000:** Started three games and scored one goal on five shots before being hurt ... Scored the game winning goal against William & Mary in the season opener ... Redshirted after breaking a bone in his foot during the Radford game ... Missed the rest of the season after having surgery ... **1999:** Played in 17 games while starting 10 ... Took 13 shots on goal, resulting in two goals ... Added one assist to give him a total of five points on the year ... **1998:** Played in 21 games while starting 15 ... Took 22 shots on goal ... Scored three goals for six total points ... Recorded one game-winning goal against Duquesne ... **1997:** Played in every game for the Hokies ... First collegiate starts came against Xavier and Temple ... Scored goals against Fordham and St. Joseph's ... Netted the game-winning goal against Fordham in double

overtime ... Assisted on Fred Silva's goal against East Carolina and Bobby Warnick's versus St. Joseph's ... **High School:** Attended De la Salle Collegiate where he played soccer three years ... His team was the Catholic league champion in 1995 and '96 ... Team was ranked 12th in the nation his senior year ... Was named to the all-Catholic team in 1994, '95 and '96 ... Was a member of the state ODP team from 1992-97 ... Played for the Mid-Michigan Bucks of the U.S.I.S.L. premier league, which won the conference championship in 1997 ... **Personal:** Born July 31, 1979 ... Son of Gary and Marilyn Enmark ... Enrolled in marketing and finance.

### ENMARK'S CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1997	20-2	15	2	2	6
1998	21-15	22	3	0	6
1999	17-20	13	2	1	5
2000	3-3	5	1	0	2
Career	61-40	55	8	3	19



## Colin Kibler 1

GK • 6-4 • 205 • r-Sr.  
Virginia Beach, Va.

Enters his final season as Tech's No.1 goalkeeper ... Played a major role in the defense last year ... Has showed steady improvement each year ... Has excellent shot saving ability and size to dominate the box on shots and crosses ... Possesses excellent footwork that helps him get to shots ... **2000:** Handled the majority of the goalkeeping duties ... Started all but one of the Hokies' 19 games ... Posted an 8-8-2 record, with four victories coming by way of shutout ... Collected 120 saves while logging over 1,471 minutes between the pipes ... Finished the season with an impressive 1.96 goals against average ... Was the winner of the Wild Turkey award, given annually to the biggest team prankster ... **1999:** Played in and started 14 games ... Played a total of 1,247 minutes in goal ... Totalled 95 saves with 20 goals allowed ... Finished the season with a 1.44 GAA ... Recorded one shutout ... **1998:** Played 557 minutes in goal ... Tallied 37 saves with only three goals allowed ... Ended the season with a final GAA of 0.48 and a .925 save percentage ... **High School:** Played three years for Coach Jim Snoddgrass at F.W. Cox H.S. ... Received all-district, all-region, all-state and all-Tidewater honors ... Was named the regional co-player of the year ... Also received MVP honors ... Played wide receiver on the football team for Coach Jim Prince ... **Personal:** Born June 4, 1978 ... Son of Rex and Jan Kibler ... Enrolled in business.

### KIBLER'S CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Min.	Saves	Goals	GAA	SO
1998	6-6	557	37	3	.480	3
1999	14-14	1247	95	20	1.44	1
2000	18-18	1471	120	32	1.96	4
Career	38-38	3275	252	55	1.51	8





# Garrett Owens

# 8

**D • 6-1 • 187 • r-Sr.  
San Antonio, Texas**

Is an extremely versatile player ... Played as a striker, at the midfield and finally as a defenseman last year ... Excelled in his defensive role ... Possesses great speed and strength ... Plays hard every time he sets foot on the field ... **2000:** Played in all but one of Tech's 19 games, starting 17 ... Voted the team defensive MVP ... Scored one goal on six shots before moving to the defenseman position ... Finished the year with two total points ... His strong defense helped goalkeeper Colin Kibler to four shutouts ... **1999:** Appeared in 10 matches, starting five ... Took 18 shots ... Totaled one assist on the year to give him a total of one point ... **1998:** Was redshirted ... **High School:** Attended William Howard Taft H.S. ... Lettered four years under Coach Bob Richter ... Was elected to the San Antonio all-city team ... Participated in the Olympic Development Program ... **Personal:** Born March 12, 1979 ... Son of Lila and Lionell Owens ... Enrolled in graphic design.

OWENS' CAREER STATS						
Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points	
1999	10-5	18	0	1	1	
2000	18-17	6	1	0	2	
Career	28-22	24	1	1	3	



# Jeremy Parsels

# 7

**MF • 5-10 • 150 • r-Sr.  
Woodbridge, Va.**

Is a very creative and attacking player ... Will move into the midfield for the 2001 season ... Is a true competitor who is always ready to play ... His creativeness makes those around him better on offense ... **2000:** Saw action in 16 of the Hokies' games, starting 15 ... Was heavily involved in the offense from his defenseman position ... Scored his first goal of the season in the win over VMI ... Netted his second against Old Dominion ... Added one assist to bring his point total to five on the year ... **1999:** Played in 18 games, starting in 17 ... Took a total of 10 shots, converting on two ... Added one assist to boost his point total to five on the year ... **1998:** Played in all 21 games for the Hokies ... Started 19 ... Took 16 shots on goal ... Netted two goals and added an assist for five total points ... Voted team rookie of the year ... **1997:** Redshirted ... **High School:** A three-year letterman for Coach Bill Lanza at Woodbridge Senior H.S. ... Team was state champion in 1996 and ranked second in the national poll by *USA Today* ... Shared the team lead in scoring ... Received all-district and all-region honors ... Also named to the all-Prince William County team ... Played for the Braddock Road American Eagles club team, which won the

regionals and placed second in nationals ... Lettered in basketball ... **Personal:** Born December 4, 1978 ... Son of Fred and Barbara Parsels ... Enrolled in finance.

## PARSELS' CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1998	21-19	16	2	2	6
1999	18-17	10	2	1	5
2000	16-15	16	2	3	7
Career	55-51	42	6	6	18



# Fred Silva

# 9

**MF • 5-11 • 165 • r-Sr.  
Sao Paulo, Brazil**

Was a major part of Tech's offense again in 2000 ... Reads the game extremely well ... Knows exactly what he wants to do with the ball before he touches it ... Is equally dangerous both as a setup man or scorer ... Owns the school record for assists in a year (13) and in a career (31) ... Looks to grow even more in his final year at Tech ... **2000:** Started 14 games ... Led the team in total points (27), goals scored (9) and assists (9) ... Became the leader in career assists with 30 ... Voted second team all-state by the sports information directors of Virginia ... Voted the team's offensive MVP ... Scored his first goal of the year in the tie with Central Florida ... Added his second goal of the year in the Appalachian State game ... Scored at least one goal in six of the Hokies' last seven games ... Netted the first goal of the streak in the win over VMI ... Followed up with another goal against Liberty ... Was responsible for the game-winning goal against Marshall ... Booted two goals in the win over Xavier ... Collected his eighth goal of the year against Old Dominion ... Registered his final goal of the year in the season-ending victory over East Carolina ... **1999:** Played in and started 18 games for the Hokies ... Was selected to the All-Atlantic 10 first team ... Led the team in number of shots taken with 56 ... Led the team in goals scored with six ... Collected 13 assists during the season, a school record ... Led the team in total points scored with 25 ... Named most valuable player by the team ... **1998:** Redshirted ... **1997:** Played in 16 games for Tech ... Took 51 shots on goal, scoring four goals ... Tallied eight assists for 16 total points ... **High School:** Played two years at South Lakes High School for Coach Jeff Murphy ... Was an All-Concorde District, All-Northern Region and all-district tournament selection ... **Personal:** Born August 13, 1979 ... Son of Marcos and Meyre Celentano Silva ... Enrolled in economics.

## SILVA'S CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1997	16-15	51	4	8	16
1999	18-18	56	6	13	25
2000	14-14	56	9	9	27
Career	48-47	163	19	20	68





# Keith Benderoth 4

D • 5-8 • 140 • r-Jr.  
Woodbridge, Va.

Provides Tech with good speed on defense that helps lead to scoring options ... Makes the move from the midfield to defender for the 2001 season ... Is an excellent one-on-one defender ... Can be effective in the offense from the defender position ...

**2000:** Saw action in 16 games, starting 15 ... Was an excellent setup man in the midfield and was responsible for three assists on the year ... **1999:** Played in all but two games for the Hokies ... Started in nine games as a redshirt-sophomore ... Took five shots on goal resulting in one goal for the season ... **1998:** Was redshirted ...

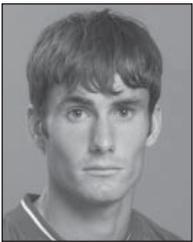


**High School:**

Attended Garfield H.S. ... Lettered four years under Coach Rudy Zimmermann ... Was named three time first-team all Cardinal district ... Was named MVP his senior year ... **Personal:** Born July 21, 1980 ... Son of Richard and Rosemarie Benderoth ... Majoring in marketing and Italian.

### BENDEROTH'S CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1999	9-17	5	1	0	2
2000	16-15	7	0	3	3
Career	25-32	12	1	3	5

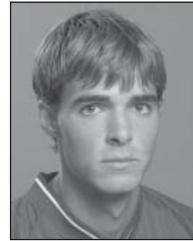


# Dustin Bond 16

D/MF • 6-0 • 175 • Jr.  
Blacksburg, Va.

Comes to Tech after transferring from Radford ... Is expected to step right in and see playing time ... Is a utility player who can play several different positions ... Has good knowledge of the game ... Brings experience of Division I soccer to the pitch ... **Radford:** Played two years for Coach Spencer Smith ... Saw action at the defender,

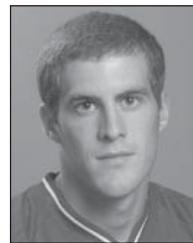
midfield and forward positions ... **High School:** Attended Blacksburg High School ... Played four years for Coach Shelly Blumenthal, lettering all four ... **Personal:** Born May 5, 1981 ... Son of Mike and Vickie Bond ... Majoring in business information systems.



# Greg Medsker 5

D • 6-2 • 185 • Jr.  
Fredericksburg, Va.

Comes to Tech after playing two years at Old Dominion ... Brings good size and Division I soccer experience to the defender position ... Is very knowledgeable of his position ... Will contribute immediately ... **Old Dominion:** Played two years for Coach Alan Dawson ... Experienced success as a defender at the Division I level ... **High School:** Was a four year starter at Chancellor High School ... Was part of the center midfield ... Lettered all four years for Coach Mike Webb ... **Personal:** Born January 19, 1981 ... Son of Thomas and Robin Medsker ... Majoring in interdisciplinary studies.



# Drew Myers 14

MF • 5-9 • 150 • r-Jr.  
High Point, N.C.

Is one of the Hokies' top scorers on the team ... Converts a great percentage of his shots into goals ... Is expected to be more aggressive and confident after a stellar 2000 season ... Excels in the classroom ... **2000:** Appeared in 17 games, starting 10 ... Was second on the team in goals scored with six, despite battling injuries throughout the year ... Also second in total points with 12 ... Scored his first goal of the season against Georgia Southern ... Scored two goals in a game twice, the first against sixth-ranked South Carolina and again against VMI ... Scored his final goal of the year against Old Dominion ... Scored his six goals on only 13 shots ... **1999:** Played in all 19 games at the midfield position ... Was third on the team in scoring with eight points ... Recorded 18 shots, resulting in three goals ... Added three assists to bring his season point total to nine ... **1998:** Redshirted due to injury ... **High School:** Was a four-year letterman at T.W. Andrews High School for Coach Sandy Dalton ... Named to the all-county, all-conference, all-region, all-state and all-tournament teams ... Was captain his senior season ... Also a state medalist in track and competed in baseball and basketball ... **Personal:** Born June 11, 1980 ... Son of Robbie and Pam Myers ... Majoring in business information systems.

### MYERS' CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1999	19-10	18	3	3	8
2000	17-10	13	6	0	12
Career	36-20	31	9	3	21





# Michael Piranian 6

D/MF • 6-2 • 185 • r-Jr.  
Lexington, Va.

Returns to the Hokies after redshirting in 2000 ... Is an excellent one-touch player ... Bulkied up during his redshirt year to add strength on defense ... Should see a great deal of playing time ... Can play at either the defender spot or in the midfield ... **2000:** Redshirted ... **1999:** Played in 15 games, starting five ... Netted one goal in the win over Wofford ... Added one assist to bring his point total to three on the year ... **1998:** Played in eight games for the Hokies ... Took three shots on goal ... Tallied one assist for a total of one point ... **High School:** Played four years at Rockbridge County H.S. for Coach Ted Brush ... An all-district and all-state selection ... Played in the ODP state pool for three years ... Was a midfielder for the Roanoke Stars club team ... Also played lacrosse and basketball ... **Personal:** Born August 18, 1980 ... Son of Rolf and Diane Piranian ... Is enrolled in consumer studies.

PIRANIAN'S CAREER STATS						
Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points	
1998	8-0	3	0	1	1	
1999	15-5	10	1	1	3	
Career	25-5	13	1	2	4	

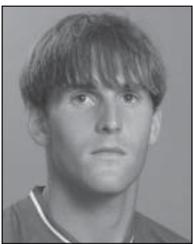


# Eric Prigot 17

D • 6-3 • 188 • r-Jr.  
Park Ridge, N.J.

Will serve as a utility player in the defensive backfield ... Can play multiple positions on both offense and defense ... Possesses good field vision when determining plays ... **1999:** Saw action in four games ... Scored his first collegiate goal against Fordham ... Finished the season with a total of two points ... **1998:** Redshirted ... **High School:** Played four years at Don Bosco Prep for Coach Roy Nygren ... Received all-county, all-league and all-suburban honors ... Team won state championship ... Team was ranked in the state and 25th in the nation ... Also played lacrosse ... **Personal:** Born February 20, 1980 ... Son of Forde and Dorrie Prigot ... Majoring in physical education.

PRIGOT'S CAREER STATS						
Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points	
1999	4-0	1	1	0	2	



# Rob Smith 18

D • 5-9 • 158 • Jr.  
Greenville, S.C.

One of three team captains ... Has top-notch drive and hustle ... Reads the game exceptionally well ... Is a very intense player ... Will

be more involved in the offense this year after moving to the outside defender position ... Can always be counted on by Coach Cheynet to give 100 percent ... **2000:** Was the only player on the team to start all 19 games ... Voted most dedicated by his team ... Excelled at the central defender spot ... Posted one assist for a total of one point ... Helped Tech to four shutouts ... **1999:** Saw action in all of the Hokies games, starting in 17 ... Took six shots ... Played strong on the defensive side of the ball ... **High School:** Attended J.L. Mann High School ... Lettered four years ... Was captain of his team two years ... Was the AAA state player of the year ... Was named conference MVP ... Team was three-time South Carolina state champions ... Was a member of South Carolina ODP from 1994-98 ... Team was the U-20 National Runner-up and won the state three times ... **Personal:** Born October 6, 1980 ... Son of Bob and Marty Smith ... Majoring in engineering.

SMITH'S CAREER STATS						
Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points	
1999	19-17	6	0	0	0	
2000	19-19	3	0	1	1	
Career	38-36	9	0	1	1	



# Sam Vida 13

D • 5-11 • 165 • r-Jr.  
Detroit, Mich.

Missed all of last year with a torn ACL in his right knee ... Has made a full recovery after redshirting ... Possesses the speed, skill and ability to be very effective on defense ... Is a versatile player due to his offensive instincts ... Is an exceptionally talented athlete ... **2000:** Redshirted ... **1999:** Played in 14 total games, starting 10 ... Was a key part of the defense ... Helped Tech to two shutouts ... Took two shots on goal ... Had a successful year despite having to battle injuries throughout ... **1998:** Played in 11 games, starting three ... Took two shots on goal ... **High School:** Was a four-year letterman at Northville H.S. for Coach Henri Klimes ... Was named to the all-conference, all-region and all-state teams ... Was high school team MVP and captain ... Was a member of the Olympic Development region II team ... Played for the state ODP team ... Team was ranked fourth in the country and attended nationals in 1997 and 1998 ... **Personal:** Born January 23, 1980 ... Son of Bruce and Mina Vida ... Majoring in management science.

VIDA'S CAREER STATS						
Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points	
1998	11-3	2	0	0	0	
1999	14-10	6	0	0	0	
Career	25-13	8	0	0	0	



# Toni Visnjic 2

D • 6-0 • 178 • r-Jr.  
Zagreb, Croatia

Brings good size and experience to the Hokies ... Will bolster the defender position ... Will see playing time immediately ... **Personal:** Born July 5, 1980 ... Son of Vinko and Gracela Visnjic ... Is a friend of former Tech soccer standout Stanislav Licul ... Majoring in finance.





# Chris Davidovicz 25

GK • 5-6 • 155 • r-So.  
Charlotte, N.C.

Possesses good knowledge of the keeper position ... Has great hands ... Shows great work ethic in practice ... Gives Tech another option at the keeper position ... **High School:** Attended East Mecklenberg ... Played goalkeeper for Coach Larry Bose ... Was part of the Charlotte Soccer Club that won the state title three times ... **Personal:** Born June 22, 1981 ... Son of Jeff and Sue Davidovicz ... Majoring in finance.



Webb matches ... Added three assists to bring his point total to 10 on the year ... **1999:** Redshirted ... **High School:** Attended Cumberland Valley ... Lettered three years for Coach Jim Smith ... Named to the all-sentinel second team ... Was part of the high school team that was ranked 18th in the country by NSCAA ... Team posted a 47-3 combined record his junior and senior year ... **Personal:** Born December 16, 1980 ... Son of John and Louise Havas ... Is enrolled in business.

### HAVAS' CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2000	14-5	12	3	3	10



# Mike DeTora 11

MF • 5-8 • 147 • r-So.  
Auburn, Mass.

Had an excellent spring practice ... Scored one of the team's five goals in spring ball, a game winner ... Had a good chance to showcase his skills in spring ball due to injuries at the midfield position ... Expected to play with more confidence in 2001 ... **2000:** Saw action in six games at the midfield position ... Provided Coach Cheynet with depth ... **1999:** Redshirted ... **High School:** Attended Auburn High School ... Was the team's captain his senior year ... Was a four-year letterman for Coach Leopold Williams ... Named to the all-Southern Worcester County League and all-district teams ... Was part of the SWCL championship team in 1998 and was named to the All-Star team ... Was first on the team in assists and was named MVP ... Was also a three year letterman for his high school golf team ... **Personal:** Born September 20, 1981 in Worcester, Mass. ... Son of Ken and Nancy DeTora ... Enrolled in veterinary medicine.



# Bobby O'Brien 21

S • 6-3 • 190 • So.  
Williamsburg, Va.

Is expected to be a key component of the offense after having a successful year playing as a true freshman ... Holds the ball well up front ... Has an unlimited amount of potential ... Gained valuable experience his freshman year ... **2000:** Appeared in 16 games, starting eight ... Played his way into the starting lineup ... Scored the game winning goal against Xavier ... Added two assists to bring his point total to four ... **High School:** Attended Jamestown ... Was a four year letterman for Coach Charles Sneddon ... Named to the all-district team all four years of high school ... Was part of the all-state team in 1999 and 2000 ... Named to the first team all-Daily Press squad in 1998-2000 ... **Personal:** Born October 16, 1981 ... Son of Bob and Joyce O'Brien ... Majoring in economics.

### O'BRIEN'S CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2000	16-8	21	1	2	4

### DETORA'S CAREER STATS

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2000	6-0	0	0	0	0



# John Havas 12

D • 6-1 • 175 • r-So.  
Harrisburg, Pa.

Possesses a phenomenal work ethic ... Creates scoring options for himself and teammates by outworking his opponent ... Is a viable offense option both as a setup man and scorer ... Is a true student of the game ... **2000:** Voted the most improved player on the team ... Saw action in 14 games, starting five ... Was fourth on the team in total points with 12 ... Scored his first goal of the year against James Madison ... Scored the winning goal in both the VMI and Gardner-



# Harold Russell 20

D • 5-11 • 165 • So.  
Swarthmore, Pa.

Possesses excellent speed and quickness on defense ... Quickly contributed in his first year of competition ... Moves to the center back position on defense to help accent his impressive defense on the ball ... **2000:** Played in 16 games, starting 13 ... Quickly played his way into a starting role on defense his freshman year ... Scored his first collegiate goal against Central Florida ... His strong play earned him the team's rookie of the year honors ... **1999:** Redshirted

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... **High School:** Played two years of soccer at Strath Haven ... Lettered both years he played for Coach Michael Barr ... Was named honorable mention all-league his junior year and second team all-league his senior year ... Was named to the all-Delco team both years ... **Personal:** Born August 28, 1981 ... Son of Harold and LeVerne Russell ... Is enrolled in computer science.

**RUSSELL'S CAREER STATS**

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2000	16-13	8	1	0	2



Karl Schlegel **15**

**MF • 5-7 • 150 • r-So. Indianapolis, Ind.**

Possesses a work rate that is off the meter ... Provides strong attacking skills from the midfield position ... Was heavily involved in the offense in his first year on the pitch ... Has the speed to get back on defense ... Is a true team player ... **2000:** Saw action in all 19 games, starting 13 ... Scored the first of his two goals on the year against Davidson ... Scored the game-winning goal against Liberty ... Added four assists on the year to bring his point total to eight ... Was tied for fifth on the team in total points scored ... **High School:** Attended Lawrence North High School ... Was a four-year letterman for Coach Joel Witstein ... Started at the varsity level all four years ... Named the teams most valuable player and captain of the team twice ... Was named to the all-county, all-city and all-state teams ... Participated in the Olympic development program ... **Personal:** Born October 23, 1980 ... Son of Rob and Helen Schlegel ... Is enrolled in industrial design.

**SCHLEGEL'S CAREER STATS**

Year	GP-GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2000	19-13	7	2	4	8



Monroe Williams **0**

**GK • 6-5 • 220 • So. Wichita, Kan.**

Tech's goalkeeper of the future ... Has unlimited potential ... Gives head coach Jerry Cheynet an excellent option at the No. 2 keeper spot ... Will gain valuable experience this year in the BIG EAST ... **2000:** Provided depth at the goalkeeper position ... Polished his skills in training exercises and practice ... **High School:** Attended Wichita Southeast ... Was a four-year letterman for Coach Larry Saksa ... Made first team all-state his junior and senior years ... Was named first team all-city his sophomore, junior and senior years ... Helped lead his team to two city league championships while in school ... **Personal:** Born February 6, 1982 ... Son of Ted and Sandy Williams ... Majoring in industrial engineering.

**WILLIAMS' CAREER STATS**

Year	GP-GS	Min.	Saves	Goals	Avg.	SO
2000	0-0	0	0	0	0	0



Bailey Allman **3**

**S • 6-1 • 165 • Fr. Norfolk, Va.**

Possesses good speed on defense ... Has good attack skills regardless of what position he plays ... Uses good footwork to get in position on defense ... Will see playing time as a true freshman ... **High School:** Attended Frank W. Cox High School ... Played four year for Coach Jim Snodgrass ... Lettered all four years ... Was named all-district, all-region and all-state his sophomore, junior and senior years ... Is the all time leading goal scorer in Cox school history ... Was the team MVP his senior year ... Team won regional championship twice ... Was part of the state semifinalist team twice ... **Personal:** Born August 27, 1982 ... Son of Leslie Allman ... Majoring in university studies.



Justin Bogner **22**

**F • 5-11 • 178 • r-Fr. Herndon, Va.**

Returns to the Tech lineup after redshirting ... Is expected to make an impact after a year of preparation ... Is a skilled attack player ... Plays with good strength on the ball ... **2000:** Redshirted ... **High School:** Attended Oakton High School ... Played forward for Coach T.J. White ... Lettered three years at the forward position ... Was named sportsman of the year ... **Personal:** Born March 9, 1982 ... Son of Jim and Terry Bogner ... Majoring in mechanical engineering.



Ken Jonmaire **19**

**S • 5-11 • 168 • r-Fr. East Aurora, N.Y.**

Will play forward for the Hokies ... Is a hard worker in practice ... Has determination and speed when trying for the ball ... **2000:** Redshirted ... **High School:** Attended East Aurora High ... Played striker for Coach Kevin Beale ... Lettered three years ... Named third team all-state and first team all-western N.Y. ... Was the captain of his team and the leading goal scorer his senior year ... Was named team MVP ... **Personal:** Born November 11, 1982 ... Son of Paul and Wendy onmaire ... Majoring in civil engineering.

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# 2001 OPPONENTS

## Boston College

Location: Chestnut Hill, Mass.  
Enrollment: 14,600  
Nickname: Eagles  
Colors: Maroon and gold  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Newton Campus Soccer Field  
Head Coach: Ed Kelly  
'00 Record: 12-7-1  
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/7  
Sports Info. Contact: Lizz Summers  
Phone: (617) 552-3004

## Dayton

Location: Dayton, Ohio  
Enrollment: 6,500  
Nickname: Flyers  
Colors: Red and blue  
Conference: Atlantic 10  
Stadium: Baujan Field  
Head Coach: Dave Schureck  
'00 Record: 14-4-2  
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3  
Letterwinners Returning: 18/4  
Sports Info. Contact: Kevin Wilkinson  
Phone: (937) 294-4460

## Elon College

Location: Elon, N.C.  
Enrollment: 4,150  
Nickname: Phoenix  
Colors: Maroon and gold  
Conference: Big South  
Stadium: Rudd Field  
Head Coach: Mike Reilly  
'00 Record: 10-10  
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 18/3  
Sports Info. Contact: Chris Rash  
Phone: (336) 278-6768

## Gardner-Webb

Location: Boiling Springs, N.C.  
Enrollment: 3,500  
Nickname: Runnin' Bulldogs  
Colors: Red and black  
Conference: Independent  
Stadium: Varsity Field  
Head Coach: Tony Setzer  
'00 Record: 1-17-1  
Starters Returning/Lost: 9/2  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 5/21  
Sports Info. Contact: Elizabeth Allen  
Phone: (704) 406-3981

## Georgetown

Location: Washington, D.C.  
Enrollment: 6,418  
Nickname: Hoyas  
Colors: Blue and gray  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Harbin Field  
Head Coach: Keith D. Tabaznik  
'00 Record: 9-8-1  
Starters Returning/Lost: 6/5  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 16/5  
Sports Info. Contact: Mike Tuberosa  
Phone: (202) 687-2492

## Georgia Southern

Location: Statesboro, Ga.  
Enrollment: 14,200  
Nickname: Eagles  
Colors: Navy blue and white  
Conference: Southern  
Stadium: Eagle Field  
Head Coach: Kevin Chambers  
'00 Record: 6-11-3  
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 14/6  
Sports Info. Contact: Doug Rentz  
Phone: (912) 681-5071

## James Madison

Location: Harrisonburg, Va.  
Enrollment: 15,000  
Nickname: Dukes  
Colors: Purple and gold  
Conference: Colonial Athletic Association  
Stadium: JMU Soccer Field  
Head Coach: Tom Martin  
'00 Record: 17-4-1  
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/4  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 19/9  
Sports Info. Contact: Milla Sue Wisecarver  
Phone: (540) 568-6154

## Notre Dame

Location: Notre Dame, Ind.  
Enrollment: 10,311  
Nickname: Fighting Irish  
Colors: Gold and Blue  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Moose Krause Stadium  
Head Coach: Bobby Clark  
'00 Record: 7-8-2  
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 19/5  
Sports Info. Contact: Tammy Donovan  
Phone: (401) 279-9108

## Old Dominion

Location: Norfolk, Va.  
Enrollment: 19,000  
Nickname: Monarchs  
Colors: Slate blue and silver  
Conference: Colonial Athletic Association  
Stadium: Old Dominion Soccer Stadium  
Head Coach: Alan Dawson  
'00 Record: 10-6-2  
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/4  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 19/7  
Sports Info. Contact: Carol Hudson, Jr.  
Phone: (757) 683-3372

## Pittsburgh

Location: Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Enrollment: 33,112  
Nickname: Panthers  
Colors: Blue and gold  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Quaker Valley H.S. Shaler Area Stad.  
Head Coach: Joe Luxbacher  
'00 Record: 13-5  
Starters Returning/Lost: 5/6  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/6  
Sports Info. Contact: TBA  
Phone: (412) 648-8240

## Radford

Location: Radford, Va.  
Enrollment: 9,100  
Nickname: Highlanders  
Colors: Red, white and blue  
Conference: Big South  
Stadium: Dedmon Center (3,500)  
Head Coach: Spencer Smith  
'00 Record: 12-10  
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 17/8  
Sports Info. Contact: Aaron Barter  
Phone: (540) 831-5211

## Rutgers

Location: Piscataway, N.J.  
Enrollment: 33,583  
Nickname: Scarlet Knights  
Colors: Scarlet  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Yurcak Field  
Head Coach: Bob Reasso  
'00 Record: 10-9-1  
Starters Returning/Lost: 10/1  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 19/4  
Sports Info. Contact: Pat McBride  
Phone: (732) 445-3063

## St. John's

Location: Jamaica, N.Y.  
Enrollment: 17,000  
Nickname: Red Storm  
Colors: Red and white  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: DaSilva Memorial (3,000)  
Head Coach: Dave Masur  
'00 Record: 14-5-2  
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/4  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/11  
Sports Info. Contact: Mike "Mex" Carey  
Phone: (718) 990-1521

## Seton Hall

Location: South Orange, N.J.  
Enrollment: 9,608  
Nickname: Pirates  
Colors: Blue and white  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Owen T. Carroll Field  
Head Coach: Manfred Schellscheidt  
'00 Record: 13-7  
Starters Returning/Lost: 9/2  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 15/6  
Sports Info. Contact: Tracy King  
Phone: (973) 761-9493

## Syracuse

Location: Syracuse, N.Y.  
Enrollment: 10,000  
Nickname: Orangemen  
Colors: Orange  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Syracuse Soccer Stadium  
Head Coach: Dean Foti  
'00 Record: 8-9-2  
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/5  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 7/4  
Sports Info. Contact: Brian Gunning  
Phone: (315) 443-2608



## Villanova

Location: Villanova, Pa.  
Enrollment: 6,150  
Nickname: Wildcats  
Colors: Blue and white  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Villanova Soccer Complex  
Head Coach: Larry Sullivan  
'00 Record: 6-9-2  
Starters Returning/Lost: 9/2  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 21/4  
Sports Info. Contact: Mike Sheridan  
Phone: (610) 519-4120

## VMI

Location: Lexington, Va.  
Enrollment: 1,300  
Nickname: Keydets  
Colors: Red, white and yellow  
Conference: Southern  
Stadium: Patchin Field (1,000)  
Head Coach: Stephen Ross  
'00 Record: 5-12  
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/5  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/5  
Sports Info. Contact: Chris Jones  
Phone: (540) 464-7583

## West Virginia

Location: Morgantown, W.Va.  
Enrollment: 22,300  
Nickname: Mountaineers  
Colors: Old gold and blue  
Conference: BIG EAST  
Stadium: Mountaineer Soccer Complex  
Head Coach: Paul Marco  
'00 Record: 4-13-1  
Starters Returning/Lost: 7/4  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/9  
Sports Info. Contact: Adam Zundell  
Phone: (304) 293-2821

## Xavier

Location: Cincinnati, Ohio  
Enrollment: 6,500  
Nickname: Musketeers  
Colors: Navy blue, gray and white  
Conference: Atlantic 10  
Stadium: Corcoran Field (1,000)  
Head Coach: Jack Hermans  
'00 Record: 4-15  
Starters Returning/Lost: 8/3  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 22/4  
Sports Info. Contact: Bill Thomas  
Phone: (513) 745-3416



# Last Year IN REVIEW

The Virginia Tech men's soccer team concluded the 2000 season with an 8-9-2 overall record. The Hokies, playing as an independent, experienced their share of peaks and valleys early in the season, but once again finished on a strong note. After losing five out of their first six games, Tech bounced back to close the season in fine fashion by winning seven out of their last nine contests.

After opening the season with a big 1-0 road victory against William & Mary, the Hokies dropped their next five games. The losing streak included losses to Davidson and South Carolina, and the "New River Rock" – given to the winner of the annual Tech/Radford game – remained in the Highlander's hands for the fourth straight year. The Hokies could not break their losing streak when they traveled to Charlotte, N.C., to participate in the PUMA Soccer Classic, but they would leave Carolina with a second place finish. Tech tied both Central Florida and the host school, Charlotte. Despite the strong finish by the Hokies, they would not drink from victory's cup again until the second month of the season. The losing streak was snapped when they hosted the Bucknell Bisons and battled to a 2-1 victory that brought confidence and winning ways back to the Hokies.

After defeating Bucknell, the Hokies won six out of their final eight games. The winning streak included big wins over a very physical Marshall team and former Atlantic 10 conference foe, Xavier. The only stumbling points for Tech in the latter half of the season came after a disappointing loss to Longwood and a tough 4-3 defeat at the hands of Old Dominion.

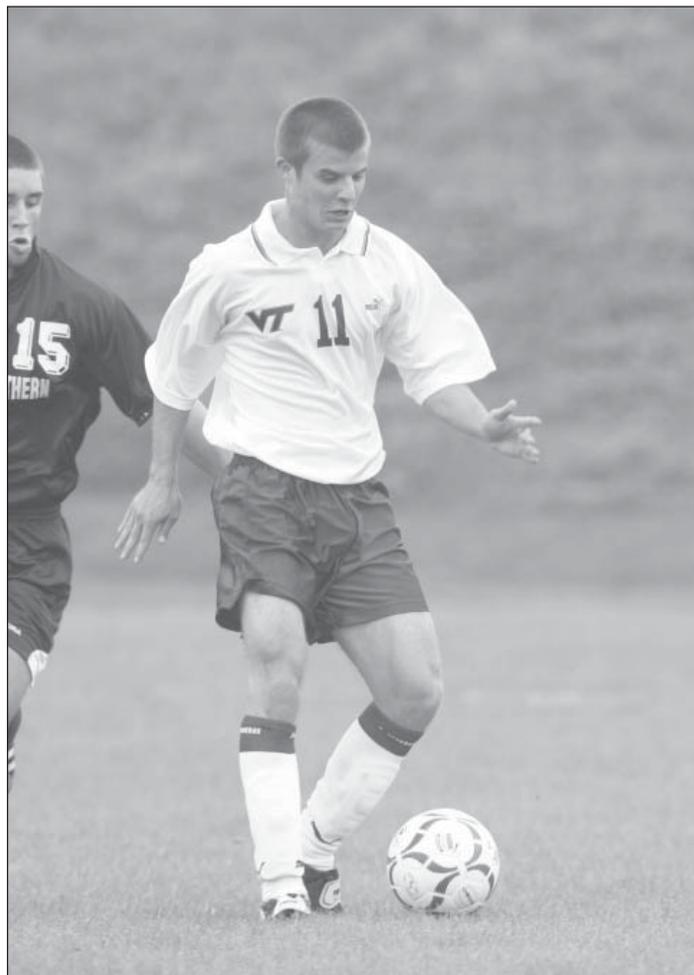
Junior Fred Silva put together another outstanding offensive year. Silva led the Hokies in total points (27), assists (9), and goals scored (9). His nine assists gave him a total of 30 in his career, breaking the school record of 21. Silva was named to the second team of the Virginia (SID) All-State Team along with senior Ryan Cummins. Cummins was a major part of the Hokies' offense in 2000. The scrappy 5-6 Cummins displayed fight and resilience match after match. He scored four goals and dished out three assists for a total of 11 points in his last year at Tech.

Also playing strong for the Hokies in 2000 was junior goalkeeper Colin Kibler. Kibler started all but one game for the Hokies and tallied over 1,471 minutes in goal. He collected 120 saves throughout the season and posted an 8-8-2 record with four of his victories coming by way of a shutout.

Seniors Greg Nicks and Ben Pinkerton joined Cummins in graduation from the men's soccer team. Nicks, a co-captain alongside Silva, closed his career with the Hokies with a total of two goals and seven assists for a total of 11 points. Nicks was considered both a constant in the defensive backfield and one of the cornerstones of the team because of his leadership throughout the years.

Pinkerton also helped make head coach Jerry Cheynet's life easier by presenting him with another option at the goalkeeper position. Pinkerton's excellent size and veteran leadership helped him to his best statistical year as a Hokie. He saw over 300 minutes in goal, both as a starter and a backup to Kibler. He collected 20 saves on the year, allowing an average of 2.66 goals per game.

Overall, the Hokies showed great pride and resilience to battle back from a tough start in their only season playing as an independent team. The 2001 season represents the soccer program's inaugural year in the BIG EAST and promises to bring a higher level of soccer to Blacksburg, Va.



**Ryan Cummins looks to make an impact as the Hokies' assistant coach after having a successful year on the field in 2000.**

## 2000 RESULTS

(8-9-2 overall)

Sept.	2	William & Mary	Wa, 1-0	1-0-0
	5	Radford	La, 0-2	1-1-0
	8	Wofford College	La, 0-4	1-2-0
	10	Georgia Southern	Lh, 1-3	1-3-0
	15	Davidson College	La, 1-5	1-4-0
	17	South Carolina	La, 2-4	1-5-0
	22	Central Florida	Ta, 3-3	1-5-1
	24	Charlotte	Ta, 0-0	1-5-2
	27	James Madison	La, 2-4	1-6-2
Oct.	4	Appalachian State	La, 3-4	1-7-2
	9	Bucknell	Wh, 2-1	2-7-2
	11	Longwood	Lh, 0-1	2-8-2
	14	Virginia Military Institute	Wa, 4-2	3-8-2
	18	Liberty	Wh, 2-1	4-8-2
	25	Marshall	Wh, 1-0	5-8-2
	29	Xavier	Wh, 4-2	6-8-2
Nov.	1	Old Dominion	Lh, 3-4	6-9-2
	4	Gardner-Webb	Wa, 2-0	7-9-2
	10	East Carolina	Wa, 3-2	8-9-2

# 2000 VIRGINIA TECH MEN'S SOCCER STATISTICS

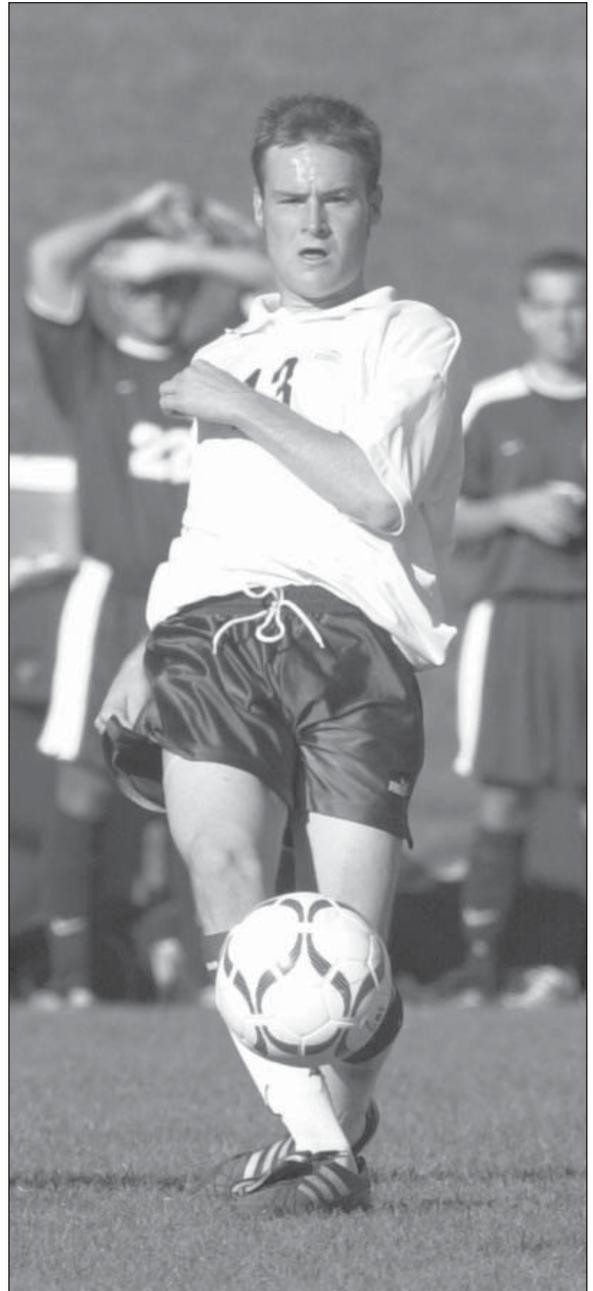
**Overall Record: 8-9-2**

## Offensive Statistics

Player	GP	GS	Sh	G	A	TP	GWG	Y	R
Fred Silva	14	14	56	9	9	27	2	6	2
Drew Myers	17	10	13	6	0	12	0	0	0
Ryan Cummins	17	17	18	4	3	11	1	7	1
John Havas	14	5	12	3	3	10	0	0	0
Karl Schlegel	19	13	7	2	4	8	1	2	0
Okey Ogbuawa	15	6	9	4	0	8	1	0	0
Jeremy Parsels	16	15	16	2	1	5	0	4	0
Greg Nicks	16	13	14	0	4	4	1	3	1
Bobby O'Brien	16	8	21	1	2	3	0	3	0
Keith Benderoth	16	15	7	0	3	3	0	4	0
Beau Hubbard	19	12	24	1	0	2	0	2	0
Garrett Owens	18	17	6	1	0	2	0	3	0
Harold Russell	16	13	8	1	0	2	0	4	1
Michael DeToma	15	8	5	1	0	2	0	2	2
Ty Enmark	3	3	5	1	0	2	1	2	0
Rob Smith	19	19	3	0	1	1	0	1	0
Alex Strong	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Mike Keefe	10	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mike DeTora	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jon Williamson	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Kyle Korte	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ryan Clark	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
<b>TECH</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2</b>

## Goalkeeping Statistics

Player	GP	GS	Min	Sv	GA	GAA	ShO	Sv%	Rec
Colin Kibler	18	18	1471	120	32	1.96	4	78.9	8-8-2
Ben Pinkerton	7	1	304	20	9	2.66	0	69.0	0-1-0
Monroe Williams	0	0	0:00	0	0	0.00	0	0.0	0-0
Ryan Lewellyn	0	0	0:00	0	0	0.00	0	0.0	0-0



**Karl Schlegel produced eight points and played all 19 games in 2000 as a redshirt freshman.**



**Jeremy Parsels was a major part of the Hokies' offensive attack in 2000.**

## TEAM STATISTICS

	VT	Avg.	Opp.	Avg.
Shots	221	11.6	308	16.2
Goals	36	1.9	42	2.2
Assists	29	1.5	29	1.5
Saves	140	7.2	93	4.9
Corner Kicks	91	4.8	135	7.1
Fouls	318	16.7	309	16.3

## Scoring by Periods

	1st	2nd	OT
Virginia Tech	17	18	1
Opponents	18	24	0



# Tech RECORDS

## Team Records

**Most Wins:** 14 in 1997  
**Most Losses:** 12 in 1994  
**Most Ties:** 3, five times  
**Most Overtime Wins:** 4 in 1992  
**Most Overtime Losses:** 2, four times  
**Most Shutout Wins:** 7 in 1997  
**Most Shutout Losses:** 7, two times  
**Consecutive Minutes Not Scored On:** 440 in 1991

### Shots on Goal

**Most, Game:** 48 vs. Fordham, 10/3/97  
**Most, Season:** 412 in 1978  
**Fewest, Game:** 2, two times  
**Fewest, Season:** 211 in 1986

### Goals

**Most Scored, Game:** 11 vs. Mars Hill, 9/4/93  
**Most Scored, Season:** 46, 1993 and 1997  
**Fewest Scored, Game:** 0, 114 times  
**Fewest Scored, Season:** 16 in 1976  
**Most Allowed, Game:** 12 vs. George Mason, 11/5/83  
**Most Allowed, Season:** 57 in 1983  
**Fewest Allowed, Game:** 0, 94 times  
**Fewest Allowed, Season:** 17 in 1974

### Assists

**Most, Game:** 10 vs. Florida State, 11/9/84  
**Most, Season:** 47 in 1997

### Total Points

**Most Scored, Game:** 30 vs. Mars Hill, 9/4/93  
**Most Scored, Season:** 139 in 1997  
**Most Allowed, Game:** 24 vs. George Mason, 11/5/83  
**Most Allowed, Season:** 151 in 1983

### Corner Kicks

**Most, Game:** 16 vs. Fordham, 10/3/97  
**Most, Season:** 129 in 1997  
**Fewest, Game:** 0, five times  
**Fewest, Season:** 36 in 1972

### Goalie Saves

**Most, Game:** 27 vs. Roanoke, 11/7/75  
**Most, Season:** 154 in 1984  
**Fewest, Game:** 0 vs. VCU, 9/26/87  
**Fewest, Season:** 70 in 1976

## MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS

Tech's all-time varsity record .....	244-222-39
Home .....	117-77-13
Away .....	94-125-22
Neutral .....	17-12-4
Longest winning streak .....	7
	Oct. 11, 1996 through Oct. 30, 1996
Longest unbeaten streak .....	7 (twice)
	Oct. 11, 1996 through Oct. 30, 1996
	Oct. 3, 1979 through Oct. 21, 1979
Longest losing streak .....	9
	Oct. 16, 1983 through Sept. 22, 1984
Longest winless streak .....	17
	Oct. 8, 1983 through Oct. 10, 1984
All-time goals scored .....	786
All-time goals against .....	815

## Individual Records

### Most Goals

**Game:** 4, Jason Entlich vs. Mars Hill, 9/4/93  
**Season:** 15, Ray Crittenden, 1988  
**Career:** 44, Eric McClellan, 1989-92



**Eric McClellan**

### Most Assists

**Game:** 3, eight times  
 (Most recent: Bobby Warnick vs. Fordham 10/3/97)  
**Season:** 13, Fred Silva, 1999  
**Career:** 30, Fred Silva, 1997, 1999-2000

### Most Points

**Game:** 8, Jason Entlich vs. Mars Hill, 9/4/93  
**Season:** 37, Jason Entlich, 1993  
**Career:** 109, Eric McClellan, 1989-92



**Fred Silva**

### Most Goalie Saves

**Game:** 27, Jack Barnold vs. Roanoke, 11/6/72  
**Season:** 133, Mark Buzzy, 1978  
**Career:** 461, Stewart Beason, 1982-85

### Lowest GAA

**Season:** 1.20 (13 games), John Sexton, 1997  
**Career:** 1.27 (40 games), Geoffrey Pope, 1986-89

### Most Minutes in Goal

**Season:** 1,850, Brian Bulger, 1992  
**Career:** 4,719, Stewart Beason, 1982-85

### Most Games

**Played, Career:** 82, Eric McClellan, 1989-92  
**Played In Goal, Season:** 20, David Tenney, 1991  
**Played In Goal, Career:** 63, Stewart Beason, 1982-85  
**Started, Career:** 79, Eric McClellan, 1989-92  
**Started In Goal, Season:** 19, Brian Bulger, 1992  
**Started In Goal, Career:** 51, Stewart Beason, 1982-85

## MILESTONE WINS

1 .....	Oct. 3, 1972, defeated VMI 7-1
25 .....	Nov. 1, 1977, defeated VMI 1-0
50 .....	Oct. 24, 1980, defeated Richmond 2-1
75 .....	Nov. 11, 1984, defeated Memphis 2-1
100 .....	Nov. 3, 1987, defeated Appalachian State 4-2
150 .....	Oct. 27, 1992, defeated Maryland-Baltimore 4-3
200 .....	Oct. 19, 1997, defeated Duquesne, 1-0
Cheynef's 100th .....	Oct. 1, 1988, defeated UNC Greensboro 2-0
Cheynef's 200th .....	Sept. 23, 1998, defeated Appalachian State 2-0



## STUDENT-ATHLETE ACADEMIC SUPPORT SERVICES

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

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.

SAASS provides programming for all student-athletes from their freshman year through graduation. This includes a comprehensive orientation to Tech, study hall, mentoring, tutoring, academic monitoring, academic recognition, and eligibility education. Additionally, student-athletes are referred to and encouraged to take advantage of other campus agencies charged with helping students in their academic pursuits.

Academic facilities for student-athletes include the Monogram Room, a large room used as a study hall area adjacent to the SAASS office in Cassell Coliseum. The HEAT (Hokies Engaging in Advanced Technology) Lab houses over 26 computers on the second floor of Cassell Coliseum and laptop computers are also available for Tech athletes to use when travelling to away contests. The athletic



**Chris Helms**  
Director



**Katie Ammons**  
Assistant (Soccer)

department also provides areas for private, quiet study for the athletes' convenience.

Additionally, student-athletes can use the Center for Academic Enrichment and Excellence site offices, located in Hillcrest and Femoyer Halls.

With the help of these resources, the Virginia Tech graduation rate for student-athletes has risen significantly in recent years and reached 67 percent in 2001 as compared to the national average of 58 percent. The projected 2002 student-athlete graduation rate is over 70 percent which will mark the fourth time in the last nine years that Tech has reached that level.

Chris Helms, in his third year at Tech, is the director and is responsible for the development and leadership of the SAASS office. Helms oversees an office comprised of associate directors Lois Berg and Colin Howlett, assistant directors Katie Ammons, Renie Edwards and Becky Kolenbrander, and secretary Terrie Repass.

## THE HOKIES' ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE PROGRAM

Thanks to the direction of Assistant Athletic Director for Athletic Performance Mike Gentry, Ed.D., the Virginia Tech strength and conditioning program is among the best in the nation.

Gentry is in his 14th year as the Hokies' director of strength and conditioning. His duties include overseeing the strength and conditioning training of athletes in all 21 varsity sports at Virginia Tech. A native of Durham, N.C., Gentry received his bachelor's degree in physical education from Western Carolina University in 1979 and his master's from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1981. He received his doctorate in curriculum and instruction, with an emphasis in motor behavior, from Virginia Tech in 1999. In 1995 and 1996, Gentry was recognized by the National Strength and Conditioning Association as a finalist for the National Strength and Conditioning Professional of the Year.

The soccer team trains 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.

Assisting Gentry in the weight room this year are three full-time assistant strength and conditioning coaches: Jay Johnson, assistant director of strength and conditioning, Terry Mitchell, strength and conditioning coordinator of men's Olympic sports and Emily Chones, strength and conditioning coordinator for women's Olympic

sports. Gentry will also have the services of three graduate assistants – Erin O'Neil, Tim Ralph and Shannon Turly.

There's much more to athletic performance than weight training. Always striving to stay on the cutting edge, Virginia Tech has added two more services for its student-athletes in the past couple of years. At Tech, sports psychology and nutrition are also a part of the student-athlete's preparation – not just for game day, but also for life after college.

### The Training Edge

In addition to her responsibilities as coordinator of student life, Amy Freel is the athletics department's sports nutritionist.

Freel works one-on-one with student-athletes to provide them with information that they need on their diet. She also provides individual players with diet counseling on issues such as gaining lean muscle mass, losing body fat, and how to eat to improve performance.

The sports nutritionist works with the "Training Edge," a dining option for health-conscious students and athletes, to design menus for training tables and daily menu selections.

### Sports Psychology

A new addition to the athletics department as of August 2000 is sports psychology. The licensed psychologists, Dr. Brenna Chirby, Dr. Gary Bennett, and Dr. Robert Miller, associate director of the Thomas E. Cook Counseling Center, counsel student-athletes either individually or as a team.

"I've always felt that (sports psychology) was an important element. We want to be a holistic model of an athletics department and we wanted to and needed to include sports psychology in that model," Gentry says.

"These are great resources for our coaches and our athletes," Gentry adds. "We've improved a lot in areas of strength and conditioning, nutrition and in sports psychology. It's all about becoming a well-rounded athletic program and helping student-athletes. We want to give them all the resources we can to put them in a position to be successful."

## SUPPORT STAFF



**Amy Freel**  
Coordinator of  
Student Life



**Terry Mitchell**  
Assistant Strength  
Coach (Soccer)



**Marianne Baffi**  
Soccer Secretary



# Tech ADMINISTRATION



## DR. CHARLES STEGER • UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT

Item: Virginia Tech applications up 15 percent. Entering students have highest SAT average ever. Virginia Tech competes for national championship in football.

University announces two new mega bio-tech programs. Things are looking pretty rosy for Virginia Tech, right?

Enter Charles W. Steger. His assessment? "We have to rev the engines even higher. If you're not moving quickly forward, you might as well be standing still," says the energetic 54-year-old president.

Appointed president by the university board effective Jan. 7, 2000, Steger possesses the breadth and depth of experience to lead Virginia Tech at the point when higher education must learn to cope with major technology changes permeating education.

Steger has lofty goals for Virginia's leading research university. "I would like to see us ranked among the nation's top

30 universities before the end of the decade," says Steger.

A registered architect and former dean of Tech's College of Architecture and Urban Studies, Steger was the architect of a different sort as the leader of the university's successful fund raising campaign. Under his leadership as vice president for development and university relations, the Campaign for Virginia Tech, which concluded in 1998, raised \$337 million, \$87 million over its goal.

Steger's ties to Virginia Tech span four decades as a student, professor, dean, vice president, and now president. While on the faculty, he twice won teaching excellence awards. When he became dean of the college in 1981, he was the youngest architecture dean in the nation at 33 years of age.

Steger received his bachelor and master's of architecture and a Ph.D., in environmental science and engineering from Virginia Tech. He and his wife Janet, have two sons, David and Christopher.



## JIM WEAVER • DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

James C. Weaver, whose innovative ideas and work as a reformer have made him one of college athletics' most popular administrators, is the director of athletics at Virginia Tech.

Weaver, 56, was appointed on September 24, 1997 and has been a tireless leader in behalf of Tech athletics. In his four years on the job at Tech, Weaver has taken steps to place increased emphasis on projects benefiting student-athletes. He created a comprehensive awards program for letterwinners and has initiated and funded an annual awards banquet.

Weaver's biggest accomplishment thus far has been getting Tech admitted into an all-sports conference. Tech entered competition in the BIG EAST Conference for most sports during the 2000-2001 season.

A top personal priority for Weaver is the area of facilities, where he has major plans for the expansion of Lane Stadium/Worsham Field.

Virginia Tech contracted with GreenTech, Inc., of Richmond, Va., to install its highly innovative, ITM natural grass sports field system in Lane Stadium/Worsham Field for the 2001 season. Under Weaver's direction, lighted football practice fields — conveniently located in the center of the athletics complex — were completed during the spring.

With the football team moving to the new practice complex, the former football practice field will be used for the Tech men's and women's soccer teams this fall and the women's lacrosse team in the spring. Previously these teams used the infield at the Johnson-Miller Outdoor track complex. The upper field will be used as the game field with the lower fields used for practice. The addition of a new scoreboard is only the start of plans to upgrade the facility. Some repairs to the fields will be made this fall with extensive improvements, including lasergrading to remove the crown, to take place in the near future. Future plans also include the addition of bleacher seating and a press box.

"Jim Weaver was the unanimous choice of our search committee," retired Tech President Paul Torgersen said at a Blacksburg news conference when the new AD was introduced. "The committee was searching for someone with extensive Division I experience, a commitment to compliance, a commitment to gender equity, a commitment to all 21 varsity sports and a vision for conference alignment."

Weaver and his wife Traci have four sons — Josh, Paul, Cole and Craig.

## ATHLETICS ADMINISTRATORS



**Sharon McCloskey**  
Senior Associate  
Director of Athletics



**David Chambers**  
Senior Associate AD  
for External Affairs



**Tom Gabbard**  
Associate AD for  
Internal Affairs



**Jon Jaudon**  
Associate AD for  
Administration



**John Ballein**  
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**Mike Gentry**  
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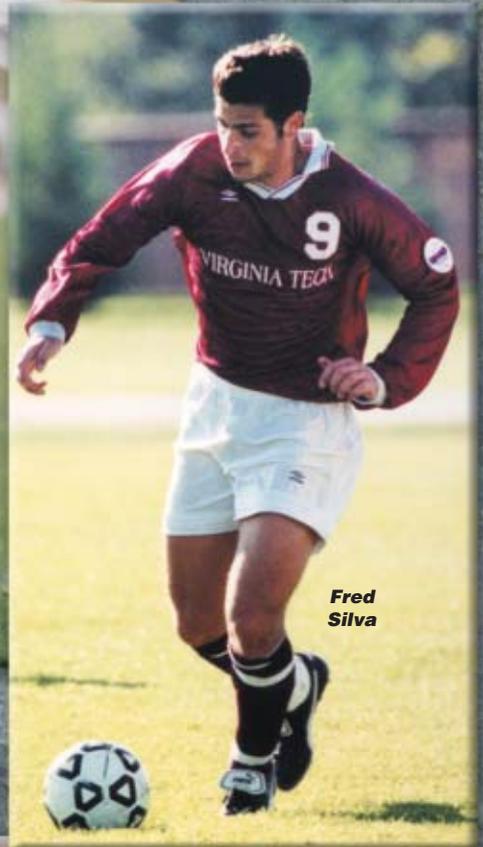
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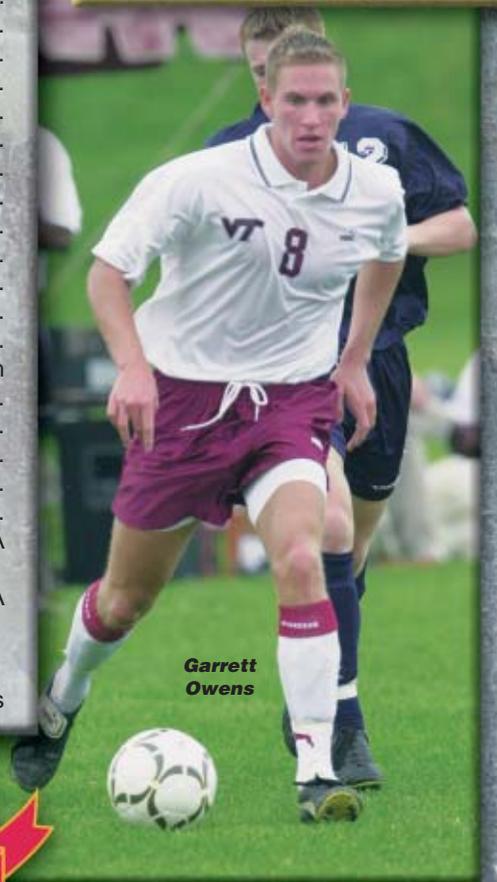
## 2001 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time
Aug. 31	at Dayton	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 2	at Xavier	2 p.m.
5	at Elon	4 p.m.
9	at VMI	1 p.m.
16	at Rutgers*	5 p.m.
19	JAMES MADISON	4 p.m.
22	BOSTON COLLEGE*	2 p.m.
25	at Georgia Southern	4 p.m.
29	at Syracuse*	1 p.m.
Oct. 2	RADFORD	4 p.m.
6	SETON HALL*	1 p.m.
9	at Georgetown*	3:30 p.m.
14	NOTRE DAME*	1 p.m.
21	ST. JOHN'S*	Noon
24	at West Virginia*	7 p.m.
28	PITTSBURGH*	1 p.m.
31	GARDNER-WEBB	3 p.m.
Nov. 4	at Villanova*	1 p.m.
6	at Old Dominion	7 p.m.
10	BIG EAST Quarterfinals (Campus Sites)	TBA
16, 18	BIG EAST Semis & Finals (Storrs, Conn.)	TBA

Home games in ALL CAPS  
 \* Indicates BIG EAST Conference Opponents



**Stephan D'Adamo**



**Garrett Owens**

