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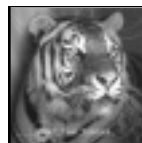
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Colors: Purple and Gold

Conference: Southeastern (Western Division)

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Record at LSU: 92-37 (five seasons)

Career Record: Same

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Alma Mater: West Virginia, 1993

Year at LSU: Fifth

Tennis Secretary: Jenny Murphy

2001-02 SEASON REVIEW

Overall Season Record: 11-14

SEC Record: 2-9 (Sixth in West)

Postseason: NCAA Tournament second round

Final ITA Ranking: No. 29

2002-03 TEAM INFORMATION

Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 6/1

Top Returner: Bryan Fisher, Jr. (No. 4 singles/No. 3 doubles)

Key Loss: Dan Kiernan (No. 1 singles/No. 1 doubles)

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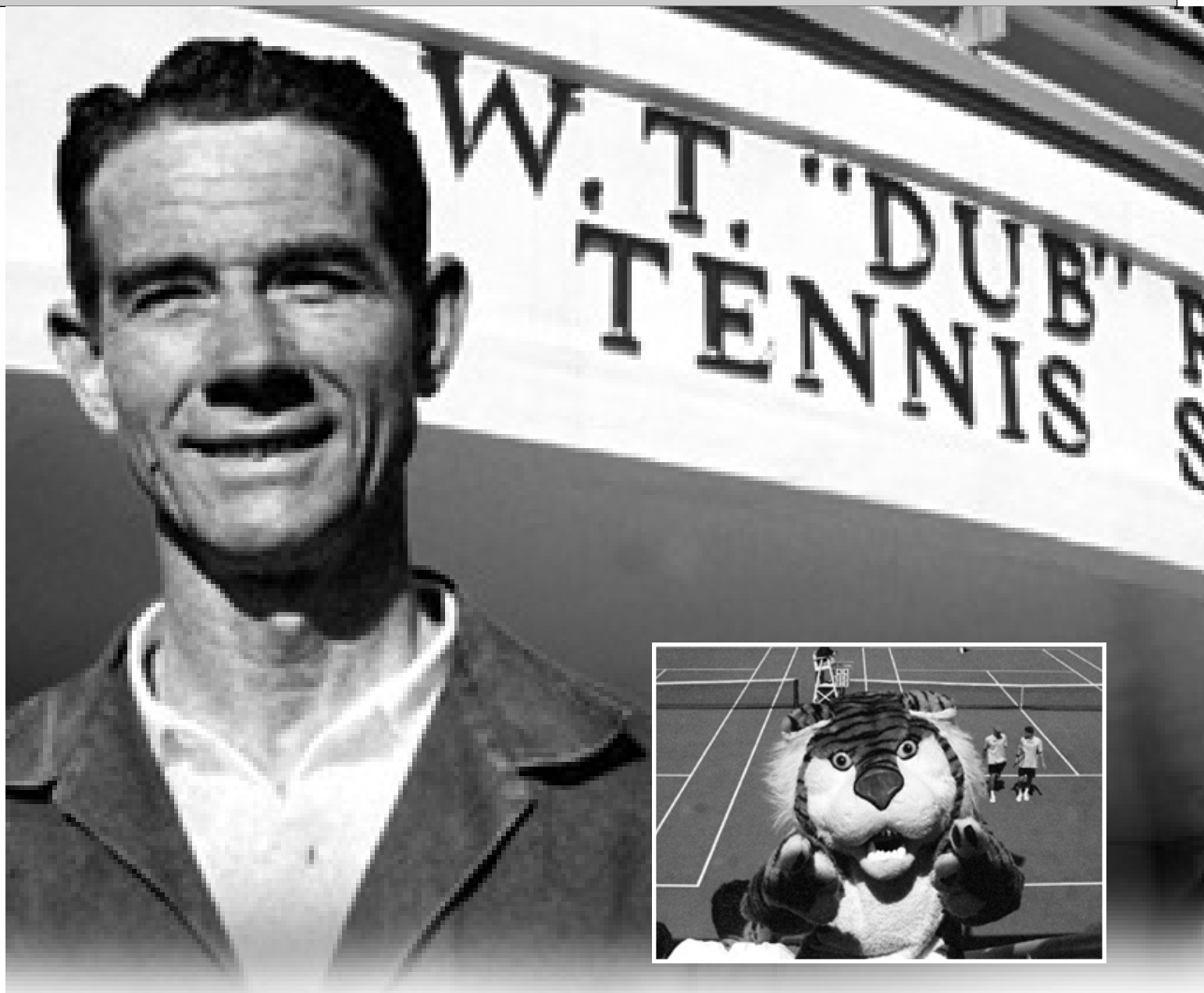
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The LSU men's tennis team calls the newly-renovated W.T. "Dub" Robinson Tennis Stadium home for the 2002-03 season after the 27-year old structure received an impressive facelift that was completed before the 2002 season.

Both the nationally-ranked Tigers and Lady Tigers enjoy state-of-the-art locker rooms, a squad room, brand-new showers and bathrooms. The totally refurbished "Dub" Robinson Tennis Stadium also includes a media room, an area specified for stringing rackets and a ground floor viewing area for handicapped tennis fans.

With both modern outdoor and indoor tennis courts, the LSU tennis facilities are among the best in the nation. The W.T. "Dub" Robinson Tennis Stadium, named in honor of LSU's former winningest tennis coach, was completed in 1970 and is the site of the Tigers' home outdoor matches. Former men's coach Jerry Simmons surpassed Robinson in 1992 to become the Tigers' all-time winningest coach. LSU plays its indoor matches at the multi-purpose LSU Field House.

The "Dub" Robinson Tennis Complex consists of six varsity courts and six practice courts. The six varsity courts were resurfaced prior to the 2002-03 academic school year, while the six practice courts

received new surfaces in the spring of 2001 as a part of the facilities' makeover. The varsity courts feature a fully mechanical scoreboard and can accommodate up to 550 spectators.

The Coach Simmons Era came to a close in 1997, as the Tigers posted an 11-1 home mark en-route to an automatic berth in the NCAA Championships. With Simmons at the helm, Robinson Stadium became one of the toughest venues in the country for opponents to play. LSU tallied an incredible 162-25 (.866) record at home during the last 15 seasons under Simmons.

Since current head coach Jeff Brown took over the reigns in 1998, the Tigers have accumulated a dominant 57-14 (.803) overall record at home in the "Dub" Robinson Tennis Stadium. In his opening season as head coach, Brown notched a perfect 12-0 record at home in Baton Rouge. The Tigers advanced to the semifinals of the NCAA Championships during the 1998-99 season.

The LSU Field House, which can seat up to 3,000 spectators, has four surfaced courts. The courts were resurfaced in December of 1990 and it gives LSU one of the finest on-campus indoor tennis facilities in the country. The LSU Field House is climate controlled and also plays host to LSU track and field meets.



W.T. "DUB" ROBINSON

LSU's legendary men's tennis coach, W.T. Robinson, or "Dub" as he was lovingly known, single-handedly acted as a catalyst in the LSU tennis program's rise to national prominence. In his nearly three decades as the head tennis coach at LSU, Robinson accumulated an unforeseen 189-180-9 overall record and propelled the Tigers to a status among the nation's elite.

Working with limited resources and a financially-deprived tennis program, LSU's rise to the top of collegiate tennis can be traced back to Robinson's warm personality and quick wit. Always a favorite among his players, Robinson transformed a team that had not won a match in three years, into a team that finished with a 12-1 record and a second-place finish in the Southeastern Conference in only his sixth season at the helm.

When the LSU tennis complex was completed in the fall of 1976, it was only natural that it was named after the person that built the program. The complex was named the W.T. "Dub" Robinson Tennis Stadium.

W.T. "DUB" ROBINSON STADIUM FACTS

(Since 1983)

Overall Record: 219-39 (.849)

Consecutive Win Streak: 20 (March 1987 to March 1989)

Consecutive Losing Streak: 5 (March 1999, March 2002)

Most Matches Won in a Season: 16 (1996)

Most Matches Lost in a Season: 7 (2002)

Most Shutout Wins in a Season: 7 (1995, 2001)

Year-by-Year Results

(Since 1983)

Year	Record	Pct.
1983	11-1	.917
1984	13-2	.867
1985	11-2	.846
1986	11-2	.846
1987	10-1	.909
1988	13-0	1.000
1989	12-2	.857
1990	6-2	.750
1991	10-1	.909
1992	9-2	.818
1993	8-1	.889
1994	7-5	.583
1995	14-2	.875
1996	16-1	.941
1997	11-1	.917
1998	12-0	1.000
1999	9-5	.643
2000	15-1	.938
2001	13-1	.928
2002	8-7	.533
TOTAL	211-32	.868



Bryan Fisher

Expectations are high for the 2003 version of the LSU men's tennis team as the Tigers return four starters from a talented 2002 squad that finished the season as the 29th-ranked team in the nation. Last year, LSU advanced to its eighth-consecutive NCAA Tournament and swept TCU, 4-0, in the opening round of play despite owning a roster that featured only two seniors and six underclassmen. After transforming itself from a youthful, inexperienced squad in 2002 to a team loaded with savvy and confidence, the Tigers look to prove that they are not only better with age, but that they are old enough this season to - Win it All.

"I think that this team is already a very good, experienced team," said sixth-year head coach Jeff Brown. "I think that there are a lot of things that we can accomplish

and I told my guys that they need to see themselves as a top-10 team. From that point on we will be able to see how it all plays out, but they are definitely as good as the next team."

As the Tigers enter the 2002-03 season with a roster totally void of seniors, Brown expects to see his team's leadership come from a quartet of highly-talented juniors in Bryan Fisher, Brandon Nicholson, Cory Ross and Sebastian Rutka. Not only do Fisher, Nicholson, Ross and Rutka each possess years of starting experience, but the four-some combines to represent an unprecedented overall record of 100-79 in singles play.

Fisher, LSU's powerful native of Nashville, Tenn., has started in both singles and doubles play in each of his first two

years as a Tiger and has been ranked as high as No. 87 by the Intercollegiate Tennis Association. Last season, Fisher finished with an overall record of 21-18 in singles play and recorded a stunning 6-4, 1-6, 7-5 victory over Illinois' 23rd-ranked Phil Stolt.

Joining Fisher in the 2003 starting lineup will be co-captains Ross and Rutka. Ross, who anchored the Tigers at the No. 6 singles position a year ago, is anticipated to make some waves in the Southeastern Conference and will likely move up to either the No. 4 or No. 5 spots in the starting lineup. Rutka, LSU's flashy native of Krakow, Poland, comes into the 2003 dual-match season as the 74th-ranked player in the nation. He accumulated an 18-15 overall record in 2002 and is expected to lead the Tigers at either the No. 1 or No. 2 singles positions.

2002-03 LSU MEN'S TENNIS ROSTER

Name	Cl./Exp.	Height	Hometown/Prior School
Rafael Corazza	Fr./HS	5-10	Santos, Brazil/Cenaculo HS
Bryan Fisher	Jr./2L	6-1	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell HS
Frankie Green	Fr./HS	5-8	Philadelphia, Pa./Friends Select School
Jason Hazley	So./1L	6-0	Bradenton, Fla./American School
Brandon Nicholson	Jr./2L	5-11	New Iberia, La./Catholic HS
Peter Richman	So./1L	5-10	Toronto, Canada/Northview Heights HS
Cory Ross	Jr./1L	5-11	Littleton, Colo./Kent Denver School
Sebastian Rutka	Jr./2L	6-0	Krakow, Poland/Stanislaw Wyspianski HS
C. Micah Smith	Fr./HS	6-2	Baton Rouge, La./Catholic HS
Paul White	Fr./HS	6-1	Lake Charles, La./Barbe HS

Head Coach: Jeff Brown (LSU, 1989) sixth season

Record at LSU/Career: 92-37/same

Assistant Coach: Mark Booras (W. Virginia, 1993), fifth season

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Mark Booras	BORE-us
Rafael Corazza	RAF-ay-ell Core-OZZ-uh
Jason Hazley	HAZE-lee
Sebastian Rutka	ROOT-kuh



Cory Ross & Sebastian Rutka

Combined, the pair of Ross and Rutka, form one of the most dangerous doubles combinations in the SEC and finished the 2002 campaign with a stellar 10-3 dual record.

Nicholson, one of the fiercest competitors on the team, heads into the upcoming season after earning a spot in the starting lineup as a sophomore. The native of New Iberia, La., owns a 19-16 overall record and finished the 2002 campaign with a perfect 3-0 mark in 2002. He will be looked upon to start at the No. 6 singles position and is expected to make major contributions in doubles play.

With the growth of sophomores Jason Hazley and Peter Richman, who are each products of what is considered Coach Brown's best recruiting class, the LSU men's tennis team possesses the talent that can stack up with any of the 12 teams in the SEC.

Richman, who was thrown to the fire by playing the No. 1 singles position in the nation's strongest conference a year ago, will look to improve upon a 19-18 freshman performance that earned him First-Team All-Louisiana honors. Not only is Richman expected to be a major player in the upper echelon of the SEC, but the Toronto, Canada, native has hopes of breaking into the top-25 of the ITA's national singles rankings.

After finishing the 2002 season with a team-leading 6-4 conference record, Hazley will look to thrive on his competitive nature and also move up in the national rankings. The Tigers' native of Bradenton, Fla., earned the Louisiana Freshman of the Year award last season and heads into the 2003 campaign as the No. 124 singles player in the nation. Hazley ended last season with a 22-18 overall record.

"We're solid from top to bottom and we've had a couple of people emerge from the pack a bit," Brown said. "Sebastian Rutka has added some maturity and experience to his game that goes along with his talent and his speed. He is definitely one of the fastest, if not the fastest, players in the nation, and as he's gained experience he's going to be able to hopefully help lead us along with Jason Hazley. Jason has also gained great experience last season as he and Peter Richman had to play near the top of the lineup. They did a great job and the experience that they gained will pay off."

Even with four returning starters and the maturation of the team as a whole, the Tigers still have an extremely tough task ahead of them in 2003. LSU's dual-match schedule features 16 ranked teams and sports 12 opponents ranked in the nation's top-25. According to the pre-

2003 LSU ROSTER BREAKDOWN

BY CLASS

Seniors: None

Juniors: 4

Bryan Fisher
Brandon Nicholson
Cory Ross
Sebastian Rutka

Sophomores: 2

Jason Hazley
Peter Richman

Freshmen: 4

Rafael Corazza
Frankie Green
C. Micah Smith
Paul White

BY COUNTRY

Brazil: 1

Rafael Corazza - Santos

Canada: 1

Peter Richman - Toronto

Poland: 1

Sebastian Rutka - Krakow

United States: 7

Bryan Fisher - Nashville, Tenn.
Frankie Green - Philadelphia, Pa.
Jason Hazley - Bradenton, Fla.
Brandon Nicholson - New Iberia, La.
Cory Ross - Littleton, Colo.
C. Micah Smith - Baton Rouge, La.
Paul White - Lake Charles, La.

BY STATE

Colorado: 1

Cory Ross - Littleton

Florida: 1

Jason Hazley - Bradenton

Louisiana: 3

Brandon Nicholson - New Iberia
C. Micah Smith - Baton Rouge
Paul White - Lake Charles

Pennsylvania: 1

Frankie Green - Philadelphia

Tennessee: 1

Bryan Fisher - Nashville

2003 TIGER SQUAD BREAKDOWN

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 6

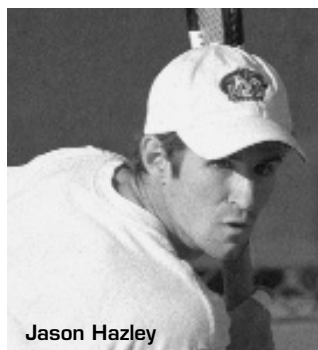
Name (Cl./Exp.)	'02 Pos. (S/D)	W-L (S)	Dual	W-L (D)	Dual
Bryan Fisher (Jr./2L)	No. 3/No. 3	21-18	12-10	16-14	9-12
Jason Hazley (So./1L)	No. 4/No. 1	22-18	10-10	17-13	13-8
Brandon Nicholson (Jr./2L)	No. 7/No. 4	9-6	4-0	3-4	3-3
Peter Richman (So./1L)	No. 2/No. 5	19-18	8-13	5-6	2-2
Cory Ross (Jr./1L)	No. 6/No. 2	5-10	5-10	14-7	14-7
Sebastian Rutka (Jr./2L)	No. 5/No. 2	18-15	12-7	16-10	13-7

LETTERMEN LOST: 2

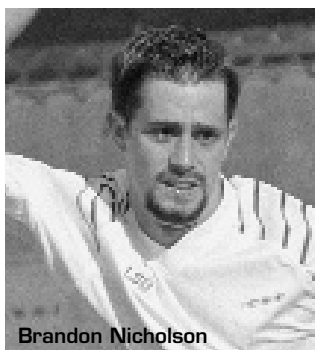
Name (Cl./Exp.)	'02 Pos. (S/D)	W-L (S)	Dual	W-L (D)	Dual
Dan Kiernan (Sr./3L)	No. 1/No. 1	21-15	14-8	15-12	11-12
Jesse Smatt (Sr./3L)	No. 8/No. 6	4-12	2-4	11-8	7-5

NEWCOMERS: 4

Name	Class	Exp.	Ht.	Hometown
Rafael Corazza	Fr.	HS	5-10	Santos, Brazil
Frankie Green	Fr.	HS	5-8	Philadelphia, Pa.
C. Micah Smith	Fr.	HS	5-9	Baton Rouge, La.
Paul White	Fr.	HS	6-0	Lake Charles, La.



Jason Hazley



Brandon Nicholson



Peter Richman



Paul White

season Omni Hotels Collegiate Tennis Rankings, LSU will face off with five teams ranked among the nation's elite in 2003, as the Tigers challenge second-ranked Georgia, No. 4 Illinois, No. 6 Tennessee, No. 8 Kentucky and the ninth-ranked Ole Miss Rebels.

LSU begins its 2003 dual-match season with six home contests against non-conference foes. Beginning on Jan. 25, the Tigers host Centenary, Texas-San Antonio, Southern Miss, Southeastern and a pair of matches against crosstown rival Southern before heading to College Station, Texas, for a duel with the 16th-ranked Texas A&M Aggies. Last season, the fierce rivalry between LSU and Texas A&M was solidified as the Aggies registered a 4-0 victory over the Tigers in the second round of the NCAA Tournament. The loss marked the second straight season that LSU was knocked out of the NCAA Tournament courtesy of Texas A&M.

After facing off with the Aggies, the LSU men's tennis team returns home to play Tulsa on Feb. 22, and then enters its toughest stretch of matches against top-ranked opponents. In the first weekend of SEC competition, the Tigers challenge both No. 18 Alabama and 12th-ranked Auburn at home at the W.T. "Dub" Robinson Tennis Center prior to leaving on an arduous four-match road trip against No. 22 South Carolina, No. 5 Florida, No. 14 Tennessee and the sixth-ranked Georgia Bulldogs.

"The SEC is the strongest conference in the nation," said Brown. "So we already have to play all 12 of those teams, but then we also scheduled Texas, Illinois, Texas A&M and SMU, and I think that we could possibly have the toughest schedule in the nation. I think that it helps us at the end of the season because our team is used to playing those types of matches day-in and day-out, so when it comes time for the NCAA it's not like we have to go into a situation that we haven't been in before."

On March 22, LSU returns home to play No. 12 Texas prior to hosting both Vanderbilt and No. 9 Kentucky the following weekend. The Tigers will then begin the month of April with a three-match road trip versus Southern Methodist, No. 25 Mississippi State and eighth-ranked Ole Miss before closing out the regular season with crucial matches against No. 2 Illinois and SEC Western Division rival Arkansas.

"There isn't really a team in the SEC this season that is really that dominant or a clear-cut No. 1," Brown said. "Every match is going to be extremely close this season and it's almost getting to a point where any team could finish at the No. 1 spot or they could finish in last place. It's just that close."

Despite playing in the nation's toughest conference and owning one of the more backbreaking schedules in the country, the LSU coaching staff is expecting big things from its squad in 2003, because during the offseason they watched their No. 29 ranked team grow and become - Better with Age.

2003 LSU MEN'S TENNIS SCHEDULE

JANUARY

16-19	at SEC Indoor Championships	Atlanta, Ga.	All Day
25	CENTENARY	BATON ROUGE	10 a.m.
25	SOUTHERN	BATON ROUGE	1 p.m.

FEBRUARY

1	TEXAS AT SAN ANTONIO	BATON ROUGE	4 p.m.
1	SOUTHERN	BATON ROUGE	7 p.m.
9	SOUTHERN MISS	BATON ROUGE	1 p.m.
9	SOUTHEASTERN	BATON ROUGE	5 p.m.
15	at Texas A&M	College Station, Texas	1:30 p.m.
20-23	at ITA Team Indoors	Louisville, Ky.	All Day
22	TULSA	BATON ROUGE	1 p.m.
28	ALABAMA*	BATON ROUGE	2 p.m.

MARCH

2	AUBURN*	BATON ROUGE	1 p.m.
7	at South Carolina*	Columbia, S.C.	1 p.m.
9	at Florida*	Gainesville, Fla.	1 p.m.
14	at Tennessee*	Knoxville, Tenn.	3 p.m.
16	at Georgia*	Athens, Ga.	1 p.m.
22	TEXAS	BATON ROUGE	1 p.m.
28	VANDERBILT*	BATON ROUGE	2 p.m.
30	KENTUCKY*	BATON ROUGE	1 p.m.

APRIL

2	at Southern Methodist	Dallas, Texas	1 p.m.
4	at Mississippi State*	Starkville, Miss.	1 p.m.
6	at Ole Miss*	Oxford, Miss.	1 p.m.
10	ILLINOIS	BATON ROUGE	4 p.m.
12	ARKANSAS*	BATON ROUGE	1 p.m.
17-20	at SEC Championships	Oxford, Miss.	All Day

MAY

10-11	at NCAA Regionals	Regional Sites	All Day
17-26	at NCAA Championships	Athens, Ga.	All Day

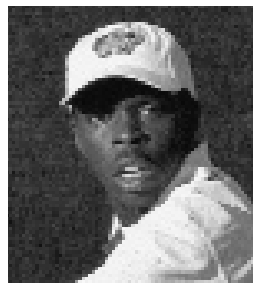
* Denotes Southeastern Conference matches

ALL CAPS denotes home matches

All times are Central and subject to change



C. Micah Smith



Frankie Green



Rafael Corazza

CENTENARY

Jan. 25, 2003 - 10 a.m.

Baton Rouge, La.

Location: Shreveport, La.

Nickname: Gents

Enrollment: 910

Facility: Centenary Tennis Complex

Head Coach: Larry Jacobs

Record at school: 27-70 (Four years)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 5-17/Unranked

Top Returnee: Caleb Ashley

Tennis SID: Kristine Olson

SID Phone: (318) 841-7260

**ILLINOIS**

April 10, 2003 - 4 p.m.

Baton Rouge, La.

Location: Champaign-Urbana

Nickname: Fighting Illini

Enrollment: 36,000

Facility: Atkins Tennis Center

Head Coach: Craig Tiley

Record at school: 185-71 (Nine years)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 26-5/Fourth

Top Returnee: Amer Delic

Tennis SID: Dick Barnes

SID Phone: (217) 333-1391

**SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA**

Feb. 9, 2003 - 5 p.m.

Baton Rouge, La.

Location: Hammond, La.

Nickname: Lions

Enrollment: 14,522

Facility: Southeastern Tennis Complex

Head Coach: Jason Hayes

Record at school: 6-16 (One year)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 6-16/Unranked

Top Returnee: Milos Vasovic

Tennis SID: Kemmler Chapple

SID Phone: (985) 549-2142

**SOUTHERN**

Jan. 25, 2003 - 1 p.m.

Baton Rouge, La.

Location: Baton Rouge, La.

Nickname: Jaguars

Enrollment: 9,803

Facility: Southern Univ. Tennis Courts

Head Coach: Jeff Conyers

Record at school: First year

2002 Record/Final Rank: 13-14/Unranked

Top Returnee: Alex Hidalgo

Tennis SID: Christopher K. Jones

SID Phone: (225) 771-2601

**SOUTHERN METHODIST**

April 2, 2003 - 1 p.m.

Dallas, Texas

Location: Dallas, Texas

Nickname: Mustangs

Enrollment: 10,038

Facility: Haggar Tennis Stadium

Head Coach: Carl Newfield

Record at school: 177-69 (Nine years)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 18-13/30th

Top Returnee: Gwinyai Chingoka

Tennis SID: Aimee Carpenter

SID Phone: (214) 768-3735

**SOUTHERN MISS**

Feb. 9, 2003 - 1 p.m.

Baton Rouge, La.

Location: Hattiesburg, Miss.

Nickname: Golden Eagles

Enrollment: 15,233

Facility: Racquet Club of Hattiesburg

Head Coach: Teddy Viator

Record at school: 162-147 (15 years)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 10-11/Unranked

Top Returnee: Uwe Gneiting

Tennis SID: Shirley Hill

SID Phone: (601) 266-4503

**TEXAS**

March 22, 2003 - 1 p.m.

Baton Rouge, La.

Location: Austin, Texas

Nickname: Longhorns

Enrollment: 46,610

Facility: Penick Allison Tennis Center

Head Coach: Michael Center

Record at school: 41-10 (Third year)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 23-4/15th

Top Returnee: Jean Simon

Tennis SID: David Crabtree

SID Phone: (512) 471-0534

**TEXAS A&M**

Feb. 15, 2003 - 1:30 p.m.

College Station, Texas

Location: College Station, Texas

Nickname: Aggies

Enrollment: 44,618

Facility: Texas A&M Tennis Center (1,500)

Head Coach: Tim Cass

Record at school: 116-45 (Six years)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 22-7/16th

Top Returnee: Lester Cook

Tennis SID: Steve Miller

SID Phone: (979) 845-5725

**TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO**

Feb. 1, 2003 - 4 p.m.

Baton Rouge, La.

Location: San Antonio, Texas

Nickname: Roadrunners

Enrollment: 19,860

Facility: UTSA Tennis Complex

Head Coach: Dr. Oliver Trittenwein

Record at school: 43-43 (Four years)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 12-9/Unranked

Top Returnee: Brett Veale

Tennis SID: Bill Pettitt

SID Phone: (210) 458-4907

**TULSA**

Feb. 22, 2003 - 1 p.m.

Baton Rouge, La.

Location: Tulsa, Okla.

Nickname: Golden Hurricane

Enrollment: 4,100

Facility: Michael D. Case Tennis Center

Head Coach: Vince Westbrook

Record at school: 147-127 (11 years)

2002 Record/Final Rank: 16-12/43rd

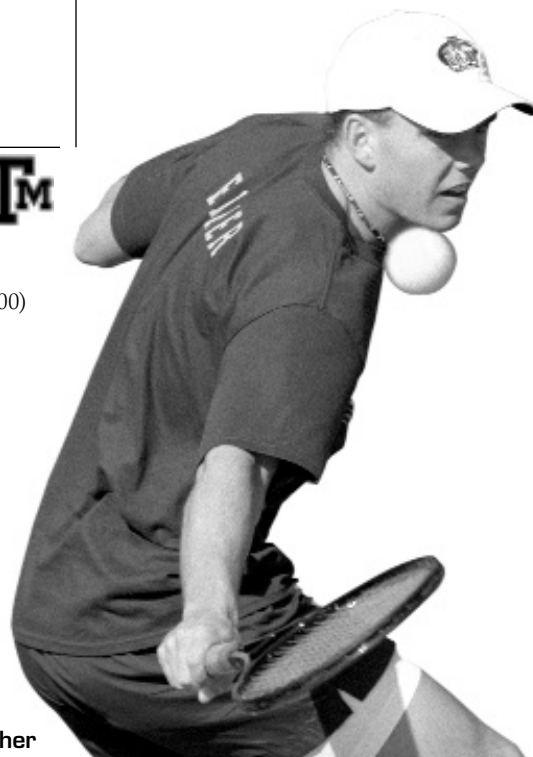
Top Returnee: Ryan Livesay

Tennis SID: Roger Dunaway

SID Phone: (918) 631-2163



Bryan Fisher



ALABAMA

Feb. 28, 2003

Baton Rouge, La. - 2 p.m.

Location: Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Founded: 1831

Enrollment: 19,400

Facility/Capacity: Alabama Varsity Outdoor

Courts/2,500

Nickname: Crimson Tide

Colors: Crimson and White

Conference: Southeastern

President: Dr. J. Barry Mason

Athletic Director: Mal Moore

Head Coach: Billy Pate

Career Record/Years: First year

School Record/Years: Same

Assistant Coach: Mario Rincon

2002 Record: 15-8

Conference Record/Finish: 7-5/tied for second (West)

Final Ranking: No.18

Tennis SID: Chris Kazakos

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SID Fax: (205) 348-8841

SID E-mail: christopherkazakos@hotmail.com

Website: www.rolltide.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 33-20-1

**ARKANSAS**

April 12, 2003

Baton Rouge, La. - 1 p.m.

Location: Fayetteville, Ark.

Founded: 1871

Enrollment: 15,795

Facility: UA Outdoor Tennis Complex

Nickname: Razorbacks

Colors: Cardinal and White

Conference: Southeastern

Chancellor: John White

Athletic Director: Frank Broyles

Head Coach: Robert Cox

Career Record/Years: 306-192/18 years

School Record/Years: 198-167/15 years

Assistant Coach: Darin Phelan

2002 Record: 15-10

Conference Record/Finish: 4-7/fourth in West

Final Ranking: No.24

Tennis SID: Josh Hester

SID Phone: (479) 575-2751

SID Fax: (479) 575-7481

SID E-mail: jhester@uark.edu

Website: www.hogwired.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 14-3

**AUBURN**

March 2, 2003

Baton Rouge, La. - 1 p.m.

Location: Auburn, Ala.

Founded: 1856

Enrollment: 21,775

Facility/Capacity: Luther Young Tennis

Complex/1,000

Nickname: Tigers

Colors: Burnt Orange and Navy Blue

Conference: Southeastern

President: William F. Walker

Athletic Director: David Housel

Head Coach: Eric Shore

Career Record/Years: 164-129/12 years

School Record/Years: Same

Assistant Coach: Paul Arber

2002 Record: 20-8

Conference Record/Finish: 10-5/second in West



Final Ranking: No.12

Tennis SID: Mendy Nestor

SID Phone: (334) 844-9700

SID Fax: (334) 844-9708

SID E-mail: nestome@auburn.edu

Website: www.auburntigers.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 25-10

FLORIDA

March 9, 2003

Gainesville, Fla. - 1 p.m.

Location: Gainesville, Fla.

Founded: 1853

Enrollment: 45,937

Facility/Capacity: Linder Stadium at Ring Tennis

Complex/1,000

Nickname: Gators

Colors: Orange and Blue

Conference: Southeastern

President: Dr. Charles Young

Athletic Director: Jeremy Foley

Head Coach: Andy Jackson

Career Record/Years: 305-158/18 years

School Record/Years: 18-7/one year

Assistant Coach: Michael Hegarty

2002 Record: 18-7

Conference Record/Finish: 7-4/tied for second

(East)

Final Ranking: No.11

Tennis SID: Zack Higbee

SID Phone: (352) 375-4683, ext.6135

SID Fax: (352) 375-4809

SID E-mail: zackh@gators.uaa.ufl.edu

Website: www.gatorzone.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 23-19-1

**GEORGIA**

March 16, 2003

Athens, Ga. - 1 p.m.

Location: Athens, Ga.

Founded: 1785

Enrollment: 32,400

Facility/Capacity: Dan Magill Tennis

Complex/4,500

Nickname: Bulldogs

Colors: Red and Black

Conference: Southeastern

President: Dr. Michael F. Adams

Athletic Director: Vince Dooley

Head Coach: Manuel Diaz

Career Record/Years: 325-64/14 years

School Record/Years: Same

Assistant Coach: Agustin Moreno

2002 Record: 28-4

Conference Record/Finish: 10-1/first

Final Ranking: No. 2

Tennis SID: Jenn Garrett

SID Phone: (706) 542-6306

SID Fax: (706) 542-9339

SID E-mail: jgarrett@sports.uga.edu

Website: www.georgiadogs.com

Series Record: Georgia leads, 18-35

**KENTUCKY**

March 30, 2003

Baton Rouge, La. - 1 p.m.

Location: Lexington, Ky.

Founded: 1865

Enrollment: 32,500

Facility/Capacity: Hilary J. Boone Varsity Tennis

Complex/3,500

Nickname: Wildcats



Colors: Blue and White

Conference: Southeastern

President: Dr. Lee T. Todd, Jr.

Athletic Director: Mitch Barnhart

Head Coach: Dennis Emery

Career Record/Years: 455-296/25 years

School Record/Years: 368-230/20 years

Assistant Coach: Greg Van Emburgh

2002 Record: 23-10

Conference Record/Finish: 6-5/fourth in East

Final Ranking: No. 8

Tennis SID: Matt Steinke

SID Phone: (859) 257-3838, ext.397

SID Fax: (859) 323-4310

SID E-mail: mstei2@uky.edu

Website: www.ukathletics.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 27-7

MISSISSIPPI STATE

April 4, 2003

Starkville, Miss. - 1 p.m.

Location: Starkville, Miss.

Founded: 1878

Enrollment: 16,610

Facility/Capacity: A.J. Pitts Tennis Centre/1,000

Nickname: Bulldogs

Colors: Maroon and White

Conference: Southeastern

President: Dr. J. Charles Lee (interim)

Athletic Director: Larry Templeton

Head Coach: Sylvain Guichard

Career Record/Years: 10-11/one year

School Record/Years: Same

Assistant Coach: Jeremy Bayon

2002 Record: 10-11

Conference Record/Finish: 3-8/fifth in West

Final Ranking: No.28

Tennis SID: John R.Cade

SID Phone: (662) 325-2703

SID Fax: (662) 325-2563

SID E-mail: jrcade@athletics.msstate.edu

Website: www.msstateathletics.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 36-15-1

**OLE MISS**

April 6, 2003

Oxford, Miss. - 1 p.m.

Location: Oxford, Miss.

Founded: 1848

Enrollment: 14,429

Facility/Capacity: Palmer/Salloum

Tennis Center/800

Nickname: Rebels

Colors: Cardinal Red and Navy Blue

Conference: Southeastern

Chancellor: Robert C. Khayat

Athletic Director: Pete Boone

Head Coach: Billy Chadwick

Career Record/Years: 312-179/20 years

School Record/Years: Same

Assistant Coach: Jeff Clark

2002 Record: 19-6

Conference Record/Finish: 8-3/first in West

Final Ranking: No. 9

Tennis SID: Kim Ling

SID Phone: (662) 915-7522

SID Fax: (662) 915-7006

SID E-mail: kling@olemiss.edu

Website: www.olemisssports.fansonly.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 42-6



SOUTH CAROLINA

March 7, 2003

Columbia, S.C.- 1 p.m.

Location: Columbia, S.C.

Founded: 1801

Enrollment: 23,728

Facility/Capacity: Sam Daniel Tennis Center/2,000

Nickname: Gamecocks

Colors: Garnet and Black

Conference: Southeastern

President: Dr. Andrew Sorensen

Athletic Director: Dr. Mike McGee

Head Coach: Kent DeMars

Career Record/Years: 490-264/29 years School

Record/Years: 278-193/18 years

Assistant Coach: Jeff Kefalos

2002 Record: 17-9

Conference Record/Finish: 4-7/fourth in East

Final Ranking: No.20

Tennis SID: Craig Puckett

SID Phone: (803) 777-5204

SID Fax: (803) 777-2967

SID E-mail: dc_puckett@hotmail.com

Website: www.uscsports.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 17-5

**TENNESSEE**

March 14, 2003

Knoxville, Tenn.- 3 p.m.

Location: Knoxville, Tenn.

Founded: 1794

Enrollment: 25,500

Facility/Capacity: Varsity Courts/2,000

Nickname: Volunteers

Colors: Orange and White

Conference: Southeastern

President: Dr. John W. Shumaker

Athletic Director: Douglas A. Dickey

Head Coach: Michael Fancutt

Career Record/Years: 100-36/five years

School Record/Years: Same

Assistant Coach: Chris Mahony

2002 Record: 22-7

Conference Record/Finish: 7-4/tied for second (East)

Final Ranking: No. 6

Tennis SID: Tom Satkowiak

SID Phone: (865) 974-1212

SID Fax: (865) 974-1269

SID E-mail: tsatkowi@utk.edu

Website: www.utsports.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 24-21-1

**VANDERBILT**

March 28, 2003

Baton Rouge, La.- 2 p.m.

Location: Nashville, Tenn.

Founded: 1873

Enrollment: 6,037

Facility/Capacity: Brownlee O. Currey Tennis

Facility/500

Nickname: Commodores

Colors: Black and Gold

Conference: Southeastern

Chancellor: Dr. E. Gordon Gee

Athletic Director: Todd Turner

Head Coach: Ken Flach

Career Record/Years: 65-87/six years

School Record/Years: Same

Vol. Assistant Coach: Rocky Adcox

2002 Record: 11-14

Conference Record/Finish: 1-10/sixth in East

Final Ranking: No. 36

Tennis SID: Josh Tenisci

SID Phone: (615) 343-0019

SID Fax: (615) 343-7064

SID E-mail: josh.tenisci@vanderbilt.edu

Website: www.vucommodores.com

Series Record: LSU leads, 37-13-1



Donni Leaycraft won the 1989 NCAA Singles Champion held in Athens, Ga.

2003 SEC TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**2003 SEC Tournament**

Thursday, April 17-Sunday, April 20, 2003

Palmer/Salloum Tennis Center

Oxford, Miss.



The Southeastern Conference Championship Tournament is a single elimination team competition involving all 12 league schools, with the top four seeds receiving byes.

Seeds 5-12 compete in first-round matches on Thursday, April 17. The four winners advance to face the top four seeds in the quarterfinal round on Friday, April 18.

Semifinal action takes place on Saturday, April 19, with the championship match being held on Sunday, April 20.

2003 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION**NCAA First & Second Rounds**

Friday, May 9-Sunday, May 11, 2003

Regional Sites (16)



The NCAA Tournament consists of a 64-team draw (similar to basketball). A total of 16 regional sites will be selected to represent the first and second rounds of the tournament. Each of the nation's eight regions will have a representative to be a host site with the other eight sites decided by the NCAA. Four teams will participate at each venue with the winner advancing to Athens, Ga., for the NCAA Championships.

NCAA Championships

Saturday, May 17-Monday, May 26, 2003

Dan Magill Tennis Complex

Athens, Ga.

The NCAA Men's Tennis Championships consist of a 16-team single elimination draw as well as a 64-player singles and 32-pair doubles tournament. The winners at the 16 first and second round sites will make up the tournament field with seedings to be determined by the NCAA. Individual competitors are selected based on their overall seasonal performance as determined by each region's NCAA Advisory Committee.





JEFF BROWN

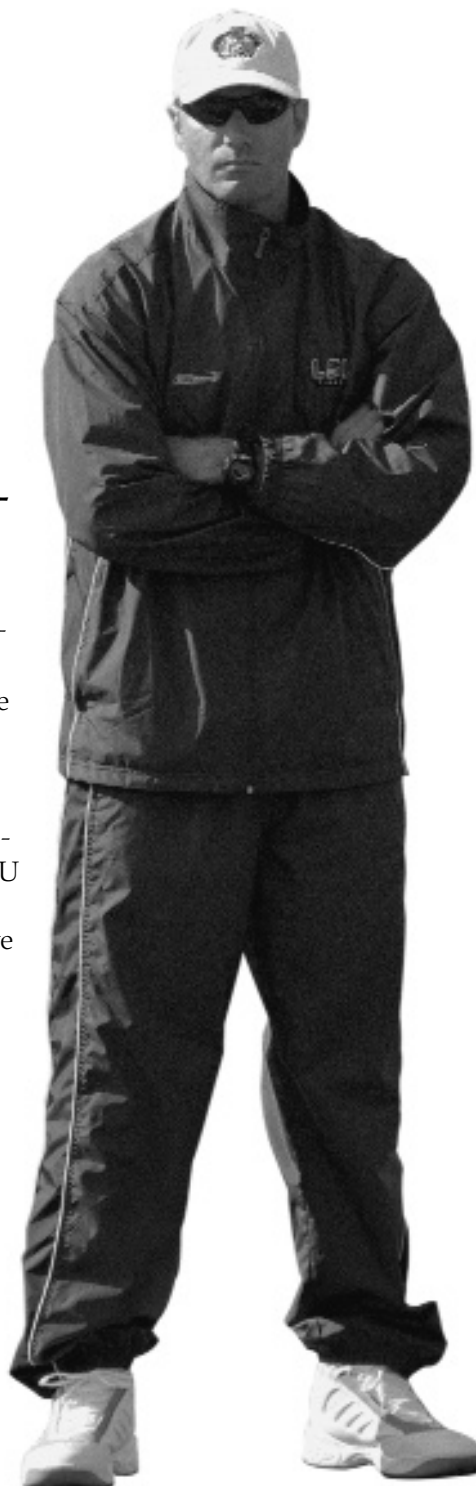
HEAD COACH
SIXTH SEASON



- 2002 Louisiana Coach of the Year
- 2001 Louisiana Coach of the Year
- 1999 College Tennis Magazine National Coach of the Year
- 1999 Louisiana Coach of the Year
- 1998 ITA Region III Coach of the Year
- 1998 Southeastern Conference Co-Coach of the Year
- 1998 Louisiana Coach of the Year

Jeff Brown, who helped build LSU into a perennial national power, first as a player and then as an assistant coach, is now guiding the Tigers to unprecedented success at LSU as a head coach.

Brown, one of the hottest young coaches in the country, has led LSU to two Southeastern Conference Championships in just five years at the helm. At the same time, he became the first coach in league history to win the conference crown in each of his first two seasons. He also became the first coach to lead his team to back-to-back SEC Tournament titles since the tournament's inception in 1990. Out of conference, Brown has propelled LSU into the national spotlight with back-to-back Final Four appearances in both 1998 and 1999, as well as consecutive round of 16 appearances in 2000 and 2001.



Last season, Brown earned Louisiana Coach of the Year honors for the second-straight season, as the Tigers advanced to at least the second round of the NCAA Tournament for the eighth-consecutive year and finished as the 29th-ranked team in the nation. The Louisiana Coach of the Year award marked his fourth in five seasons despite starting a lineup consisting of two freshmen, two sophomores and only one senior. With the majority of his talent-laden team returning for the 2002-03 season and a slew of talented newcomers, Brown is confident that the Tigers will battle for the SEC crown in the near future.

In 1999, Brown had arguably the best season of his young coaching year as he led his injury-riddled team to the conference crown and a berth in the Final Four while earning a No. 4 final national ranking. Brown brought his team from an 8-6 record and No. 28 ranking during the midst of the season to put together a 12-match win streak that ended in the NCAA semifinals.

For his efforts, Brown was named both the National Coach of the Year by College Tennis magazine and Louisiana Coach of the Year.

In his first year as the head coach, Brown led the Tigers to only the second No. 1 ranking in school history. In guiding his team to the semifinals of the NCAA Tournament, Brown earned SEC Co-Coach of the Year, ITA Region III Coach of the Year and Louisiana Coach of the Year honors.

A native of Gainesville, Fla., Brown played his college tennis for Hall of Fame coach Jerry Simmons at LSU from 1985-88. After a successful stint on the pro tour, Brown returned to Baton Rouge to assist his former coach before taking over the program in 1998.

As an assistant coach from 1994-97, Brown helped lead the Tigers to an 85-35 mark and three NCAA Tournament appearances. LSU also finished ranked in the top 10 in three of those four seasons and in 1996 the Tigers claimed the NCAA Region III title en-route their 13th NCAA berth in 15 years.

Brown has made a longstanding impression on the winning tradition for which LSU tennis is known. His involvement in every aspect of the program has played a significant role in keeping LSU among the nation's elite. He brings a tremendous amount of experience and dedication to the head coaching position.

"To be a part of LSU from so many angles, first as a player, then as an assistant and now as the head coach, has been wonderful. It has helped me appreciate everything that LSU has done for me even more."

Prior to returning to LSU in 1993, Brown spent five years on the professional tennis circuit and serving as a club professional in Florida. Brown was a four-year letterman for LSU from 1985-1988, and during that time, he became the third winningest singles player in school history with 100 career victories.

THE BROWN FILE

Year at LSU: Sixth

Birthdate: November 15, 1966

Birthplace: Dubuque, Iowa

COACHING EXPERIENCE

Years	Capacity	University
1994-97	Assistant Coach	LSU
1998-present	Head Coach	LSU

PLAYING EXPERIENCE

- LSU's Third All-time Winningest Singles Player (100 Career Wins)
- 1988 Team Captain
- 1985 All-SEC Singles
- 1985 SEC No. 4 Singles Champion
- 1986 SEC No. 3 Doubles Champion
- 1988 SEC All-SEC Singles and Doubles
- 1988 NCAA Singles and Doubles Participant
- 1988 Doubles All-American
- Four-year Letterman (1985-88)

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

- 1990 Volvo International Doubles Champion
- 1990 U.S. Open Doubles Round of 16
- 1991 Volvo International Doubles Finalist
- 1991 Australian Open Doubles Round of 16
- 1991 Wimbledon Doubles Round of 16

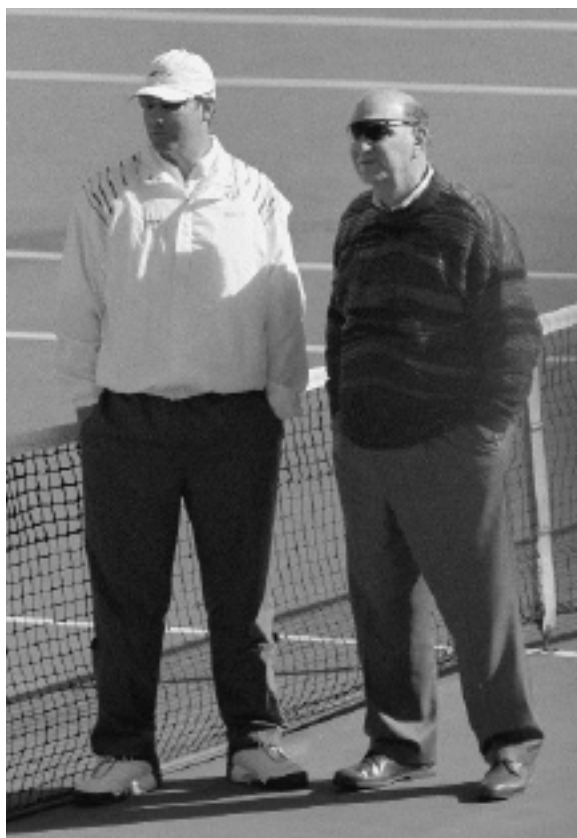
COACHING HONORS

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- 1998 ITA Region III Coach of the Year
- 1998 Louisiana Coach of the Year
- 1999 College Tennis Magazine National Coach of the Year
- 1999 Louisiana Coach of the Year
- 2001 Louisiana Coach of the Year
- 2002 Louisiana Coach of the Year

COACHING CAREER

Year	School	Record	Pct.	SEC Finish	Final Rank
1998	LSU	25-2	.926	1st	2nd
1999	LSU	20-7	.727	1st	4th
2000	LSU	20-6	.769	4th	12th
2001	LSU	16-8	.667	3rd	13th
2002	LSU	11-14	.440	11th	29th
Totals	5 years	92-37	.713	---	---





Head Coach Jeff Brown with Director of Athletics Skip Bertman.

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During his four years with the Tigers, Brown earned all-SEC honors twice and All-America recognition once. As a freshman in 1985, Brown won the SEC singles title at the No. 4 spot despite playing with a stress fracture in his left foot. The huge win enabled the Tigers to win the SEC title that year. As a sophomore, Brown netted the No. 3 doubles crown along with teammate Jason Noonan.

As a senior, Brown played the No. 1 singles and doubles positions for an LSU team that reached the championship match of the 1988 NCAA Tournament. Brown captained that squad and earned All-America honors as he led the Tigers to a school record 27-2

BROWN'S RECORD AT LSU AGAINST ...

Team	W	L	Last Meeting
Alabama	4	3	2002,L (0-4)
Alcorn State	2	0	2000,W (4-0)
Arkansas	5	0	2002,W (4-3)
Auburn	5	2	2002,W (4-2)
Centenary	5	0	2002,W (7-0)
Clemson	1	0	2000,W (4-0)
Duke	2	0	1999,W (4-3)
Florida	3	2	2002,L (3-4)
Fresno State	1	0	1999,W (4-1)
Georgia	4	5	2002,L (0-4)
Indiana	0	1	1999,L (3-4)
Indiana State	1	0	2000,W (4-3)
Illinois	0	2	2002,L (2-5)
Kentucky	3	2	2002,L (2-4)
Louisiana-Lafayette	1	0	2001,W (7-0)
Louisiana-Monroe	2	0	2002,W (7-0)
Marist	1	0	2002,W (4-0)
Miami, Fla.	1	0	1998,W (6-1)
Michigan State	1	0	1999,W (5-2)
Mississippi	5	2	2002,L (3-4)
Mississippi State	4	1	2002,W (5-2)
New Mexico	1	0	2002,W (5-2)
New Orleans	2	0	2000,W (6-1)
SE Louisiana	3	0	2001,W (7-0)
South Alabama	1	0	2000,W (7-0)
South Carolina	4	2	2002,L (2-5)
South Florida	2	0	2002,W (5-2)
Southern	6	0	2002,W (5-0)
Southern California	2	0	2000,W (4-3)
Southern Methodist	2	2	2002,L (3-4)
Southern Mississippi	5	0	2002,W (6-1)
Stanford	0	1	1998,L (0-7)
Tennessee	3	4	2002,L (2-5)
Texas	1	0	2001,W (4-2)
Texas A&M	2	5	2002,L (0-4)
Texas-Arlington	1	0	2001,W (7-0)
Texas Christian	1	0	2002,W (4-0)
Tulane	2	0	2000,W (7-0)
UCLA	0	1	1999,L (1-4)
Vanderbilt	3	2	2002,L (3-4)
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Total	92	37	5 years

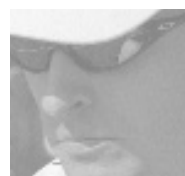
mark. LSU played in the NCAA Tournament all four years of Brown's collegiate career and was ranked No. 1 in the nation for four consecutive weeks during the 1988 campaign.

After graduating from LSU in 1989 with a degree in general studies, Brown stayed on as an assistant for one season with the Tigers before trying his hand on the ATP Tour. Brown made an immediate impact on the pro circuit as he won the doubles title at the Volvo International in 1990 and advanced to the round of 16 at the U.S. Open by beating the team of Pete Sampras and Jim Courier in the first round. Brown also advanced to the round of 16 at both the Australian Open and Wimbledon, while being ranked as high as No. 45 in the world in doubles, the highest ranking ever for a former LSU player. Brown married the former Deborah Schaeffer of Colorado Springs, Colo., on Nov. 19, 1999.



MARK BOORAS

ASSISTANT COACH
FIFTH SEASON



Mark Booras joined the LSU men's tennis coaching staff just before the 1999 dual-match season and the positive effects that he has had on the program have been apparent ever since. LSU has accumulated a phenomenal 67-35 overall record since his arrival in Tigertown and the Tigers have reached the second round of the NCAA Tournament in four-consecutive seasons.

Last year, Booras helped lead the Tigers to their eighth-straight NCAA Tournament appearance and a final No. 29 national ranking with one of LSU's youngest teams in recent history.

In his first season with the Tigers, he helped guide LSU to its second-consecutive SEC Championship as well as a berth in the Final Four. The 1999 squad also won its second-straight SEC Tournament that season, becoming the first team to ever repeat as tournament champions.

Booras, age 31, is a Chicago, Ill., native. He graduated from West Virginia University in 1993 and played his college tennis for the nationally-renown Terry Deremer. He was a top 20 singles and doubles player in the nation during his four campaigns as a Mountaineer.

In each of his final three seasons at West Virginia, Booras gained valuable championship experience as he competed in both the NCAA singles and doubles championship tournaments at the end of the year. He was also part of the 1990 West Virginia team that earned a trip to the NCAA Tournament. Booras was a vital component of the surprising Mountaineer team and contributed to their success in both singles and doubles play.

Following his collegiate career, Booras joined the ATP tour and continued his success by reaching a career-high ranking of 240th in the world. After a three-year career spanning from 1994-96, he retired and decided to further his education. While earning his master's degree in Sport Psychology at West Virginia University, he was also the assistant men's tennis coach and a private tennis instructor where he gained critical coaching experience.

In 1999, he came to LSU to help head coach Jeff Brown build upon the proud tradition that the Tiger tennis program has come to enjoy in the past. His duties as assistant coach include conducting practices, player instruction during match play, as well as recruiting top talent for the program.

"Mark continues to lend his knowledge of the game to this team and it is paying great dividends," said LSU head coach Jeff Brown. "He brings an environment to this program that is invaluable. He is as important as any one person in this program."

THE BOORAS FILE

Year at LSU: Fifth

Alma Mater: West Virginia

Graduated: May, 1993

COACHING EXPERIENCE

Years	Capacity	University
1996-98	Assistant Coach	West Virginia
1999-present	Assistant Coach	LSU

COLLEGIATE EXPERIENCE

- Top-20 Ranked Doubles Player
- Top-20 Ranked Singles Player
- Two-time NCAA Singles Championships Qualifier
- Three-time NCAA Doubles Championships Qualifier

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

- Ranked No. 240 in Doubles
- Ranked No. 700 in Singles
- Competed on the ATP tour from 1994-96



BROWN-MINNIS TIGER TENNIS CAMP

(Located on the campus of Louisiana State University)

The newly-renovated W.T. "Dub" Robinson Tennis Center plays host to the Brown-Minnis Tiger Tennis Camp each year during the months of June and July. The Robinson Tennis Center is located on the west side of Louisiana State University's campus and boasts 12 collegiate outdoor courts as well as an indoor practice facility.

Camp directors Jeff Brown and Tony Minnis are each proven collegiate tennis players and coaches of nationally ranked tennis programs. They each have the necessary skills and knowledge to drastically improve the play of kids ages 7-17. The Brown-Minnis Tiger Tennis Camp is equally excited to train anyone from beginners up to tournament players.

The Brown-Minnis Tiger Tennis Camp experience is also enhanced by the added direction of LSU assistant coaches Mark Booras and Sandy Sureephong. Booras and Sureephong are each established collegiate assistant coaches and have excelled as players by participating on the pro circuit for a number of years.

Jeff Brown - Camp Director

- LSU Men's Tennis Coach
- Led the Tigers to Two SEC Championships
- 1999 National Coach of the Year
- Led LSU to the 1999 Final Four
- 1998 SEC Co-Coach of the Year
- Four-time Louisiana Coach of the Year

Tony Minnis - Camp Director

- LSU Women's Tennis Coach
- Led the Lady Tigers to Eight-straight NCAA Appearances
- 1999 Southwestern Regional Coach of the Year
- 1997 SEC Coach of the Year
- 1995 Southwestern Regional Coach of the Year
- Three-time Louisiana Coach of the Year

CAMP PHILOSOPHY

Desire, sportsmanship and hard work are the fundamental characteristics of a true champion. The staff will seek to instill this philosophy and have each camper set goals and work hard to achieve them.

THE PROGRAM

The instructional program includes six to eight hours per day on the tennis courts. There is a strong emphasis on fundamentals and consistency of performance. Campers will be involved in match play.

CAMP FORMAT

Individualized instruction is provided by experienced dedicated instructors. We maintain a low teacher-student ratio, as well as daily running and physical conditioning period. Campers will receive constant training in the following areas:

- Stroke production, techniques and fundamentals.
- Drill situations to groove technique.
- Physical training; running, strength and agility.
- Match competition featuring singles, doubles and strategy.

BOTTOM LINE

Camp is about building character. It is about hard work, sportsmanship and learning to interact with instructors and fellow campers. Most of all, it is about tennis - playing tennis to one's potential - and the opportunity for your child to develop his or her skill.

SESSIONS

Three, one-week camps will be offered each summer. The camps typically run from 2 p.m. on Sunday until Friday at noon. Campers may enroll in one session or more.

(For brochures and other camp information call: (225) 761-1417)

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TIGERS



MEET THE TIGERS



BRYAN FISHER

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NASHVILLE, TENN.
(MONTGOMERY BELL HS)



COACH BROWN ON FISHER

"We look for Bryan to build on a solid 2002 season with an improved serve and by getting his attacking style to be a little more dominant. It takes longer for this style that he's working on to gel, but he's getting the hang of it and he's a really great student."

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2001-02)

Recovered from a broken ankle and turned in an outstanding season ...Finished the 2002 dual-match season as the 113th-ranked player in the nation ... Ended the year as one of the Tigers' three 20-match winners with a final 21-18 overall singles record ... Turned in winning records on both courts No. 3 (4-3) and No.4 (4-1) ...Defeated Illinois' 23rd-ranked Phil Stolt, 6-4, 1-6, 7-5, in dual-match play ... Proved to be a healthy contributor in doubles play and ended the dual season with a 15-14 mark ... Finished the tournament season with a 9-8 overall record and earned the nation's 87th ranking in the Intercollegiate Tennis Association's preseason poll ... Faced seven ranked opponents during fall play and knocked off No. 93 Hamid Mirzadeh, 100th-ranked Andrew Colombo and No. 100 Martin Wetzel ...Advanced to the third round of the ITA Region III Championships and played Georgia's 37th-ranked Brandon Wagner in a hard-fought 7-6(5), 7-6(6) loss ... Recorded a seven match winning streak at one point during the fall ...Played dominating tennis in doubles play and earned a 6-2 record with three different partners ...Earned his second varsity letter.

FRESHMAN SEASON (2000-01)

Started the season as the Tigers' No. 6 singles player before breaking his ankle in a mid-season match versus Kentucky ... Accumulated a 5-3 dual record prior to the injury ... Was undefeated at both the No.3 and No. 5 singles positions on the season ...Ended the year with an overall singles mark of 11-6 ... Was an impressive 8-1 in three-set matches to lead the team ...Recorded a perfect 5-0 mark in No.3 doubles play along with teammate Ajay Ramaswami before the injury ... Finished 11-6 during the fall in singles play and won his first career tournament as he beat Evan Fowler of South Alabama for the Southern Collegiate Championships Division III title ... Competed in doubles with Jesse Smatt and won the Seminole Classic with a victory over teammates Dan Kiernan and Sebastian Rutka in the finals ... Teamed with Rutka to win the Tulane Invitational doubles crown in the fall ...Earned his first varsity letter.

FISHER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Singles Year	Overall			vs. Top 100			SEC Dual		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2000-01	16	9	.640	0	0	.000	1	2	.333
2001-02	21	18	.538	4	6	.400	2	8	.200
TOTALS	37	27	.578	4	6	.400	3	10	.231

Doubles Year	Overall			SEC Dual		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2000-01	14	5	.737	4	0	1.000
2001-02	15	14	.517	0	3	.000
TOTALS	29	19	.604	4	3	.571



PRIOR TO LSU

Was the No. 1 ranked doubles player in under-18 division in the South and was ranked in the top 10 in the nation ... Reached the finals of the National Indoor Championships in doubles play as a junior ... Was a three-time All-State performer and three-time Mid-State performer in Tennessee as he earned the honor in his freshman, sophomore and junior seasons ...Also played football and basketball in high school ... Helped his team to the football state championship as a junior and the tennis team to a state runner-up finish the same season.

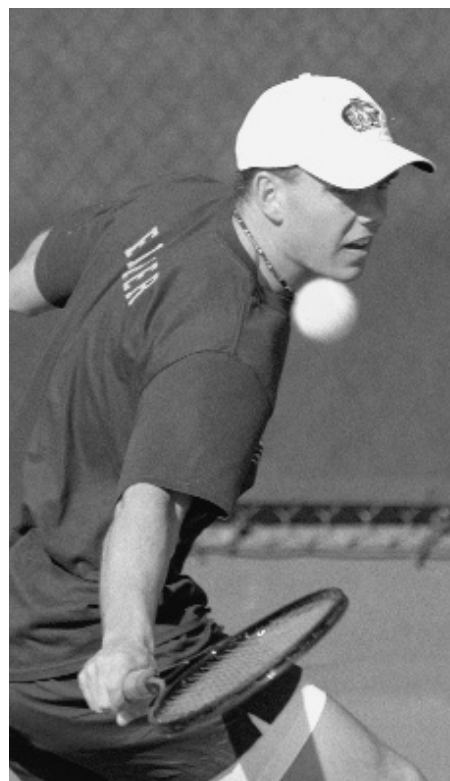
PERSONAL

Born on March 11, 1982 in Nashville, Tenn.... Parents are Fred and Barbara Fisher ...Has one younger brother, Michael (18) ... Father played baseball and football for Vanderbilt ... Major is marketing ...Full name is Bryan Morrell Fisher.

“ We look for Bryan to build on a solid 2002 season with an improved serve and by getting his attacking style to be a little more dominant. It takes longer for this style that he's working on to gel, but he's getting the hang of it and he's a really great student. ”

FISHER VS. 2001-02 OPPONENTS

W/L	Opponent	Score	Tournament/Pos.
L	#54 Olivier Levant,Florida	6-3,6-3	Southern Collegiate
L	James Cameron,Furman	4-6,7-6(4),13-11	Southern Collegiate
W	Paul Birkett,Southeastern La.	7-6(5),2-6,6-0	ULL Invitational
L	Abedin Sham,New Orleans	2-6,6-4,4-2 (ret.)	ULL Invitational
W	David Terol,Southern Miss	6-0,6-1	Tulane Invitational
W	Anders Oding,UNO	6-3,6-0	Tulane Invitational
W	Nicolas Cateret,Southern Miss	6-2,6-1	Tulane Invitational
W	Michael Chkroun,UNO	6-4,6-3	Tulane Invitational
W	Ivan Yarell,Florida A&M	6-3,6-2	Region III
W	#93 Hamid Mirzadeh,Florida	7-6(5),6-4	Region III
W	#100 Andrew Colombo,Auburn	7-5,3-6,7-5	Region III
L	#37 Brandon Wagner, Georgia	7-6(5),7-6(6)	Region III
W	#100 Martin Wetzel,South Florida	6-4,4-6,10-4	LSU Showcase
L	#52 Paco Antelo,South Florida	2-6,6-3,10-7	LSU Showcase
L	#15 Michal Kogan, Tulane	4-6,6-3,10-4	LSU Showcase
L	Jakub Ilowski,La.-Lafayette	3-6,6-2,10-3	LSU Showcase
L	Trey Johnson,Florida	6-3,3-2(ret.)	SEC Indoors
W	Jimmy Allen,Centenary	6-1,7-5	No.2 Singles
W	Alex Hidalgo,Southern	6-2,6-0	No.2 Singles
W	David Kowalski,New Mexico	6-3,6-1	No.3 Singles
W	#23 Phil Stolt,Illinois	6-4,1-6,7-5	No.3 Singles
L	Chris Gostek,Alabama	6-7(2),6-3,6-1	No.2 Singles
L	#31 Tiago Ruffoni,Auburn	6-4,6-7(4),6-2	No.2 Singles
W	Lester Cook, Texas A&M	7-6(6),1-6,6-3	No.3 Singles
L	David Nelson,South Carolina	7-6(4),6-2	No.3 Singles
L	Troy Hahn,Florida	3-6,6-4,6-0	No.3 Singles
L	Adam Carey, Tennessee	7-5,6-0	No.3 Singles
W	Uwe Gneiting,Southern Miss	7-6(3),6-3	No.5 Singles
W	Uhi Kiendl, South Florida	7-6(3),3-6,7-6(4)	No.4 Singles
L	Scott Brown, Vanderbilt	6-4,6-1	No.4 Singles
L	#86 Johan Grunditz,Kentucky	7-5,6-0	No.5 Singles
W	Gwinyai Chingoka,SMU	6-4,6-2	No.4 Singles
W	Aymeric Henou,Mississippi State	7-5,3-6,6-3	No.5 Singles
W	Paul Ciorascu,Ole Miss	6-3,6-2	No.5 Singles
L	Eduardo Pacheco,Arkansas	6-2,6-1	No.5 Singles
W	Stan Nevolovich,UL-Monroe	6-2,6-2	No.4 Singles
L	Chris McRae,Alabama	7-5,4-6,6-3	No.5 Singles
L	Mark Van Elden,Auburn	6-3,6-2	No.5 Singles
W	Alex Menichini,TCU	6-2,6-4	No.4 Singles
TOTALS: 21-18 (Overall),4-6 (vs. top 100),2-8 (SEC)			





JASON HAZLEY

6-1 * 165 * SO./1L
BRADENTON, FLA.
(AMERICAN HS)



- 2002 Louisiana Freshman of the Year
- 2002 First-Team All-Louisiana

COACH BROWN ON HAZLEY

"Jason is definitely a lot more mature and a lot more experienced this season. He really gained some tremendous playing time as a freshman and I really believe that he is one of the biggest hitters in the nation this season."

FRESHMAN SEASON (2001-02)

Named the 2002 Louisiana Freshman of the Year ... Earned 2002 First-Team All-Louisiana honors as a freshman ... Proved to be a valuable asset in the starting singles lineup and notched a 6-2 record on court No. 4 ... Recorded a team-best 6-4 record in Southeastern Conference matches ... Ended the year as one of the Tigers' three 20-match winners with a final 22-18 overall singles records ... Turned in one of the best fall seasons for the Tigers as he finished with an impressive 12-8 record ... Opened tournament play with an outstanding 6-1 mark in singles competition before falling to Tulane's 15th-ranked Michal Kogan ... Finished the season as the only Tiger with a winning record versus top-100 ranked opponents ... Defeated three ranked opponents during the season in Tennessee's 80th-ranked Mark Dietrich, Alabama's 96th-ranked Chris Gostek and South Florida's No. 100 Martin Wetzel ... Reeled off five-straight singles wins early in the fall season ... Proved to be a valuable asset in doubles play and finished the season with an impressive 17-13 record ... Earned his first varsity letter.

PRIOR TO LSU

Ranked in the top 100 by the International Tennis Federation Junior World Rankings ... At American School in Bradenton, Fla., he was the 20th-ranked singles player in the nation and top 5 in the state of Florida ... Finished second at the Intersectional round of the Junior Davis Cup in 1998 with team Florida ... Decided to attend LSU because of its good tennis program.

PERSONAL

Born on Sept. 20, 1982 ... He is the son of Alan and Francine Hazley ... Full name is Jason James Hazley ... He is currently undecided on a major.

HAZLEY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Singles		Overall		vs. Top 100		SEC Dual	
Year		W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2001-02		22	18	.550	3	2	.600
TOTALS		22	18	.550	3	2	.600
Doubles		Overall		SEC Dual			
Year		W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2001-02		17	13	.567	5	4	.556
TOTALS		17	13	.567	5	4	.556

HAZLEY VS. 2001-02 OPPONENTS

W/L	Opponents	Score	Tournament/Pos.
W	Trevor Short, Middle Tenn.	6-0, 6-2	Southern Collegiate
L	Thomas Knizat, UT-Chattanooga	7-6(5), 6-3	Southern Collegiate
W	Edgar Gonzales, Lamar	6-1, 6-4	ULL Invitational
W	Viktor Loven, New Orleans	7-6(4), 7-6(6)	ULL Invitational
W	Johann Westhuizen, UL-Lafayette	6-2, 6-4	ULL Invitational
W	Tom Zarzeczny, Texas-Arlington	7-6(5), 6-2	ULL Invitational
W	Peter Richman, LSU	6-2, 6-4	ULL Invitational
L	#15 Michael Kogan, Tulane	6-4, 6-2	Tulane Invitational
W	Uwe Gneiting, Southern Miss	6-2, 6-3	Tulane Invitational
L	Matias Ormaza, Georgia State	6-3, 6-4	Region III
L	Jakub Ilowski, La.-Lafayette	6-7(3), 6-3, 10-8	LSU Showcase
W	#100 Martin Wetzel, South Florida	3-6, 6-3, 10-8	LSU Showcase
L	Viktor Loven, UNO	7-5, 7-6(5)	LSU Showcase
L	Jorge Escallon, South Florida	6-3, 6-7(3), 10-4	LSU Showcase
L	Peter Handoyo, Tennessee	6-2, 6-4	SEC Indoors
W	Mike Maddox, Tennessee	6-3, 6-4	SEC Indoors
W	Josh Tarkov, Vanderbilt	6-2, 6-2	SEC Indoors
W	Rehman Esmail, Kentucky	6-4, 4-6, 6-4	SEC Indoors
W	#96 Chris Gostek, Alabama	6-4, 7-5	SEC Indoors
L	Evan Austin, Kentucky	3-6, 7-5, 6-1	SEC Indoors
W	Caleb Ashley, Centenary	6-1, 6-1	No. 4 Singles
W	Ben Ncube, Southern	6-2, 6-1	No. 4 Singles
L	Michael Polasek, New Mexico	6-4, 6-3	No. 4 Singles
L	Michael Calkins, Illinois	6-2, 7-6(5)	No. 5 Singles
L	Chris McRae, Alabama	6-3, 6-2	No. 5 Singles
W	Mark Van Elden, Auburn	2-6, 6-2, 6-2	No. 6 Singles
L	Khaled El Dorry, Texas A&M	2-6, 6-2, 6-3	No. 6 Singles
L	Carl Wermee, South Carolina	6-3, 6-2	No. 5 Singles
W	Matt Behrmann, Florida	7-5, 6-1	No. 4 Singles
W	#80 Mark Dietrich, Tennessee	7-6(6), 6-0	No. 4 Singles
W	David Canudas, Southern Miss	7-5, 6-2	No. 4 Singles
L	Paco Antelo, South Florida	6-0, 6-4	No. 3 Singles
W	Zach Dailey, Vanderbilt	6-4, 6-2	No. 3 Singles
L	#94 Gustav Pousette, Kentucky	7-6(4), 7-6(5)	No. 4 Singles
L	Lukas Senczyszyn, SMU	4-6, 7-6(4), 7-6(5)	No. 5 Singles
W	Luiz Carvalho, Mississippi State	6-4, 3-6, 7-6(1)	No. 3 Singles
L	Catalin Gard, Ole Miss	6-1, 6-2	No. 3 Singles
W	Aleksey Bubis, Arkansas	6-0, 6-1	No. 4 Singles
W	Michael Date, Southern	6-0, 6-3	No. 2 Singles
L	Lester Cook, Texas A&M	6-2, 6-2	No. 3 Singles

TOTALS: 22-18 (Overall), 3-2 (vs. top 100), 6-4 (SEC)





BRANDON NICHOLSON

5-10 * 148 * JR./2L
NEW IBERIA, LA.
(CATHOLIC HS)



COACH BROWN ON NICHOLSON

"Brandon has worked his way into the lineup by taking advantage of his great attitude and hard work. He has great endurance and is a big-time fighter on the court."

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2001-02)

Proved to be a valuable doubles asset for the Tigers during the postseason ... Finished the dual-match season with an undefeated record in singles play ... Posted a 1-0 record on court No. 5 and a 3-0 mark on court No. 6 ... Finished the season with a three match winning streak in singles play ... Proved his mettle by earning a 4-1 record in tiebreakers ... Jumped out to a fast start during the fall tournament season and opened with a 4-1 record ... Earned vital wins over UNO's Sebastian Lacatelli and Mattias Westerberg at the Louisiana-Lafayette Invitational ... Finished fall competition with a 5-4 overall record in singles play ... Earned his second varsity letter.

FRESHMAN SEASON (2000-01)

Proved to be one of the most improved players during the season for head coach Jeff Brown ... Finished the season with an overall record of 7-5 in singles play ... Went undefeated for the Tigers in both No. 4 and No. 6 singles play ... Improved as a baseline player and became more consistent as the season went on ... Played with partner Dan Kiernan at No. 1 doubles and finished the year with a perfect 1-0 dual record ... Finished 6-3 overall in doubles play ... Opened the fall with a runner-up finish in his flight of the Rice Invitational as he fell to teammate Anthony Mateljan in the final ... Went 1-1 in doubles play in the fall with John Sruck as the pair competed in just one tournament together ... Earned his first varsity letter.

REDSHIRT SEASON (1999-00)

Did not compete in any dual matches ... Posted a 3-6 record in the fall and reached the consolation round of the Tulane Invitational ... Won the Tulane Invitational doubles crown with partner Dan Kiernan.

PRIOR TO LSU

Competed at Catholic High School in New Iberia, La., for four years ... Played the No. 1 position and won the individual state championship in both his junior and senior seasons in Class 3A ... Was ranked No. 1 in the state ... Also lettered each of his high school years in cross country and track ... Led his team to three state cross country championships.

PERSONAL

Born on February 21, 1981 in Little Rock, Ark. ... Son of Jan and Trulie Nicholson ... Has three brothers Barrett (25), Blake (23) and Blane (19) ... Brother Barrett also attended LSU ... Plays right-handed ... Full name is Brandon Alen Nicholson.

NICHOLSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

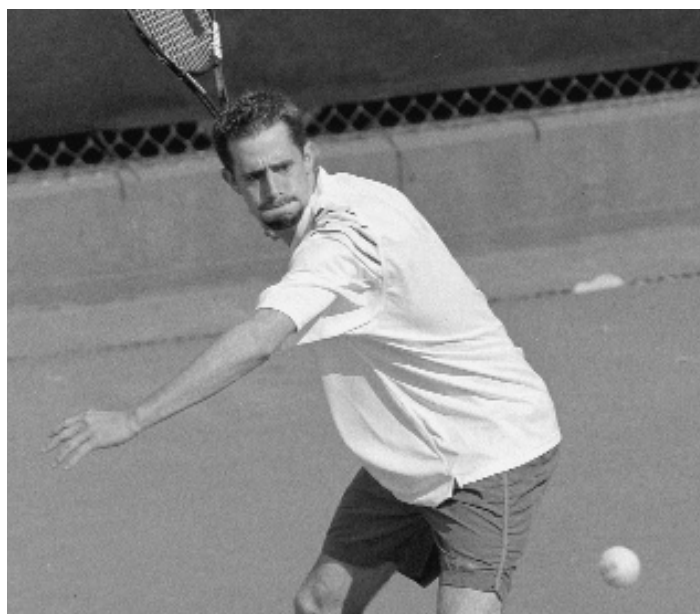
Singles	Overall			vs. Top 100		
Year	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
1999-00	3	6	.333	-	-	---
2000-01	7	5	.583	-	-	---
2001-02	9	6	.600	0	1	.000
TOTALS	19	17	.528	0	1	.000

Doubles	Overall			SEC Dual		
Year	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
1999-00	3	1	.750	-	-	---
2000-01	6	3	.667	-	-	---
2001-02	3	4	.429	1	1	.500
TOTALS	12	8	.600	1	1	.500

NICHOLSON VS. 2001-02 OPPONENTS

W/L	Opponents	Score	Tournament/Pos.
L	Marco Schmidt, Tennessee Tech	4-6, 6-2, 6-4	Southern Collegiate
W	Mike Leffke, UNC-Asheville	6-2, 6-3	Southern Collegiate
W	Santiago Sahugun, E. Tennessee St.	6-3, 3-6, 10-7	Southern Collegiate
W	Sebastian Lacatelli, New Orleans	6-4, 7-6(3)	ULL Invitational
W	Mattias Westerberg, Tulane	0-6, 6-4, 6-0	ULL Invitational
L	Uwe Gneiting, Southern Miss.	6-0, 6-2	ULL Invitational
L	Johan Verderwesthuizen, ULL	6-1, 6-2	LSU Showcase
W	Adrian Meier, South Florida	6-4, 2-6, 10-4	LSU Showcase
L	Eric Gildhorn, South Florida	6-2, 6-7(4), 10-7	LSU Showcase
L	#57 Eleazar Magellan, Florida	6-1, 6-1	SEC Indoors
L	Ben Atkinson, South Carolina	6-1, 6-3	SEC Indoors
W	Nathan Bridges, Centenary	6-0, 6-4	No. 6 Singles
W	Nike Date, Southern	6-1, 6-1	No. 6 Singles
W	Greg Beinvenu, UL-Monroe	6-1, 6-0	No. 6 Singles
W	Gregory Pipkins, Southern	6-3, 6-1	No. 5 Singles

TOTALS: 9-6 (Overall), 0-1 (vs. top 100)





PETER RICHMAN

5-10 * 150 * So./1L
TORONTO, CANADA
(NORTHVIEW HEIGHTS HS)



• 2002 First-Team All-Louisiana

COACH BROWN ON RICHMAN

"Peter's game has really matured a lot since his freshman season and he has improved every aspect of his play along with an understanding of how he plays best from a match-management standpoint. He is a great student and he does an outstanding job of paying attention to detail and he always makes sure that he works extra on the little things."

FRESHMAN SEASON (2001-02)

Named a member of the 2002 First-Team All-Louisiana as a freshman ... Played a significant portion of the dual-match season at the No.2 singles position and turned in a valuable 7-7 record ... Recorded a 2-1 mark on court No. 3 in dual matches ... Defeated Mississippi State's 78th-ranked Rene Combette in a vital Southeastern Conference matchup ... Made drastic strides in his game and finished the tournament season with an 11-5 overall singles record ... Faced Georgia's nationally-ranked Lesley Joseph in the third round of the Southeastern Conference Indoor Championships and forced him to a third set, 6-7(8), 6-3, 6-4 ... Played well in doubles and ended the season with a 5-6 record ... Earned his first varsity letter.

PRIOR TO LSU

Three-time Canadian Junior National singles champion... Three-time Junior National doubles champion... Ranked in the top 60 in the International Tennis Federation rankings ... One of the best tennis players to ever come out of Northview Heights High School.

PERSONAL

Born on September 20, 1982 ... He is the son of Virginia and Frank Richman ... Majoring in mass communication.

RICHMAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Singles		Overall		vs. Top 100		SEC Dual	
Year		W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2001-02		19	18	.514	1	8	.111
TOTALS		19	18	.514	1	8	.111
Doubles		Overall		SEC Dual			
Year		W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2001-02		5	6	.455	1	0	1.000
TOTALS		5	6	.455	1	0	1.000

RICHMAN VS. 2001-02 OPPONENTS

W/L	Opponents	Score	Tournament/Pos.
W	Brent McCombe, Louisville	6-3, 6-2	Southern Collegiate
W	Ion Vlad, Georgia	6-2, 6-4	Southern Collegiate
L	Tobias Klein, UAB	7-6(5), 6-2	Southern Collegiate
W	Derrick Spice, Wake Forest	7-6(3), 6-3	ULL Invitational
W	David Jansson, Southern Miss.	6-4, 2-6, 6-3	ULL Invitational
W	Anthony Blache, UL-Lafayette	6-2, 6-4	ULL Invitational
W	Uwe Gneiting, Southern Miss.	6-3, 5-7, 6-2	ULL Invitational
L	Jason Hazley, LSU	6-2, 6-4	ULL Invitational
W	Lee Walker, Memphis	6-1, 6-4	Region III
L	Oliver Foreman, Middle Tenn. St.	6-2, 6-2	Region III
W	Eric Gildhorn, South Florida	6-1, 6-0	LSU Showcase
W	Viktor Loven, UNO	6-1, 6-2	LSU Showcase
L	Mikael Chkroun, UNO	7-6(5), 6-4	LSU Showcase
W	Max Fomine, Mississippi State	7-6(4), 4-6, 6-3	SEC Indoors
W	Lewis Smith, Vanderbilt	7-6(4), 6-3	SEC Indoors
L	Lesley Joseph, Georgia	6-7(8), 6-3, 6-4	SEC Indoors
W	J.T. Cope, Centenary	6-0, 6-1	No.3 Singles
W	Greg Pipkins, Southern	6-1, 6-2	No.3 Singles
W	Bart Scott, New Mexico	7-6(2), 6-4	No.2 Singles
L	#9 Amer Delic, Illinois	3-6, 7-5, 7-6(4)	No.1 Singles
L	Andrew Colombo, Auburn	7-5, 6-3	No.3 Singles
L	Keith From, Texas A&M	6-3, 7-6(1)	No.2 Singles
L	Angelo Niculescu, South Carolina	6-2, 6-2	No.2 Singles
L	#50 Eleazar Magallan, Florida	6-2, 6-3	No.2 Singles
L	#7 Peter Handoyo, Tennessee	3-6, 6-1, 6-1	No.1 Singles
L	#48 Matias Boeker, Georgia	6-3, 6-3	No.1 Singles
W	Juanjo Martin, Southern Miss	6-0, 6-1	No.2 Singles
L	#79 Marin Wetzel, South Florida	6-3, 6-4	No.2 Singles
L	Chad Harris, Vanderbilt	6-4, 6-4	No.2 Singles
L	#67 Karim Benmansour, Kentucky	7-6(4), 6-4	No.2 Singles
L	#26 Krystian Pfeiffer, SMU	6-3, 3-6, 6-3	No.1 Singles
W	#78 Rene Combette, Mississippi St.	7-6(4), 3-6, 7-6(5)	No.2 Singles
L	#52 Kristofer Stahlberg, Ole Miss	6-1, 7-5	No.2 Singles
W	Nathan Price, Arkansas	6-4, 4-6, 6-4	No.2 Singles
W	Paul Newman, UL-Monroe	6-4, 6-4	No.2 Singles
W	Chris Gostek, Alabama	6-4, 6-1	No.2 Singles
L	Keith From, Texas A&M	6-3, 6-4	No.2 Singles

TOTALS: 19-18 (Overall), 1-8 (vs. top 100), 2-8 (SEC)





CORY ROSS

5-11 * 160 * JR./1L
LITTLETON, COLO.
(KENT DENVER HS)



- 2002 Louisiana Newcomer of the Year
- 2002 Second-Team All-Louisiana

COACH BROWN ON ROSS

"He is a lot more confident than he was last season. He had a great summer, an even better fall season and he's one of our stronger students. Cory has the type of personality that every team needs and his leadership qualities during practice have really enhanced our entire team. He's a top-notch conditioner and his work ethic helped earn him a co-captain title for this season."

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2001-02)

Proved to be a major impact on the LSU squad after transferring from Baylor University in the early spring ... Named the 2002 Louisiana Newcomer of the Year ... Earned 2002 Second-Team All-Louisiana honors ... Provided added depth to the Tigers and notched key victories at both courts No.5 and No. 6 ... Played a major role in doubles competition and recorded a 9-3 overall mark at the No. 2 doubles position along with teammate Sebastian Rutka ... Finished the dual-match season with a 14-6 doubles record ... Earned his first varsity letter.

PRIOR TO LSU

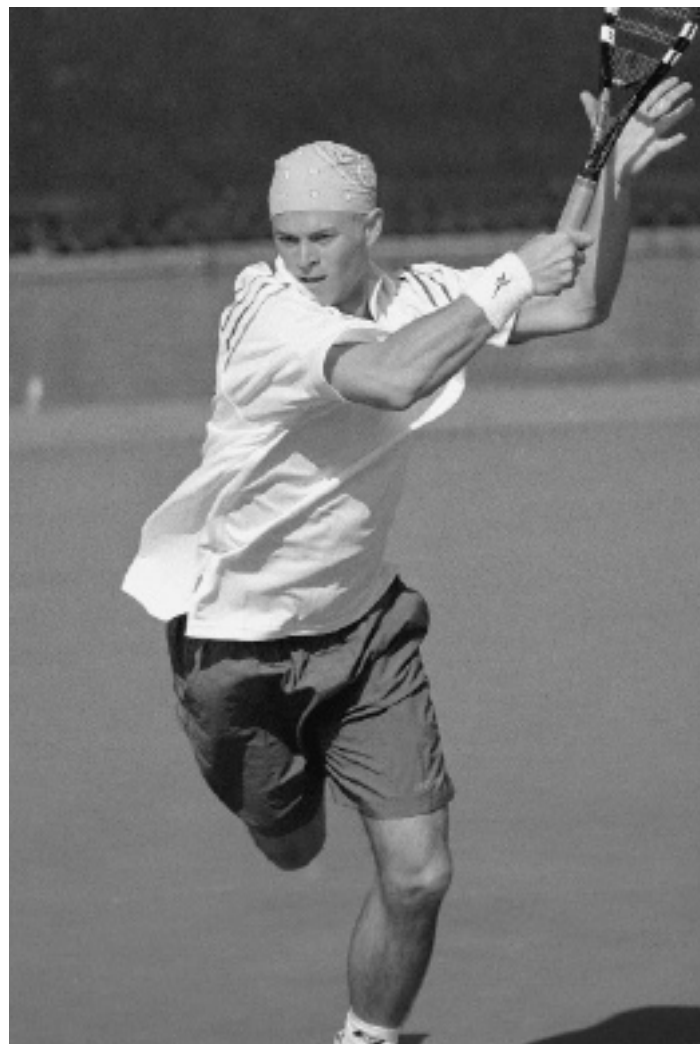
Played a year for Baylor before transferring to LSU for the spring semester ... Compiled a 24-16 career singles record for the Baylor Bears ... Currently 10th all-time on the Baylor men's tennis individual records for wins in a season with 24 ... Was the 4-A high school No. 1 single's state champion for Colorado in both 1999 and 2000 ... High school team finished second in state in 1999 and won state championship in 2000 ... Lettered all four years at Kent Denver High School.

PERSONAL

Born on January 12, 1982 in Englewood, Colo.... He is the son of Nancy and Randy Ross ... Majoring in finance.

ROSS VS. 2001-02 OPPONENTS

W/L	Opponents	Score	Tournament/Pos.
W	Brent Salazar, New Mexico	6-2,4-6,6-1	No.6 Singles
L	Nathan Zeder, Illinois	6-4,6-3	No.6 Singles
L	Christian Brodersen, Alabama	6-1,6-4	No.6 Singles
W	Rodrigo Pacheco, South Carolina	7-6(3),3-6,10-7	No.6 Singles
L	Ross Greenstein, Florida	0-6,6-4,6-2	No.6 Singles
L	Simon Rea, Tennessee	6-1,6-4	No.5 Singles
W	Jorge Escallon, South Florida	7-6(4),3-6,6-2	No.6 Singles
L	Josh Tarkoff, Vanderbilt	3-6,6-3,7-5	No.6 Singles
W	Max Fomine, Mississippi State	6-3,6-1	No.6 Singles
L	Claes Lindholm, Ole Miss	6-4,6-3	No.6 Singles
L	Kristofer Ivarsson, Arkansas	6-4,7-6(4)	No.6 Singles
W	Bart Fremin, UL-Monroe	6-2,6-1	No.5 Singles
L	Christian Brodersen, Alabama	6-3,2-6,6-1	No.6 Singles
L	Estavam Strecker, Auburn	6-2,6-1	No.6 Singles
L	Khaled El Dorry, Texas A&M	6-3,6-3	No.6 Singles
TOTALS: 5-10 (Overall), 2-6 (SEC)			



ROSS'S CAREER STATISTICS

Singles	Overall			vs. Top 100			SEC Dual		
Year	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2001-02	5	10	.333	-	-	---	2	6	.250
TOTALS	5	10	.333	-	-	-	2	6	.250

Singles	Overall			vs. Top 100		
Year	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
2001-02	14	6	.700	5	5	.500
TOTALS	14	6	.700	5	5	.500



SEBASTIAN RUTKA

6-0 * 175 * JR./2L
KRAKOW, POLAND
(STANISLAW WYSPIANSKIS HS)



- 2002 Second-Team All-Louisiana
- 2001 Second-Team All-Louisiana

COACH BROWN ON RUTKA

"Seby has really taken a new focus which began in the summer tournaments and has carried over to his play in the fall. He has added some maturity and experience to his game that goes along with his talent and his speed. He is definitely one of the fastest, if not the fastest, players in the nation, so as he's gained experience that we feel will help us reach a lot of our goals. He has taken on a leadership role with this team and was named one of our co-captains for the 2002-03 season."

SOPHOMORE SEASON (2001-02)

Earned Second-Team All-Louisiana honors for the second consecutive season ... Proved to be a valuable asset for the Tigers at the bottom of the singles lineup ... Recorded an impressive 6-1 mark on court No. 5 and a 2-1 record on court No. 6 ... Stepped up his level of play in dual competition and earned a 12-7 overall singles record ... Played a major role in doubles competition and recorded a 9-3 overall mark at the No. 2 doubles position along with teammate Cory Ross ... Made significant strides in his game during the fall ... Competed in the ITA All-American tournament and upset Illinois' 100th-ranked Chris Martin, 6-3, 7-5, in the opening round of the competition ... Didn't back down from the top-ranked player in the nation in a 6-3, 6-3 loss to Duke's Phillip King ... Finished the tournament season with a 6-8 overall singles record, while facing five ranked opponents and six Southeastern Conference counterparts ... Earned his second varsity letter.

FRESHMAN SEASON (2000-01)

Named to the second-team All-Louisiana team as a freshman ... Compiled an impressive 21-10 overall record during the season ... Earned a 12-4 dual-match record while playing primarily at the No. 4 and 5 singles positions ... Finished with a 5-3 record against SEC opponents ... Notched a 5-1 record versus Louisiana players ... Fell to Texas' Ron Kloppert, 6-2, 6-2, in the NCAA Regional final on court No. 4 ... Finished the season with a 26-7 overall record in doubles play ... Earned a 12-3 mark in No. 1 doubles dual play along with teammate Dan Kiernan ... Finished the season as a member of the 29th-ranked doubles team in the nation ... Finished as the Tigers' winningest player in No. 5 singles play with a perfect 6-0 record at the position ... Helped earn three victories over top-50 doubles teams on court No. 1 ... Finished with a mark of 9-7 during fall play, including a runner-up finish in the Southern Collegiate Championships Division II ... Was 8-2 in doubles play, including a Division I championship at the Southern Collegiate

RUTKA'S CAREER STATISTICS

Singles			Overall			vs. Top 100			SEC Dual		
Year	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	W	L
2000-01	21	10	.677	0	1	.000	5	3	.625		
2001-02	18	15	.545	1	4	.200	3	4	.429		
TOTALS	39	25	.609	1	5	.167	8	7	.533		

Doubles			Overall			vs. Top 100		
Year	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	W	L
2000-01	26	7	.788	6	3	.667		
2001-02	16	10	.615	3	5	.375		
TOTALS	42	17	.712	9	8	.529		



Championships ... Brought international experience to LSU as he won the World Team Junior Championships with his native Poland ... Earned his first varsity letter.

PRIOR TO LSU

Finished in third place in the National Championships of Poland in 2000 ... Reached the quarterfinals of the Orange Bowl under-18 tournament ... Recorded a third-place finish in the Sunshine Cup ... Played on the Polish under-18 team that won the World Team Junior Championship ... Ranked as high as No. 980 on the ATP tour in doubles before coming to LSU. Was a four-time Polish Champion in doubles play and earned titles in U14, U16, U18 and U21 competition ... Finished as the national runner-up in the U12 doubles championship and the U18 Polish singles championships ... Earned a bronze medal in the U18 Junior World Team Championships ... Member of the Polish national team since U12 ... Ranked as high as No. 980 by the ATP in doubles play ... Reached the quarterfinal round of the prestigious Orange Bowl tournament in U18 competition.

PERSONAL

Born on August 18, 1981 in Krakow, Poland ... Parents are Jacek and Anna Rutka ... Has one older brother, Jakub (25) ... His Father played basketball professionally in Europe while his mother also competed professionally in Table Tennis ... Majoring in mass communications ... Full name is Sebastian Marcin Rutka ... Majoring in mass communication/public relations

“Seby has really taken a new focus which began in the summer tournaments and has carried over to his play in the fall.”

RUTKA VS. 2001-02 OPPONENTS

W/L	Opponents	Score	Tournament/Pos.
W	Alex Hoyem, Murray State	6-3, 6-3	Southern Collegiate
L	Carl Wermee, South Carolina	6-2, 5-7, 6-1	Southern Collegiate
W	#100 Chris Martin, Illinois	6-3, 7-5	ITA All-American
L	#64 Mariano Pettigrosso, Ark.-L.R.	6-4, 6-1	ITA All-American
L	#1 Phillip King, Duke	6-3, 6-3	ITA All-American
L	Jevgeny Cariov, Depaul	3-6, 1-2 (ret.)	ITA All-American
W	John Vanderwesthulzen, ULL	6-1, 6-4	Tulane Invitational
L	#15 Michael Kogan, Tulane	6-4, 6-3	Tulane Invitational
W	Rahim Esmailk, Kentucky	6-0, 6-1	Region III
L	#19 Tiago Ruffoni, Auburn	6-2, 5-2 (ret.)	Region III
L	Johan Grunditz, Kentucky	7-6(5), 6-4	SEC Indoors
W	Will Glenn, Georgia	6-1, 6-2	SEC Indoors
W	Rodrigo Pacheco, Arkansas	6-2, 1-0 (ret.)	SEC Indoors
L	Evan Austin, Kentucky	7-5, 6-2	SEC Indoors
W	David Ensignia, Southern	6-1, 7-6(2)	No.5 Singles
W	John Kowalski, New Mexico	2-6, 6-3, 6-1	No.5 Singles
L	Mike Kosta, Illinois	7-6(2), 6-2	No.4 Singles
L	Estevam Strecker, Auburn	7-6(3), 6-3	No.5 Singles
L	Ante Matijevic, Texas A&M	6-0, 6-3	No.4 Singles
W	Trey Johnson, Florida	6-3, 6-2	No.5 Singles
L	Wade Orr, Tennessee	6-7(6), 6-3, 7-6(4)	No.6 Singles
W	Nicolas Carteret, Southern Miss	6-3, 6-4	No.6 Singles
W	Nadim Naser, South Florida	2-6, 6-4, 6-0	No.5 Singles
W	Jens Frederiksen, Vanderbilt	1-6, 6-3, 6-4	No.5 Singles
W	Ryan Mauck, SMU	4-6, 6-2, 7-5	No.6 Singles
L	Jerome Le Belicard, Mississippi St.	2-6, 6-3, 6-4	No.4 Singles
W	Martin Selin, Ole Miss	6-3, 6-4	No.4 Singles
L	Magnus Kullenberg, Arkansas	6-4, 6-4	No.4 Singles
W	Mark Edney, UL-Monroe	6-1, 6-2	No.3 Singles
W	David Ensignia, Southern	6-1, 6-1	No.4 Singles
W	Nick Beaque, Alabama	6-0, 7-5	No.4 Singles
L	Mark Kovacs, Auburn	6-1, 6-3	No.4 Singles
W	Daniel Scholten, TCU	6-2, 6-3	No.5 Singles

TOTALS: 18-15 (Overall), 1-4 (vs. top 100), 3-4 (SEC)



**RAFAEL CORAZZA**

5-10 * 143 * FR./HS
SANTOS, BRAZIL
(CENACULO HS)

COACH BROWN ON CORAZZA

"He has come in and really gotten to work on a lot of his weaknesses this semester. He's got a great attitude and he's going to make it mentally, because I haven't seen anyone come in and be as determined as he has these past few months and not have good things come out of it. Rafael has done a great job of adapting to our team."

PRIOR TO LSU

Earned TV Litoral Player of they Year honors in three consecutive seasons (1996-98), as well as in 2000 ... Named the Panathlon Club Player of the Year in 1997 ... Earned South American Fair Play honors in 1999 at Cenaculo High School ... Also played soccer in high school and was the starting sweeper under the tutelage of head coach Daniel Sebral ...

PERSONAL

Full name is Rafael de Oliveira Corazza ... He is the son of Gisela and Luiz Eduardo Corazza ... Has one sister, Giovanna (16) ... Born on Feb. 3, 1983 in Santos, Brazil ... Majoring in business administration.

CORAZZA'S CAREER STATISTICS

Singles		Overall		
Year		W	L	Pct.
2002 (Fall)		4	7	.364
TOTALS		4	7	.364

Singles		Overall		
Year		W	L	Pct.
2002 (Fall)		2	3	.400
TOTALS		2	3	.400

**FRANKIE GREEN**

5-8 * 155 * FR./HS
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
(FRIENDS SELECT SCHOOL)

COACH BROWN ON GREEN

"Frankie is a really good athlete. He's been hampered with a couple of injuries lately, but he has the physical skills to overcome them and it will just be a matter of if he will work hard enough to crack the starting lineup."

PRIOR TO LSU

Named the Best All-Around Athlete at Friends Select High School ... Earned Most Valuable Player honors ... Spent time at the Palmer Tennis Academy under the tutelage of head coach Harold Conway ... Played the No. 1 singles position in high school and earned two varsity letters.

PERSONAL

Born on July 3, 1984 ... Full name is Frank Green III ... Parents are Frank and Tina Sloan Green ... Sister Traci played tennis for the University of Florida and is now playing on the pro circuit ... He is currently undecided on a major.

GREEN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Singles		Overall		
Year		W	L	Pct.
2002 (Fall)		2	4	.333
TOTALS		2	4	.333

Doubles		Overall		
Year		W	L	Pct.
2002 (Fall)		2	3	.400
TOTALS		2	3	.400



**C. MICAH SMITH**

6-2 * 175 * FR./HS
BATON ROUGE, LA.
(CATHOLIC HS)

COACH BROWN ON SMITH

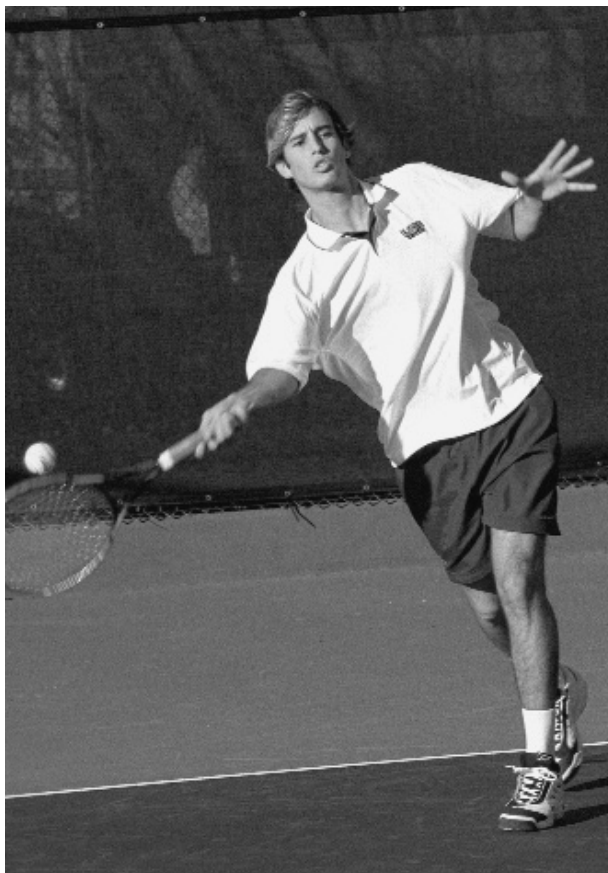
"Micah was hampered throughout the fall with some injuries and he finally had knee surgery, but he has a big game and he definitely has the potential to provide some depth for us if he can stay healthy and work hard enough. He's from Baton Rouge so we hope that he can continue to improve and represent LSU in the near future."

PRIOR TO LSU

Named the Most Valuable Player on his tennis team during his senior season ... Finished his prep career with a perfect 20-0 record while competing at regionals ... Helped guide his high school team to four-consecutive regional championships ... Earned four varsity letters at Catholic High School under the tutelage of head coach Mark Estorage.

PERSONAL

Born on July 8, 1983 ... He is the son of Carolyn and Blaine Smith ... His father, Blaine, attended LSU ... Full name is Christian Micah Blayne Smith ... Majoring in business administration.

**PAUL WHITE**

6-0 * 180 * FR./HS
LAKE CHARLES, LA.
(BARBE HS)

COACH BROWN ON WHITE

"Paul has great potential. He really has a big game and a huge slice. If he continues to work hard and give 100 percent in practice then we will be able to see some huge results in some other aspects of his game. He is a super student and earned a 4.0 while majoring in pre-medicine during his first semester."

PRIOR TO LSU

Won the 5A Louisiana State doubles championship as a freshman in 1999 ... Finished as the singles championship runner-up in both his junior and senior seasons ... Lettered in three sports including track and cross country ... Earned Summa Cum Laude honors at A.M. Barbe High School after graduating with a 3.9 grade point average ... Voted Most Intelligent Student of the 2002 senior class ... Was a member of both the Key Club and the National Honor Society.

PERSONAL

Born on September 30, 1983, in Charleston, S.C. ... He is the son of Pattie and King White ... Both of his parents attended LSU ... Has a younger sister named Emily ... Full name is Paul King White ... Majoring in pre-medicine.

WHITE'S CAREER STATISTICS

Singles		Overall		
Year		W	L	Pct.
2002 (Fall)		4	4	.500
TOTALS		4	4	.500

Doubles		Overall		
Year		W	L	Pct.
2002 (Fall)		1	3	.250
TOTALS		1	3	.250



DAN KIERNAN



BRYAN FISHER



PETER RICHMAN



"Maintaining a Tradition of Excellence"

The 2002 version of the LSU men's tennis team qualified for the NCAA Tournament for an eighth consecutive season and finished the year as the 29th-ranked team in the nation. Despite boasting a starting lineup consisting of only one senior, three sophomores and a pair of talented freshmen, the Tigers finished the regular season with an overall record of 9-12, but ended up upsetting the TCU Horned Frogs, 4-0, to advance to their 18th second-round appearance in 19 seasons. In what was considered by many as a rebuilding year for the LSU Fighting Tigers, sixth-year head coach Jeff Brown took a young team and taught them what it takes to maintain a tradition of excellence.

"The team that we had last year had to overcome a lot of adversity from the beginning," said Brown. "One of the players that we were depending on for depth, Sanjin Sadovich, turned pro in January and that was a blow to our team. Contrary to some belief, one player can make a major difference in a match that's 4-3, but the guys that did stick it out were able to achieve quite a few of our goals."

The Tigers were undoubtedly led throughout the 2002 dual-match season by All-American senior Dan Kiernan. Kiernan, who came to LSU in the fall of 1998, was a member of the Tigers' 1999 final four team and helped lead LSU to sweet-16 appearances in both 2000 and 2001. The experience that Kiernan gained during his first three seasons in Baton Rouge played a vital role in the Tigers' success, and the fiery competitiveness that he displayed on the court proved to be a catalyst for the team.

Kiernan, a native of Newcastle, England, earned Second-Team All-SEC honors in 2002 and finished the dual-match season as the 53rd-ranked singles player in the nation. He earned an 11-7 record while playing at the No. 1 position and accumulated nine wins over opponents ranked in the top 100. Kiernan picked up 21 victories during the 2001-02 season and finished his esteemed collegiate career tied for the 13th position on LSU's all-time winning list.

"Dan led by example, and actually at certain times, people thought that he was overmatched in a lot of matches, but he always found a way to come out on top," Brown said. "He was a very tenacious competitor. He was very vocal and in a lot of matches and he would turn the tide on a more talented player through his passion and love for the both the game and LSU."

Coach Brown, who has garnered a 92-37 overall record in his six-year tenure at LSU, led the Tigers to double-digit victories for the sixth-straight season and was named the 2002 Louisiana Coach of the Year. The award marked the fourth time that Brown earned the prestigious honor and the second in two seasons as the Gainesville, Fla., native was forced to replace three starters entering the year and made a remarkable late season push to reach the NCAA Tournament.

The Tigers' skipper was joined on the All-Louisiana awards list by Kiernan, Bryan Fisher, Cory Ross, Sebastian Rutka, as well as freshmen Jason Hazley and Peter Richman. Kiernan, Hazley and Richman were all named First-Team All-Louisiana, while Fisher, Rutka and Ross were named to the Second Team. Ross, a midseason transfer from Baylor, was named the Louisiana Newcomer of the Year and Hazley was recognized as the Louisiana Freshman of the Year.

"We were very young last season, but I think that everyone in our starting lineup gained a lot of crucial experience," said Brown. "We had a lot of our younger guys play at the top of the order, but they played well and at the end of the season they started to jell."

LSU came into the 2002 dual-match season with arguably one of the toughest schedules in the nation. Not only did the Tigers face 17 opponents ranked in the Intercollegiate Tennis Association's preseason poll, but 10 of them entered the season among the nation's top-25 teams. LSU faced some of the nation's elite teams in 2002, as the Tigers challenged the No. 1-ranked and defending national champion Georgia, No. 2 Illinois, No. 4 Kentucky, and the fifth-ranked Ole Miss Rebels.

The Fighting Tigers of LSU opened their 2002 campaign with a pair of shutout victories in a Jan. 26 doubleheader against in-state rivals Centenary and Southern. The Tigers knocked off Centenary, 7-0, and breezed by Southern, 6-0, to begin the season with a perfect 2-0 record. LSU then extended its undefeated record to 3-0 by knocking off New Mexico, 5-2, at home in Baton Rouge prior to losing its first road match of the season to the second-ranked Illinois Illini, 5-2, in Champagne, Ill.

In the battle of top-ranked teams, Illinois' Mike Kosta clinched the victory with a 7-6(2), 6-2 win over LSU's Rutka in the No. 4 singles match. Kosta's fifth win of the dual season gave Illinois its fourth point of the contest and secured the Illini victory.

After losing to second-ranked Illinois, LSU entered conference play and endured the toughest stretch of its 2002 dual-match season by dropping its next seven matches against top-25 ranked opponents. The Tigers fell to No. 22 Alabama, 4-1, and No. 18 Auburn, 4-1, on the road, before returning home to Baton Rouge for losses against No. 25 Texas A&M and the 23rd-ranked South Carolina Gamecocks, 5-2.

"I think that when you lose a couple of hard-fought matches, you get stressed out a little bit, and I think that our guys were worried about winning so much that they forgot to concentrate on the process," said Brown. "We wanted to win so badly that we lost our focus in our matches, and against the kind of competition that we played, you can't let that happen."

LSU's next SEC match also proved to be a heartbreaker for the

Tigers as the 18th-ranked Florida Gators rallied from behind to record a 4-3 victory in Baton Rouge at the W.T. "Dub" Robinson Tennis Stadium. With the loss, LSU dropped to an overall record of 3-6 and fell to 0-4 in conference play.

On March 15, the Tigers were defeated by No. 12 Tennessee, 5-2, before losing their eighth-consecutive match against a ranked opponent versus the No.1-ranked Georgia Bulldogs, 4-0. LSU then took a two-match hiatus from SEC play and rallied for non-conference victories against Southern Miss, 6-1, and the No.23 South Florida Bulls.

In the Tigers' vital 5-2 win over the Bulls, LSU's 87th-ranked Kiernan single-handedly turned the momentum of the match in favor of the Tigers during a crucial win on court No. 1.

After dropping a first-set tiebreaker, 7-5, Kiernan found himself up against match point on court No.1 versus South Florida's Dan McCain. The Tigers' senior captain was trailing 9-8 in the second-set tiebreaker before he painted a second serve down the center line to bring the score to 9-9 and to stave off the loss. Kiernan then fed off of the excitement of the crowd and cruised to a 6-7(5), 7-6(9), 6-0 match-clinching victory.

LSU then dropped three hard-fought matches against Vanderbilt, 4-3, No.4 Kentucky, 4-2, and Southern Methodist, 4-3, before picking up a huge conference win against Mississippi State, 5-2. Against Mississippi State, Hazley, a native of Bradenton, Fla., took control of his match against Luiz Carvalho in the tiebreaker and clinched LSU's first SEC victory of the season with a deciding 6-4, 3-6, 7-6(1) win on court No. 3. With the crucial victory, Hazley upped his conference record to 5-3 on the season and improved his overall record to 20-13.

LSU then fell to the fifth-ranked Ole Miss Rebels, 4-3, at home in Baton Rouge. The slim 4-3 loss marked the fourth time of the 2002 season that the Tigers were defeated by only one point. Despite the heartbreaking loss against the top-five ranked Rebels, LSU was able to rebound and end the regular season with a three-match winning streak to head into the SEC Tournament with a 9-12 overall record.

At the 2002 SEC Tournament held in Knoxville, Tenn., the Tigers were able to upset No. 18 Alabama in the opening round of competition, 4-2, to secure a berth in the upcoming NCAA Tournament. With a 10-win season and with three victories over top-25 ranked opponents in No.18 Alabama, No. 21 Arkansas and 23rd-ranked South Florida, LSU was able to qualify for its eighth-consecutive NCAA Tournament.

"One of the things that the NCAA looks at when they determine the field for the NCAA Tournament is a team's strength of schedule and it actually cancels out your won-loss record," Brown said. "So in tennis your record is really not as important as it is in other sports where you have to have a winning record to get into the tournament. That's not the case for us, so it pays off more for us to have a strong strength of schedule than it does to have a strong won-loss record."

The Tigers continued to surge in the 2002 NCAA Tournament and cruised past a higher-ranked TCU team, 4-0, in the opening round of Texas A&M's regional held in College Station, Texas. The win improved LSU to 11-13 on the season and pitted the Tigers against the homestanding No.16-ranked Texas A&M Aggies in the round of 32.

The young and talented LSU men's tennis team fought hard against the Aggies in front of 1,000-plus spectators at the A&M Tennis Center, but fell short in a number of close singles matches to lose the contest, 4-0. Despite the loss, the Tigers proved that they were indeed one of the top-30 teams in the nation and were able to maintain the LSU tennis program's tradition of excellence.

2002 DUAL-MATCH RESULTS

Overall Record: 11-14
SEC Record: 2-9 (Sixth in West)
Final ITA Ranking: No.29
Home: 8-7
Road: 1-5
Neutral: 2-2

January	Site	Result	Record
26 Centenary	Baton Rouge	W, 7-0	1-0
26 Southern	Baton Rouge	W, 6-0	2-0
February			
10 New Mexico	Baton Rouge	W, 5-2	3-0
16 at #2 Illinois	Champaign, Ill.	L, 2-5	3-1
March			
1 at #22 Alabama*	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	L, 1-4	3-2, 0-1
3 at #18 Auburn*	Auburn, Ala.	L, 1-4	3-3, 0-2
6 #25 Texas A&M	Baton Rouge	L, 2-4	3-4
8 #23 South Carolina*	Baton Rouge	L, 2-5	3-5, 0-3
10 #18 Florida*	Baton Rouge	L, 3-4	3-6, 0-4
15 #12 Tennessee*	Baton Rouge	L, 2-5	3-7, 0-5
17 #1 Georgia*	Baton Rouge	L, 0-4	3-8, 0-6
21 Southern Miss	Baton Rouge	W, 6-1	4-8
23 #23 South Florida	Baton Rouge	W, 5-2	5-8
29 at Vanderbilt*	Nashville, Tenn.	L, 3-4	5-9, 0-7
31 at #4 Kentucky*	Lexington, Ky.	L, 2-4	5-10, 0-8
April			
3 Southern Methodist	Baton Rouge	L, 3-4	5-11
5 Mississippi State*	Baton Rouge	W, 5-2	6-11, 1-8
7 #5 Ole Miss*	Baton Rouge	L, 3-4	6-12, 1-9
12 at #21 Arkansas*	Fayetteville, Ark.	W, 4-3	7-12, 2-9
16 Louisiana-Monroe	Baton Rouge	W, 7-0	8-12
16 Southern	Baton Rouge	W, 5-0	9-12
18 vs. #16 Alabama	Knoxville, Tenn.	W, 4-2	10-12
19 vs. #15 Auburn	Knoxville, Tenn.	L, 0-4	10-13
May			
11 vs. Texas Christian^	College Station, Texas	W, 4-0	11-13
12 at #16 Texas A&M^	College Station, Texas	L, 0-4	11-14

^ Denotes NCAA Tournament match

Bold denotes SEC Tournament match

* Denotes Southeastern Conference matches



2002 seniors Jesse Smatt and Dan Kiernan

#15 LSU def. Centenary, 7-0*(January 26, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#47 Kiernan/Rutka (LSU) def.Killen/Allen (Cent),8-1.
- 2.Fisher/Richman (LSU) def.Roberts/Ashley (Cent),8-0.
- 3.Smatt/Hazley (LSU) def.Cope/Lewis (Cent.), 8-1.

SINGLES

- 1.#42 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def. Todd Killen (Cent.), 6-2,6-3.
 - 2.#85 Bryan Fisher (LSU) def. Jimmy Allen (Cent), 6-1,7-5.
 3. Peter Richman (LSU) def. J.T. Cope (Cent),6-0, 6-1.
 4. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Caleb Ashley (Cent),6-1,6-1.
 5. Jesse Smatt (LSU) def. Mark Lewis (Cent),6-2, 6-2.
 - 6.Brandon Nicholson (LSU) def.Nathan Bridges (Cent),6-0, 6-4.
- LSU Record: 1-0

#15 LSU def. Southern, 6-0*(January 26, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

Were not played.

SINGLES

- 1.#42 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def. Tommie Pernell (SU),6-2, 6-2.
 - 2.#85 Bryan Fisher (LSU) def.Alex Hidalgo (SU),6-2, 6-0.
 3. Peter Richman (LSU) def.Greg Pipkins (SU),6-1, 6-2.
 4. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Ben Neube (SU),6-2, 6-1.
 - 5.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.David Ensignia (SU),6-1,7-6(2).
 - 6.Brandon Nicholson (LSU) def.Mike Date (SU), 6-1,6-1.
- LSU Record: 2-0

#16 LSU def. New Mexico, 5-2*(February 11, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#47 Kiernan/Rutka (LSU) def.Salazar/Ryan Stotland,8-3.
- 2.Fisher/Ross (LSU) def.Scott/Polasek,8-2.
- 3.Smatt/Hazley (LSU) def.Coetzee/Kowaski,9-7.

SINGLES

- 1.Divan Coetzee (UNM) def. #42 Dan Kiernan,5-7,6-1,6-4.
 2. Peter Richman (LSU) def.Bart Scott,7-6(2),6-4.
 - 3.#85 Bryan Fisher (LSU) def. David Kowaski,6-3, 6-1.
 - 4.Michael Polasek (UNM) def. Jason Hazley, 6-4,6-3.
 - 5.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def. John Kowaski,2-6,6-3, 6-1.
 - 6.Cory Ross (LSU) def.Brent Salazar, 6-2,4-6, 6-1.
- LSU Record: 3-0

#2 Illinois def. #17 LSU, 5-2*(February 16, 2002 - Champagne, Ill.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#47 Kiernan/Rutka (LSU) vs.#12 Calkins/Delic,susp.
- 2.#37 Wilson/Stolt (ILL) def.Fisher/Ross, 8-3.
- 3.#17 Zeder/Kosta (ILL) def.Hazley/Smatt, 8-6.

SINGLES

- 1.#9 Amer Delic (ILL) def. Peter Richman,3-6,7-5, 7-6(4).
 - 2.#42 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.#77 Brian Wilson,6-1, 6-6, ret.(inj.)
 - 3.#85 Bryan Fisher (LSU) def. #23 Phil Stolt,6-4,1-6,7-5.
 - 4.Mike Kosta (ILL) def. Sebastian Rutka,7-6(2), 6-2.
 - 5.Michael Calkins (ILL) def. Jason Hazley, 6-2, 7-6(5).
 - 6.Nathan Zeder (ILL) def.Cory Ross,6-4, 6-3.
- LSU Record: 3-1

#22 Alabama def. #15 LSU, 4-1*(March 2, 2002 - Tuscaloosa, Ala.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Rutka (LSU) vs.Belski/Mitchell,suspended.
- 2.Smatt/Hazley (LSU) def.Boyles/Gostek,8-5.
- 3.Fisher/Ross (LSU) def.Beauque/McRae,8-6.

SINGLES

- 1.#64 Max Belski (UA) def.#95 Dan Kiernan,4-6,6-3,6-1.
 - 2.Chris Gostek (UA) def.Bryan Fisher, 6-7(2), 6-3,6-1.
 3. Peter Richman (LSU) vs.Stephen Mitchell, suspended.
 - 4.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) vs.Nick Beauque,suspended.
 - 5.Chris McRae (UA) def. Jason Hazley, 6-3,6-3.
 - 6.Christian Brodersen (UA) def.Cory Ross,6-1,6-4.
- LSU Record: 3-2,0-1

#18 Auburn def. #15 LSU, 4-1*(March 3, 2002 - Auburn, Ala.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Colombo/Kovacs (AU) def. Kiernan/Rutka,8-6.
- 2.Smatt/Hazley (LSU) vs. Junaid/Boz, suspended.
- 3.Ruffoni/Strecker (AU) def.Fisher/Ross, 8-5.

SINGLES

- 1.Dan Kiernan (LSU) vs.Rameez Junaid,suspended.
 2. Tiago Ruffoni (AU) def. Bryan Fisher, 6-4,6-7(4),6-2.
 - 3.Andrew Colombo (AU) def. Peter Richman,7-5,6-3.
 4. Jesse Smatt (LSU) vs.Mark Kovacs, suspended.
 - 5.Estevam Strecker (AU) def. Sebastian Rutka,7-6(3),6-3.
 6. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Mark Van Elden,2-6,6-2, 6-2.
- LSU Record: 3-3,0-2

#25 Texas A&M def. #21 LSU, 4-2*(March 6, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Rutka (LSU) vs.Cook/Newport,suspended.
- 2.Hazley/Smatt (LSU) def. Bauer/Skube,9-7.
- 3.Fisher/Cory Ross (LSU) def. From/Matijevic,8-4.

SINGLES

- 1.#44 Ryan Newport (A&M) def.Dan Kiernan,6-2, 6-4.
 - 2.Keith From (A&M) def. Peter Richman,6-3,7-6(1).
 - 3.Bryan Fisher (LSU) def. Lester Cook,7-6(6), 1-6,6-3.
 - 4.Ante Matijevic (A&M) def.Sebastian Rutka,6-0, 6-3.
 5. Jesse Smatt (LSU) vs.#76 Jarin Skube,suspended.
 - 6.Khaled El Dorry (A&M) def. Jason Hazley, 2-6,6-2, 6-3.
- LSU Record: 3-4,0-2

#23 South Carolina def. #21 LSU, 5-2*(March 8, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#29 Westman/Niculescu (USC) def.Kiernan/Rutka,9-8(2).
- 2.Hazley/Smatt (LSU) def. Ben Atkinson/Nelson,8-6.
- 3.Fisher/Ross (LSU) def. Wermee/Rose,8-6.

SINGLES

- 1.Seth Rose (USC) def.Dan Kiernan,6-1,6-2.
 - 2.Angelo Niculescu (USC) def. Peter Richman,6-2,6-2.
 - 3.David Nelson (USC) def.Bryan Fisher, 7-6(4), 6-2.
 - 4.Marcus Westman (USC) def. Jesse Smatt,6-3, 6-0.
 5. Carl Wermee (USC) def. Jason Hazley, 6-3,6-2.
 - 6.Cory Ross (LSU) def.Rodrigo Pacheco,7-6(3),3-6, 1-0(7).
- LSU Record: 3-5,0-3

#18 Florida def. #21 LSU, 4-3*(March 10, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#33 Mirzadeh/Chris McDonald (UF) def.Kiernan/Rutka,9-8(5).
- 2.Hahn/Behrmann (UF) def.Fisher/Ross,8-2.
- 3.Richman/Brandon Nicholson (LSU) def.Magallan/Greenstein,9-8(4).

SINGLES

- 1.Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.#70 Hamid Mirzadeh, 6-3,7-6(6).
 - 2.#50 Eleazar Magallan (UF) def. Peter Richman,6-2,6-3.
 3. Troy Hahn (UF) def.Bryan Fisher, 3-6,6-4,6-0.
 4. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Matt Behrmann,7-5,6-1.
 - 5.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def. Trey Johnson, 6-3,6-2.
 - 6.Ross Greenstein (UF) def. Cory Ross,0-6, 6-4,6-2.
- - LSU Record: 3-6,0-4

#15 Tennessee def. LSU, 5-2*(March 15, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#15 Toledo/Rea (UT) def.Kiernan/Rutka (LSU), 8-2.
- 2.Handoyo/Carey (UT) def.Hazley/Ross (LSU),9-8 (4).
- 3.Dietrich/Henderson (UT) def.Fisher/Smatt (LSU),9-7.

SINGLES

- 1.#7 Peter Handoyo (UT) def. Peter Richman (LSU),3-6,6-1,6-1.
 - 2.Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.#12 Mario Toledo (UT),6-3, 2-6,6-3.
 - 3.Adam Carey (UT) def.Bryan Fisher (LSU),7-5, 6-0.
 4. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.#80 Mark Dietrich (UT),7-6 (6), 6-0.
 - 5.Simon Rea (UT) def.Cory Ross (LSU) 6-1,6-4.
 6. Wade Orr (UT) def.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) 6-7 (6), 6-3,7-6 (4).
- - LSU Record: 3-7,0-5

#1 Georgia def. LSU, 4-0*(March 17, 2002 - Baton Rouge,La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#16 M.Boeker/Hodge (UGA) def.Kiernan/Hazley, 9-7.
- 2.N.Boeker/Wagner (UGA) def. Fisher/Smatt, 8-5.
- 3.Ross/Rutka (LSU) vs. Joseph/Timu, suspended.

SINGLES

- 1.#48 Mattias Boeker (UGA) def. Peter Richman,6-3,6-3.
 - 2.#11 Brandon Wagner (UGA) def. Dan Kiernan,6-3,6-3.
 - 3.#56 Lesley Joseph (UGA) def. Jesse Smatt, 6-3,6-3.
 4. Bryan Fisher (LSU) vs.#73 Bo Hodge,suspended.
 5. Jason Hazley (LSU) vs.Nic Boeker, suspended.
 - 6.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) vs.Stephan Timu,suspended.
- - LSU Record: 3-8,0-6

LSU def. Southern Miss, 6-1*(March 21, 2002 - Baton Rouge,La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Hazley (LSU) def.Kangas/Carteret (USM),8-6.
- 2.Cory Ross/Rutka (LSU) def. Jansson/Canudas (USM),8-4.
- 3.Fisher/Brandon Nicholson (LSU) def. David Terol/Gneiting (USM),8-0.

SINGLES

- 1.#87 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.Miikka Kangas (USM),6-4,6-0.
 2. Peter Richman (LSU) def. Juanjo Martin (USM),6-0, 6-1.
 - 3.David Jansson (USM) def. Jesse Smatt (LSU),6-3,1-6,6-1.
 4. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.David Canudas (USM),7-5,6-2.
 5. Bryan Fisher (LSU) def.Uwe Gneiting (USM),7-6(3), 6-3.
 - 6.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.Nicolas Carteret (USM),6-3,6-4.
- - LSU Record: 4-8

LSU def. #23 South Florida, 5-2*(March 23,2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Hazley (LSU) def.Antello/Kiendl (USF), 8-2.
- 2.Rutka/Ross (LSU) def. Wetzel/McCain (USF),8-3.
- 3.Fisher/Brandon Nicholson (LSU) def.Naser/Escallon (USF),9-8(4).

SINGLES

- 1.#87 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.Dan McCain (USF),6-7(5),7-6(9),6-0.
 - 2.#79 Martin Wetzel (USF) def. Peter Richman (LSU), 6-3,6-4.
 3. Paco Antello (USF) def. Jason Hazley (LSU),6-0, 6-4.
 4. Bryan Fisher (LSU) def. Uhi Kiendl (USF),7-6(3),3-6, 7-6(4).
 - 5.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.Nadim Naser (USF), 2-6,6-4,6-0.
 - 6.Cory Ross (LSU) def. Jorge Escallon (USF),7-6(4),3-6,6-2.
- - LSU Record:5-8

Vanderbilt def. LSU, 4-3*(March 29,2002 - Nashville, Tenn.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Hazley (LSU) def.Reynolds/Smith (VU),8-4.
- 2.Rutka/Ross (LSU) def.Harris/Brown (VU),8-5.
- 3.Dailey/Tarkoff (VU) led Nicholson/Fisher (LSU) 8-7 susp.

SINGLES

- 1.#30 Bobby Reynolds (VU) def.#87 Dan Kiernan (LSU),7-5, 6-2.
 - 2.Chad Harris (VU) def. Peter Richman (LSU),6-4,6-4.
 3. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Zach Dailey (VU),6-4, 6-2.
 - 4.Scott Brown (VU) def. Bryan Fisher (LSU),6-4,6-1.
 - 5.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def. Jens Frederiksen (VU), 1-6,6-3,6-4.
 6. Josh Tarkoff (VU) def.Cory Ross (LSU),3-6,6-3,7-5.
- - LSU Record: 5-9,0-7

#7 Kentucky def. LSU, 4-2*(March 31,2002 - Lexington, Ky.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Hazley/Kiernan (LSU) def.Austin/Benmansour (UK), 8-5.
- 2.Esmail/Witten (UK) vs. Cory Ross/Rutka (LSU),susp.
- 3.Fisher/Smatt (LSU) def.Grunditz/Pousette (UK), 8-3.

SINGLES

- 1.#5 Jesse Witten (UK) def.#87 Dan Kiernan (LSU), 6-3,6-2.
 - 2.#67 Karim Benmansour (UK) def. Peter Richman (LSU),7-6(4),6-4.
 3. Jesse Smatt (LSU) def.Evan Austin (UK),7-6(5),7-5.
 - 4.#94 Gustav Pousette (UK) def. Jason Hazley (LSU), 7-6(4),7-6(5).
 - 5.#86 Johan Grunditz (UK) def.Bryan Fisher (LSU),7-5,6-0.
 - 6.Rahim Esmail (UK) vs.Sebastian Rutka (LSU),susp.
- - LSU Record: 5-10,0-8

SMU def. LSU, 4-3*(April 3,2002 - Baton Rouge,La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#9 Brunstrom/Eric Cohn (SMU) def.Kiernan/Hazley (LSU),8-5.
- 2.Mauck/Chingoka (SMU) def.Cory Ross/Rutka (LSU),8-3.
- 3.Pfeiffer/Senczyszyn (SMU) def.Fisher/Smatt (LSU),8-4.

SINGLES

- 1.#26 Krystian Pfeiffer (SMU) def. Peter Richman (LSU),6-3,3-6, 6-3.
 - 2.#87 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def. Johan Brunstrom (SMU),7-6(3),6-3.
 - 3.Alexis Rudzinski (SMU) def. Jesse Smatt (LSU),6-3,6-3.
 4. Bryan Fisher (LSU) def. Gwinyai Chingoka (SMU),6-4,6-2.
 - 5.Lukas Senczyszyn (SMU) def. Jason Hazley (LSU), 4-6,7-6(4),7-6(5).
 - 6.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.Ryan Mauck (SMU),4-6, 6-2,7-5.
- - LSU Record: 5-11

LSU def. Mississippi State, 5-2*(April 5, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#24 Ambert/Combette (MSU) def. Kiernan/Hazley (LSU), 8-3.
- 2.Ross/Rutka (LSU) def.Henou/Fomine (MSU), 8-4.
- 3.Fisher/Jesse Smatt (LSU) def.Le Belicard/Carvalho (MSU), 8-5.

SINGLES

- 1.#7 Romain Ambert (MSU) def.#89 Dan Kiernan (LSU), 3-6, 6-2, 6-2.
 2. Peter Richman (LSU) def.#78 Rene-Charles Combette (MSU), 7-6(4), 3-6, 7-6(5).
 3. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Luiz Carvalho (MSU), 6-4, 3-6, 7-6(1).
 4. Jerome Le Belicard (MSU) def.Sebastian Rutka (LSU), 2-6, 6-3, 6-4.
 5. Bryan Fisher (LSU) def. Aymeric Henou (MSU), 7-5, 3-6, 6-3.
 6. Cory Ross (LSU) def.Max Fomine (MSU), 6-3, 6-1.
- LSU Record: 6-11, 1-8

#5 Ole Miss def. LSU, 4-3*(April 7, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#34 Stahlberg/Selin (UM) def.Kiernan/Hazley (LSU), 8-4.
- 2.Gard/Ciorascu (UM) def. Fisher/Jesse Smatt (LSU), 8-6.
- 3.Hartman/Lindholm (UM) def.Ross/Rutka (LSU), 8-2.

SINGLES

- 1.#89 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.#17 Alex Hartman (UM), 7-5, 6-4.
 - 2.#52 Kristofer Stahlberg (UM) def. Peter Richman (LSU), 6-1, 7-5.
 - 3.Catalin Gard (UM) def. Jason Hazley (LSU), 6-1, 6-2.
 - 4.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.Martin Selin (UM), 6-3, 6-4.
 5. Bryan Fisher (LSU) def. Paul Ciorascu (UM), 6-3, 6-2.
 - 6.Claes Lindholm (UM) def.Cory Ross (LSU), 6-4, 6-3.
- LSU Record: 6-12, 1-9

LSU def. #21 Arkansas, 4-3*(April 12, 2002 - Fayetteville, Ark.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Hazley (LSU) def. Kolev/Kullenberg (UA), 8-5.
- 2.Bubis/Pacheco (UA) def.Ross/Rutka (LSU), 8-5.
- 3.Nicholson/Fisher (LSU) def.Price/Azevedo (UA), 8-4.

SINGLES

- 1.#89 Daniel Kiernan (LSU) def.#32 Oggie Kolev (UA), 6-3, 3-6, 6-1.
 2. Peter Richman (LSU) def.Nathan Price (UA), 6-4, 4-6, 6-4.
 - 3.Magnus Kullenberg (UA) def.Sebastian Rutka (LSU), 6-4, 6-4.
 4. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Aleksey Bubis (UA), 6-0, 6-1.
 - 5.Eduardo Pacheco (UA) def.Bryan Fisher (LSU), 6-2, 6-1.
 - 6.Kristofer Ivarsson (UA) def.Cory Ross (LSU), 6-4, 7-6(4).
- LSU Record: 7-12, 2-9

LSU def. UL-Monroe, 7-0*(April 16, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Newman/Edney (ULM), 8-4.
- 2.Dabrowski/Nevolovich (ULM) def. Fisher/Richman (LSU), 8-6.
- 3.Ross/Rutka (LSU) def.Fremin/Bienvenu (ULM), 8-0.

SINGLES

- 1.#89 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.Bart Dabrowski (ULM), 6-3, 6-1.
 2. Peter Richman (LSU) def. Paul Newman (ULM), 6-4, 6-4.
 - 3.Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.Mark Edney (ULM), 6-1, 6-2.
 4. Bryan Fisher (LSU) def.Stan Nevolovich (ULM), 6-2, 6-2.
 5. Cory Ross (LSU) def.Bart Fremin (ULM), 6-2, 6-1.
 6. Brandon Nicholson (LSU) def.Greg Beinvenu (ULM), 6-1, 6-0.
- LSU Record: 8-12

LSU def. Southern, 5-0*(April 16, 2002 - Baton Rouge, La.)***DOUBLES**

Were not played.

SINGLES

- 1.#89 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.Alex Hidalgo (SU), 6-3, 6-4.
 2. Jason Hazley (LSU) def.Michael Date (SU), 6-0, 6-3.
 3. Bryan Fisher (LSU) vs.Benjamin Deube (SU), suspended.
 4. Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.David Ensignia (SU), 6-1, 6-1.
 5. Brandon Nicholson (LSU) def.Gregory Pipkins (SU), 6-3, 6-1.
 6. Southern defaulted the match.
- LSU Record: 9-12

LSU def. #16 Alabama, 4-2**SEC Tournament - First Round***(April 18, 2002 - Knoxville, Tenn.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Hazley (LSU) def.Belski/Mitchell (UA), 8-6.
- 2.Ross/Rutka (LSU) def.Beaque/William Boyles (UA), 8-6.
- 3.McRae/Gostek (UA) def.Richman/Fisher (LSU), 8-5.

SINGLES

- 1.#51 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.#56 Max Belski (UA), 6-7(5), 6-3, 7-5.
 2. Peter Richman (LSU) def.Chris Gostek (UA), 6-4, 6-1.
 3. Jason Hazley (LSU) vs.Stephen Mitchell (UA), suspended.
 4. Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.Nick Beaque (UA), 6-0, 7-5.
 5. Chris McRae (UA) def.Bryan Fisher (LSU), 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.
 6. Christian Broderson (UA) def.Cory Ross (LSU), 6-3, 2-6, 6-1.
- LSU Record: 10-12

#15 Auburn def. LSU, 4-0**SEC Tournament - Second Round***(April 19, 2002 - Knoxville, Tenn.)***DOUBLES**

- 1.#16 Junaid/Ruffoni (AU) def. Kiernan/Hazley (LSU), 8-1.
- 2.#32 Columbo/Kovacs (AU) def.Rutka/Ross (LSU), 8-5.
- 3.Fisher/Brandon Nicholson (LSU) vs.Andre Boz/Strecker (AU), susp.

SINGLES

- 1.#51 Dan Kiernan (LSU) vs.#18 Rameez Junaid (AU), suspended.
 2. Peter Richman (LSU) vs.#68 Andrew Colombo (AU), suspended.
 3. Jason Hazley (LSU) vs.#52 Tiago Ruffoni (AU), suspended.
 4. Mark Kovacs (AU) def.Sebastian Rutka (LSU), 6-1, 6-3.
 5. Mark Van Elden (AU) def. Bryan Fisher (LSU), 6-3, 6-2.
 6. Estavam Strecker (AU) def. Cory Ross (LSU), 6-2, 6-1.
- LSU Record: 10-13

#31 LSU def. #30 TCU, 4-0**NCAA Tournament - First Round***(May 11, 2002 - College Station, Texas)***DOUBLES**

- 1.Kiernan/Hazley (LSU) def.Martin/Menichini (TCU), 8-3.
- 2.Ross/Rutka (LSU) def.Scholten/Sestini (TCU), 8-5.
3. Wajnberg/Gordon (TCU) def. Brandon Nicholson/Fisher (LSU), 8-6.

SINGLES

- 1.#52 Dan Kiernan (LSU) def.#71 Toni Gordon (TCU), 6-2, 6-2.
 2. Peter Richman (LSU) vs.Daniel Wajnberg (TCU), suspended.
 3. Jason Hazley (LSU) vs. Fabrizio Sestini (TCU), suspended.
 4. Bryan Fisher (LSU) def.Alex Menichini (TCU), 6-2, 6-4.
 5. Sebastian Rutka (LSU) def.Daniel Scholten (TCU), 6-2, 6-3.
 6. Cory Ross (LSU) vs. Willy Gali (TCU), suspended.
- LSU Record: 11-13

#16 Texas A&M def. #31 LSU, 4-0

NCAA Tournament - Second Round

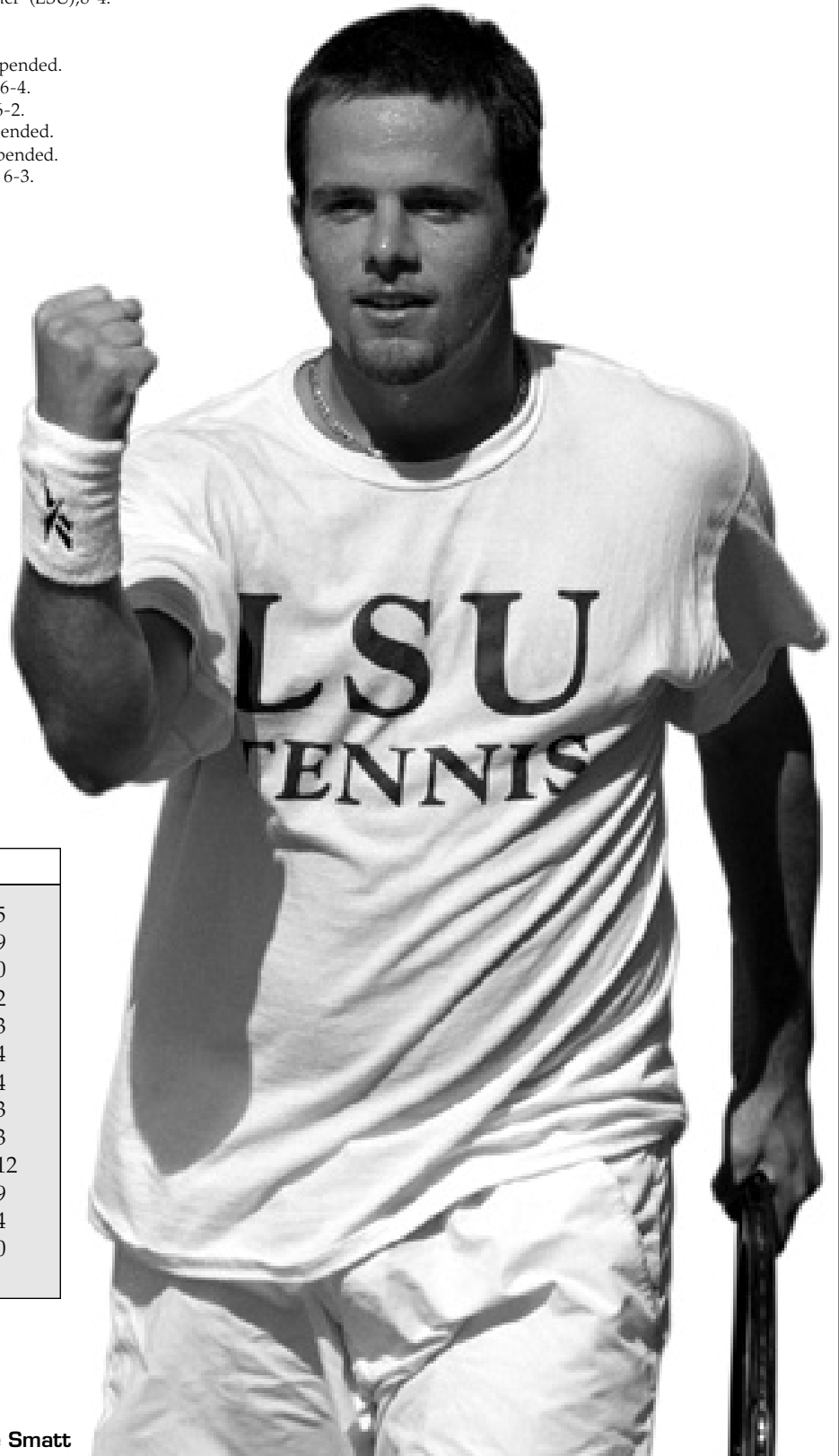
(May 12, 2002 - College Station, Texas)

DOUBLES

1. #15 Cook/Newport (A&M) def. Kiernan/Hazley (LSU), 9-7.
2. Ross/Rutka (LSU) def. From/Skube (A&M), 8-5.
3. Derrick Bauer/Matijevic (A&M) def. Nicholson/Fisher (LSU), 8-4.

SINGLES

1. #52 Dan Kiernan (LSU) vs. #44 Ryan Newport, suspended.
 2. Keith From (A&M) def. Peter Richman (LSU), 6-3, 6-4.
 3. Lester Cook (A&M) def. Jason Hazley (LSU), 6-2, 6-2.
 4. Bryan Fisher (LSU) vs. Ante Matijevic (A&M), suspended.
 5. Sebastian Rutka (LSU) vs. Jarin Skube (A&M), suspended.
 6. Khaled El Dorry (A&M) def. Cory Ross (LSU), 6-3, 6-3.
- - LSU Final Record: 11-14, 2-9

**LSU'S RECORD WHEN ...**

the Tigers won the doubles point:	9-5
the Tigers lost the doubles point:	0-9
doubles were not played:	2-0
they won on singles court No. 1:	9-2
they won on singles court No. 2:	9-3
they won on singles court No. 3:	5-4
they won on singles court No. 4:	9-4
they won on singles court No. 5:	8-3
they won on singles court No. 6:	8-3
vs. top-25 ranked opponents:	4-12
vs. Southeast Regional teams:	8-9
vs. non-conference teams:	8-4
vs. Louisiana teams:	4-0

Jesse Smatt

2002 INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

2001-02 Final Statistics

SINGLES RECORDS

Player	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	Open	Dual	SEC	Overall	Career
Dan Kiernan	11-7	3-1					7-7	14-8	4-6	21-15	84-47
Peter Richman	0-4	7-7	2-1				11-5	8-13	2-8	19-18	19-18
Jason Hazley		1-0	2-3	6-2	0-4	1-1	12-8	10-10	6-4	22-18	22-18
Sebastian Rutka			1-1	3-4	6-1	2-1	6-8	12-7	3-4	18-15	39-25
Bryan Fisher		2-2	4-3	4-1	3-4		9-8	12-10	2-8	21-18	37-27
Cory Ross					1-1	4-9	0-0	5-10	2-6	5-10	5-10
Brandon Nicholson					1-0	3-0	5-6	4-0	0-0	9-6	19-17
Jesse Smatt			1-3	0-1	1-0		2-8	2-4	1-2	4-12	67-60
Totals	11-11	13-10	10-11	13-8	12-9	10-11	52-50	67-62	20-38	119-112	289-220

Player	Clinchers	3-sets	Tie-breakers	vs. Top 100	vs. Top 50	Streak
Dan Kiernan	4	5-4	4-7	9-10	3-8	L1
Peter Richman	1	5-4	7-5	1-8	0-5	L1
Jason Hazley	2	4-5	7-10	3-2	0-1	L1
Sebastian Rutka	2	4-3	2-4	1-4	0-4	W1
Bryan Fisher	1	7-8	9-8	4-6	1-3	W1
Cory Ross	0	3-3	3-1	0-0		L3
Brandon Nicholson	0	3-2	4-1	0-1		W3
Jesse Smatt	1	0-3	2-5	0-2		L1
Totals	11	31-32	38-41	18-33	4-21	

DOUBLES RECORDS

Teams	#1	#2	#3	Open	Dual	SEC	vs. Top 50	Total	Career	Clincher
Hazley/Kiernan	8-6			0-0	8-6	3-3	1-6	8-6	8-6	2
Ross/Rutka		9-3	1-0	0-0	10-3	3-2	0-1	10-3	10-3	5
Fisher/Nicholson			2-3	0-0	2-3	0-1	0-0	2-3	2-3	0
Kiernan/Rutka	3-4			2-2	3-4	0-3	0-3	4-5	26-11	1
Hazley/Smatt		3-0	2-1	2-2	5-1	2-0	0-1	7-3	7-3	1
Fisher/Ross		1-2	3-1	0-0	4-3	2-2	0-1	4-3	4-3	2
Fisher/Richman		1-1	0-1	0-0	1-2	0-0	0-0	1-2	1-2	1
Fisher/Smatt		0-1	2-3	2-1	2-4	2-3	0-0	4-5	8-5	2
Hazley/Ross		0-1		0-0	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-1	
Richman/Nicholson			1-0	0-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	1-0	
Fisher/Rutka				0-0			0-0	0-0	4-1	
Fisher/Hazley				1-1			0-1	1-1	1-1	
Fisher/Kiernan				3-0			0-0	3-0	4-1	
Hazley/Richman				1-2			0-0	1-2	1-2	
Kiernan/Nicholson				0-1			0-0	0-1	1-1	
Richman/Rutka				2-2			1-0	2-2	2-2	
Totals	11-10	14-8	11-9	13-11	36-27	13-15	2-13	48-37	80-45	14



Dan Kiernan



Cory Ross & Sebastian Rutka



Peter Richman

LSU IN THE RANKINGS

TEAM

Preseason:	No. 15
Spring #1:	No. 16
Spring #2:	No. 17
Spring #3:	No. 16
Spring #4:	No. 15
Spring #5:	No. 21
Spring #6:	No. 28
Spring #7:	Unranked
Spring #8:	No. 42
Spring #9:	No. 55
Spring #10:	No. 45
Spring #11:	No. 31
Spring #12:	No. 31
Spring #13:	No. 31
Final:	No. 29

SINGLES

Dan Kiernan - Sr./Newcastle, England

Preseason:	No. 42
Spring #1:	No. 95
Spring #2:	Unranked
Spring #3:	No. 87
Spring #4:	No. 89
Spring #5:	No. 51
Spring #6:	No. 50
Spring #7:	No. 52
Final:	No. 53

Bryan Fisher - So./Nashville, Tenn.

Preseason:	No. 85
Final:	No. 113

DOUBLES

Dan Kiernan/Sebastian Rutka

Preseason:	No. 47
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Bryan Fisher



All-American Dan Kiernan

2002 SEC STANDINGS

Eastern Division

	SEC	Pct.	All	Pct.
Georgia*	10-1	.909	28-4	.875
Tennessee#	7-4	.636	22-7	.759
Florida	7-4	.636	18-7	.720
Kentucky	6-5	.545	23-10	.697
South Carolina	4-7	.364	17-9	.654
Vanderbilt	1-10	.091	11-14	.440

Western Division

	SEC	Pct.	All	Pct.
Ole Miss^	8-3	.727	19-6	.760
Auburn	7-4	.636	20-8	.714
Alabama	7-4	.636	15-8	.652
Arkansas	4-7	.364	14-10	.583
Mississippi State	3-8	.273	11-12	.478
LSU	2-9	.182	11-14	.440

* Denotes SEC Champion

^ Denotes Western Division Champion

Denotes SEC Tournament Champion

2002 SEC TOURNAMENT RESULTS

April 18-21, 2002 - Knoxville, Tenn.
University of Tennessee Varsity Courts

FIRST ROUND

#11 LSU def. #6 Alabama, 4-2
#7 Kentucky def. #10 Mississippi State, 4-2
#9 South Carolina def. #8 Arkansas, 4-2
#5 Florida def. #12 Vanderbilt, 4-0

QUARTERFINAL ROUND

#3 Auburn def. LSU, 4-0
Kentucky def. #2 Ole Miss, 4-3
#1 Georgia def. South Carolina, 4-1
#4 Tennessee def. Florida, 4-0

SEMIFINAL ROUND

Auburn def. Kentucky, 4-1
Tennessee def. Georgia, 4-3

CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH

Tennessee def. Auburn, 4-1

2002 SEC AWARDS

FIRST-TEAM ALL-SEC

Singles

Rameez Junaid, Auburn
Matias Boeker, Georgia
Brandon Wagner, Georgia
Jesse Witten, Kentucky
Romain Ambert, Mississippi State
Peter Handoyo, Tennessee
Mario Toledo, Tennessee
Bobby Reynolds, Vanderbilt

Doubles

Tiago Ruffoni, Auburn
Andrew Colombo, Auburn
Hamid Mirzadeh, Florida
Chris McDonald, Florida

SECOND-TEAM ALL-SEC

Singles

Maxim Belski, Alabama
Oggie Kolev, Arkansas
Lesley Joseph, Georgia
Karim Benmansour, Kentucky
Daniel Kiernan, LSU
Alex Hartman, Ole Miss
Kristofer Stahlberg, Ole Miss
Seth Rose, South Carolina

Doubles

Simon Rea, Tennessee*
Bo Hodge, Georgia*
Bobby Reynolds, Vanderbilt
Lewis Smith, Vanderbilt

* Doubles partner named First-team in singles

SEC COACH OF THE YEAR

Andy Jackson, Florida

SEC PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Matias Boeker, Georgia

SEC FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

Jesse Witten, Kentucky

SEC TOURNAMENT MVP

Adam Carey, Tennessee

2002 SEC PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Week 1 (Feb. 26-March 3)

Peter Handoyo, Tennessee

Week 2 (March 4-10)

Tiago Ruffoni, Auburn

Week 3 (March 11-17)

Rene'-Charles Combette, Mississippi State

Week 4 (March 18-25)

Romain Ambert, Mississippi State

Week 5 (March 26-31)

Matias Boeker, Georgia

Week 6 (April 1-7)

Nick Beuque, Alabama

Week 7 (April 8-16)

Peter Handoyo, Tennessee



2002
Second-Team All-SEC
Daniel Kiernan



THE SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE*The Nation's Top Tennis Conference*

The Southeastern Conference men's and women's tennis programs continue to be the nation's leader on the collegiate hardcourt and in 2002 the trend continued.

The conference made another strong national showing in 2002 on the men's side as Georgia advanced to the finals at the 2002 Division I Men's Tennis Championships in College Station, Texas. The national championship appearances by Georgia marked the tenth consecutive year the conference had a team in the semifinals.

In the individual championships, Georgia's Matias Boeker used a straight-set victory against fourth-seeded Jesse Witten of Kentucky to win the 2002 men's singles title. He became only the fourth player to win consecutive NCAA singles titles in the last 50 years and the first since Georgia's Mikael Pernfors in 1984-85.

In the doubles, Auburn's Andrew Colombo and Mark Kovacs defeated Scott Lipsky and David Martin of Stanford 6-2, 3-6, 6-2 to take the 2002 NCAA title. Boeker's singles championship gives the SEC 16 NCAA singles champions in men's tennis dating back to 1930. Eight of those singles titles have come since 1984. Prior to Boeker's repeat, Florida's Jeff Morrison won the title in 1999.

Five of the nine doubles titles have come since 1993, with all five coming from different SEC schools. Florida won in 1993 with the doubles tandem of David Blair and partner, singles champion Merklein. Mississippi State followed in 1994 with Laurent Miquelard and Joc Simmons and Ole Miss duo Mahesh Bhupathi and Ali Hamadeh captured the doubles title in 1995.

Last year, Matias Boeker and Travis Parrott of Georgia took home the title. National team titles for the league have been captured by Georgia as it boasts the SEC's only four men's NCAA championship teams in 1985, 1987, 1999 and 2001.

Men's Tennis By the numbers...

- 5 NCAA team championships (59, 85, 87, 99 and 01)
- 3 consecutive NCAA doubles titles from 1993-95
- 10 consecutive years with a team in the national semifinals (1993-2002)
- 9 NCAA doubles titles, with five since 1993
- 16 NCAA singles champions dating back to 1930, with eight since 1984 and three of the last four individual champions
- 96 singles ITA All-Americans since 1990
- 94 doubles players receiving ITA All-America honors since 1990
- Back-to-back NCAA singles champions in 1993 and 1994 as well as 2001 and 2002

SEC QUICK FACTS

Founded: 1933

Member Institutions (12): Alabama, Arkansas, Auburn, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, LSU, Mississippi, Mississippi State, South Carolina, Tennessee and Vanderbilt.

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SEC Championship Tournament: April 17-20, 2003

Hosted by the University of Mississippi

Inaugural SEC Men's Tennis Championship: 1990

**SEC IN THE RANKINGS****Team (Final)**

Rank	Avg.	School
1	142.04	USC
2	141.04	Georgia
3	131.18	UCLA
4	120.53	Illinois
5	118.75	Pepperdine
6	118.51	Tennessee
7	111.05	Baylor
8	109.76	Kentucky
9	108.02	Ole Miss
10	102.20	Stanford

Rest of the SEC

11	98.50	Florida
12	97.46	Auburn
18	68.18	Alabama
20	66.42	South Carolina
24	52.66	Arkansas
28	42.41	Mississippi State
29	39.11	LSU
36	31.27	Vanderbilt

Singles (Final)

1	Matias Boeker, Georgia
2	K.J. Hippensteel, Stanford
3	Peter Handoyo, Tennessee
4	Jesse Witten, Kentucky
5	Harsh Mankad, Minnesota
6	Al Garland, Pepperdine
7	Andy Leber, Texas-Arlington
8	Tobias Clemons, UCLA
9	Romain Ambert, Mississippi State
10	John Fruttero, California

Other SEC Players in the Top 50

15	Bobby Reynolds, Vanderbilt
T18	Brandon Wagner, Georgia
T20	Mario Toledo, Tennessee
27	Rameez Junaid, Auburn
28	Alex Hartman, Ole Miss
33	Oggie Kolev, Arkansas
48	Maxim Belski, Alabama
49	Seth Rose, South Carolina

Doubles (Final)

1	Rojer/Matkowski, UCLA
2	Lipsky/Martin, Stanford
3	Maiburger/Redondo, San Diego St.
4	Calkins/Delic, Illinois
5	M.Boeker/Hodge, Georgia
6	Zarhi/Echagaray, Texas
7	Moore/Rainey, USC
8	Smith/Taborga, Notre Dame
9	Fruttero/Kowalczyk, California
10	Kovacs/Columbo, Auburn

Other SEC Teams in Top 50

11	Ruffoni/Columbo, Auburn
15	Ruffoni/Junaid, Auburn
23	Mirzadeh/McDonald, Florida
26	Toledo/Rea, Tennessee
32	Reynolds/Smith, Vanderbilt
34	Selin/Stahlberg, Ole Miss
35	Ambert/Combette, Mississippi State
45	Benmansour/Austin, Kentucky

SEC RECORDS

SEC TEAM CHAMPIONS

Year	Team	Runner-Up	Host
1936	Tulane	Georgia Tech	
1937	Tulane	Georgia Tech	
1938	Georgia Tech	Tulane	
1939	Tulane	Vanderbilt	
1940	LSU	Vanderbilt	
1941	Tulane	LSU	
1942	Tulane	LSU	
1946	Georgia Tech	Tulane	Tulane
1947	Tulane	Georgia Tech	Tulane
1948	Tulane	Georgia Tech	Tulane
1949	Tulane	Georgia Tech	Tulane
1950	Florida	Tennessee, Tulane	Vanderbilt
1951	Tennessee	Tulane	Florida
1952	Tulane	Tennessee	Tulane
1953	Tulane	LSU, Florida	Alabama
1954	Tulane	LSU	Georgia
1955	Tulane	Florida	Tulane
1956	Tulane	Georgia Tech	Georgia Tech
1957	Tulane	LSU	LSU
1958	Tulane	LSU	Tulane
1959	Tulane	Georgia Tech	Miss.State
1960	Georgia Tech	Tulane	Tennessee
1961	Florida	Georgia	Florida
1962	Tulane	Georgia	Vanderbilt
1963	Tulane	Georgia	Alabama
1964	Tulane	Miss.State	Ole Miss
1965	Miss.State	Tulane	Auburn
1966	Tennessee	Miss.State	Georgia
1967	Miss.State	Tennessee	Florida
1968	Florida	Miss.State	Kentucky
1969	Florida	Georgia	LSU
1970	Tennessee	Georgia	Miss.State
1971	Georgia	Tennessee	Ole Miss
1972	Georgia	Miss.State, Tenn.	Tennessee
1973	Georgia	Alabama	Vanderbilt
1974	Georgia	Tennessee	Georgia
1975	Florida	Georgia	Alabama
1976	Alabama	LSU	Auburn
1977	Georgia	LSU	Florida
1978	Georgia	Tennessee	Kentucky
1979	Georgia	Tennessee	LSU
1980	Tennessee	Georgia	Ole Miss
1981	Georgia	Alabama	Tennessee
1982	Georgia	Tennessee	Vanderbilt
1983	Auburn	Alabama	Georgia
1984	Auburn	Georgia	Alabama
1985	Georgia	LSU	LSU
1986	Tennessee	Georgia	Auburn
1987	Georgia	Tennessee	Florida
1988	Georgia	Kentucky	Kentucky
1989	Georgia	Kentucky	Miss.State
1990	Tennessee	Georgia	Tennessee
1991	Georgia	LSU	Georgia
1992	Kentucky	LSU	Vanderbilt
1993	UGA, Miss.St.	LSU, Alabama	Georgia
1994	Florida	UGA, Miss. State	Alabama
1995	Georgia	LSU	LSU
1996	Ole Miss	Miss.State	Arkansas
1997	Ole Miss	LSU	South Carolina
1998	LSU	Georgia	Auburn
1999	LSU	Georgia	Florida
2000	Florida	Tennessee	Miss.State
2001	Georgia	Tennessee	Kentucky
2002	Georgia	Ole Miss	Tennessee

Note: Before 1990, the SEC champion was the winner of the flighted tournament held at the end of the season.

SEC CHAMPIONSHIP TOTALS

Georgia	.....22
* Tulane	.....17
Tennessee	.....7
Florida	.....7
LSU	.....5
Miss.State	.....3
Auburn	.....2
* Georgia Tech	.....2
Ole Miss	.....2
Alabama	.....1
Kentucky	.....1

* denotes former member of SEC



SEC TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS

Year	Team	Runner-Up	Host
1990	Tennessee	Georgia	Tennessee
1991	Georgia	Mississippi State	Georgia
1992	Kentucky	LSU	Vanderbilt
1993	Georgia	Mississippi State	Georgia
1994	Florida	Mississippi State	Alabama
1995	Georgia	LSU	LSU
1996	Mississippi State	Georgia	Arkansas
1997	Mississippi	Georgia	South Carolina
1998	LSU	Georgia	Auburn
1999	LSU	Georgia	Florida
2000	Florida	Georgia	Mississippi State
2001	Georgia	Tennessee	Kentucky
2002	Tennessee	Auburn	Tennessee

TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIP TOTALS

Georgia	.....4
Florida	.....2
LSU	.....2
Tennessee	.....2
Kentucky	.....1
Mississippi State	.....1
Mississippi	.....1



The 1998 & 1999 Men's Tennis Teams won Back-to-Back SEC Championships

SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE MEN'S TENNIS FINALS TANDINGS (Since 1980)

1980	Vanderbilt 7	1991	Georgia 11	1996	Alabama 2-9
Tennessee 26	Ole Miss 4	LSU 8	Ole Miss 12	Ole Miss 12	Vanderbilt 1-10
Georgia 22	Mississippi State 3	Tennessee 6	Georgia 12	Georgia 12	2001
LSU 19	Auburn 1	Kentucky 6	Mississippi State 10	Mississippi State 10	Georgia 11-0
Auburn 13	1986	Florida 6	LSU 9	Florida 7.5	Tennessee 9-2
Alabama 10	Tennessee 25	Mississippi State 5	Florida 6.5	Auburn 6.5	LSU 7-4
Florida 9	Georgia 18	Ole Miss 3	Alabama 5.5	Alabama 5.5	Ole Miss 7-4
Kentucky 8	LSU 16	Alabama 1.5	Tennessee 4.5	Tennessee 4.5	Kentucky 5-6
Vanderbilt 6	Alabama 12	Vanderbilt 0	Kentucky 4	Kentucky 4	Alabama 5-6
Ole Miss 1	Auburn 12	Auburn 0	South Carolina 3	South Carolina 3	Auburn 5-6
Mississippi State 0	Kentucky 12	1992	Arkansas 1	Arkansas 1	Mississippi State 5-6
1981	Florida 6	Kentucky 12.5	Vanderbilt 0	Vanderbilt 0	Arkansas 4-7
Georgia 26	Ole Miss 6	LSU 11.5	1997	1997	South Carolina 3-8
Alabama 25	Vanderbilt 5	Georgia 10.5	Ole Miss 12	Ole Miss 12	Florida 3-8
Auburn 22	Mississippi State 0	Mississippi State 9.5	Georgia 12	Georgia 12	Vanderbilt 2-9
Tennessee 12	1987	Florida 7.5	LSU 9	LSU 9	2002
Florida 9	Georgia 26	Ole Miss 7	Kentucky 8.5	Kentucky 8.5	Eastern Division
Ole Miss 6	Tennessee 18	Arkansas 6	Mississippi State 8.5	Mississippi State 8.5	Georgia 10-1
Vanderbilt 5	LSU 15	Alabama 3.5	Florida 7	Florida 7	Tennessee 7-4
LSU 4	Florida 13	Tennessee 3.5	Alabama 5.5	Alabama 5.5	Florida 7-4
Mississippi State 3	Alabama 11	South Carolina 3	Auburn 4.5	Auburn 4.5	Kentucky 6-5
Kentucky 2	Kentucky 11	Auburn 2	South Carolina 4	South Carolina 4	South Carolina 4-7
1982	Vanderbilt 11	Vanderbilt 0	Vanderbilt 2	Vanderbilt 2	Vanderbilt 1-10
Georgia 25	Auburn 4	1993	Arkansas 2	Arkansas 2	Western Division
Tennessee 19	Ole Miss 4	Georgia 12	Tennessee 0	Tennessee 0	Ole Miss 8-3
Alabama 16	Mississippi State 0	Mississippi State 12	1998	1998	Auburn 7-4
Florida 16	1988	Alabama 9.5	LSU 15	LSU 15	Alabama 7-4
Auburn 10	Georgia 20	LSU 9.5	Georgia 13	Georgia 13	Arkansas 4-7
Kentucky 10	Kentucky 18	Florida 7	Mississippi State 11	Mississippi State 11	Mississippi State 3-8
LSU 9	LSU 13	Tennessee 6	Ole Miss 9	Ole Miss 9	LSU 2-9
Mississippi State 4	Ole Miss 11	Kentucky 5.5	Tennessee 7	Tennessee 7	
Vanderbilt 4	Tennessee 11	Vanderbilt 3.5	South Carolina 6	South Carolina 6	
Ole Miss 1	Auburn 9	South Carolina 3	Florida 6	Florida 6	
1983	Florida 9	Arkansas 3	Auburn 4	Auburn 4	
Auburn 25	Alabama 8	Ole Miss 2	Kentucky 4	Kentucky 4	
Alabama 21	Mississippi State 6	Auburn 2	Alabama 3	Alabama 3	
Tennessee 16	Vanderbilt 6	1994	Vanderbilt 1	Vanderbilt 1	
Georgia 13	1989	Florida 13	Arkansas 1	Arkansas 1	
LSU 9	Georgia 22	Georgia 10	1999	1999	
Kentucky 7	Kentucky 15	Mississippi State 10	LSU 11	LSU 11	
Mississippi State 7	LSU 14	Ole Miss 8.5	Georgia 11	Georgia 11	
Florida 6	Alabama 13	Auburn 7.5	Ole Miss 10	Ole Miss 10	
Ole Miss 6	Mississippi State 10	Kentucky 5.5	Florida 10	Florida 10	
Vanderbilt 1	Vanderbilt 10	Tennessee 5.5	Tennessee 7	Tennessee 7	
1984	Ole Miss 9	South Carolina 5	Kentucky 7	Kentucky 7	
Auburn 29	Auburn 9	LSU 3.5	Alabama 7	Alabama 7	
Georgia 26	Florida 5	Arkansas 3	South Carolina 7	South Carolina 7	
Alabama 17	Tennessee 4	Vanderbilt 2	Mississippi State 5	Mississippi State 5	
Tennessee 14	1990	Alabama 2	Vanderbilt 4	Vanderbilt 4	
LSU 9	Tennessee 12	1995	Arkansas 2	Arkansas 2	
Florida 4	Georgia 10	Georgia 14	Auburn 0	Auburn 0	
Vanderbilt 4	Auburn 7	LSU 11	2000	2000	
Kentucky 3	LSU 7	Mississippi State 10	Tennessee 10-1	Tennessee 10-1	
Ole Miss 3	Alabama 5	Ole Miss 8.5	Florida 10-1	Florida 10-1	
Mississippi State 3	Mississippi State 4.5	Florida 8	Ole Miss 9-2	Ole Miss 9-2	
1985	Florida 4	Tennessee 6.5	LSU 8-3	LSU 8-3	
Georgia 25	Ole Miss 2.5	Kentucky 5	Georgia 7-4	Georgia 7-4	
LSU 25	Kentucky 1	Arkansas 4.5	Mississippi State 6-5	Mississippi State 6-5	
Tennessee 20	Vanderbilt 0	Auburn 3.5	Kentucky 4-7	Kentucky 4-7	
Alabama 14	1996	Vanderbilt 3	Auburn 4-7	Auburn 4-7	
Florida 10	Georgia 14	South Carolina 1	South Carolina 3-8	South Carolina 3-8	
Kentucky 7	Auburn 7	Alabama 0	Arkansas 2-9	Arkansas 2-9	

LSU AT THE NCAA TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

Best Finish: Second in 1988
NCAA Regionals Record: 10-1

1996 at Baton Rouge, La.
 First Round - LSU def. Kentucky, 4-1
 Semifinal - LSU def. UAB, 4-2
 Final - LSU def. Auburn, 4-3

1999 at Baton Rouge, La.
 Semifinal - LSU def. Alcorn State, 4-0
 Final - LSU def. Tulane, 4-1

2000 at Baton Rouge, La.
 Semifinal - LSU def. Alcorn State, 4-0
 Final - LSU def. Clemson, 4-0

2001 at Baton Rouge, La.
 Semifinal - LSU def. Marist, 4-0
 Final - LSU def. Texas, 4-2

2002 at College Station, Texas
 Semifinal - LSU def. TCU, 4-0
 Final - Texas A&M def. LSU, 4-0

NCAA Championships Record: 11-18

1978 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Pepperdine def. LSU, 6-3

1984 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - UCLA def. LSU, 6-0

1985 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Clemson def. LSU, 5-1

1986 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - SMU def. LSU, 5-2

1987 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - LSU def. Texas, 5-2
 Second Round - USC def. LSU, 5-3

1988 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Bye
 Second Round - LSU def. California 6-0
 Quarterfinal - LSU def. Athens, Ga. 5-3
 Semifinal - LSU def. Michigan, 5-4
 Final - Stanford def. LSU, 5-2

1989 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Bye
 Second Round - LSU def. Clemson, 5-3
 Quarterfinal - Stanford def. LSU, 5-3

1990 at Palm Springs, Calif.
 First Round - California def., LSU, 5-3

1991 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Bye
 Second Round - LSU def. TCU, 5-2
 Quarterfinal - California def. LSU, 5-2

1992 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Bye
 Second Round - LSU def. Pepperdine, 5-2
 Quarterfinal - Stanford def. LSU, 5-2

1993 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Bye
 Second Round - Duke def. LSU, 5-2

1995 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - TCU def. LSU, 4-0

1996 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - TCU def. LSU, 4-3

1997 at Los Angeles, Calif.
 First Round - Duke def. LSU, 4-1

1998 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - LSU def. SMU, 4-0
 Quarterfinal - LSU def. Mississippi, 4-0
 Semifinal - Georgia def. LSU, 4-1

1999 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - LSU def. Fresno State, 4-1
 Quarterfinal - LSU def. Duke, 4-3
 Semifinal - UCLA def. LSU, 4-1

2000 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Illinois def. LSU, 4-3

2001 at Athens, Ga.
 First Round - Texas A&M def. LSU, 4-1

LSU'S NCAA TOURNAMENT TEAMS

1978

Overall Record: 20-3
Final Rank: No.12

The Tigers made the NCAA Tournament for the first time in the school's history when coach Steve Carter guided LSU to the NCAA's in 1978. The Tigers entered the NCAA's with a 20-2 record, while riding a nine-match winning streak. However, Pepperdine proved to be too strong for LSU as the Wave rolled to a 6-3 first round win. LSU finished the year ranked No.12 in the nation.

1984

Overall Record: 19-10
Final Rank: No.12

After a five-year absence from the NCAA's, second-year head coach Jerry Simmons led the Tigers back to the NCAA Tournament for what would be the first of ten-straight appearances at the event. The Tigers were quickly eliminated from the NCAA's, as eventual champion UCLA ousted LSU by a 6-0 count.

1985

Overall Record: 19-8
SEC Champions
Final Rank: No. 9

The Tigers entered the NCAA Tournament as the SEC Champions, but LSU was again eliminated in the first round by a very good Clemson team, 5-1. Clemson ended its season ranked No. 8 in the nation, while LSU netted its highest final national ranking ever at No.9.

1986

Overall Record: 17-8
Final Rank: No.12

LSU would have to wait yet another year to get its first win at the NCAA Tournament. The Tigers, who were in the NCAA Tournament for the third-straight year, fell to SMU, 5-2, in the opening round. SMU went on to finish third in the nation, while the Tigers ended their season ranked No.12.

1987

Overall Record: 23-6
Final Rank: No. 8

LSU won what was then a school-record 23 matches as the Tigers finally got their first win in NCAA Tournament action with a 5-2 second round victory over Texas. The Tigers, who received a first round bye, then fell to Southern Cal, 5-3, in the quarter-finals. LSU finished the season ranked No.8 in the nation, the highest ranking ever for an LSU team at the time.

1988

Overall Record: 27-2
SEC Regular Season Champions
National Team Indoor Finalists
Final Rank: No. 2

LSU enjoyed what is still the best season in school history as the Tigers reached the finals of the NCAA Tournament. The Tigers, which did not lose a match outdoors all season, lost to Stanford, 5-2, in the finals of the NCAA's in a match that was forced indoors due to rain. LSU reached the finals by recording wins over California in round two, Georgia in the quarterfinal and Michigan in the semifinal. LSU, which was ranked No.1 in the nation for four weeks during the season, ended the year ranked second.

1989

Overall Record: 22-5
SEC Regular Season Champions
Final Rank: No. 8

The Tigers reached the final eight at the NCAA's for the third-straight year, but that was as far as LSU would go as eventual champion Stanford beat the Tigers, 5-3, in the quarterfinal. The Tigers finished their season ranked No.8 in the nation.

1990

Overall Record: 13-9
Final Rank: No.11

The Tigers had a down season as far as wins and losses are concerned but LSU still managed to make the 20-team NCAA Tournament field. The Tigers weren't around for long as California beat LSU 5-3 in round one. LSU finished its season with a 13-9 record and ranked No.11 in the nation.

1991

Overall Record: 19-6
SEC Runner-up
Final Rank: No. 6

Returning to the final eight at the NCAA's after a year's absence from the top 10, LSU beat TCU 5-3 round two. The Tigers then were eliminated by California for the second year in a row by a 5-2 count. LSU finished the year ranked No. 6 in the nation.



1978



1985

1992

Overall Record: 17-7
SEC Regular Season Champions
SEC Runner-up
Final Rank: No.10

LSU entered the NCAA Tournament fresh off an appearance in the SEC Tournament title match. After a first round bye, the Tigers defeated Pepperdine, 6-3, in the second round. LSU then ran into trouble as eventual-champion Stanford ousted the Tigers 5-2. The Tigers finished the year ranked No.10 in the nation.

1993

Overall Record: 16-6
SEC Runner-up
Final Rank: No. 8

LSU made the NCAA Tournament for the 10th consecutive year, but the Tigers weren't around for long as Duke posted a 5-2 upset win over LSU in the second round. LSU, which received a first round bye, was ranked No.8 in the final national poll. The Duke match marked the final match for perhaps three of the best players in LSU history in Tamer El Sawy, Michael Wesbrooks and Juha Pesola.

1995

Overall Record: 19-4
SEC Runner-up
Final Rank: No. 9

After missing the NCAA Tournament in 1994 for the first time in over ten years, the Tigers returned to the NCAA's in 1995. However, LSU's return was short-lived as TCU, ranked 10th, upset the sixth-ranked Tigers, 4-0, in the round one. LSU, which lost to Georgia in the SEC Tournament final, finished the year ranked No. 9 in the nation.



1989



1988

1996

Overall Record: 21-5
NCAA Region III Champions
Final Rank: No.12

LSU enjoyed another stellar campaign en route to its 12th NCAA Tournament appearance in 14 years under coach Jerry Simmons. LSU played host to the 1996 NCAA Region III Championships. The top-seeded Tigers overcame a 3-0 deficit to No.23 Auburn in the title match for a thrilling 4-3 win to advance to the NCAA's. LSU beat Kentucky in the first round and Alabama-Birmingham in the Regional semifinal. TCU, ranked 4th, bumped LSU from the NCAA Championships in the round of 16 for the second-straight year by a 4-3 count.

1997

Overall Record: 17-7
SEC Runner-up
Final Rank: No. 9

Jerry Simmons, LSU's all-time winningest coach, led the Tigers to the NCAA's for the 13th and final time during 1997 after announcing his retirement prior to the start of the spring season. Simmons capped off a much heralded 26-year coaching career, 15 coming at LSU, as his Tigers earned an automatic tourney bid. Unfortunately, Simmons' Tigers were upended in round one by No.10 Duke 4-1, finishing the year at 17-7 overall No.9 nationally.

1998

Overall Record: 25-2
SEC Champions
SEC Tournament Champions
Final Rank: No. 2

In his first year as LSU's head coach, Jeff Brown, led the Tigers to the NCAA Tournament semifinals as well as a No.2 National Ranking. The Tigers swept the SEC with a perfect 14-0 record, capturing the SEC Tournament championship as well as the overall conference crown. In the NCAA tournament, LSU tore through SMU and SEC rival Ole Miss before falling in the semifinals to a Georgia team the Tigers had twice defeated earlier in the year.



1991



1992

1999

Overall Record: 20-7
SEC Champions
SEC Tournament Champions
Final Rank: No. 4

LSU shocked the collegiate tennis world by returning to the Final Four for the second consecutive year in 1999. The Tigers, who had a No. 19 preseason ranking, hosted a regional and beat Alcorn State and Tulane to advance to the round of 16 at Athens, Ga. There, LSU beat a gutsy Fresno State team before upsetting second-ranked Duke in the quarterfinal. However, the magic ended in the Final Four as No. 1 UCLA managed to survive the Tiger attack. The Tigers defeated eventual national champion Georgia twice on the season.

2000

Overall Record: 20-6
Final Rank: No. 12

After entering the season as one of the favorites to win the national championship, the 2000 LSU squad earned a No. 11 seed in the NCAA Tournament. For the second consecutive season, the Tigers roared through the first two rounds in Baton Rouge with 4-0 victories over both Alcorn State and Clemson. Then it was on to Athens, Ga., and a tough round of 16 match with sixth-seeded Illinois. In a grueling match, the Illini proved to be a little too strong as they claimed a 4-3 victory and ousted LSU from the tournament.



1995

2001

Overall Record: 16-8
Final Rank: No. 13

The LSU men's tennis team qualified for the NCAA Championships for the seventh-straight season in 2001 after accumulating a 14-7 overall record during the regular season. The Tigers rebounded from a 4-3 upset loss against Alabama in the Southeastern Conference Tournament to host an NCAA Regional for the third-consecutive season. In front of a raucous home crowd at the W.T. "Dub" Robinson Tennis Stadium, LSU dropped Marist, 4-0, in first-round action before knocking off 19th-ranked Texas, 4-2, to earn a trip to the NCAA Championships in Athens, Ga. The Tigers advanced to the Sweet 16 for the third-straight year and faced No. 7 Texas A&M at the Dan Magill Tennis Center on the campus of the University of Georgia. In the third-round match, Texas A&M out-slugged the Tigers, 4-1.

2002

Overall Record: 11-14
Final Rank: No. 29

Despite finishing the regular season with a losing record for the first time in seven years, LSU proved its worthiness of an NCAA Tournament bid by advancing to the round of 32 with a convincing 4-0 victory over the higher-ranked Texas Christian Horned Frogs. The win was a triumphant contrast for the Tigers after the team had traversed a season full of 4-3 losses and had faced 16 top-25 teams in 25 dual-match contests. In the second round of the NCAA Tournament, LSU fell prey to 16th-ranked Texas A&M for the second-consecutive season, 4-0, in College Station, Texas.



1998



1999



All-American Pedro Braga

TEAM

Year	Final Ranking	Coach
1970	No.16	W.T. Robinson
1973	No.20	W.T. Robinson
1976	No.20	Steve Carter
1978	No.12	Steve Carter
1984	No.12	Jerry Simmons
1985	No. 9	Jerry Simmons
1986	No.12	Jerry Simmons
1987	No. 8	Jerry Simmons
1988	No. 2	Jerry Simmons
1989	No. 8	Jerry Simmons
1990	No.11	Jerry Simmons
1991	No. 6	Jerry Simmons
1992	No.10	Jerry Simmons
1993	No. 8	Jerry Simmons
1994	No.22	Jerry Simmons
1995	No. 9	Jerry Simmons
1996	No.12	Jerry Simmons
1997	No. 9	Jerry Simmons
1998	No. 2	Jeff Brown
1999	No. 4	Jeff Brown
2000	No.12	Jeff Brown
2001	No.14	Jeff Brown
2002	No.29	Jeff Brown

SINGLES

Year	Player	Rank
1983	Fernando Perez	No.35
	Teddy Viator	No.68
1984	Fernando Perez	No.18
	Teddy Viator	No.62
	Steve Wood	No.90
1985	Fernando Perez	No.20
	Billy Uribe	No.46
	Steve Wood	No.81
1986	Billy Uribe	No.44
	Jason Noonan	No.80
1987	Billy Uribe	No.17
	Felix Barrientos	No.31
	Donni Leaycraft	No.40
	Jeff Brown	No.58
1988	Felix Barrientos	No.20
	Billy Uribe	No.28
	Donni Leaycraft	No.36
	Jeff Brown	No.39
1989	Donni Leaycraft	No. 3
	Johan Kjellsten	No. 7
	Roland So	No.40
	Tom Furukrantz	No.83
1990	Tom Furukrantz	No.20
	Johan Milbrink	No.31
	Donni Leaycraft	No.46
1991	Johan Milbrink	No.22
	Tamer El Sawy	No.43
	Janne Holtari	No.53
	Mario Pacheco	No.69
1992	Tamer El Sawy	No.16
	Janne Holtari	No.24
	Mario Pacheco	No.49
	Juha Pesola	No.56
1993	Tamer El Sawy	No. 3
	Juha Pesola	No.18
	Michael Wesbrooks	No.82
1994	Pedro Braga	No.32
	Janne Holtari	No.58
1995	Pedro Braga	No.18
	Gus Fernandes	No.40
	Ryan Ideta	No.65
1996	Gus Fernandes	No.28
	Pedro Braga	No.93
1997	Pedro Escudero	No.25
	Michal Chmela	No.33
1998	Michal Chmela	No. 6
	Pedro Escudero	No.34
	Pedro Braga	No.76
1999	Michal Chmela	No.12
	Tom Hand	No.39
2000	Tom Hand	No.24
	Michal Chmela	No.30
	Ajay Ramaswami	No.100
2001	Ajay Ramaswami	No.16
	Dan Kiernan	No.51
2002	Dan Kiernan	No.53
	Bryan Fisher	No.113



All-American Michal Chmela

DOUBLES

Year	Player	Rank
1983	Fernando Perez-Steve Wood	No. 26
1984	Steve Wood-Jason Noonan	No. 18
1985	Billy Uribe-Carlos Homodes	No. 33
1987	Billy Uribe-Carlos Homodes	No. 40
	Felix Barrientos-Jeff Brown	No. 44
1988	Felix Barrientos-Jeff Brown	No. 4
1989	Mario Pacheco-Ged Schwing	No. 17
1990	Mario Pacheco-Tom Furukrantz	No. 10
1991	Mario Pacheco-Tamer El Sawy	No. 23
1992	Mario Pacheco-Tamer El Sawy	No. 12
	Janne Holtari-Steve Vasquez	No. 26
1993	Juha Pesola-Michael Wesbrooks	No. 11
	Tamer El Sawy-Alex Guevara	No. 27
1995	Pedro Braga-Zak Blanchard	No. 18
1996	Chad Dudley-Ryan Ideta	No. 19
1997	Michal Chmela-Tom Hand	No. 30
	Zak Blanchard-Eduardo Villagomez	No. 49
1998	Tom Hand-Michal Chmela	No. 8
1999	Tom Hand-Ed Rubin	No. 43
2000	Michal Chmela-Dan Kiernan	No. 14
2001	Dan Kiernan-Sebastian Rutka	No. 29



Steve Faulk
SINGLES-1970



Fernando Perez
SINGLES-1984,1985



Felix Barrientos
SINGLES-1987,1988
DOUBLES-1988



Billy Uribe
SINGLES-1987,1988



Jeff Brown
DOUBLES-1988



Michael Hammett
ACADEMIC-1988



Donni Leaycraft
SINGLES-1988,1989



Johan Kjellsten
SINGLES-1989



Roland So
SINGLES-1989



Tom Furukrantz
SINGLES, DOUBLES-1990



Mario Pacheco
SINGLES-1990,1992
DOUBLES-1992



Tamer El Sawy
SINGLES-1992,1993
DOUBLES-1992



Juha Pesola
SINGLES, DOUBLES, &
ACADEMIC-1993



Michael Wesbrooks
DOUBLES-1993



Pedro Braga
SINGLES-1995



Michal Chmela
SINGLES-1998,1999,
DOUBLES-1998,2000



Tom Hand
DOUBLES-1998
ACADEMIC-1998,1999



Jonas Samuelsson
ACADEMIC-1999



Dan Kiernan
DOUBLES-2000



Ajay Ramaswami
SINGLES-2001

ALL-AMERICANS

CHAMPIONS

Donni Leaycraft

1989 NCAA Singles Champion



Donni Leaycraft capped off his record-setting junior season by becoming the first LSU player to win the NCAA singles title. Leaycraft entered the NCAA singles tournament as the 13th seed and proceeded to breeze through the first four rounds, winning all four matches in straight sets. In the semifinal, Leaycraft upset hometown favorite Pablo Montana of Georgia in three sets and then beat Steven Jung of Nebraska 6-1, 4-6, 6-3 to claim the title. Leaycraft finished the year with a 42-10 record and ranked No. 3 in the nation.

LEAYCRAFT'S ROAD TO THE 1989 NCAA SINGLES TITLE:

First Round: def. Lee Galway (Boise State), 6-3, 6-1
Second Round: def. Mark Mance (Duke), 6-1, 6-3
Third Round: def. Conny Falk (Miami), 6-1, 6-4
Quarterfinal: def. Al Parker (Georgia), 7-5, 6-1
Semifinal: def. Pablo Montana (Georgia), 7-5, 4-6, 6-2
Final: def. Steven Jung (Nebraska), 6-1, 4-6, 6-3

Johan Kjellsten

1988 Clay Court Singles Champion



Johan Kjellsten did not waste any time making an impact after transferring from McNeese State prior to his senior season. At the Clay Courts, Kjellsten, who was the tournament's eighth seed, knocked off top-ranked Malivai Washington of Michigan, 6-3, 6-3 in the quarterfinal and then cruised past fourth-ranked Greg Failla of Southern Cal in the semifinal. In the final, Kjellsten knocked off 12th-ranked Stephen Enochs of Georgia 2-6, 6-2, 6-1 to give LSU the school's first grand slam event winner. Kjellsten went on to post a 38-11 overall singles record and finished the year ranked No. 7 in the country.

KJELLSTEN'S ROAD TO THE 1988 CLAY COURT SINGLES TITLE:

First Round: def. Ellis Ferriera (Alabama), 7-6, 7-6
Second Round: def. Brice Karsh (Tennessee), 6-3, 3-6, 6-3
Quarterfinal: def. Malivai Washington (Michigan), 6-3, 6-3
Semifinal: def. Greg Failla (Southern Cal), 6-2, 6-0
Final: def. Stephen Enochs (Georgia), 2-6, 6-2, 6-1

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SEMIFINALISTS

Tamer El Sawy

1993 NCAA Singles Semifinalist

Arguably the best player to ever play for LSU, Tamer El Sawy capped off his career with the Tigers with one of the best individual seasons in school history. El Sawy posted a 39-5 overall record and reached the semifinals of the NCAA singles tournament in 1993. He breezed through the first three rounds of draw before beating Roland Thornqvist of North Carolina in three sets in the quarterfinal. El Sawy, the No. 3 seed, then dropped a three-set match No. 1-ranked Chris Woodruff of Tennessee. The El Sawy-Woodruff semifinal match was said to be the best match of the tournament and it was only fitting that it would be the last match El Sawy would play at LSU.

EL SAWY AT THE 1993 NCAA SINGLES TOURNAMENT

First Round: def. Chris Pressley (Duke), 4-6, 6-0, 6-2
Second Round: def. Fredrik Axsater (San Diego), 6-2, 6-0
Third Round: def. Wayne Black (Southern Cal), 6-1, 7-6
Quarterfinal: def. Roland Thornqvist (N. Carolina), 6-7, 6-4, 6-4
Semifinal: lost to Chris Woodruff (Tennessee), 6-2, 5-7, 6-3

Michael Wesbrooks & Juha Pesola

1993 NCAA Doubles Semifinalists

Michael Wesbrooks and Juha Pesola put together one of the best doubles seasons in LSU history as the Tiger tandem posted a 23-2 overall record and advanced to the semifinals at the NCAA doubles tournament in 1993. Wesbrooks and Pesola, both seniors, were a perfect 12-0 in SEC action and had an incredible 20-1 mark in dual matches. At the NCAA doubles tournament, the duo posted three wins, two over seeded opponents, before losing to eventual champion Mark Merklein and David Blair of Florida in the semifinal. Wesbrooks and Pesola finished the year ranked No. 11 in the nation.

WESBROOKS & PESOLA AT THE 1993 NCAA DOUBLES TOURNAMENT

First Round: def. Martinez-Weaver (Texas A&M), 6-2, 5-7, 6-4
Second Round: def. Lampert-Wild (Clemson), 6-3, 7-6
Quarterfinal: def. Haggard-Woodruff (Tennessee), 5-7, 6-3, 6-3
Semifinal: lost to Merklein-Blair (Florida), 6-4, 6-4

Michal Chmela

1999 ITA All-American Semifinalists

Michal Chmela, in his lone fall tournament of the season, became the first Tiger to advance to a Grand Slam semifinal in six years at the ITA All-American hosted by the University of Texas. Chmela, seeded-fourth knocked off three ranked opponents in straight sets to reach the round of four. There he fell to sixth-seeded Brian Vahaly of Virginia in a three-set thriller.

CHMELA AT THE 1999 ITA ALL-AMERICAN

First Round: def. Andy Leber (UT-Arlington), 6-1, 3-0, ret.
Second Round: def. Johan Hesoun (Kentucky), 6-4, 6-3
Third Round: def. James Shortall (Ole Miss), 7-6 (0), 6-2
Quarterfinal: def. Johann Jooste (Baylor), 7-6, 6-1
Semifinal: lost to Brian Vahaly (Virginia), 1-6, 6-4, 7-6 (4)

ALL-SEC SINGLES SELECTIONS

Year	Player	Team
1966	Robert Hubbard	second
1967	Bob Ecuyer	second
1968	Steve Faulk	first
	Robert Hubbard	second
1969	Steve Faulk	first
1970	Steve Faulk	first
	Tommy Ducrest	second
1971	Tommy Ducrest	first
1974*	Gary Albertine	
1976*	Hal Gorman	
1977*	Alan Chandronnait	
	Hal Gorman	
1978*	Hal Gorman	
1979*	Hal Gorman	
	Mike Oransky	
1980*	Drew Meyers	
	Mark Shoptaugh	
1983*	Fernandez Perez	
	Teddy Viator	
1984*	Fernandez Perez	
1985	Fernandez Perez	first
	Carlos Homedes	honorable mention
	Billy Uribe	honorable mention
	Jeff Brown	honorable mention
1986*	Fernandez Perez	
	Billy Uribe	
1987*	Felix Barrientos	
	Donni Leaycraft	
	Billy Uribe	
1988*	Felix Barrientos	
	Jeff Brown	
	Donni Leaycraft	
	Billy Uribe	
1989*	Donni Leaycraft	
	Johan Kjellsten	
1990*	Donni Leaycraft	
1991*	Johan Milbrink	
1992*	Tamer El Sawy	
1993	Tamer El Sawy	first
	Juha Pesola	second
	Michael Wesbrooks	second
1995	Pedro Braga	first
	Zak Blanchard	second
1996	Gus Fernandes	first
	Chad Dudley	second
	Ryan Ideta	second
1997	Pedro Escudero	second
	Michal Chmela	second
1998	Michal Chmela	first
	Pedro Escudero	second
1999	Michal Chmela	first
	Tom Hand	second
2000	Michal Chmela	first
	Tom Hand	first
2001	Ajay Ramaswami	first
2002	Dan Kiernan	second

ALL-SEC DOUBLES SELECTIONS

1988*	Jeff Brown	
	Felix Barrientos	
1995	Pedro Braga/Zak Blanchard	second
1996	Chad Dudley/Ryan Ideta	second
1998	Michal Chmela/Tom Hand	second

^ Doubles teams have been selected every year since 1986 with the exception of 1989.

* Team selections not determined by the SEC.

INDIVIDUAL SEC CHAMPIONS**No.1 Singles**

1970	Steve Faulk
1983	Fernando Perez
1986	Fernando Perez

No.2 Singles

1940	L.C. Kirkland
1958	Tommy Robinson

No.3 Singles

1954	Dave Rosenbaum
1976	Gary Albertine
1980	Mark Shoptaugh
1985	Billy Uribe

No.4 Singles

1954	Ronnie Fenasci
1977	Drew Meyers
1985	Jeff Brown
1987	Donni Leaycraft
1988	Donni Leaycraft

No.5 Singles

1958	John Robinson
1974	Johnny Foster
1985	Carlos Homodes

No.6 Singles

1954	Benton Presslar
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No.1 Doubles

1962	Les Nicholson-Ernest Cox
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No.2 Doubles

1958	Larry Hammett-Buddy Gomez
1959	Tommy Robinson-Johnny Robinson
1968	Steve Faulk-Tommy Hudson
1977	Alan Chandronnait-Robert Rouse
1984	Steve Wood-Jason Noonan

No.3 Doubles

1957	Larry Hammett-Buddy Gomez
1986	Jeff Brown-Jason Noonan

Note: No singles or doubles champions were recognized by the SEC following the 1989 season.



All-SEC, Billy Uribe



Donni Leaycraft



Tom Hand

INDIVIDUAL

Most Singles Matches Won:

Career: Donni Leaycraft-135 (1987-90)

Season (overall): Donni Leaycraft-42 (1989)

Season (duel): Donni Leaycraft-25 (1988)

Most Doubles Matches Won:

Career: Chad Dudley-Ryan Ideta-71 (1993-96)

Season: Chad Dudley-Ryan Ideta-31 (1996)

Best Winning Percentage (season):

Mike Hammett .903 (28-3,1988)

TEAM

Most Wins: 27 (1988)

Most Consecutive Wins: 18 (1977,1988, 1998)

Highest Winning Percentage: .931 (27-2,1988)

Most Shutouts: 10 (1940)

Most Consecutive Shutouts: 7 (1995)

ALL-TIME WINNINGEST PLAYERS

Player	Record	Years
1. Donni Leaycraft	135-38	1987-90
2. Billy Uribe	116-45	1985-88
3. Tom Hand	107-43	1997-2000
4. Jeff Brown	100-49	1985-88
5. Mario Pacheco	99-52	1988-92
6. Teddy Viator	96-35	1981-84
Michael Wesbrooks	96-42	1989-93
8. Mark Shoptaugh	94-20	1977-80
9. Zak Blanchard	91-38	1995-98
10. Carlos Homodes	90-45	1984-87
Drew Meyers	90-34	1977-80
12. Ryan Ideta	85-32	1993-96
13. Dan Kiernan	84-47	1998-2002
14. Gus Fernandez	84-50	1994-97
15. Michal Chmela	83-33	1997-2000
16. Jason Noonan	81-48	1983-86
17. Jose' Leon	80-28	1993-96
18. Tamer El Sawy	77-24	1990-93
19. Hal Gorman	76-30	1976-79
20. Steve Vasquez	70-46	1988-92

MOST SINGLES WINS (SEASON)

Player	Record	Years
1. Donni Leaycraft	42-10	1989
2. Tamer El Sawy	39-5	1993
3. Johan Kjellsten	38-11	1989
4. Billy Uribe	37-19	1986
5. Mark Shoptaugh	34-4	1980
Johan Milbrink	34-17	1990
Tom Hand	34-9	2000
8. Juha Pesola	31-5	1992
Donni Leaycraft	31-6	1988
Tom Hand	31-9	1999



Billy Uribe



Jeff Brown

A

Abramson, Sam (1929-30)
 Achondo, Marcelo (1991-92)
 Agüero, Mauricio (1980-81)
 Al-Alawi, Nabil (1962-63-64)
 Albertine, Gary (1973-74-75-76)
 Allen, Rick (1967-68)
 Alvarez, Mario (2000)
 Ayres, Walt (1940)

B

Baker, Reese (1976)
 Baldwin, Spud (1951)
 Barnett, Gary (1979)
 Barrientos, Felix (1986-87-88)
 Barton, Ernest (1948)
 Baxley, Hugh (1955)
 Begue, Max (1969-70-72)
 Bennett, Dale (1952)
 Bettison, Joe (1960-63)
 Black, Larry (1967-68-69)
 Blanchard, Zak (1995-96-97-98)
 Bourg, Tad (1969-70)
 Braga, Pedro (94-95-96-98)
 Broer, David (1982)
 Brown, Jeff (1985-86-87-88)
 Burleigh, Jack (1982-83)
 Bushman, Jack (1937-38-39)

C

Cannon, Gary (1976-77)
 Cannon, John (1934-35)
 Carter, Kenny (1956-57-58)
 Carter, Steve (1963-64-65)
 Chandronnait, Alan (1976-77-78)
 Chmela, Michal (1997-98-99-00)
 Church, Frank (1975)
 Clark, Grant (1941)
 Clarke, Stevenson (1980-81-82-83)
 Cockerham, Walter (1952-53-54)
 Cole, Eugene (1937)
 Collins, Jim (1936-37-38)
 Couvillion, Dudley (1930)
 Covington, Beverly (1948-49-50)
 Cox, Ernest (1960-61-62-63)
 Creekmore, Mitch (1971-73-74-75)
 Crowell, Dickie (1959-60)

D

Debriddi, Devakul (1936)
 Detlefs, Ryan (1994)
 Diel, Wayne (1968-69-70-71)
 Ducrest, Tommy (1969-70-71-72)
 Dudley, Chad (1993-94-95-96)
 Dumont, Howard (1959-60)

E

Eckstein, Bob (1948)
 Ecuyer, Bobby (1967)
 Eerett, Ed (1925)
 El Sawy, Tamer (1991-92-93)
 Engleman, Otto (1954)
 Escudero, Pedro (1997-98)

F

Fagot, Al (1967-68)
 Faulk, Steve (1968-69-70)
 Fenasci, Ronnie (1953-54-55-57)
 Fenelon, Tracy (1981)
 Fernandes, Gus (1994-95-96-97)

Fisher, Bryan (2001-02)

Fisher, Kirk (1996-97-98)
 Foster, Johnny (1972-73-74-75)
 Furukrantz, Tom (1989-90)

G

Gatenby, Glen (1974-76)
 Glanker, Gene (1947)
 Gold, Leo (1926-27-28)
 Gomez, Edgar (1957-58-59)
 Gonzales, Rod (1990)
 Gorman, Gary (1979)
 Gorman, Hal (1976-77-78-79)
 Greene, Jack (1960-61-62)
 Guevara, Alex (1993)
 Gustella, Salvador (1938-39)

H

Hackett, John (1928-29-30)
 Hagerman, Bobby (1972-73-74-75)
 Hamilton, Johnny (1956)
 Hammett, Larry (1957-58-59)
 Hammett, Michael (1986-87-88)
 Hand, Tom (1997-98-99-00)
 Hardesty, Dan (1946-47)
 Harvey, Bob (1947-48)

Hazley, Jason (2002)

Hebert, Pat (1930)
 Hennessy, Frank (1977)
 Holt, Dick (1956)
 Holtari, Janne (1991-92-94)
 Holtman, William (1951-52)
 Homedes, Carlos (1985-86-87)
 Hubbard, Joe (1963-64-65)
 Hubbard, Robert (1966-67-68)
 Hudson, Tommy (1966-67-68)
 Hudson, William (1968)
 Humphreys, Dave (1932-33-34-35)
 Hunter, Edwin (1932)
 Hurd, Jonathan (1998-99-00-01)

I

Ideta, Ryan (1993-94-95-96)
 Isaminger, H.L. (1932-33)

J

Jacoby, Bernard (1940-41-42)
 Johnston, Francie (1930)
 Jones, Chad (1990)

K

Kaplan, Frank (1938)
 Kelly, Joe (1970)
 Kennan, Robert (1925)
 Ketchum, Ed (1935-36)
 Keyton, Mike (1965)
 Kiernan, Daniel (1999-00-01-02)
 Kirkland, L.C. (1939-40-41)
 Kjellsten, Johan (1989)
 Koach, Kenneth (1948-49)

L

Lanier, Jack (1942)
 Lanier, W.L. (1926)
 Lanneau, Bazile (1948-49-50)
 Lavercombe, Randy (1972-73-75)
 Leaycraft, Donni (1987-88-89-90)
 Lee, Harry (1956)
 Leon, Jose (1993-94-95-96)
 Lewis, Charles (1929)

Lindberg, Andres (1982-83-84)
 Loeb, Charles (1929)
 Longmire, David (1964-65-66)
 Lovett, Steve (1980)

M

Martin, Cedric (1971)
 Mateljan, Anthony (1999-00-01)
 McDowell, Bill (1950)
 McGehee, Billy (1973-74-75-76)
 McLaney, M.J. (1937)
 McVea, Charles (1929)
 Meyers, Drew (1977-78-79-80)
 Milbrink, Johan (1990-91)
 Mixon, Willard (1938-39)
 Methvin, David (1971)
 Mills, Larry (1948-49-50)
 Murov, Ellis (1969)

N

Neck, Tommy (1959-60-61)
Nicholson, Brandon (2000-01-02)
 Nicholson, Les (1960-61)
 Nido, Tommy (1979-80-81-82)
 Noonan, Jason (183-84-85-86)

O

Oransky, Mike (1978-79-80)
 Obourn, Hugh (1965-66)
 Overdyke, Jere (1970-71)
 Owens, Billy (1941-42-46-47)

P

Pacheco, Mario (1989-90-91-92)
 Padgett, Charles (1946)
 Pesola, Juha (1992-93)
 Pitts, Charlie (1952-53-54)
 Perez, Fernando (1983-84-85-86)
 Posso, Mauricio (1980)
 Pou, John Gray (2000-01)
 Power, Bill (1967)
 Presslar, Benton (1953-54-55)

R

Ramaswami, Ajay (2000-01)
 Rees, Charles (1961)
 Richardson, Roger (1949-50-51)
Richman, Peter (2002)
 Rickey, Pat (1960-61-62)
 Roach, Kenneth (1948-49)
 Roberts, Jim (1958)
 Robertson, Ed (1932-33-35)
 Robertson, Jess (1963)
 Robinson, Johnny (1958-59)
 Robinson, Tommy (1957-58-59)
 Robinson, W.T. (Dub) (1932-34-35-36)
 Romer, David (1953-54)
 Rosenbaum, David (1953-54)
Ross, Cory (2002)
 Rouse, Robert (1974-75-76-77)
 Rubin, Ed (1997-98-99-00)
Rutka, Sebastian (2001-02)

S

Sadovich, Sanjin (2001)
 Samuelsson, Jonas (1996-97-98-99)
 Sanders, Tom (1935-36-37)
 Sauls, DeWitt (1926-27-28)
 Scanlon, Pat (1955-56)
 Schay, Geza (1950)

Schultz, Darrell (1952-53)
 Schwartz, Brett (1984)
 Schwing, Ged (1986-87-88-89)
 Shamieh, Samer (1999-00)
 Shoptaugh, Mark (1977-78-79-80)
 Sievers, Aubrey (1933-34-35-36)
 Sims, J.T. (1973-74-75-76)
 Simoneau, Fred (1965)
 Slanton, Thad (1991-92)
Smatt, Jesse (1999-00-01-02)
 So, Roland (1987-88-89)
 Sorbo, Jonathan (1981-82)
 Sruk, John (1999-01)
 Stevens, Joe (1946-47)

T

Thompson, Irvin (1949)
 Tindle, Mark (1971-72)
 Trepdahl, Clinton (1967)
 Tudor, Robert (1954-55-56-57)

U

Umstaedter, Billy (1940-41-42)
 Uribe, Billy (1985-86-87-88)
 Uselton, Kenny (1966)

V

Vasquez, Steve (1989-90-91-92)
 Venable, John (1951)
 Viator, Teddy (1981-82-83-84)
 Viator, Todd (1987-88-89)
 Villagomez, Eduardo (1995-96-97-98)

W

Walker, Milton (1951-55)
 Walthall, Jim (1960)
 Webb, Cecil (1951-53)
 Wesbrooks, Michael (1990-91-92-93)
 Williamson, Earl (1946-47)
 Winslow, Carl (1981-82)
 Wolff, Marcello (1970)
 Wood, Steve (1983-84-85)

Y

Young, Paul (1952-53-54)

Current Players in Boldface

Year	W-L-T	SEC Finish	Post season	Coach
1925	3-0			Paul Young
1926	0-2			Paul Young
1927	1-2-1			Paul Young
1928	2-2			Paul Young
1929	3-2			Paul Young
1930	2-1			Paul Young
1931	1-1			Paul Young
1932	0-2			Paul Young
1933	2-1			Charles Diel
1934	0-4			Charles Diel
1935	2-2-1			Charles Diel
1936	2-3			Charles Diel
1937	2-2			Charles Diel
1938	3-2			Charles Diel
1939	4-1-2			Charles Diel
1940	10-1			Charles Diel
1941	4-3-1	2nd		Charles Diel
1942	1-1-1	2nd		Charles Diel
1943-45	No Team			
1946	0-4			Mike Donahue
1947	0-3			Mike Donahue
1948	5-4			Dub Robinson
1949	8-5-2			Dub Robinson
1950	8-7			Dub Robinson
1951	4-9			Dub Robinson
1952	11-4			Dub Robinson
1953	12-1	2nd		Dub Robinson
1954	9-1	2nd		Dub Robinson
1955	6-5	4th		Dub Robinson
1956	0-9	7th		Dub Robinson
1957	8-3-1	2nd		Dub Robinson
1958	6-5	2nd		Dub Robinson
1959	8-6	4th		Dub Robinson
1960	2-9	9th		Dub Robinson
1961	1-8-1	5th		Dub Robinson
1962	7-5	3rd		Dub Robinson
1963	2-8-1	6th		Dub Robinson
1964	5-7-1	7th		Dub Robinson
1965	5-8	7th		Dub Robinson
1966	6-6	6th		Dub Robinson
1967	6-4	5th		Dub Robinson
1968	5-8-1	5th		Dub Robinson
1969	7-7-1	6th		Dub Robinson
1970	6-8	5th		Dub Robinson
1971	8-6-1	7th		Dub Robinson
1972	6-11	7th		Dub Robinson
1973	8-8	7th		Dub Robinson
1974	14-5	3rd		Dub Robinson
1975	11-8	6th		Steve Carter
1976	21-6	1st		Steve Carter
1977	22-2	2nd		Steve Carter
1978	22-3	3rd	NCAA Final 16	Steve Carter
1979	16-7	3rd		Dub Robinson
1980	14-10	3rd		Steve Strome
1981	15-11	8th		Steve Strome
1982	17-6	7th		Steve Strome
1983	19-9	5th		Jerry Simmons
1984	19-10	5th	NCAA Final 16	Jerry Simmons
1985	19-8	1st	NCAA Final 16	Jerry Simmons
1986	17-8	3rd	NCAA Final 16	Jerry Simmons
1987	23-6	3rd	NCAA Final Eight	Jerry Simmons
1988	27-2	3rd	NCAA Runner-up	Jerry Simmons
1989	22-5	3rd	NCAA Final Eight	Jerry Simmons
1990	13-9	3rd	NCAA Final 16	Jerry Simmons
1991	19-6	2nd	NCAA Final Eight	Jerry Simmons
1992	17-7	2nd	NCAA Final Eight	Jerry Simmons
1993	16-6	3rd	NCAA Final Eight	Jerry Simmons
1994	10-13	9th		Jerry Simmons
1995	19-4	2nd	NCAA Final 16	Jerry Simmons
1996	21-5	4th	NCAA Final 16	Jerry Simmons
1997	17-7	3rd	NCAA Final 16	Jerry Simmons
1998	25-2	1st	NCAA Semifinal	Jeff Brown
1999	20-7	1st	NCAA Semifinal	Jeff Brown
2000	20-6	4th	NCAA Final 16	Jeff Brown
2001	16-8	3rd	NCAA Final 16	Jeff Brown
2002	11-14	11th	NCAA 2nd Round	Jeff Brown



Paul Young
1925-1932



Charles Diel
1933-1942



Mike Donahue
1946-1947



W.T. "Dub" Robinson
1948-1974, 1979



Steve Carter
1975-1978



Steve Strome
1980-1982



Jerry Simmons
1983-1997



Jeff Brown
1998-present

COACHING TOTALS

Young's Total (8 years)	12-12-1	(.500)
Diel's Total (10 years)	30-20-5	(.591)
Donahue's Total (2 years)	0-7	(.000)
Robinson's Total (28 years)	189-180-9	(.512)
Carter's Total (4 years)	76-19	(.800)
Strome's Total (3 years)	46-27	(.630)
Simmons' Total (15 years)	278-105	(.726)
Brown's Total (5 years)	92-37	(.713)
ALL-TIME RECORD	723-407-15	(.642)

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

1925 (3-0)

Coach: PaulYoung

Alabama	W	3-0
Louisiana College	W	3-0
Louisiana College	W	3-0

1926 (0-2)

Coach: PaulYoung

Tulane	L	1-5
Tulane	L	1-2

1927 (1-2-1)

Coach: PaulYoung

Tulane	L	1-5
Tulane	L	2-4
Alabama	T	3-3
USL	W	6-0

1928 (2-2)

Coach: PaulYoung

Tulane	L	0-6
North Carolina	L	1-2
Louisiana College	W	6-0
USL	W	4-2

1929 (3-2)

Coach: PaulYoung

USL	W	4-2
Louisiana College	W	4-2
Loyola (New Orleans)	W	5-1
Tulane	L	1-5
Alabama	L	1-5

1930 (2-1)

Coach: PaulYoung

Ole Miss	L	2-4
Millsaps	W	4-2
Louisiana College	W	4-2

1931 (1-1)

Coach: PaulYoung

USL	W	6-0
Alabama	L	1-5

1932 (0-2)

Coach: Charles Diel

Tulane	L	0-6
Tulane	L	0-6

1933 (2-1)

Coach: Charles Diel

Louisiana Tech	W	6-0
Louisiana College	W	5-1
Louisiana College	L	2-4

1934 (0-4)

Coach: Charles Diel

Rice	L	1-5
Tulane	L	1-5
Rice	L	0-6
Tulane	L	0-6

1935 (2-2-1)

Coach: Charles Diel

Northwestern State	W	6-0
Rice	T	3-3
Louisiana College	W	6-0
Tulane	L	2-6
Tulane	L	2-6

1936 (2-3)

Coach: Charles Diel

Louisiana College	L	2-4
Mississippi St.	W	7-0
Furman	L	3-4
Gustavus Aldolphus	W	6-0
Tulane	L	0-6

1937 (2-2)

Coach: Charles Diel

Furman	W	6-0
Alabama	W	6-0
Tulane	L	0-6
Rice	L	2-4

1938 (3-2)

Coach: Charles Diel

Illinois	W	4-2
Baylor	W	4-2
Spring Hill	W	5-1
Tulane	L	0-6
Alabama	L	2-4

1939 (4-1-2)

Coach: Charles Diel

West St. College	W	5-1
Alabama	W	4-2
Illinois	W	6-0
Rice	T	3-3
Ole Miss	W	4-1
Tulane	L	0-6
Baylor	T	3-3

1941 (4-3-1)

Coach: Charles Diel

<i>SEC Runner-up</i>		
Colorado	W	6-0
Texas	L	2-4
Rice	W	5-1
Florida	L	2-5
Alabama	W	6-0
Tulane	L	2-3
Tulane	T	3-3
Louisiana College	W	4-2

1942 (1-1-1)

Coach: Charles Diel

Rice	L	2-4
Tulane	W	2-1
Tulane	T	3-3

1943-45 - No Team

1946 (0-4)

Coach: Mike Donahue

Tulane	L	0-6
Gulfport Navy	L	0-6
Tulane	L	0-6
Gulfport Navy	L	3-6

1947(0-3)

Coach: Mike Donahue

Tulane	L	0-6
Miami (Fla.)	L	0-6
Rice	L	0-6

1948 (5-4)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Northwestern State	W	7-2
Baton Rouge T.C.	L	3-9
Loyola	W	4-3
Northwestern State	W	6-1
Loyola	W	7-1
Mississippi State	W	7-2
Tulane	L	0-6
Birmingham Southern	L	3-4
Howard	L	2-5

1949 (8-5-2)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Northwestern State	W	6-0
Pensacola Navy	L	3-4
Florida	L	1-6
Baton Rouge T.C.	W	8-4
Loyola	W	4-1
Cornell of Iowa	W	3-0
Pensacola Navy	W	6-1
Loyola	W	5-1
Georgia Tech	T	3-3
Vanderbilt	L	1-7
Ole Miss	W	7-0
Tulane	L	1-6
Mississippi State	W	7-0
Florida	T	3-3
Sewanee	L	1-4

1950 (8-7)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Baylor	W	5-2
Pensacola Navy	L	2-5
Mississippi State	W	7-2
Georgia	W	6-3
Georgia Tech	W	6-3
Loyola	L	3-4
Loyola	W	4-3
Mississippi State	W	4-3
Houston	L	0-6
Florida	L	0-9
Tulane	L	1-6
Alabama	W	6-3
Southwestern (Tenn.)	W	7-2
Alabama	L	2-7
Vanderbilt	L	3-6

1951 (4-9)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Northwestern State	W	7-2
Tulane	L	0-9
Alabama	L	0-8
Mississippi State	W	8-1
Vanderbilt	L	2-7
Mississippi State	W	9-0
Loyola	L	3-6
Loyola	L	0-5
Georgia	L	4-5
Georgia Tech	W	6-3
Houston	L	0-6
SMU	L	0-6
Pensacola Navy	L	4-5

1952 (11-4)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Lamar	W	6-0
Loyola	W	6-3
Loyola	W	4-3
Norhtwestern State	W	7-0
Vanderbilt	L	3-6
Tennessee	L	3-6

TCU	W	5-1
Pensacola Navy	L	3-6
Mississippi State	W	6-3
Georgia Tech	W	5-4
Georgia	W	9-0
Lake Charles AFB	W	7-0
Tulane	L	0-9
Alabama	W	8-1
Jacksonville State	W	9-0

1953 (12-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

<i>SEC Runner-up</i>		
Lamar	W	5-1
Mississippi State	W	5-1
Denver	W	7-2
Florida State	W	8-1
Houston	W	5-1
Alabama	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	W	6-2
Loyola	W	5-2
Tennessee	W	7-2
Georgia Tech	W	9-0
Lake Charles AFB	W	9-0
Loyola	W	6-1
Tulane	L	1-7

1954 (9-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

<i>SEC Runner-up</i>		
Lamar	W	4-3
Texas A&M	W	12-1
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Florida State	W	8-2
Cincinnati	W	8-2
Tennessee	W	9-0
Mississippi State	W	9-0
Loyola	W	4-1
Tulane	L	3-6
Georgia Tech	W	9-0

1955 (6-5)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Pensacola Navy	L	3-6
Baton Rouge T.C.	W	6-3
Northwestern	W	7-2
Tennessee	W	5-4
Vanderbilt	W	7-2
Lamar	L	0-9
Houston	L	0-9
Tulane	L	0-9
Florida	L	3-5
Loyola	W	6-1
Georgia Tech	W	8-1

1956 (0-9)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Lamar	L	0-5
Texas A&M	L	3-6
Northwestern	L	1-5
Presbyterian	L	1-5
Vanderbilt	L	2-7
Georgia Tech	L	3-6
Rice	L	3-6
Houston	L	3-6
Tulane	L	0-9

1957 (8-3-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

SEC Runner-up

Pensacola Navy	W	9-0
Lamar	L	1-8
Houston	T	3-3
Illinois	W	9-0
Mississippi State	W	8-0
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Miami (Fla.)	L	0-6
Georgia Tech	W	8-1
Georgia	W	8-1
Tulane	L	2-7
Tennessee	W	9-0
Florida	W	7-2

1958 (6-5)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

SEC Runner-up

Lamar	L	0-9
Houston	L	2-5
Northwestern	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Florida State	W	7-2
Pensacola Navy	W	6-0
Miami (Fla.)	L	2-7
Lamar	L	3-6
Tulane	L	4-5
Georgia Tech	W	7-2
Georgia	W	8-1

1959 (8-6)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Lamar	L	2-5
Lamar	L	1-5
Georgia	L	2-7
Georgia Tech	L	2-7
Houston	W	7-2
Tulane	L	0-9
Florida	W	6-3
Florida State	W	6-3
Texas	W	4-2
Miami (Fla.)	L	2-7
Ole Miss	W	7-2
Vanderbilt	W	8-1
Tennessee	W	6-3
Duke	W	5-4

1960 (2-9)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Southern Miss	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	L	3-6
Northwestern	L	2-7
Florida State	L	0-9
Florida	L	0-9
Mississippi State	L	0-9
Houston	L	0-6
Texas	L	0-6
Georgia Tech	L	1-8
Ole Miss	W	6-0
Tulane	L	1-8

1961 (1-8-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Southern Illinois	W	4-2
Northwestern	L	3-5
Texas	L	1-5
Mississippi State	L	3-6
Vanderbilt	L	4-5
Rice	L	1-5
Florida State	L	1-8
Tulane	L	0-8
Lamar	L	0-5
Houston	T	3-3

1962 (7-5)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Northwestern	L	1-8
Vanderbilt	L	4-5
Houston	W	6-0
Texas	L	0-6
Rice	L	0-6
Mississippi State	W	8-1
Kentucky	W	9-0
Georgia Tech	W	8-1
Texas A&M	W	5-2
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Southern Miss	W	7-2
Tulane	L	0-9

1963 (2-8-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Kalamazoo	L	3-6
Texas	L	0-6
Houston	L	0-5
Texas A&M	L	0-9
Vanderbilt	T	4-4
Ole Miss	W	5-4
Mississippi State	L	0-9
Rice	L	0-6
Alabama	L	1-8
Southern Miss	W	7-2
Tulane	L	0-9

1964 (5-7-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Texas A&M	L	4-5
Kentucky	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	W	7-2
Rice	L	1-5
Texas	L	0-7
St. Edward's	W	6-1
Mississippi State	L	0-9
Murray State	W	7-2
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Georgia Tech	L	3-6
Houston	T	3-3
Alabama	L	2-7
Tulane	L	1-8

1965 (5-8)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Houston	L	1-5
Texas A&M	L	0-6
St. Edward's	W	3-2
Alabama	L	4-5
Rice	L	0-7
Georgia Tech	L	0-9
Murray State	L	1-8
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Memphis State	W	8-1
Vanderbilt	W	7-2
Tennessee	L	0-9
Southern Miss	W	6-3
Tulane	L	0-9

1966 (6-6)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Houston	W	4-2
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Texas A&M	L	1-8
Oklahoma	W	4-3
Mississippi State	L	2-7
Corpus Christi	L	1-8
Tennessee	L	1-8
Georgia Tech	L	3-6
Ole Miss	W	8-1
Alabama	W	7-2
Southern Miss	W	5-0
Tulane	L	0-9

1967 (6-4)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Rice	W	4-2
Texas A&M	W	8-1
Southwestern (Tenn.)	W	9-1
Illinois	W	4-3
Georgia Tech	L	4-5
Tennessee	L	0-9
Houston	W	4-3
Mississippi State	L	0-8
Ole Miss	W	8-1
Tulane	L	0-9

1968 (5-8-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Lamar	L	3-6
Mississippi State	L	1-6
Georgia	L	3-6
Michigan State	W	5-4
Michigan State	W	6-3
Oklahoma	W	4-3
USL	W	8-1
Ole Miss	W	7-2
Florida	L	2-8
Tennessee	T	2-2
Georgia Tech	L	2-7
Texas	L	2-5
Houston	L	2-4
Tulane	L	0-9

1969 (7-7-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Florida State	L	2-7
Houston	L	4-5
Texas	T	3-3
Minnesota	L	2-7
Northwestern	W	5-4
Lamar	W	9-0
Texas A&M	L	2-7
Kansas	W	3-4
USL	W	8-1
Northern Illinois	W	9-0
Florida	L	1-8
Tennessee	L	3-6
Tulane	L	0-9
Mississippi State	W	5-4
Ole Miss	W	8-1

1970 (6-8)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Final Ranking: No.16

Florida State	L	3-6
Texas	L	3-6
Houston	L	0-9
Texas A&M	W	5-4
Southern Illinois	L	2-7
Vanderbilt	L	4-5
South Florida	W	7-2
Alabama	W	8-1
Florida	W	6-3
Tennessee	L	1-8
Georgia	L	0-9
Georgia Tech	L	4-5
Lamar	W	7-2
Tulane	W	6-3

1971 (8-6-1)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Furman	W	6-3
Memphis State	L	3-6
Houston	W	4-3
William & Mary	W	9-0
Lamar	W	5-4
Texas A&M	L	2-7
Mississippi State	T	3-3
Georgia	L	0-9
Vanderbilt	W	7-2
Kentucky	W	6-3
Tennessee	W	5-4
Presbyterian	L	3-6
Tulane	L	2-6
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Alabama	L	3-6

1972 (6-11)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Lamar	W	5-4
Texas A&M	L	1-8
Indiana	L	2-7
Indiana	L	4-5
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Alabama	L	1-8
Mississippi State	L	4-5
Georgia	L	1-8
Texas	L	1-8
Houston	L	1-8
Vanderbilt	W	8-1
Kentucky	L	2-7
Florida	L	1-8
Tennessee	L	1-8
Georgia Tech	W	7-2
Alabama	W	5-4
Tulane	W	6-3

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

1973 (8-8)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Final Ranking: No. 20

Houston	L	2-7
Georgia	L	0-9
Notre Dame	W	7-2
Missouri	W	8-1
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Oklahoma State	W	9-0
Alabama	L	3-6
South Carolina	W	6-3
Texas A&M	L	3-6
Texas	L	2-7
Lamar	W	6-3
Vanderbilt	W	8-1
Florida	L	3-6
Tennessee	L	4-5
Kentucky	W	7-2
Tulane	L	2-7

1974 (14-5)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Lamar	W	8-1
Texas A&M	L	3-6
Mississippi State	W	9-0
Texas	L	1-8
Michigan State	W	9-0
Ohio State	W	6-3
Oklahoma	W	7-2
Northwestern	W	9-0
Auburn	W	8-1
Florida	L	4-5
Kentucky	W	7-2
Tennessee	L	2-7
Ole Miss	W	7-2
Memphis State	W	7-2
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Alabama	W	5-4
Georgia	L	3-6
Georgia Tech	W	9-0
Tulane	W	9-0

1975 (11-8)

Coach: Steve Carter

Rice	W	8-1
Texas A&M	L	4-5
Trinity	L	1-8
Kansas	W	8-1
Iowa	W	6-3
Houston	L	2-7
Clemson	W	7-2
Florida State	L	2-7
Miami (Fla.)	L	1-8
Florida	L	2-7
Auburn	W	5-2
Tennessee	W	7-2
Kentucky	W	5-4
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Mississippi State	W	6-3
Alabama	L	3-6
Georgia	L	1-8
Tulane	W	6-3

1977 (22-2)

Coach: Steve Carter

SEC Runner-up

Rice	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	W	7-2
Lamar	W	8-1
Texas A&M	W	9-0
Texas	L	4-5
Memphis State	W	5-4

Oklahoma State	W	8-1
Missouri	W	8-1
Clemson	W	8-1
Principia	W	9-0
Michigan State	W	9-0
Southern Illinois	W	8-1
Florida	W	7-2
Jacksonville	W	9-0
Tennessee	W	6-3
South Florida	W	7-2
New Orleans	W	9-0
USL	W	9-0
Tulane	W	6-3
Ole Miss	W	8-1
Auburn	W	6-3
Mississippi State	W	7-2
Alabama	W	7-2
Georgia	L	4-5

1978 (20-3)

Coach: Steve Carter

NCAA Tournament - Final 16

Final Ranking: No.12

Texas A&M	W	9-0
Northeast La.	W	8-1
Trinity	L	1-8
Lamar	W	8-1
Tennessee	W	8-1
Jacksonville	W	8-1
Southern Illinois	W	7-2
Wisconsin	W	7-2
Mississippi State	W	7-2
Auburn	W	7-2
Illinois State	W	7-2
Minnesota	W	9-0
Clemson	L	4-5
Rice	W	7-2
Army	W	9-0
Alabama	W	7-2
Ole Miss	W	7-2
Vanderbilt	W	5-4
New Orleans	W	9-0
USL	W	8-1
Tulane	W	8-1
Georgia	W	5-4

NCAA First Round

Pepperdine	L	3-6
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1979 (16-7)

Coach: W.T. Robinson

Baylor	W	9-0
Clemson	L	4-5
Oklahoma State	L	3-6
Pan American	W	5-4
Arkansas	L	0-9
Southern Illinois	W	6-3
Rice	W	6-3
TCU	L	4-5
Central Michigan	W	9-0
Oklahoma	W	6-3
Houston	L	1-8
Lamar	W	8-1
Texas A&M	W	6-3
Wisconsin	W	5-1
Minnesota	W	5-1
Clemson	L	1-8
Trinity	L	0-9
Army	W	8-1
Memphis State	L	4-5
Georgia	L	4-5
Alabama	W	8-1
Auburn	W	5-4

Florida	L	2-7
USL	W	5-4
New Orleans	W	6-0
Tulane	W	7-2
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	W	5-4

1980 (14-10)

Coach: Steve Strome

Texas A&M	L	4-5
Lamar	W	7-2
Mississippi State	L	4-5
William & Mary	W	9-0
Central Michigan	W	8-1
Oklahoma	W	7-2
Middle Tennessee	W	8-1
Miami (Ohio)	W	8-1
Centenary	W	9-0
Georgia	L	1-8
Tennessee	L	4-5
Memphis State	L	3-6
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Rice	L	4-5
Houston	L	4-5
Tulane	W	8-1
Florida	W	8-1
USL	W	9-0
Alabama	L	3-6
Trinity	L	1-8
South Alabama	W	8-1
Auburn	L	4-5
Kentucky	W	5-4

1981 (15-11)

Coach: Steve Strome

Rice	L	4-5
Austin Peay	W	6-3
Lamar	W	7-2
New Mexico	W	9-0
Houston	L	1-8
Michigan	W	5-4
Pan American	W	6-3
Wichita State	L	1-5
Oklahoma State	L	2-7
Indiana State	W	8-1
Southern Illinois	W	7-2
Kansas	W	8-1
Miami (Ohio)	W	7-2
Wisconsin	W	9-0
Georgia	L	2-7
South Carolina	L	3-6
Centenary	W	7-2
South Alabama	W	5-4
Mississippi State	W	6-3
Alabama	L	2-7
Auburn	L	2-7
Florida	L	3-6
Ole Miss	L	4-5
Tulane	W	8-1
Tennessee	L	2-7
Kentucky	W	7-2

1982 (17-6)

Coach: Steve Strome

New Orleans	W	8-1
Florida State	W	7-2
Pepperdine	L	2-7
Oklahoma	L	4-5
Arizona State	W	6-3
Brigham Young	W	6-3
Butler	W	9-0
Pan American	W	5-4

Texas Tech	W	7-2
New Mexico State	W	6-2
Florida	W	5-4
Memphis State	W	7-2
Alabama	L	4-5
Mississippi State	W	7-2
Ole Miss	W	6-3
Vanderbilt	L	3-6
Tennessee	L	3-6
Georgia	L	2-7
South Alabama	W	5-4
Auburn	W	6-3
Lamar	W	8-1
Tulane	W	7-2
Kentucky	W	5-4

1983 (19-9)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

Tulsa	W	6-3
Arkansas	L	3-6
Clemson	L	2-7
North Texas	W	7-2
Southwest Texas State	W	5-1
Texas A&M	L	4-5
Houston	W	9-0
Oklahoma City	W	6-3
Minnesota	W	6-3
Texas	L	0-6
Texas A&M	L	2-5
Tulsa	L	4-5
Purdue	W	8-1
Richmond	W	8-1
Kentucky	W	5-4
Southeastern La.	W	8-1
Georgia	W	5-4
Alabama	W	7-2
Auburn	L	1-5
Florida	W	8-1
Tennessee	L	3-6
Rice	W	5-4
Vanderbilt	W	5-4
Florida State	W	6-3
New Orleans	W	6-0
New Orleans	W	9-0
Ole Miss	W	7-2
Trinity	L	1-8

1984 (19-10)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

NCAA Tournament

National Indoor Round of 16

Final Ranking: No.12

Auburn*	W	5-4
Georgia*	L	4-5
Pepperdine*	L	4-5
SMU	L	2-6
Texas	L	1-8
Southeastern La.	W	9-0
Texas A&M	W	7-2
Florida State	W	5-1
USC	L	1-8
UCLA	L	1-8
Tulane	W	9-0
New Orleans	W	9-0
New Orleans	W	6-0
Indiana	W	9-0
Alabama	W	6-3
West Texas State	W	5-1
Centenary	W	9-0
Ohio State	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Mississippi State	W	8-1

Pepperdine	L	4-5
Florida	W	6-3
Georgia	L	3-6
Kentucky	W	6-3
Ohio State	W	8-1
Auburn	L	1-8
Tennessee	W	6-2
Ole Miss	W	7-2

NCAA First Round

UCLA	L	0-6
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1986 (17-7)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

NCAA Tournament Final 16**National Indoor Round of 16****Final Ranking: No. 12**

Tulane	W	8-1
McNeese State	W	7-2
UCLA	L	2-7
Cal-Berkeley*	L	2-5
Minnesota*	L	3-5
Arkansas*	W	5-4
New Orleans	W	9-0
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Lamar	W	8-1
Arkansas	L	2-7
Oklahoma State	W	7-2
South Carolina	W	8-1
TCU	W	5-4
Florida	W	6-3
Pepperdine	L	3-6
Clemson	L	3-6
Auburn	W	6-3
Ole Miss	W	8-1
Alabama	W	5-4
New Orleans	W	6-0
Georgia	L	3-6
Tennessee	W	5-4
Kentucky	W	5-4
Mississippi State	W	9-0

NCAA First Round

SMU	L	2-5
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1987 (23-6)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

NCAA Final Eight**National Indoor Quarterfinalist****Final Ranking: No. 8**

Arizona	W	7-2
Minnesota	W	5-2
Oklahoma State	W	5-1
Lamar	W	9-0
Tulane	W	8-1
Pepperdine*	W	5-1
Georgia*	L	4-5
SMU*	W	5-1
SMU	L	2-7
Arizona State	W	6-3
Miami (Fla.)	W	7-2
Wake Forest	W	6-0
Arkansas	W	8-1
Southern Illinois	W	9-0
TCU	L	4-5
Kentucky	W	8-1
Mississippi State	W	8-1
Cal-Berkeley	W	5-4
Ole Miss	W	9-0
Florida	W	7-2
Auburn	W	6-3
Alabama	W	5-4
Georgia	L	2-7
Vanderbilt	W	8-1
Tennessee	W	6-3

South Carolina	L	3-6
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NCAA Second Round

Texas	W	5-2
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NCAA Quarterfinals

Southern Cal	L	3-5
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1988 (27-2)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

SEC Reg. Season Champions**National Indoor Runner-Up****NCAA Runner-up****Final Rank: No. 2**

Indiana	W	5-1
SMU	W	7-2
Clemson	W	7-2
Miami	W	9-0
Texas A&M	W	9-0
SMU	W	5-2
Cal-Berkeley*	W	5-3
Pepperdine*	W	5-1
Georgia*	W	6-2
USC*	L	3-5
Kansas	W	9-0
South Carolina	W	6-0
Alabama	W	8-1
South Florida	W	9-0
TCU	W	7-2
Cal-Berkeley	W	7-2
Florida	W	8-1
Mississippi State	W	7-2
Auburn	W	6-3
Texas El-Paso	W	5-1
Vanderbilt	W	9-0
Georgia	W	5-4
Kentucky	W	5-4
Tennessee	W	7-2
Ole Miss	W	5-1

NCAA Second Round

Cal-Berkeley	W	6-0
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NCAA Quarterfinals

Georgia	W	5-3
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NCAA Semifinals

Michigan	W	5-4
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NCAA Final

Stanford	L	2-5
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1989 (22-5)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

SEC Reg. Season Champions**National Indoor Quarterfinalist****NCAA Final Eight****Final Rank: No. 8**

South Alabama	W	9-0
Texas	W	6-3
Tulane	W	9-0
Southern Miss	W	6-0
USL	W	8-1
South Carolina*	L	3-5
Miami*	W	5-3
Pepperdine*	W	5-1
Baylor	W	8-1
Ole Miss	W	8-1
Texas A&M	W	7-0
Southern Illinois	W	8-0
Vanderbilt	W	7-2
Texas	W	5-1
Georgia	W	5-4
TCU	L	1-5
Miami	W	6-3
Alabama	W	6-3
Kentucky	W	5-4
South Carolina	W	5-4
Tennessee	L	4-5

Cal-Irvine	L	2-7
Mississippi State	W	8-1
Auburn	W	6-3
Florida	W	6-3

NCAA Second Round

Clemson	W	5-3
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NCAA Quarterfinals

Stanford	L	3-5
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1990 (13-9)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

NCAA Final 16**National Indoor Quarterfinalist****Final Rank: No. 16**

South Alabama	W	6-0
Texas	W	5-3
Tulane	W	9-0
Harvard*	W	5-3
Cal-Irvine*	L	4-5
Miami*	L	1-5
Texas	L	4-5
Southern Miss	W	6-0
South Carolina	W	5-2
TCU	L	4-5
Mississippi State	W	5-1
Alabama	L	4-5
Kentucky	W	5-2
Auburn	W	5-2
Ole Miss	W	5-4
Vanderbilt	W	8-1
Tennessee	L	1-5
Georgia	L	3-5
Florida	W	5-1

SEC Tournament

Florida	W	6-0
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Georgia	L	2-5
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NCAA First Round

California	L	3-5
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1991 (19-6)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

SEC Runner-up**National Indoor Quarterfinalist****NCAA Final Eight****Final Rank: No. 6**

Tulane	W	9-0
Baylor	W	9-0
Oklahoma St.	W	9-0
Florida	L	2-7
Southern Miss	W	6-0
California*	W	5-4
Southern Cal*	L	1-5
Miami*	W	5-2
Texas	W	5-3
Mississippi St.	W	5-3
Texas	W	5-4
TCU	L	2-5
Texas-San Antonio	W	5-1
South Carolina	W	5-2
Kentucky	L	3-5
Alabama	W	5-1
Georgia	W	5-3
Ole Miss	W	5-2
Tennessee	W	5-2
Auburn	W	5-2
Vanderbilt	W	9-0

SEC Tournament

Ole Miss	W	5-3
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Mississippi St.	L	3-5
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NCAA Second Round

TCU	W	5-3
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NCAA Quarterfinals

California	L	2-5
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1992 (17-7)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

SEC Reg. Season Champions**SEC Tournament Runner-Up****National Indoor Quarterfinalist****NCAA Final Eight****Final Rank: No. 10**

Tulane	W	8-0
Vanderbilt	W	6-1
Southern Miss	W	9-0
Baylor	W	9-0
South Alabama	W	9-0
California*	W	5-1
Notre Dame*	L	1-4
UCLA*	L	2-4
Mississippi State	L	4-5
South Carolina	W	6-0
TCU	L	4-5
Florida	W	5-4
Arkansas	W	6-0
Alabama	W	8-1
Auburn	W	8-1
Ole Miss	W	6-0
Kentucky	L	1-5
Georgia	W	5-1
Tennessee	W	7-2

SEC Tournament*

Florida*	W	5-2
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Georgia*	W	5-1
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Kentucky*	L	2-5
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NCAA Second Round

Pepperdine	W	5-2
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NCAA Quarterfinals

Stanford	L	2-5
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1993 (16-6)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

NCAA Final Eight**National Indoor Quarterfinalist****Final Rank: No. 8**

Lamar	W	7-0
Centenary	W	7-0
Southern Miss	W	7-0
Colorado*	W	7-0
Stanford*	W	4-3
North Carolina*	L	3-4
Mississippi State	W	4-3
TCU	L	3-4
Vanderbilt	W	7-0
Ole Miss	W	5-0
South Carolina	W	4-2
Auburn	W	5-2
Georgia	L	3-4
Notre Dame	W	5-2
Mississippi State	L	2-5
Alabama	W	6-1
Kentucky	W	5-1
Arkansas	W	4-0
Tennessee	W	6-1
Florida	W	6-0

SEC Tournament

Tennessee	L	3-4
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NCAA Second Round

Duke	L	2-5
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YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

1994 (10-13)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

National Indoor Round of 16

Tulane	W	7-0
West Florida	W	7-0
Lamar	W	7-0
Centenary	W	5-2
Southern Miss	W	6-1
Duke *	L	2-5
Southern Cal *	L	1-5
Harvard *	L	2-5
TCU	L	2-5
Ole Miss	L	0-4
Alabama	L	1-6
Mississippi State	L	3-4
South Carolina	W	4-2
Notre Dame	W	5-2
Vanderbilt	L	2-4
Arkansas	W	4-1
Auburn	L	3-4
Florida	L	1-6
Georgia	L	2-5
Tennessee	W	5-2
Kentucky	L	3-4

SEC Tournament

South Carolina	W	4-2
Florida	L	3-4

1995 (19-4)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

SEC Runner-up

Final Rank: No. 8

New Orleans	W	7-0
Southern	W	7-0
West Florida	W	6-0
Centenary	W	7-0
SE Louisiana	W	6-0
Texas Tech	W	7-0
Tulane	W	7-0
Florida	W	5-2
South Carolina	W	6-1
Ole Miss	W	5-2
Auburn	L	3-4
Georgia	L	2-5
Kentucky	W	5-2
Vanderbilt	W	6-1
Mississippi State	W	4-3
Tennessee	W	5-1
Arkansas	W	6-1
Alabama	W	5-1

SEC Championship

Auburn	W	4-1
Mississippi State	W	4-3
Georgia	L	0-4

NCAA First Round

TCU	L	4-0
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1996 (21-5)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

NCAA Final 16

NCAA Region III Champions

Final Rank: No.14

Notre Dame	W	4-2
New Orleans	W	7-0
West Florida	W	7-0
Southern	W	7-0
SE Louisiana	W	7-0
Southern Miss	W	7-0
Ole Miss	L	2-4
Alabama	W	6-1
Centenary	W	7-0
Texas-Pan American	W	7-0
Texas-Arlington	W	7-0

South Carolina	W	7-0
Arkansas	W	5-2
Florida	L	3-4
Mississippi State	W	5-2
Auburn	W	5-2
Vanderbilt	W	4-1
Tennessee	W	5-2
Kentucky	W	4-3
Georgia	L	4-0

SEC Tournament

Auburn	W	4-1
Georgia	L	1-4

NCAA Region III Championships

Kentucky	W	4-1
Alabama-Birmingham	W	4-2
Auburn	W	4-3

NCAA First Round

TCU	L	4-3
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1997 (17-7)

Coach: Jerry Simmons

NCAA Final 16

National Indoor Round of 16

Final Rank: No. 9

Centenary	W	7-0
Southern	W	7-0
New Orleans	W	7-0
Southeastern La.	W	7-0
West Florida	W	6-1
Vanderbilt	W	6-1
Pepperdine*	L	3-4
Stanford*	L	1-6
Columbia*	W	4-1
Florida	W	4-3
Southern Miss	W	6-1
South Carolina	W	5-1
Alabama	W	4-3
Ole Miss	W	6-1
Mississippi State	L	1-6
Tennessee	W	7-0
Arkansas	W	6-0
Kentucky	W	4-1
Auburn	L	3-4
Georgia	L	2-4

SEC Championship

Kentucky	W	4-0
Georgia	L	2-4
Miami (Fla.)	W	4-2

NCAA First Round

Duke	L	1-4
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2000 (20-6)

Coach Jeff Brown

NCAA Final 16

National Rank: No.12

Southern	W	6-0
Centenary	W	7-0
New Orleans	W	6-1
Southern Cal	W	4-3
Tennessee	L	4-3
Indiana State	W	4-3
Southern Miss	W	5-2
Mississippi State	W	5-2
South Alabama	W	7-0
Florida	L	4-2
Texas A&M	W	5-2
Vanderbilt	W	6-1
Alabama	W	7-0
Tulane	W	7-0
South Carolina	W	7-0
Ole Miss	W	6-1
Arkansas	W	5-2
SMU	W	5-2

Tennessee	L	5-2
Auburn	W	4-3
Kentucky	W	5-2
Georgia	L	6-0

SEC Tournament

Georgia	L	4-1
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NCAA Regional

Alcorn State	W	4-0
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Clemson	W	4-0
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NCAA First Round

Illinois	L	4-3
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2001 (16-8)

Coach: Jeff Brown

NCAA Final 16

National Rank: No.13

Southern	W	7-0
Centenary	W	7-0
Southeastern La.	W	7-0
UL-Monroe	W	7-0
Texas A&M	L	4-3
UL-Lafayette	W	7-0
Mississippi State	L	5-2
Southern Miss	W	6-1
Vanderbilt	W	6-1
Arkansas	W	4-3
Kentucky	W	4-3
Georgia	L	4-3
Texas-Arlington	W	7-0
Auburn	L	4-3
Florida	W	4-3
South Carolina	L	4-2
Southern Methodist	L	4-2
Alabama	W	5-2
Mississippi	W	4-3

SEC Tournament

Alabama	L	4-3
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NCAA Regional

Marist	W	4-0
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Texas	W	4-2
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NCAA First Round

Texas A&M	L	4-1
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2002 (11-14)

Coach: Jeff Brown

NCAA Second Round

National Rank: No.29

Centenary	W	7-0
Southern	W	6-0
New Mexico	W	5-2
Illinois	L	5-2
Alabama	L	4-1
Auburn	L	4-1
Texas A&M	L	4-2
South Carolina	L	5-2
Florida	L	4-3
Tennessee	L	5-2
Georgia	L	4-0
Southern Miss	W	6-1
South Florida	W	5-2
Vanderbilt	L	4-3
Kentucky	L	4-2
Southern Methodist	L	4-3
Mississippi State	W	5-2
Ole Miss	L	4-3
Arkansas	W	4-3
Louisiana-Monroe	W	7-0
Southern	W	5-0

SEC Tournament

Alabama	W	4-2
Auburn	L	4-0

NCAA Regional

Texas Christian	W	4-0
Texas A&M	L	4-0



All-American Ajay Ramaswami

ALL-TIME RECORDS

Opponent	W	L	T	Pct.	Last Meeting
ALABAMA	33	20	1	.626	2002
Alabama-Birmingham	1	0	0	1.000	1996
Alcorn State	2	0	0	1.000	2000
ARKANSAS	14	3	0	.824	2002
Arizona	1	0	0	1.000	1987
Arizona State	2	0	0	1.000	1987
AUBURN	26	9	0	.743	2002
Austin Peay	1	0	0	1.000	1981
Baton Rouge Tennis Club	2	1	0	.667	1955
Baylor	6	0	1	.857	1992
Birmingham Southern	1	1	0	.500	1948
Brigham Young	1	0	0	1.000	1982
Butler	1	0	0	1.000	1982
California	6	3	0	.667	1992
Cal-Irvine	0	2	0	.000	1990
CENTENARY	14	0	0	1.000	2002
Central Michigan	2	0	0	1.000	1980
Cincinnati	1	0	0	1.000	1954
Clemson	6	6	0	.500	2000
Colorado	2	0	0	1.000	1993
Cornell College	1	0	0	1.000	1949
Corpus Christi	0	1	0	.000	1966
Denver	1	0	0	1.000	1953
Duke	3	2	0	.600	1999
Eastern Michigan	1	0	0	1.000	1976
Emory	1	0	0	1.000	1940
FLORIDA	23	19	1	.553	2002
Florida State	8	5	0	.615	1984
Fresno State	1	0	0	1.000	1999
Furman	2	1	0	.667	1971
GEORGIA	18	35	0	.340	2002
Georgia Tech	13	9	1	.587	1976
Gulfport Navy	0	2	0	.000	1946
Gustavus Adolphus	1	0	0	1.000	1936
Harvard	2	1	0	.667	1994
Houston	7	18	3	.304	1983
Howard	0	1	0	.000	1948
ILLINOIS	4	2	0	.667	2002
Illinois State	1	0	0	1.000	1978
Indiana	2	3	0	.400	1999
Indiana State	2	0	0	1.000	2000
Iowa	2	0	0	1.000	1976
Jacksonville	3	0	0	1.000	1978
Jacksonville State	1	0	0	1.000	1952
Kalamazoo	0	1	0	.000	1963
Kansas	5	0	0	1.000	1988
KENTUCKY	27	7	0	.794	2002
Lake Charles AFB	2	0	0	1.000	1953
Lamar	21	9	0	.700	1994
Louisiana-Lafayette	12	0	0	1.000	2001
Louisiana-Monroe	3	0	0	1.000	2002
Louisiana College	9	2	0	.818	1985
Louisiana Tech	1	0	0	1.000	1933
Loyola (New Orleans)	12	3	0	.800	1955
Marist	1	0	0	1.000	2001
McNeese State	1	0	0	1.000	1986
Memphis State	5	3	0	.625	1982
Miami (Fla.)	8	6	0	.571	1998
Miami (Ohio)	2	0	0	1.000	1981
Michigan	2	0	0	1.000	1988
Michigan State	5	0	0	1.000	1999
Middle Tennessee State	1	0	0	1.000	1980
Millsaps	1	0	0	1.000	1930
Minnesota	5	2	0	.714	1987
MISSISSIPPI	42	6	0	.875	2002
MISSISSIPPI STATE	36	14	1	.723	2002
Missouri	2	0	0	1.000	1977

Opponent	W	L	T	Pct.	Last Meeting
Murray State	1	1	0	.500	1965
New Mexico	2	0	0	1.000	2002
New Mexico State	1	0	0	1.000	1982
New Orleans	19	0	0	1.000	2000
North Carolina	0	2	0	.000	1993
North Texas	1	0	0	1.000	1983
Northern Illinois	1	0	0	1.000	1969
Northwestern	4	4	0	.500	1974
Northwestern State	7	0	0	1.000	1952
Notre Dame	4	1	0	.833	1996
Ohio State	4	0	0	1.000	1984
Oklahoma	5	1	0	.833	1982
Oklahoma City	1	0	0	1.000	1983
Oklahoma State	5	3	0	.625	1991
Pensacola Navy	3	5	0	.375	1958
Pepperdine	4	7	0	.364	1992
Presbyterian	0	2	0	.000	1971
Principia	1	0	0	1.000	1977
Purdue	2	0	0	1.000	1985
Rice	7	15	2	.333	1983
Richmond	1	0	0	1.000	1983
St. Edward's	2	0	0	1.000	1965
Sewanee	0	1	0	.000	1949
South Alabama	6	0	0	1.000	1992
SOUTH CAROLINA	17	5	0	.733	2002
South Florida	5	0	0	1.000	2002
SOUTHERN	9	0	0	1.000	2002
Southern California	2	7	0	.222	2000
Southern Illinois	8	1	0	.889	1989
SOUTHERN METHODIST	5	7	0	.417	2002
SOUTHERN MISS.	18	0	0	1.000	2002
SE LOUISIANA	8	0	0	1.000	1999
Southwest Texas State	1	0	0	1.000	1983
Southwestern Tennessee	2	0	0	1.000	1967
Spring Hill	1	0	0	1.000	1938
Stanford	1	5	0	.167	1998
Stephen F. Austin	1	0	0	1.000	1985
TENNESSEE	25	20	1	.560	2002
TEXAS	8	16	1	.333	2001
TEXAS A&M	13	19	0	.406	2002
Texas-Arlington	2	0	0	1.000	1996
Texas Christian	5	10	0	.333	2002
Texas El-Paso	1	0	0	1.000	1988
Texas-Pan American	4	0	0	1.000	1996
TEXAS-SAN ANTONIO	1	0	0	1.000	1991
Texas Tech	2	0	0	1.000	1995
Trinity	0	6	0	.000	1983
Tulane	24	44	2	.375	2000
TULSA	2	1	0	.667	1985
UCLA	0	5	0	.000	1999
VANDERBILT	37	13	1	.743	2002
Wake Forest	1	0	0	1.000	1987
West Florida	4	0	0	1.000	1997
West State College	1	0	0	1.000	1938
West Texas State	1	0	0	1.000	1984
Wichita State	0	1	0	.000	1981
William & Mary	2	0	0	1.000	1980
Wisconsin	3	0	0	1.000	1981
Others	4	4	0	.500	--
TOTALS	723	407	15	.642	

2003 Opponents in BOLD CAPS



Campus Life



Student Recreational Sports Complex

The Student Recreational Sports Complex houses the administrative offices of the Division of Recreational Sports. This 112,000 square-foot, \$8.4 million facility, which was completed in August 1992, provides students and the University community with a comprehensive and innovative sports facility that includes:

- 25-yard eight-lane indoor swimming pool with sun deck
- Five basketball courts
- Five volleyball courts
- Nine badminton courts
- Twelve handball/racquetball courts
- Two squash racquet courts
- Three weight rooms
- One combination exercise/weight room with aerobic equipment
- 1/8 mile indoor three-lane jogging track
- One rehabilitation room with two whirlpools
- Locker rooms for men and women
- Saunas for men and women
- Aerobic exercise area with treadmills, bicycles ergometers, rowing machines, stairsteppers, etc.
- Emergency care/first aid room
- Three meeting/classrooms



LSU's Student Union



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LIVING ON CAMPUS

LSU has 18 residence halls with architectural styles ranging from a Renaissance style typical of the older core of the campus to modern high-rise buildings. One of the newest additions is the highly popular East Campus Apartments, a co-ed dormitory that includes furnished rooms with connecting suites and e-mail workstations in the lobby, all within a short walk from the dining hall.



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FALL FEST, is the university's official "Welcome" for new students, staff, and faculty. More than 25,000 students, faculty, and staff come together in the LSU Quadrangle making it one of the newest and most anticipated traditions.

CAMPUS LIFE



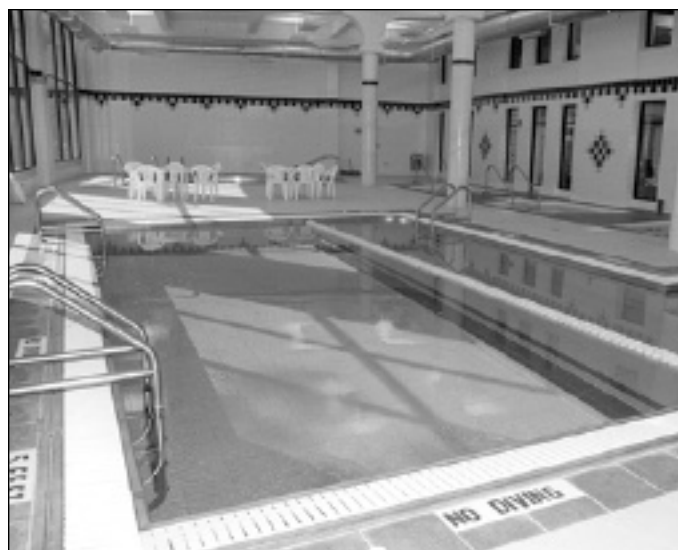
Athletic Training

DR. MARTIN J. BROUSSARD CENTER FOR ATHLETIC TRAINING



LSU boasts the largest and most complete athletic training facility in all of collegiate athletics.

Focused on aggressive rehabilitation, the Broussard Center for Athletic Training is furnished with the latest in technology and equipment. Some of the features of the 23,000-square foot facility include an on-site x-ray room, an in-house pharmacy, as well as state of the art hydrotherapy pools. The Broussard Center for Athletic Training is equipped with the largest hydrotherapy pools in both collegiate and professional sports and is one of the few collegiate training centers with a full-service pharmacy, as well as on-site x-ray room. LSU is also the only school in college athletics with a training room equipped with a full-service vision center. The facility is named in honor of legendary trainer Dr. Martin J. Broussard, who served as LSU's athletic trainer for over four decades.





Strength & Conditioning



The LSU strength and conditioning facility was built in 1997 and features the latest in both strength training and cardiovascular training equipment. Measuring 10,000-square feet, LSU has one of the finest strength and conditioning facilities in the nation.

LSU strength and conditioning team took a new direction in 2000 under strength coach Tommy Moffitt. Moffitt, who was named the 1999 Collegiate Football Strength and Conditioning Coach of the Year by the Professional

Football Strength and conditioning Coaches Society, is in charge of the LSU strength and conditioning facility, located in Tiger Stadium. LSU also hired Scott Gadeken to work solely with the Lady Tigers basketball program.

Strength and conditioning can be the heart and soul of an athletic program's success, and LSU has taken great strides to improve its strength program and facilities. soul of an athletic program's success, and LSU has taken great strides to improve its strength program and facilities.



The State of Louisiana

Louisiana, one of America's most culturally and geographically diverse states, is located in the heart of the Deep South. Adjacent to the Gulf of Mexico and dotted with hundreds of lakes and bayous, Louisiana is home to all types of terrain from swamps and marshes to lush forests and gentle hills. The state is known for its charm and

friendly people, and still maintains the stately antebellum plantations and majestic oaks of its early days. The atmosphere is elegant, yet relaxed and casual. Dubbed the "Sportsman's Paradise," Louisiana offers some of the finest hunting, fishing and boating opportunities in the country.



LOUISIANA FACTS

Nickname:The Pelican State
 Admitted to Union: April 30, 1812
 State Colors:Gold, white and blue
 State Bird:Brown Pelican
 State Dog:Catahoula Leopard Dog
 State Tree:Bald Cypress
 State Flower:Magnolia
 Climate:Subtropical



Situated on the banks of the mighty Mississippi River, the New Orleans skyline is one of the most recognizable in America. The city is a thriving metropolitan area that still maintains the traditional charm of a time long gone.

The French Quarter of New Orleans joins progressive technology with traditional Southern charm. Take a carriage ride through the heart of New Orleans and discover that even today it still maintains many of its traditional European roots.



Louisiana Lagniappe

Atchafalaya: \a-chaff-a-LIE-a\ n. Louisiana's famed undeveloped wetland.

Beignet: \ben-YAY\ n. A tasty French doughnut without the hole.

Boudin: \BOO-dan\ n. Hot, spicy pork mixed with onions, cooked rice and herbs and stuffed in sausage casing.

Etouffee: \ay-too-FAY\ n. Crawfish or shrimp in a delightfully spicy red sauce.

Gumbo: \GUM-boe\ n. A delicacy of South Louisiana. A thick, robust soup with thousands of variations, only a few of which are Shrimp Gumbo, Chicken Gumbo, and File' Gumbo.

Krewe: \crew\ n. An organization that puts on Mardi Gras balls and parades.

Lagniappe: \LAHN-yap\ n. A little something extra.

Po-Boy: - n. A sandwich extravaganza of either shrimp, oyster, roast beef, etc., that's served on a crispy-crusted loaf bread called French Bread.

Vieux Carre': \vyuh-kah-RAY\ n. The French name for the French Quarter meaning "Old Square."



Millions of visitors from around the world come to New Orleans each year to participate in Mardi Gras, a two-week party that includes more than 60 parades.

- Oak Alley Plantation, built in 1839, is situated between New Orleans and Baton Rouge. The site of many movies, the quarter-mile canopy of giant live oak trees, believed to be 300 years old, is a spectacular site.
- Foods like boiled crawfish, jambalaya, shrimp etouffee, and gumbo make the cajun and creole cuisine of Louisiana the envy of the nation.
- Last year, an estimated 23.7 million U.S. resident visitors came to Louisiana.
- Louisiana is home to Mardi Gras, New Orleans Jazz, Creole culture, stately riverboats and some of the finest cuisine in the world.

LOUISIANA

Director of Athletics, Skip Bertman



J. Stanley "Skip" Bertman was named LSU's athletics director on January 19, 2001, succeeding Joe Dean, who finished his 14-year term as A.D. on Dec. 31, 2000. Bertman, who completed a brilliant 18-year career this June as LSU's head baseball coach, served both as athletics director and head coach during the 2001 baseball season before assuming the full-time role as A.D. in August.

With Bertman, LSU gains an athletics director who can provide the leadership and experience necessary to manage the Tigers' nearly \$35 million athletic budget. He is one of the most respected people in the Baton Rouge community and throughout the state of Louisiana. His talent as a fund-raiser and businessman, as well as a public relations mastermind, developed the LSU baseball program into the best in the nation.

One only has to look at what Bertman has accomplished with the Tiger baseball program over the last 18 years to see he brings all the tools necessary to direct LSU's 20-sport athletic department.

Bertman guided LSU to five NCAA titles, including back-to-back championships in 1996 and 1997. His teams drew huge crowds to venerable Alex Box Stadium, as LSU led the nation in attendance in each of his final six seasons (1996-2001). Bertman's unyielding desire to succeed drove him to the pinnacle of his profession, and his astute knowledge of the game -- obtained from over 40 years of coaching -- combined with his steadfast determination and irrepressible enthusiasm transformed LSU Baseball into the nation's premier program.

Those same characteristics will carry over to the athletics director's chair, where Bertman has inherited a program considered to be one of the best in the country.

Bertman, 63, guided the baseball Tigers to a 870-330-3 (.724) record in his 18-year tenure, including the 1991, 1993, 1996, 1997 and 2000 NCAA titles, 11 College World Series appearances and Southeastern Conference championships in 1986, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1996 and 1997. He was named National Coach of the Year on six occasions -- 2000, 1997, 1996, 1993, 1991 and 1986, and he served as head coach of the 1996 U.S. Olympic team which captured the bronze medal in Atlanta.

In a Baseball America poll released in January, 1999, Bertman was voted the second greatest college baseball coach of the 20th century, trailing only Rod Dedeaux of Southern California. LSU was voted No. 3 in a poll of the greatest college baseball programs of the century.

LSU is one of only three schools to win five NCAA championships, and the Tigers are one of only 10 teams to have made 11 College World Series appearances. Bertman and Dedeaux are the only coaches to win five CWS titles, and LSU (1990s) and Southern California (1970s) are the only schools to win four championships in one decade.

Bertman mastered the art of winning big games throughout his career, guiding the Tigers to a 21-4 record in championship games in NCAA post-season play. That mark includes all NCAA Regional, NCAA Super Regional and College World Series championship contests. Bertman also directed LSU to the highest all-time NCAA Tournament winning percentage with a 89-29 (.754) record.

Bertman led LSU to its fifth national title in 2000, as the Tigers recorded a 52-17 mark, including a perfect 13-0 post-season record. LSU won the SEC Tournament with four straight wins, and the Tigers raced to a 9-0 mark in the NCAA Tournament. The Tigers captured the national title with a thrilling 6-5 win over Stanford in the CWS championship game, as LSU scored four runs in the last two innings to overcome a 5-2 deficit. Catcher Brad Cresse's RBI single in the bottom of the ninth inning drove home shortstop Ryan Theriot with the winning run. LSU became only the third school in NCAA baseball history to win five national championships, joining Southern California and Arizona State.

The Tigers took their first crucial step toward college baseball prominence in 1983 when Bertman was hired to pump new blood into the program. He had previously earned stellar recognition as one of the nation's brightest assistant coaches while at the University of Miami (Fla.) for eight seasons (1976-83).

Bertman was known as the "best assistant coach in college baseball" while a member of Ron Fraser's staff at Miami, and he brought to LSU the same brand of exciting, winning baseball he helped install at UM.

Even before working at Miami, Bertman was renowned for his coaching excellence. In 11 seasons at Miami Beach High School, he directed the Hi-Tides to a state championship and two runners-up finishes. He was named Florida's Coach of the Year on three occasions.

Bertman left Miami Beach High School in 1974 to author the book, *Coaching Youth League Baseball*, funding the project out of his own resources. The book has become required reading for youth league coaches around the nation and in many foreign countries.

In 1975, Bertman went back to coaching at Miami-Dade Downtown, leaving after one season to join Fraser at Miami. The move was a homecoming of sorts, as Bertman spent his collegiate playing days with the Hurricanes as an outfielder and catcher from 1958-60. He earned his B.A. in health and physical education from Miami in 1961 and received his master's degree from UM in 1964.

Bertman and his wife Sandy are the parents of four daughters -- Jan, Jodi, Lisa and Lori. The Bertmans have two grandchildren -- Sophie Faith and Isaac Stanley, the children of Emile and Lori Bertman Guirard.

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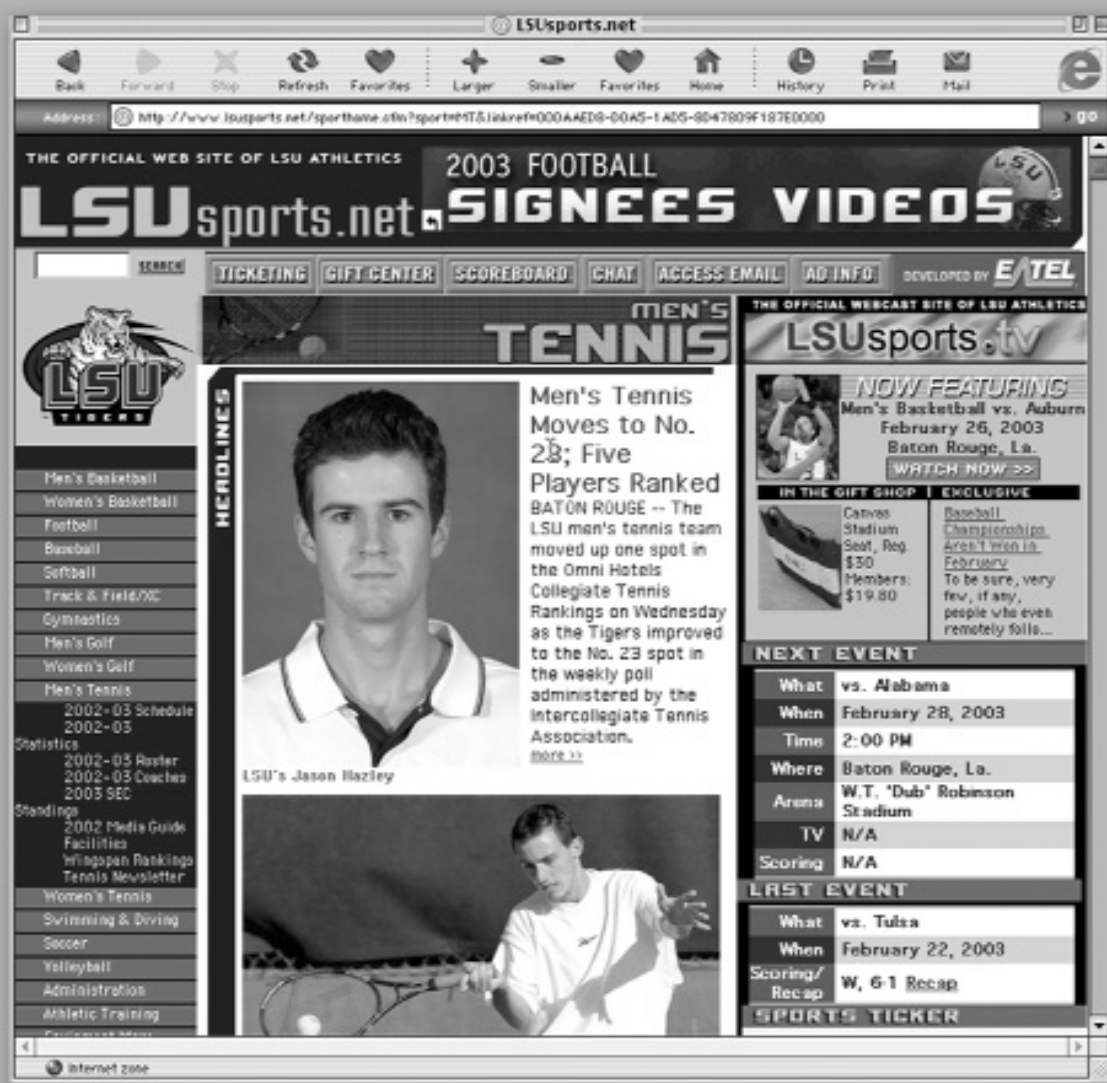
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