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## 2015 SOCCER

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### THIS WEEK IN THE SEC

All Times Eastern

#### Friday, August 21

Auburn at UC Irvine		3:00 p.m.
Florida at UCF		7:00 p.m.
Georgia at High Point		7:00 p.m.
Ole Miss at Florida Gulf Coast		7:00 p.m.
Northeastern at South Carolina	SECN+	7:00 p.m.
Lipscomb at Tennessee	SECN+	7:00 p.m.
Washington at Kentucky	SECN+	7:30 p.m.
TCU at Missouri	SECN+	7:30 p.m.
Alabama at Memphis	SECN+	8:00 p.m.
Stephen F. Austin at Arkansas	SECN+	8:00 p.m.
South Alabama at Mississippi State	SECN+	8:00 p.m.
Texas A&M at Rice		8:00 p.m.
Miami (OH) at Vanderbilt	SECN+	8:00 p.m.
LSU at Oregon	Pac-12 Network	10:00 p.m.

#### Sunday, August 23

Florida at Ohio State		Noon
Boise State at Ole Miss	SECN+	1:00 p.m.
Georgia Southern at Tennessee	SECN+	1:00 p.m.
Vanderbilt at Cincinnati		1:00 p.m.
Auburn at Long Beach State		2:00 p.m.
Murray State at Mississippi State	SECN+	2:00 p.m.
SMU at Missouri	SECN+	2:00 p.m.
TCU at Arkansas	SECN+	7:00 p.m.
Georgia at Wake Forest		1:00 p.m.
San Diego State at Kentucky	SECN+	7:00 p.m.
Oklahoma at South Carolina	SECN+	7:00 p.m.
Northwestern State at Texas A&M	SECN+	7:00 p.m.
Troy at Alabama		8:00 p.m.

#### Tuesday, August 25

Northwestern State at LSU		8:00 p.m.
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#### Thursday, August 27

Florida at Miami (FL)		7:00 p.m.
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#### Friday, August 28

Mississippi State at Florida Gulf Coast		2:30 p.m.
Tennessee at Liberty		3:00 p.m.
Missouri at Indiana		4:00 p.m.
UNC Greensboro at Kentucky	SECN+	5:00 p.m.
South Carolina at Clemson		5:00 p.m.
Arkansas at Yale		7:00 p.m.
Wake Forest at Alabama	SECN+	8:00 p.m.
UAB at Auburn	SECN+	8:00 p.m.
Georgia at Texas Tech		8:00 p.m.
Louisiana-Lafayette at Ole Miss	SECN+	8:00 p.m.
Vanderbilt at Gonzaga		8:00 p.m.
Western Kentucky at LSU		8:30 p.m.
UC Irvine at Texas A&M	SECN+	8:30 p.m.

#### Sunday, August 30

Mississippi State at South Florida		10:30 a.m.
Florida State at Florida	SEC Network	1:00 p.m.
Furman at Auburn	SECN+	2:00 p.m.
Georgia at Oklahoma State		2:00 p.m.
Minnesota at LSU		2:00 p.m.
Austin Peay at Ole Miss	SECN+	2:00 p.m.
Missouri at Purdue		2:00 p.m.
Vanderbilt at Seattle		3:00 p.m.
Tennessee at Virginia Tech		5:00 p.m.
Arkansas at Penn State		6:00 p.m.
Toledo at Kentucky	SECN+	6:00 p.m.
Coastal Carolina at South Carolina	SECN+	6:00 p.m.
Florida Atlantic at Texas A&M	SECN+	7:00 p.m.
Alabama at Tennessee Tech		8:00 p.m.

	Conference				Overall					
	W-L-T	Pts	Home	Away	W-L-T	Pct.	Home	Away	Neutral	Str
Alabama	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Arkansas	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Auburn	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Florida	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Georgia	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Kentucky	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
LSU	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Ole Miss	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Mississippi State	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Missouri	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
South Carolina	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Tennessee	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Texas A&M	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0
Vanderbilt	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	.000	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0

• SEC women's soccer is beginning its 23rd season deeply rooted in the national scene of collegiate soccer. Since the SEC initiated women's soccer as a varsity sport in 1993, the sport's popularity has grown through the country and especially in the Southeast.

• Florida was predicted to win to the 2015 Southeastern Conference women's soccer title in voting by the league's 14 head coaches. This marks the 17th time that the Gators have been tabbed by the coaches to win the title. The Gators received 167 points that included 11 first-place votes, topping Texas A&M's 149 points (two first-place votes). Kentucky received one first place vote.

• Fifty-two players were named to the Preseason SEC Watch List. Check page two of this release for a complete listing of the Preseason Watch List.

• Seven SEC teams were mentioned in the NSCAA preseason poll, including three in the top 11. Texas A&M enters the season ranked fifth nationally while Florida was tabbed eighth, South Carolina 11th and Kentucky 16th. Auburn, Missouri and Tennessee were listed among those receiving votes.

• Four SEC students were among the 28 women named to the MAC Hermann Trophy Watch Lists. Mikaela Harvey (Texas A&M), Savannah Jordan (Florida), Christen Westphal (Florida) and Hannah Wilkinson (Tennessee) were listed on the preseason watch list for the most prestigious individual award in college soccer presented annually.

• Fourteen players that earned All-SEC honors last year return for the 2015 campaign. Included in that group are first team selections Simone Charley (Vanderbilt), Savannah Jordan (Florida) and Christen Westphal (Florida).

• Twenty-one regular season matches will be televised to a national television audience this year. SEC Network will broadcast 17 matches while ESPN will show four. Additionally, more than 100

matches will be shown digitally on SEC Network +.

• The SEC Network will broadcast each of the first three rounds of the SEC Tournament while ESPN will show the championship game.

• The SEC led all conferences with three teams (Florida, South Carolina and Texas A&M) in the 2014 NCAA Quarterfinals. The ACC and Pac-12 each had two and the Big Ten has one team.

• A record-tying eight Southeastern Conference soccer teams were among the 64 competing for the 2014 NCAA Division I Women's Soccer Championship. It ties the league record set in 2011 and marks the seventh time in the last eight seasons that at least six SEC teams have received postseason bids.

• Four SEC teams received national seeds with Texas A&M earning a No. 1 seed, Florida a No. 2 seed and Kentucky and South Carolina earning No. 3 seeds. Joining them in the field were Arkansas, Auburn, Georgia and Missouri.

• Seven of the eight teams participating in postseason play advanced to at least the second round.

• Texas A&M's 9-1-1 league record earned the Aggies the 2014 SEC Championship. It was the second straight regular season title for Texas A&M, who shared the 2013 crown with Florida.

• In 2014, SEC teams posted a 70-31-8 (.678) record in non-conference action. They out scored their non-conference opponents 232-109.

• Twelve SEC soccer players earned Capital One Academic All-District honors in 2014

• 12 SEC teams received the NSCAA Women's Team Academic Award in 2014.

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### SEC Network

On August 14, 2014 SEC Network launched in 62 million homes nationwide. On that day, SEC Network became the most successful new channel launch in cable history and it hasn't stopped going since. Currently boasting 70 million subscribers, the network produced 1,500 events surrounded by 1,400 hours of original programming in its debut year.

- Thursday Night Game Of The Week package features soccer teams each week on SEC Network beginning Thursday, September 10.
- 17 regular season games are scheduled to be televised on SEC Network.
- Four regular season games are scheduled to be televised by ESPN.
- The entire SEC Tournament will be televised to a national audience. The first three rounds of the tournament will be televised by SEC Network and the championship game will be on ESPN.
- SEC Network + will make many more games available to SEC soccer fans. SEC Network + provides additional digital only events to fans through the WatchESPN app on smartphones, computers, and tablets, Amazon Fire TV and Fire TV Stick, Apple TV, Chromecast, Roku, Xbox 360 and Xbox One.

### Preseason Poll

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Florida returns six starters, including 2015 MAC Hermann Trophy candidates – junior forward Savannah Jordan and senior defender Christen Westphal, from the 2014 team that advanced to the NCAA Quarterfinal Round.

Points were compiled on a 13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis, though each coach was not allowed to vote for their own team.

### Preseason Coaches' Poll (First-Place Votes in Parentheses)

Team	Points
Florida (11)	167
Texas A&M (2)	149
Kentucky (1)	140
South Carolina	134
Tennessee	117
Missouri	110
Auburn	103
Arkansas	80
Georgia	71
Ole Miss	64
LSU	49
Alabama	38
Vanderbilt	34
Mississippi State	18

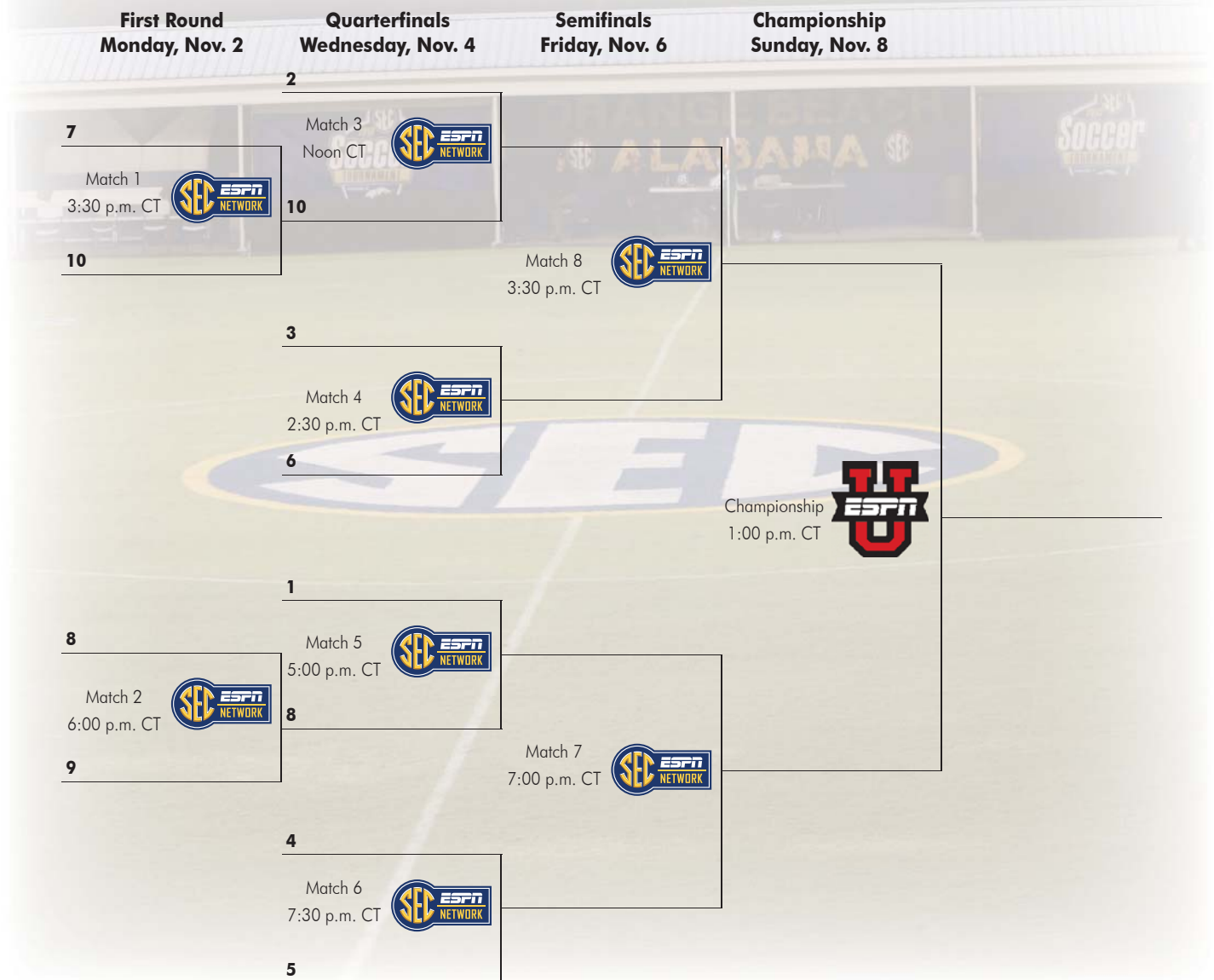
### Preseason SEC Watch List

<b>Alabama</b>	<b>Ole Miss</b>
Emily Rusk – Goalkeeper	Bethany Bunker – Forward
Abby Lutzenkirchen – Defender	Jessica Hiskey – Defender
Auburn Mercer – Defender	Samantha Sanders – Defender
Celia Jimenez – Defender	
Lacy Clarida – Forward	<b>Mississippi State</b>
	Shelby Jordan – Defender
	Mallory Eubanks – Forward
<b>Arkansas</b>	<b>Missouri</b>
Lindsey Mayo – Midfielder	Candace Johnson – Defender
Ashleigh Ellenwood – Forward	Reagan Russell – Midfielder
Alexandra Fischer – Forward	Melanie Donaldson – Midfielder
Claire Kelley – Midfielder	Kaitlyn Clark – Midfielder
<b>Auburn</b>	<b>South Carolina</b>
Casie Ramsier – Forward	Chelsea Drennan – Midfielder
Kristen Dodson – Forward	Raina Johnson – Midfielder/Forward
Haley Gerken – Midfielder	Savannah McCaskill – Forward
Kala Faulkner – Defender	Stevi Parker – Midfielder
<b>Florida</b>	<b>Tennessee</b>
Savannah Jordan – Forward	Hannah Wilkinson – Forward
Christen Westphal – Defender	Amy Neal – Forward
Claire Falknor – Defender	Carlyn Baldwin – Midfielder
	Katie Cousins – Midfielder
<b>Georgia</b>	<b>Texas A&amp;M</b>
Marion Crowder – Forward	Janae Cousineau – Midfielder
Louise Hogrell – Goalkeeper	Mikaela Harvey – Midfielder
Kelsey Killeen – Forward	Karlie Mueller – Defender
	McKayla Paulson – Defender
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>Vanderbilt</b>
Alex Carter – Defender	Simone Charley – Forward
Cara Ledman – Defender	Lydia Simmons – Midfielder
Olivia Jester – Defender	Cristina DeZeeuw – Defender/Midfielder
Courtney Raetzman – Midfielder	Erin Myers – Midfielder
	Sasha Gray – Forward/Midfielder
<b>LSU</b>	
Alex Arlitt – Defender	
Summer Clarke – Forward	
Jorian Baucom – Forward	

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## 2015 SEC TOURNAMENT November 2-8 • Orange Beach Sportsplex • Orange Beach, Ala.



### Format

There shall be a single-elimination tournament of the top ten teams played at the conclusion of the SEC regular-season schedule. The tournament champion shall be the SEC representative to the NCAA championship.

The top ten teams with the highest point total, regardless of divisions, will participate in the tournament. The following point system is utilized to determine regular season standings and seeding for the tournament: a win counts as three points, a tie as one, and a loss as zero points. If a game(s) is cancelled, neither team will receive a point and the standings will be determined by average points per game. The tournament shall be played in a Monday-Wednesday-Friday-Sunday format with Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday designated as off/practice days.

### Seeding

The tournament will be seeded 1-10 regardless of division based on the point system implemented to determine regular season standings. If teams are tied, the following procedures, in order as follows, will be used to break the tie:

**Two-Team Tie** – The following procedure will be used in the following order until the tie is broken:

- A. Head-to-head competition between the tied teams.
- B. Points earned versus common opponents.
- C. Goal differential versus common opponents.
- D. Goals scored versus common opponents.

E. Won-Lost record of the two teams versus highest seeded common opponent and proceeding through the No. 14 seed, if necessary.

F. Goal differential versus highest seeded common opponent and proceeding through the No. 14 seed, if necessary.

G. Goals scored versus highest seeded common opponent and proceeding through the No. 14 seed, if necessary.

H. Coin flip by the Commissioner.

**Three-Team Tie (or more)** – The following procedure will be used until the tie is broken. If at any time this tie breaker results in only two remaining tied teams, then the two-team tiebreaker will be used beginning with Subsection A in that procedure and continuing from that point:

A. If all teams have played one another, then most points earned in those matches only.

B. If all teams have not played, but one team has defeated all teams in the tie break, then that team breaks the tie and shall be placed highest. Remaining teams will continue with the tie break procedure.

C. If all teams have not played one another and a team does not have all wins over the tied teams, then use Subsection B in the two-team tie break procedures and continue through the two team tie-break procedures until ties between all teams are broken (except Subsection H will read "if three or more teams are still tied, the Commissioner will conduct a draw").

## NSCAA

Preseason (August 3)

Rk	School	Pv	Record
1	Florida State	1	24-1-1
2	Virginia	2	23-3-0
3	Stanford	3	20-2-3
4	UCLA	5	21-1-2
<b>5</b>	<b>Texas A&amp;M</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>22-3-2</b>
6	Penn State	6	20-4-0
7	North Carolina	8	14-4-2
<b>8</b>	<b>Florida</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17-4-2</b>
9	Notre Dame	11	14-6-2
10	Pepperdine	10	16-3-4
<b>11</b>	<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14-6-5</b>
12	West Virginia	15	16-2-4
13	Virginia Tech	12	16-6-0
14	Wisconsin	13	19-3-2
15	Texas Tech	14	16-4-2
<b>16</b>	<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>16-7-1</b>
17	Central Florida	16	18-5-0
18	California	20	14-6-2
19	Brigham Young	22	13-5-3
20	Washington	18	14-7-2
21	DePaul	19	16-1-4
22	Clemson	21	13-3-3
23	Kansas	23	15-6-0
24	Rutgers	25	13-6-1
25	Georgetown	24	11-5-6

### Also receiving votes:

Duke 42, Connecticut 33, Southern California 27, Arizona State 22, Washington State 20, Marquette 20, **Auburn 10**, Michigan 10, Colorado 10, Northeastern 10, Santa Clara 9, Boston College 7, **Missouri 6**, Minnesota 5, Arizona 4, Maryland 4, South Florida 3, Texas 2, North Texas 2, Harvard 1, Furman 1, Oklahoma 1, **Tennessee 1**, San Diego State 1

## NCAA RPI

Rk	School	Record
Not released yet		

## SEC Players of the Week

8/24	O:
	D:
	F:
9/1	O:
	D:
	F:
9/7	O:
	D:
	F:
9/14	O:
	D:
	F:
9/21	O:
	D:
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9/28	O:
	D:
	F:
10/5	O:
	D:
	F:
10/12	O:
	D:
	F:
10/19	O:
	D:
	F:
10/26	O:
	D:
	F:
11/2	O:
	D:
	F:

### MAC Hermann Watch List

Mikaela Harvey – Texas A&M  
Savannah Jordan – Florida  
Christen Westphal – Florida  
Hannah Wilkinson – Tennessee

### TopDrawerSoccer.com

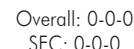
#### Preseason Best XI teams

First Team ..... Savannah Jordan, UF (F)  
Christen Westphal, UF (D)  
Freshman.....Katie Cousins, UT (M)

## Week-By-Week Rankings NSCAA/NCAA RPI

	UA	AR	AU	UF	UG	UK	LS
Preseason	-/x	-/x	rv/x	8/x	-/x	16/x	-/x
August 25							
September 1							
September 8							
September 15							
September 22							
September 29							
October 6							
October 13							
October 20							
October 27							
November 3							
November 10							
December 8							

	UM	MS	MO	SC	UT	AM	VU
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December 8							



Auburn comes into 2015 off a 12-win season a year ago. It's eighth 10 or more wins in a season in the last nine years, which was capped by a trip to the NCAA Tournament's Second Round. The second round appearance was the program's sixth in its history and first since 2012. The Tigers continued their streak of consecutive SEC Tournament appearances in 2014, making the field for the 14th-straight year, the second-longest active streak in the conference behind Florida (20). Six of Auburn's eight top goal scorers from a year ago return to the roster, led by juniors Brooke and Casie Ramsier, along with sophomore Courtney Schell, who each had four scores during the campaign. Sophomore Kristen Dodson returns to the roster as well after an All-SEC year which included three goals and 10 assists, good for 16 points. Her assist total was the second-most ever in a season by an Auburn freshman, behind only Kellie Evans, who had 13 in 2000. Senior defender Kala Faulkner is back on The Plains for her final season as a Tiger as she heads up a stout Auburn defense that put up 10 shutouts in 2014, the second-most in the SEC. Faulkner raked in the honors a year ago for her play on and off the field, being named to her third-straight All-SEC team, her second NSCAA All-Region team and her first NSCAA Scholar All-American team.

## 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	at UC Irvine	3:00 p.m.
Aug. 23	at Long Beach State	2:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	UAB [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Aug. 30	Furman [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	Samford [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 6	Ole Dominion [SECN+]	3:00 p.m.
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Sept. 13	South Alabama [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
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Sept. 25	LSU [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
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Oct. 1	at Alabama [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
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Aug. 30	at Oklahoma State	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	Clemson [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 11	South Carolina [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 13	at Samford	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 17	at LSU [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	Arkansas [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	Texas A&M [ESPN]	1:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	at Tennessee	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	Mississippi State [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Missouri	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	Alabama [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	at Vanderbilt	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	at Auburn [SECN+]	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	Florida [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.

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Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

## 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	Washington [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Aug. 23	San Diego State [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	UNC Greensboro [SECN+]	5:00 p.m.
Aug. 30	Toledo [SECN+]	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	Louisville [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 6	Ohio [SECN+]	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 11	at Ole Miss [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 13	Wisconsin [SEC Network]	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 18	at Alabama [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	Butler [SECN+]	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	Missouri [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 27	Arkansas [SECN+]	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	at Florida [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	Vanderbilt [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Mississippi State [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	Texas A&M [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 23	at Auburn [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	at Tennessee [SEC Network]	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	LSU [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.

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## LSU TIGERS

Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

The Tigers enter the 2015 season with a measure of stability in their squad while returning each of their top six scorers from a season ago. LSU's attack returns 25 of the 26 goals scored by the team in 2014, including the team's 1-2 scoring punch up front in strike partners Jorian Baucom (8g, 4a) and Summer Clarke (7g, 4a). The Tigers are experienced with seven full-time starters and 18 letterwinners returning to the squad for the 2015 season.

### 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 25	Northwestern State	8:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	Western Kentucky	8:30 p.m.
Aug. 30	Minnesota	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	Ball State	8:30 p.m.
Sept. 6	Indiana [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 11	at Alabama [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 13	Duke	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 17	Georgia [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	Marquette [SECN+]	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	at Auburn [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	at Ole Miss [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	Vanderbilt [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	Missouri [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Florida [SECN+]	1:00 p.m.
Oct. 15	at Arkansas [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	Mississippi State	11:00 a.m.
Oct. 25	South Carolina	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	at Kentucky [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.

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@OleMissSoccer

## OLE MISS REBELS

Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

Ole Miss will have one of the most experienced teams in the country for the 2015 season as 20 letterwinners return from last year's squad that went 8-6-5. With goalkeeper Kelly McCormick as the only Rebel lost to graduation, the other 10 starters are back to provide a veteran presence on the pitch. The entire offense is back, led by senior Olivia Harrison and junior Addie Forbus. Each Rebel posted a team-high seven goals, while Forbus also paced Ole Miss with four assists. Jessica Hiskey added six goals during the 2014 campaign and will be a leader again this year as one of six seniors on the team. McCormick rewrote the record book, finishing as the all-time leader at Ole Miss in multiple categories in goal. Her graduation leaves the keeper spot up for grabs between sophomore Madi Kileen and redshirt-freshman Marnie Merritt. Kileen played in one game last year, while Merritt sat out to as a redshirt. However, a veteran backline led by Hiskey and fellow senior Samantha Sanders will provide support to whoever is between the posts for the Rebels. Head Coach Matthew Mott begins his sixth year at the helm of the Ole Miss soccer program. He has produced 52 wins over the previous five seasons and took the Rebels to the NCAA Tournament in 2013 as part of a record-breaking season for the program. After having a young team in 2014, Ole Miss will look to return to the tournament in 2015

### 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	at Florida Gulf Coast	7:00 p.m.
Aug. 23	Boise State [SECN+]	1:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	Louisiana-Lafayette [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Aug. 30	Austin Peay [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	UCF [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 6	Arkansas-Little Rock [SECN+]	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 11	Kentucky [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 13	Louisville [SECN+]	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 18	at Florida [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	at Memphis	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	Alabama [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	LSU [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	at Missouri	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 9	at Arkansas	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	South Carolina [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	Auburn [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	at Tennessee	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	at Texas A&M [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	Vanderbilt [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.

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## MISSISSIPPI STATE BULLDOGS

Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

Mississippi State begins its third season under Aaron Gordon with an Aug. 12 exhibition against UT Martin. The Bulldogs will field another young squad this season, with 10 freshmen making the 2015 roster to go along with 10 sophomores. MSU's has 10 returning starters, including lone senior Shelby Jordan. The 2015 schedule will feature 10 games against NCAA Tournament teams from a season ago.

### 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	South Alabama [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Aug. 23	Murray State [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	at Florida Gulf Coast	2:30 p.m.
Aug. 30	at South Florida	10:30 a.m.
Sept. 4	Nicholls State [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 6	Southern Miss [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 11	at Vanderbilt [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 13	at Lipscomb	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	at Arkansas [SEC Network]	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	Tennessee [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	Missouri [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	at Texas A&M [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	at Georgia [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	Kentucky [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	Florida [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	at LSU	11:00 a.m.
Oct. 25	at Alabama [ESPNNU]	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	Auburn [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.

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# MISSOURI TIGERS

Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

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Mizzou returns eight starters and 21 members of the 2014 team that posted a 12-7-3 record, finished fourth in the SEC and advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament. This season marks the 20th season of Mizzou soccer, with Head Coach Bryan Blitz at the helm all 20 years. Blitz and the Tigers have identical records of 208-165-24. Senior Reagan Russell is Missouri's returning points leader after posting a career high 18 on seven goals and four assists as a junior in 2014. Russell and senior Candace Johnson both earned spots on the 2014 All-SEC second team, while sophomore Kaitlyn Clark was a member of last year's SEC All-Newcomer Team. Mizzou's 2015 schedule features five matches against teams that qualified for the 2014 NCAA Tournament, 10 home games and three nationally televised contests.

## 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	TCU [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Aug. 23	SMU [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	at Indiana	4:00 p.m.
Aug. 30	at Purdue	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	Oregon State [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 6	at Northwestern	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 11	Auburn [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 13	Nebraska [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	South Carolina [ESPNU]	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	at Kentucky [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 27	at Mississippi State [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	Ole Miss	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 9	at LSU [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	Georgia	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 18	Tennessee [ESPNU]	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	at Alabama	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	at Vanderbilt	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	Texas A&M [SEC Network]	9:00 p.m.

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# SOUTH CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

@GamecockWSoccer

The Gamecocks return six starters and 25 letter winners from last year's squad, including 2014 SEC Freshman of the Year Savannah McCaskill. South Carolina posted a 14-6-5 overall record last season on its way to the program's first appearance in the NCAA Quarterfinals. South Carolina heads into its 2015 campaign with each of its top five scorers from a year ago. Junior forward Sophie Groff and McCaskill both totaled a team-best 15 points, while junior midfielder Chelsea Drennan tallied a team-high seven assists in 2014. Seniors Raina Johnson and Stevi Parker also return to action for a South Carolina squad that earned its highest NSCAA pre-season ranking (No. 11) in program history earlier this month. The Gamecocks ranked No. 3 among Division I schools last season with an average home attendance of 2,683 fans. South Carolina, which has won 19 of its last 23 games at home, will play 10 matches at Stone Stadium in 2015. This fall will mark head coach Shelley Smith's 15th season at South Carolina. The Gamecocks have reached the NCAA Tournament seven times under Smith, and her win total (169) and winning percentage (.614) both rank first in program history.

## 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	Northeastern [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Aug. 23	Oklahoma [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	at Clemson	5:00 p.m.
Aug. 30	Coastal Carolina [SECN+]	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	Colgate [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 7	at Charlotte	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 11	at Georgia [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 14	Kennesaw State [SECN+]	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	at Missouri [ESPNU]	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 24	Texas A&M [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	Alabama [SECN+]	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	at Arkansas	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 8	Auburn [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Ole Miss [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	Vanderbilt	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 22	at Florida [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	at LSU	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	Tennessee	7:00 p.m.

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## TENNESSEE VOLUNTEERS

Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

@Vol Soccer

Tennessee enters 2015 with 18 returning players from its 2014 squad, including nine returning starters. The Vols return four of their top five goal scorers in Hannah Wilkinson (9), Amy Neal (7), Anna McClung (3) and Christine Creighton (3). Goalkeeper Julie Eckel has returned for her redshirt senior season. UT has arguably the most playing experience in goal of any team in the nation as Eckel (2011, 2012, 2013) and senior Jamie Simmons (2012-13 at UNC Greensboro, 2014 at UT) are both three-year starters.

## 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	Lipscomb [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Aug. 23	Georgia Southern [SECN+]	1:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	at Liberty	3:00 p.m.
Aug. 30	at Virginia Tech	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	Navy	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 6	Murray State [SECN+]	6:30 p.m.
Sept. 11	at Arkansas [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 13	Belmont [SECN+]	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	Auburn [SEC Network]	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	at Mississippi State [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	at Vanderbilt [SEC Network]	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	Georgia	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	Florida	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Alabama	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 18	at Missouri [ESPNU]	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	Ole Miss	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	Kentucky [SEC Network]	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	at South Carolina	7:00 p.m.

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**TEXAS A&M  
AGGIES**  
Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

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Texas A&M has finished with a winning record in all of its previous 22 seasons. The closest the Aggies have finished to the .500 mark is the 14-8 (.636) record they posted in 1998. G Guerrieri ranks among the leaders in winning percentage and victories among active Division I coaches. With a career record of 394-121-29 (.751), he ranks fifth in victories and winning percentage. The Aggies have 11 consecutive 15-win seasons dating back to 2004. In their first 22 seasons, the only two years the Aggies have not reached the 15-win plateau are 1998 (14-8) and 2003 (13-6-33). Last season, the Maroon and White became the first team to win the SEC double in consecutive years since 2000 and 2001. The Aggies were the first team to win back-to-back SEC Tournament titles since Tennessee in 2002 and 2003. The Aggies played in their 20th consecutive NCAA Championship, one of five teams to play in each of the last 20 tournaments. The other schools to make it to every tournament since 1995 are North Carolina (1982-2014), Notre Dame (1993-2014), Virginia (1994-2014) and Penn State (1995-2014). The Aggies return 11 letterwinners, including three starters from last season's College Cup squad. The list of returnees is highlighted by 2014 All-SEC Second Team midfielder Janae Cousineau and 2014 SEC All-Freshman defender McKayla Paulson.

## 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	at Rice	8:00 p.m.
Aug. 23	Northwestern State [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	UC Irvine [SECN+]	8:30 p.m.
Aug. 30	Florida Atlantic [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	at Florida State	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 6	Abilene Christian [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 10	at Florida [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 13	at Dayton	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 18	Vanderbilt [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	North Texas [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 24	at South Carolina [SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	at Georgia [ESPNU]	1:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	Mississippi State [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	Alabama [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Auburn [SECN+]	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	at Kentucky [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 23	Arkansas [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	Ole Miss [SECN+]	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	at Missouri [SEC Network]	9:00 p.m.

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**VANDERBILT  
COMMODORES**  
Overall: 0-0-0  
SEC: 0-0-0

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Vanderbilt returns 15 letterwinners and eight starters, including All-SEC forward Simone Charley and SEC All-Freshman midfielder Lydia Simmons. Darren Ambrose begins his first year as head coach. He takes over after 15 years at the University of Pennsylvania, where he was the all-time winningest coach with 148 victories, along with three Ivy League championships and three NCAA Tournament berths. Junior Simone Charley returns as the team's top scorer after recording nine goals and three assists last year. She is the team's active leading scorer with 14 career goals. The two-sport athlete is also coming off another superb track season. The three-time All-American in the triple jump reached the NCAA Championships in both indoor and outdoor track, placing third in the triple jump in outdoor in June. Lina Granados became the first active Vanderbilt player to represent a country in the Women's World Cup. The redshirt junior and dual citizen was on the 23-player roster with Colombia in the Women's World Cup in Canada in June. Goalkeeper Christiana Ogunsami returns after a phenomenal freshman season. She led the SEC with 113 saves, which is the second-most in a single season in program history.

## 2015 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 21	Miami (OH) [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	at Gonzaga	8:00 p.m.
Aug. 30	at Seattle	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 4	Dartmouth [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 6	Lipscomb [SECN+]	3:30 p.m.
Sept. 11	Mississippi State [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 13	High Point [SECN+]	2:00 p.m.
Sept. 18	at Texas A&M SEC Network]	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 20	Evansville [SECN+]	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	Florida [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	Tennessee [SEC Network]	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	at LSU [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	at Kentucky [SECN+]	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 11	Arkansas	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	Vanderbilt	7:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	Georgia	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	Missouri	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	at Ole Miss [SECN+]	8:00 p.m.

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