## **BYU MEN'S TENNIS 2024 MEDIA GUIDE**

## **STAFF**

**Zack Warren** 

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\*Three-time Regional

Year at Cal (2014-2023)

\*BYU athlete (2004-07)

Assistant Coach

\*Head coach at

Concordia (M/W)

from 2010-2023.

\*BYU athlete (2004-08)

lst Season

Head Coach



Cole McClure - Team Manager Tara Marquez - Trainer Geni Tausinga - Office Manager Lauren Palmer - Social Media Strategist



## **Big 12 Inagural Season**

The 2024 campaign marks BYU's first year in the Big 12 as the program joined the conference on July 1, 2023.

#### **On the Road**

BYU's match at LMU will mark the third of four contests in the state of California across a 15-day span to open the season.

#### **Hello Old Friend**

The Cougars are 8-8 all-time against former WCC conference mate Lovola Marymount. The Jonathan Sanchez schools faced off less than a year ago, with the Lions seizing a 4-0 win on April 14, 2023 at the I MU Tennis Center.

#### **First Meeting in Five Years**

Friday's match at UC Irvine will mark the Cougars' sixteenth all-time meeting and first since a 2019 BYU victory in Provo. Since last meeting, the Anteaters recorded an NCAA tournament berth in 2022.

#### **Starpower Duo**

No. 1 doubles duo Wally Thayne and Zach Fuchs entered the season ranked No. 35 (doubles) in the ITA's national rankings released Nov. 15. New Faces

Newcomers for 2023-24 include freshmen TJ Wells, David Duong, Tygen Goldammer and sophomore transfer Alex Edmonston. Wells competed during fall season.

## **HISTORY**

- \*17 NCAA Tournament Appearances
- \*15 All-Americans

\*12 Conference Championships

#### Previous Five Seasons (Since 2018-19):

Overall	51-48	Conf	18-17
Home	37-9	Away	11-33
Neutral	3-6		

## FACILITIES

Brigham Young University Provo, UT 84602

Outdoor Courts - Just north of 800 N, directly south of South Field on 150 E Indoor Courts - Directly east of South Field and south of the Smith Fieldhouse (corner of 150 E and Field House Drive)

## RESOURCES

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## 2024 SCHEDULE (1-1)

Jan. 11	San Diego State ( <mark>L, 3-4)</mark>	Feb. 17	Nevada	March 28.	Texas*
Jan. 13	UC San Diego (W, 5-2)	Feb. 22	Weber State	March 30.	Baylor*
Jan. 25	Loyola Marymount	Feb. 24	Idaho State	April 4	- 
Jan. 26	UC Irvine	Feb. 29	North Carolina Central	April 6	UCF*
Jan. 30	Nebraska Omaha	March 1	Radford	April 13	Texas Tech*
Feb. 3	Montana State	March 8	Air Force	April 19-22.	Big 12 Tournament
Feb. 9	UC Riverside	March 21.	Oklahoma State*		-
Feb. 9UC	Riverside (Doubleheader)	March 23.	Oklahoma*	, Ho	o <b>me Match</b> Away Match * = Big 12 Match



#### **Jack Barnett**

6-3,170 Senior Noosa, Australia Major: Psychology "bar-net"

- Singles: 31-27 (2024: 2-0)
- Doubles: 37-24 (2024: 2-0)
- Right-handed
- Started the 2024 season at No. 1 singles, right Appeared in 12 matches in 2022-23 where he ended in 2023
- 2023 All-WCC Second Team Doubles, HM Singles Hawaii under former coach Dave Porter **Alex Edmonston**

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- Sophomore Pembroke, Massachusetts Major: Accounting/ Management
- Singles: 10-6 (2024: 0-0)
- Doubles: 11-1 (2024: 0-0)
- Transfer from Concordia
- With Concordia in 2022-23, won PacWest Freshman of the Year
- Second Team All-PacWest Doubles (2022-23)



- Singles: 3-6 (2023: 0-0)
- Doubles: 5-4 (2024: 0-0)

• Singles: 20-16 (2024: 1-1)

• Doubles: 15-17 (2024: 1-1)

• Left-handed

- Right-handed
- Coached by Wei-Yu Su, who played at BYU

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"FEW-ks"

• Ranked No. 35 (doubles) in ITA's end-of-fall

Junior

Zach Fuchs



## **David Duong** 5'9

Freshman Fountain Valley, California Major: Finance

- Singles: 0-0 (2024: 0-0)
- Doubles: 0-0 (2024: 0-0)
- Left-handed

• Five-star recruit, ranked as high as No. 16 (singles) in the U.S. in May 2022

## • 2021 <u>& 2022 Level 3 Henry Talbert Junior Champion</u>





6'4 Freshman Tuscaloosa, Alabama Maior: Undeclared "Tie-ghen"

- Singles: 1-1 (2024: 1-1)
- Doubles: 0-1 (2024: 0-1)
- Right-handed
- Five-star recruit (class of 2023)
- Ranked as high as No. 2 in the country in
- 2023 team-high singles winning percentage the USTA Boys' 18s group

### **Kobe Tran**



#### **Redd Owen** 6'0.165 Sophomore Sandy, Utah Major: Philosophy

- Singles: 10-19 (2024: 2-0)
- Doubles: 11-16 (2024: 2-0)
- Right-handed
- Played in all 22 dual matches in 2023
- Missionary Service: Cotonou, Benin and
- Charleston, West Virginia (French speaking)



5-11 Freshman Alpine, Utah Major: Economics

- Singles: 0-2 (2024: 0-1)
- Doubles: 0-1 (2024: 0-1)
- Three-time Utah 6A champion at Lone Peak: 2021 first singles, 2019 first singles, 2018 third singles
- Missionary Service: Bangkok, Thailand (2021-23)

- - Singles: 23-30 (2023: 1-1)
- Doubles: 22-28 (2024: 1-1)
- Right-handed

• Ranked No. 35 (doubles) in ITA end-of-fall rankings• Did not compete in 2022-23 due to injury

with Zach Fuchs, No. 103 (singles) in fall preseason • 55-4 high school record

• 2023 All-WCC Second Team Doubles, HM Singles



5-10, 165 Junior Union City, California Major: Psychology "co-bee"

- Singles: 8-9 (2024: 0-0)
- Doubles: 4-5 (2024: 0-0)
- Left-handed



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Junior Newbury Park,

- California
- Major: Business MGT

Wally Thayne

# rankings with Wally Thayne

Los Altos, California

Major: Economics

**Brian Chen** 

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Sophomore

Changhua, Taiwan

Major: Pre-Business