

SOUTH CAROLINA MEN'S TENNIS

South Carolina vs. Georgia Tech & The Citadel • Jan. 30, 2016

#51 South Carolina Gamecocks

Name (S/D Ranks)	Class	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
Wood Benton	RS Fr.	6-1	160	Spartanburg, S.C.
Yancy Dennis	Fr.	5-11	182	Reisterstown, Md.
Alex Fennell (116/NR)	Jr.	6-1	185	Bala Cynwyd, Pa.
Gabriel Friedrich	RS So.	5-10	190	Porto Alegre, Brazil
Thomas Mayronne	RS So.	6-0	173	Monroe, La.
Harrison O'Keefe (65/NR)	RS So.	6-4	175	Salem, Va.
Andrew Schafer	Jr.	6-1	167	Hilton Head Island, S.C.
Sam Swank	Jr.	6-3	180	Bedford, N.Y.

Head Coach: Josh Goffi

Assistant Coach: Ryan Young

#42 Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets

Name (S/D Ranks)	Class	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
Carlos Benito	Jr.	6-2	187	Madrid, Spain
Christopher Eubanks (6/NR)	So.	6-7	165	Atlanta, Ga.
Cole Fiegel	Jr.	6-2	186	Alachua, Fla.
Phillip Gresk	Fr.	6-7	225	Warsaw, Poland
Casey Kay (NR/36)	RS Sr.	5-11	165	Atlanta Ga.
Michael Kay (NR/36)	So.	6-1,	165	Alpharetta, Ga.
Andrew Li	Fr.	5-9	155	Hong Kong, China
Elijah Melendez	So.	6-3	175	Suwanee, Ga.
Nathan Rakitt	Sr.	6-2	180	Marietta, Ga.
Daniel Yun	So.	6-0	145	Marietta, Ga.

Head Coach: Kenny Thorne

Assistant Coach: Derek Schwadt

The Citadel Bulldogs

Name (S/D Ranks)	Class	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
Artemie Amari	So.	6-0	180	New York, N.Y.
Michael Anzalone	Fr.	--	--	Queens, N.Y.
Joe Bove	Jr.	5-6	150	Jacksonville, Fla.
Nicholas Bradley	So.	5-10	180	Waldwick, N.J.
Trey Davis	Fr.	--	--	Sumter, S.C.
Connor Grady	Jr.	5-10	175	Mt. Pleasant, S.C.
Matthew Henson	Fr.	--	--	Bristol, Tenn.
Roy Hobson	Fr.	--	--	Johannesburg, South Africa
David Johnson	Fr.	--	--	Seoul, South Korea
Jeffrey Jones	Fr.	--	--	Shaker Heights, Ohio
Marvin Pagayonan	Jr.	5-8	180	Las Vegas, Nev.
Jackson Pride	Sr.	5-9	150	Charleston, S.C.
Bailey Shelbourne	Jr.	6-2	170	Summerville, S.C.
Ryan Templet	So.	5-6	155	Woodstock, Ga.
Patrick Tobacco	Fr.	--	--	Spartanburg, S.C.

Head Coach: Chuck Kriese

Assistant Coach: Wilson Mathewes

PLAYER TO WATCH

Thomas Mayronne

Part of a talented trio of Gamecock sophomores, Louisiana native Thomas Mayronne is off to a 4-0 start in singles this season from the middle of the lineup. His leadership is felt off the court as well as he spearheads the teams' effort with Team Impact, an organization that matches kids with chronic illnesses to local college athletic teams.



Home Sweet Home

After a pair of losses at ITA Kickoff Weekend in Columbus, Ohio, the Gamecocks return home, where they are 2-0 this season with wins against Presbyterian (7-0) and Winthrop (6-1). Following Saturday's match against The Citadel, the Gamecocks play on the road for six straight matches before their next home game on Mar. 4 against Alabama.

In The Rankings

A pair of Gamecocks received rankings entering the spring season. Sophomore Harrison O'Keefe earned a No. 65 ranking, while junior Alex Fennell, a transfer from Penn State, is ranked No. 116. The team entered the spring with its fourth-straight top-50 ranking.

South Carolina Schedule

2-2 Overall

Sat., Jan. 16	Presbyterian	W, 7-0
	Furman	W, 6-1
<i>ITA Kickoff Weekend (Columbus, Ohio)</i>		
Sat., Jan. 23	vs. Denver (52)	L, 4-3
Sun., Jan. 24	Wichita St. (71)	L, 4-2
Sat., Jan. 30	Georgia Tech (39)	12 p.m.
	The Citadel	6 p.m.
Fri., Feb. 5	at Wake Forest	5 p.m.
Sun., Feb. 7	vs. Bryant	9 a.m.
	at NC State	12:30 p.m.
Fri., Feb. 19	at USF	TBA
Sat., Feb. 20	vs. San Diego	TBA
Fri., Feb. 27	at Clemson	TBA
Fri., Mar. 4	Alabama*	TBA
Sun., Mar. 6	Mississippi State*	TBA
Thu., Mar. 10	at Vanderbilt*	TBA
Sat., Mar. 19	Georgia*	TBA
Fri., Mar. 25	at Kentucky*	TBA
Sun., Mar. 27	Tennessee*	TBA
Fri., Apr. 1	at LSU*	TBA
Sun., Apr. 3	at Texas A&M*	TBA
Fri., Apr. 8	Auburn*	TBA
Sun., Apr. 10	Florida*	TBA
Fri. Apr. 15	at Ole Miss*	TBA
Su., Apr. 17	at Arkansas*	TBA
Apr. 20-24	SEC Tournament (Columbia, S.C.)	

*Indicates Southeastern Conference match

SEC Standings

(As of 1/28)

Team	SEC	Pct.	All	Pct.
Kentucky	0-0	.000	4-0	1.000
Texas A&M	0-0	.000	4-0	1.000
Arkansas	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000
Georgia	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000
Alabama	0-0	.000	5-1	.833
Tennessee	0-0	.000	5-1	.833
Auburn	0-0	.000	3-1	.750
Florida	0-0	.000	3-1	.750
Vanderbilt	0-0	.000	3-1	.750
Ole Miss	0-0	.000	2-1	.667
South Carolina	0-0	.000	2-2	.500
LSU	0-0	.000	1-1	.500
Mississippi State	0-0	.000	0-2	.000

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DUAL MATCH SCOREBOARD

Date	Opponent (USC-Opp. Rank)	W-L	Score	Record (SEC)	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	D1	D2	D3
Jan. 16	Presbyterian (50-NR)	W	7-0	1-0	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W
	Winthrop (50-NR)	W	6-1	2-0	W	W	W	W	W	L	—	W	W
Jan. 23	vs. Denver (51-52)	L	4-3	2-1	L	L	L	W	L	W	W	W	L
Jan. 24	vs. Wichita State (51-71)	L	4-2	2-2	L	L	W	W	—	L	L	L	W
Jan. 30	Georgia Tech	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	The Citadel	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feb. 5	at Wake Forest	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feb. 7	vs. Bryant	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	at North Carolina State	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feb. 19	at USF	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feb. 20	vs. San Diego	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feb. 27	at Clemson	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
March 4	Alabama *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
March 6	Mississippi State *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
March 11	at Vanderbilt *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
March 18	Georgia *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
March 24	at Kentucky *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
March 27	Tennessee *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
April 1	at LSU *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
April 3	at Texas A&M *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
April 8	Auburn *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
April 10	Florida *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
April 15	at Ole Miss *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
April 17	at Arkansas *	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* SEC Match

2015-16 INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Singles

Player	Overall	Tourn.	Dual (SEC)	#1 (SEC)	#2 (SEC)	#3 (SEC)	#4 (SEC)	#5 (SEC)	#6 (SEC)
Wood Benton	14-7	11-6	3-1 (0-0)	—	—	—	1-0 (0-0)	—	2-1 (0-0)
Yancy Dennis	8-6	7-6	1-0 (0-0)	—	—	—	—	1-0 (0-0)	—
Alex Fennell	13-5	11-3	2-2 (0-0)	1-2 (0-0)	1-0 (0-0)	—	—	—	—
Gabriel Friedrich	11-5	11-5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thomas Mayronne	17-4	13-4	4-0 (0-0)	—	—	1-0 (0-0)	3-0 (0-0)	—	—
Harrison O'Keefe	15-6	13-4	2-2 (0-0)	1-0 (0-0)	1-2 (0-0)	—	—	—	—
Andrew Schafer	14-5	12-4	2-1 (0-0)	—	—	2-1 (0-0)	—	—	—
Sam Swank	14-6	13-5	1-1 (0-0)	—	—	—	—	1-1 (0-0)	—

Doubles

Pair	Overall	Tourn.	Dual (SEC)	#1 (SEC)	#2 (SEC)	#3 (SEC)	Individual (Dual, SEC)
Benton/Dennis	5-1	2-1	3-0 (0-0)	—	—	3-0 (0-0)	Benton: 7-3 (3-0, 0-0)
Benton/Schafer	1-1	1-1	—	—	—	—	Dennis: 10-4 (3-0, 0-0)
Benton/Swank	1-1	1-1	—	—	—	—	Fennell: 7-6 (2-1, 0-0)
Dennis/Friedrich	0-1	—	0-1 (0-0)	—	—	0-1 (0-0)	Friedrich: 8-4 (0-0, 0-0)
Dennis/Schafer	1-1	1-1	—	—	—	—	Mayronne: 8-6 (2-1, 0-0)
Dennis/Swank	4-2	4-2	—	—	—	—	O'Keefe: 7-7 (2-1, 0-0)
Fennell/Friedrich	2-1	2-1	—	—	—	—	Schafer: 7-3 (0-0, 0-0)
Fennell/Mayronne	4-2	2-1	2-1 (0-0)	2-1 (0-0)	—	—	Swank: 8-7 (2-1, 0-0)
Fennell/Swank	1-3	1-3	—	—	—	—	
Friedrich/O'Keefe	5-2	5-2	—	—	—	—	
Friedrich/Schafer	1-1	1-1	—	—	—	—	
Mayronne/O'Keefe	0-4	0-4	—	—	—	—	
Mayronne/Schafer	4-0	4-0	—	—	—	—	
O'Keefe/Swank	3-1	—	3-1 (0-0)	—	3-1 (0-0)	—	

ITA Rankings

Player/Pair/Team	9/15	1/5	1/20	1/27
South Carolina	—	50	51	59
Alex Fennell	—	116	116	116
Harrison O'Keefe	—	65	65	65
Mayronne/O'Keefe	32	—	—	—