



# SOUTH CAROLINA VOLLEYBALL

## UPCOMING OPPONENTS

 <b>Texas A&amp;M</b> <b>(12-2, 4-1 SEC)</b> <b>Fri., Oct. 5, 9:30 PM</b> <i>Reed Arena</i> <b>Series History</b> A&M leads 2-0 <b>Trend</b> A&M won last two <b>Last Time</b> A&M won 3-0 (12/3/1995)	 <b>LSU</b> <b>(6-9, 2-4 SEC)</b> <b>Sun., Oct. 7, 2 PM</b> <i>Maravich Assembly Center</i> <b>Series History</b> LSU leads 18-13 <b>Trend</b> LSU won 7 of last 8 <b>Last Time</b> SC won 3-2 (9/16/2012)	 <b>Alabama</b> <b>(13-5, 2-4 SEC)</b> <b>Fri., Oct. 12, 7 PM</b> <i>VCF</i> <b>Series History</b> Alabama leads 22-17 <b>Trend</b> SC won 2 of last 3 <b>Last Time</b> SC won 3-0 (11/6/2011)	 <b>Coastal Carolina</b> <b>(5-8)</b> <b>Tues., Oct. 16, 6 PM</b> <i>HTC Center</i> <b>Series History</b> SC leads 10-0 <b>Trend</b> SC won last 10 <b>Last Time</b> SC won 3-0 (9/4/2009)
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## 2012 SCHEDULE (13-4, 2-4 SEC)

DATE	OPPONENT (TV)	RESULT/TIME
8/24	Temple%	W, 3-0
8/24	Akron%	W, 3-0
8/25	East Tennessee State	W, 3-2
8/25	UNC Asheville	W, 3-0
8/29	Slovenian Nat'l Team (exh.)	L, 0-3
9/1	vs. West Virginia #	W, 3-0
9/1	at George Mason#	W, 3-0
9/2	vs. Navy#	W, 3-0
9/2	vs. Niagra#	W, 3-1
9/7	Clemson&	W, 3-0
9/8	UAB&	W, 3-1
9/8	Winthrop&	W, 3-0
9/14	Georgia*	W, 3-0
9/16	LSU*	W, 3-2
9/21	at Auburn*	L, 1-3
9/23	at No. 21 Tennessee*	L, 1-3
9/28	No. 12 Florida*	L, 1-3
9/30	Mississippi*	L, 0-3
10/5	at Texas A&M* (SportSouth)	9:30 PM
10/7	at LSU*	2 PM
10/12	Alabama*	7 PM
10/16	at Coastal Carolina	6 PM
10/19	at Mississippi State*	8 PM
10/21	at Mississippi* (CSS)	2 PM
10/26	Auburn*	7 PM
10/28	Texas A&M*	1:30 PM
11/2	at Missouri*	7:30 PM
11/4	at Kentucky*	1:30 PM
11/9	Mississippi State*	7 PM
11/11	Tennessee*	1:30 PM
11/16	at Alabama*	8 PM
11/18	at Florida* (Sun Sports)	1:30 PM
11/23	Arkansas*	1:30 PM

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## 2012 ROSTER

NO	NAME	POS	HT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
1	Paige Wheeler	DS	5-7	Jr.	2L	Virginia Beach, Va. (Cape Henry)
2	Lexie Pawlik	S	6-0	So.	1L	Granger, Ind. (Penn)
4	Darian Dozier	MB/OH	6-0	Fr.	HS	Sandy Spring, Md. (St. Johns College)
5	Maddie Frome	OH	5-10	Fr.	HS	Newport Beach, Calif. (Mater Dei)
6	Sarah Blomgren	Opp.	5-10	Fr.	HS	Canyon Country, Calif. (Saugus)
9	Christina Glover	OH	5-10	Sr.	3L	Mount Pleasant, S.C. (Wando)
10	Christina Vereb	MB/Opp.	6-0	RS Fr.	RS	Rock Hill, S.C. (Rock Hill)
11	Cara Howley	MB/Opp.	6-0	RS So.	1L	McKinney, Texas (McKinney Boyd)
12	Juliette Thévenin	OH	6-2	Jr.	2L	Mont-sur-Marchinne, Belgium
13	Jenna Allen	OH	5-10	Fr.	HS	Lewisville, Texas (Hebron)
15	Lindsey Craft	DS	5-7	Jr.	2L	Alpharetta, Ga. (Chattahoochie)
16	Bethanie Thomas	OH	6-1	So.	1L	Madison, Ala. (Bob Jones)
17	Elizabeth Johnbull	MB	5-10	Fr.	HS	Pflugerville, Texas (Connally)
19	Kira Speer	OH	6-1	Fr.	HS	Durham, N.C. (Riverside)
20	Taylor Bruns	S	6-0	Sr.	3L	Normal, Ill. (University)
21	Litsa Darby	S/DS	5-6	Fr.	HS	Mount Pleasant, S.C. (Ashley Hall)
22	Megan Kent	MB/OH	6-1	Jr.	2L	Ijamsville, Md. (Urbana)

Managers: Brandi Byers, Melissa Kears

All times Eastern

Home matches in bold

% Gamecock Invitational

# The Mason Inn Patriot Invitational (Fairfax, Va.)

& Carolina Clash

\* SEC match

## GAMECOCK STAFF

Head Coach.....	Scott Swanson
Alma Mater.....	Arizona State, 1995
Overall Record (Years).....	77-81 (5+)
SC Record (Years).....	27-20 (1+)
Assistant Coach.....	Moritz Moritz
Alma Mater.....	Colorado State, 2006
Year at SC.....	2nd
Assistant Coach.....	Julie Darty
Alma Mater.....	Mercer, 2008
Year at SC.....	1st
Volunteer Assistant.....	Drew Burdette
Director of Operations.....	Shane Wilkinson
Graduate Assistant.....	Morgan Thomas

## QUICK FACTS

Location .....	Columbia, S.C.
Founded .....	1801
Enrollment.....	30,721
Colors .....	Garnet (PMS 202C) & Black
Nickname.....	Gamecocks
Affiliation.....	NCAA Division I
Conference .....	Southeastern (Eastern Division)
President .....	Dr. Harris Pastides
Athletic Director.....	Ray Tanner
Home Court.....	Volleyball Competition Facility
2011 Record.....	14-16
2011 Conference Record.....	5-15
2011 Conference Finish.....	5th East
'11 Starters Returning/Lost +Libero.....	4+1/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost .....	10/4
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MORITZ MORITZ.....	moh-RITZ moh-RITZ
Juliette THÉVENIN.....	TAY-vah-nah
Lexie PAWLIK.....	PAW-lick
Christina VEREB.....	VER-eb

## ABBREVIATIONS

When needing to abbreviate South Carolina for your scoreboard or broadcast boxes, the preferred shortenings are S. Carolina or SC. Please refrain from using USC or SCAR when referring to the University of South Carolina. Proper logos and wordmarks can be emailed for use by any media outlet upon request. Thanks.

## NOTEWORTHY

### SOUTH CAROLINA TEAM NOTES

- South Carolina has posted a better hitting percentage, more kills and more digs than all but five foes in 2012. Four of those in kills and digs and all five in hitting percentage have come in SEC play.
- Four teams went undefeated in the opening weekend of SEC play: Florida, Missouri, Texas A&M and South Carolina.
- Out of the six hitters who have played in half the sets and averaged at least one kill per set, four hit over .260.
- Only two non-conference opponents hit over .200 against South Carolina: East Tennessee State (.207) and UAB (.285). All six SEC foes have topped that mark.
- South Carolina has been out-blocked seven times thus far in 2012 (3-4), while the 2011 team was topped on 13 occasions (1-12 in those matches).
- At No. 21 Tennessee (9/23), the Gamecocks did not allow an ace, successfully passing all 87 serves they received.
- The last time South Carolina did not allow an ace came in Scott Swanson's first game as head coach, against Montana on Aug. 26, 2011.

### ALL ABOUT THE WINNING STREAK

- The 13-0 start for the Gamecocks ranks as the best in the program's NCAA-era history. The 1983 team began the season 12-0.
- The 13-match winning streak was the second-longest documented skein in program history.
- The longest winning streak came in 1983, as the team posted a 14-match streak from Oct. 15-Nov. 18.
- The loss that ended the longest skein came in the 1983 Metro Conference Tournament final. Florida State won the five-set match to earn the automatic berth to the third NCAA Tournament. The field only had 28 teams at the time.
- That 1983 team also had the best start previously in program history with 12 wins. That was the second-longest documented winning streak for the Gamecocks until this year.
- For the second-consecutive year, South Carolina was the last undefeated team in the Southeastern Conference.

### THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WINNING & LOSING

- South Carolina hits .311 in matches it wins and .164 in those it loses, a .147 difference.
- The opponents when South Carolina wins hit .177. That jumps to .314 if the Gamecocks lose, a .137 gap.
- Winning Gamecock matches see SC post 2.49 more digs per set than the opposition. When the foes triumph, the Gamecocks are outdug by 2.4 a frame.
- In wins, South Carolina wins the blocking battle by averages of 2.07 to 1.71. In setbacks, the Gamecocks get outblocked 2.73 to 1.47.

### ATTACKING THE RECORD BOOK

- Taylor Bruns is seventh in assists (2,426) and eighth in assists per set (7.29).
- Juliette Thévenin stands 14th in SC history with 902 kills and with 2,390 attacks.
- A total of 23 more attacks move Thévenin past Stephanie Pflughaupt for 13th on that list.
- Thévenin ranks 19th on the career points chart (as it would stand had everyone played in the rally-scoring era).
- She's fourth on the points-per-set charts with a 4.18 average.
- Thévenin's now second in kills per set (3.76) and 11th in digs per set (2.78) on the career charts.
- Paige Wheeler is third on SC's career charts in digs per set (3.54).
- With two more digs, Wheeler will move past Ivana Kujundzic into 20th on the career dig charts.
- These updated charts can be found on page 9 of the notes.

### GAMECOCKS IN THE SEC STAT SUPERLATIVES

- South Carolina hit the third-highest hitting percentage in four-set match (.370 vs. Niagara) and the second-best in a five-setter (.297 vs. ETSU) for an SEC team this fall.
- The team's .419 hitting percentage against UNC Asheville ranks seventh in the overall SEC match performances.
- Juliette Thévenin has the fifth-most kills in a three-set match in the SEC this year (18 vs. Georgia) and the fourth-most in a four-set contest (22 vs. Auburn).
- Thévenin also holds the fifth-most points in a sweep this year by an SEC player (20.5 vs. Georgia).
- Taylor Bruns tied for the third-most assists by an SEC team in a four-set affair this year (54 vs. UAB).

## AVCA POLL

NO	TEAM (1ST PLACE)	Pts	W-L	Prev
1	Penn State (42)	1466	14-1	1
T-2	Oregon (13)	1412	13-0	2
T-2	Washington (5)	1412	13-0	5
4	Nebraska	1275	11-2	6
5	Southern California	1243	14-2	3
6	UCLA	1230	10-3	4
7	Stanford	1169	12-2	7
8	Hawai'i	1056	12-2	8
9	Texas	1036	11-3	9
10	Minnesota	954	12-3	10
11	Florida	847	11-2	12
12	Purdue	788	13-2	13
13	Florida State	743	12-2	14
14	Kansas State	710	15-1	15
15	San Diego	688	12-2	16
16	BYU	607	15-1	11
17	Louisville	589	14-2	17
18	Dayton	402	12-4	20
19	Ohio State	286	11-5	22
20	Western Kentucky	273	17-3	23
21	Illinois	250	8-6	21
22	Iowa State	218	8-5	19
23	Pepperdine	174	10-6	18
24	Kansas	156	14-2	NR
25	Michigan State	127	14-2	24

RV: Oklahoma 100; Oregon State 63; Texas A&M 48; Arkansas 35; North Carolina 34; St. Mary's (Calif.) 22; Michigan 21; Miami (Fla.) 20; Tennessee 14; N.C. State 13; Marquette 12; Pacific 3.

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## THE SEC

EASTERN DIVISION CONF			ALL	
Team	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
Florida	5-0	1.000	11-2	.846
Missouri	4-2	.667	12-4	.750
Kentucky	3-2	.600	9-6	.600
Tennessee	2-3	.400	9-5	.643
Georgia	2-3	.400	8-6	.571
South Carolina	2-4	.333	13-4	.765

WESTERN DIVISION				
Team	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.
Texas A&M	4-1	.800	12-2	.857
Arkansas	4-1	.800	13-3	.813
Auburn	3-3	.500	12-4	.750
Mississippi	2-3	.400	8-6	.571
Alabama	2-4	.333	13-5	.722
LSU	2-4	.333	6-9	.400
Mississippi State	0-5	.000	4-10	.286

### THIS WEEK'S MATCHES

Wed., Oct. 3  
Georgia at LSU 7 p.m.

Fri., Oct. 5  
Arkansas at Florida 7 p.m.  
Missouri at Tennessee 7 p.m.  
Mississippi State at Auburn 7:30 p.m.  
Kentucky at Mississippi 8 p.m.  
South Carolina at Texas A&M 9:30 p.m.

Sun., Oct. 7  
Georgia at Tennessee 1 p.m.  
South Carolina at LSU 2 p.m.  
Missouri at Alabama 2:30 p.m.  
Arkansas at Mississippi 2:30 p.m.  
Kentucky at Florida 3 p.m.  
Mississippi State at Texas A&M 4 p.m.

All times Eastern

## NOTEWORTHY

### RECORD-CHARTING SINGLE-MATCH PERFORMANCES

- Sophomore Bethanie Thomas's three solo blocks vs. ETSU (8/25) tied for second on the program's five-set match listing.

### HISTORICAL RECORDS

- South Carolina is 719-540 (.571) all-time in volleyball.
- In the Volleyball Competition Facility, the team stands at 146-72 (.670).

### COMPETITION LEVEL RISING

- The three opponents in the 2012 Carolina Clash held better final 2011 RPIs than all but one of SC's first eight foes.
- Clemson finished at 54, UAB 84 and Winthrop 149 in the last RPI of 2011 (Niagara was 146).
- In the first RPI report from the NCAA (Oct. 1), the Gamecocks ranked 59th.
- South Carolina beat top 100 RPI teams Clemson (85), Georgia (71) and LSU (65).
- Three of the four losses came against top-40 RPI teams (Auburn 39, Tennessee 27, Florida 24).
- The Aggies rank 22nd in the first RPI report.

### SOUTH CAROLINA OVERVIEW

- South Carolina returns four starters and its starting libero from the 2011 team.
- That 2011 team, the first coached by Scott Swanson, doubled the win total from the previous year.
- The leading attacker by kills, junior outside hitter Juliette Thévenin, is back.
- The top defender by digs, junior libero Paige Wheeler, returns.
- Setters Taylor Bruns and Lexie Pawlik make up the vast majority of the 97 percent of assists back.
- The Gamecocks lost almost 50 percent of the team blocks from last season.
- The next highest total of "lost" stats are kills, where 32.2 percent departed.
- Last season, the Gamecocks led the SEC in digs per set. Only 12.2 percent of those departed.

### GAMECOCKS IN TV MATCHES

Research dug up the fact that the Gamecocks are 13-15 when the big cameras come out, snapping a six-match TV losing streak last November against Alabama. This will be the 15th appearance by the Gamecocks on a FOX-related regional sports outlet. Below is the historical listing of South Carolina matches on cable or local broadcast TV stations.

Date	Opponent	Network	Result
10/11/98	Auburn	SEC TV	W, 3-0
11/12/99	at Tennessee	SEC TV	W, 3-1
9/24/00	at Arkansas	CSS	W, 3-1
10/13/00	at Alabama	CSS	W, 3-0
10/15/00	at Auburn	SEC TV	W, 3-0
11/4/01	No. 9 Florida	SEC TV	L, 2-3
11/15/02	at No. 4 Florida	SEC TV	L, 0-3
10/26/03	at No. 3 Florida	Sunshine	L, 0-3
11/14/03	No. 3 Florida	SEC TV	L, 0-3
9/19/04	Notre Dame	CSTV	W, 3-2
11/7/04	Arkansas	SEC TV	W, 3-0
9/17/06	No. 6 Florida	Sun Sports	W, 3-1
10/8/06	at Kentucky	WKYT	L, 0-3
10/15/06	Mississippi State	SEC TV	L, 2-3
11/12/06	Tennessee	CSS	W, 3-1
10/10/07	at No. 5 Florida	Sun Sports	L, 0-3
11/19/07	Alabama	SEC TV	W, 3-0
9/12/08	Clemson	SC ETV	W, 3-2
10/15/08	at No. 8 Florida	Sun Sports	L, 0-3
11/16/08	at Tennessee	SEC TV	L, 2-3
9/27/09	Mississippi State	FS South	W, 3-0
10/7/09	No. 6 Florida	ESPNU	L, 1-3
9/19/10	at No. 22 Kentucky	Big Blue TV	L, 1-3
10/10/10	at Alabama	FS South	L, 0-3
10/27/10	at No. 1 Florida	ESPNU	L, 0-3
10/19/11	No. 13 Florida	ESPNU	L, 0-3
11/4/11	Mississippi	SportSouth	L, 0-3
11/6/11	Alabama	SportSouth	W, 3-0

## NOTEWORTHY

### ROSTER NOTES

- Eight freshman, including seven true rookies, are a part of the 17-person roster.
- Three players hail from each South Carolina and Texas, the most on the team.
- A pair of student-athletes both hail from California and Maryland.
- Six other states and another country are represented by the seven remaining athletes.
- For the 17th-consecutive season, the Gamecocks have had at least one international player.
- A total of 16 players have appeared on the court so far. Only freshman Kira Speer has not seen any action and is on track for a redshirt year.

### HOME MATCHES NOTES

- South Carolina is playing 17 matches plus one exhibition in the Volleyball Competition Facility this fall, the most since moving into the building in 1996.
- It's one more than the inaugural season of the VCF, when SC hosted the 1996 SEC Tournament.
- The most home matches ever for South Carolina came in 1990, when the team hosted 21 contests.
- The match against Clemson on Sept. 7 had 1,512 fans in attendance, the third-largest crowd in the history of the Volleyball Competition Facility.
- It was the largest crowd since 2001 in the building, when 1,793 people packed the stands for the Sept. 21 match against Florida.
- The 1,512 fans were nearly 250 over the capacity of the gym in the setup the team utilized starting during SEC play last fall.
- Four times, over 1,000 people have packed the VCF for a match, tying the 1996 inaugural year in the building for the most crowds over 1,000.
- This 2012 team holds the second-longest winning streak for a Gamecock team since moving into the VCF in 1996, winning 12 straight matches from Nov. 6, 2011 to Sept. 16, 2012.
- All three double-digit VCF winning streaks were snapped by Florida, a 17-match span from Oct. 14, 2001 to Oct. 24, 2002, a 10-match stretch from Sept. 13, 2000, to Nov. 10, 2000, and the latest.

## MATCH-BY-MATCH INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	HIGH KILLS	HIGH ASSISTS	HIGH ACES	HIGH DIGS	HIGH BLOCKS
8/24	Temple	W	3-0	Thévenin (12)	Bruns (17)	Bruns (3)	Wheeler (12)	Allen, Dozier, Howley (4)
8/24	Akron	W	3-0	Thévenin (10)	Bruns (19)	Thomas (2)	Wheeler (17)	Howley, Thomas (2)
8/25	East Tennessee State	W	3-2	Thévenin (15)	Bruns (34)	Bruns, Thomas, Thévenin (1)	Wheeler (20)	Howley, Kent, Thomas, Vereb (4)
8/25	UNC Asheville	W	3-0	Thévenin (14)	Bruns (22)	Wheeler (3)	Bruns (10)	Dozier, Howley, Vereb (3)
8/29	Slovenian Nat'l Team (exh.)	L	0-3	Vereb (7)	Bruns, Pawlik (15)	Craft (3)	Craft (9)	Dozier (3)
9/1	vs. West Virginia	W	3-0	Thévenin (17)	Pawlik (18)	Howley (3)	Wheeler (16)	Dozier (4)
9/1	at George Mason	W	3-0	Thévenin (15)	Bruns (32)	Allen, Howley (1)	Wheeler (15)	Dozier (3)
9/2	vs. Navy	W	3-0	Frome (7)	Pawlik (17)	Wheeler (2)	Wheeler (14)	Dozier, Howley, Vereb (2)
9/2	vs. Niagara	W	3-1	Thévenin (14)	Bruns (39)	Bruns (2)	Wheeler (14)	Thévenin (3)
9/7	Clemson	W	3-0	Thévenin (15)	Bruns (30)	Allen, Thévenin, Thomas, Wheeler (1)	Thomas (12)	Dozier (6)
9/8	UAB	W	3-1	Thévenin (20)	Bruns (54)	Bruns, Howley (1)	Wheeler (21)	Dozier, Howley, Vereb (3)
9/8	Winthrop	W	3-0	Thévenin, Vereb (11)	Bruns (22)	Howley (2)	Thomas (16)	Dozier, Howley, Thomas (2)
9/14	Georgia	W	3-0	Thévenin (18)	Bruns (35)	Bruns, Howley, Thévenin (2)	Wheeler (13)	Bruns, Howley (3)
9/16	LSU	W	3-0	Thévenin (22)	Bruns (49)	Thévenin, Thomas, Wheeler (1)	Wheeler (18)	Dozier, Howley (5)
9/21	at Auburn	L	1-3	Thévenin (22)	Bruns (40)	Bruns (2)	Wheeler (20)	Bruns (2)
9/23	at No. 21 Tennessee	L	1-3	Thévenin (14)	Bruns (32)	Thévenin (3)	Wheeler (15)	Bruns, Dozier, Howley (3)
9/28	No. 12 Florida	L	1-3	Thomas (14)	Bruns (45)	Bruns, Howley (2)	Wheeler (10)	Howley (3)
9/30	Mississippi	L	0-3	Thévenin (6)	Bruns (20)	Howley (3)	Craft (12)	Dozier (5)
10/5	at Texas A&M							
10/7	at LSU							
10/12	Alabama							
10/16	at Coastal Carolina							
10/19	at Mississippi State							
10/21	at Mississippi							
10/26	Auburn							
10/28	Texas A&M							
11/2	at Missouri							
11/4	at Kentucky							
11/9	Mississippi State							
11/11	Tennessee							
11/16	at Alabama							
11/18	at Florida							
11/23	Arkansas							



## TEAM STATS

	SC	TAMU	LSU
<b>ATTACK</b>			
Kills	836	717	688
Errors	277	270	317
Total Attacks	2057	1805	1996
Attack Pct.	.272	.248	.186
Kills/Set	13.9	14.9	12.7
<b>SET</b>			
Assists	781	663	653
Assists/Set	13.0	13.8	12.1
<b>SERVE</b>			
Aces	66	64	65
Errors	104	74	96
Aces/Set	1.1	1.3	1.2
<b>SERVE RECEPTIONS</b>			
Errors	57	34	45
Errors/Set	0.9	0.7	0.8
<b>DEFENSE</b>			
Digs	894	834	825
Digs/Set	14.9	17.4	15.3
<b>BLOCKING</b>			
Block Solo	26	19	36
Block Assist	178	145	170
Total Blocks	115.0	91.5	121.0
Blocks/Set	1.9	1.9	2.2
Block Errors	23	10	29
<b>BALL H. ERRORS</b>	12	18	13

## STAT LEADERS

## SOUTH CAROLINA (13-4, 2-4 SEC)

Name	K/S	HP	A/S	D/S	B/S
Juliette Thévenin	4.12	.279	0.30	2.59	0.27
Cara Howley	2.47	.326	0.12	0.76	0.76
Bethanie Thomas	2.28	.264	0.35	2.33	0.35
Christina Vereb	1.56	.230	0.08	0.41	0.53
Darian Dozier	1.29	.273	0.08	0.29	0.88
Jenna Allen	1.20	.217	0.20	0.98	0.33
Taylor Bruns	1.02	.345	8.98	2.14	0.26
Sarah Blomgren	0.73	-.044	0.00	0.13	0.40
Christina Glover	0.09	.222	0.00	1.64	0.00
Lindsey Craft	0.06	.333	0.12	2.25	0.00
Paige Wheeler	0.02	.500	0.93	4.05	0.00

## TEXAS A&amp;M (12-2, 4-1 SEC)

Name	K/S	HP	A/S	D/S	B/S
Alisia Kastmo	3.59	.267	0.41	2.28	0.39
Tori Mellinger	3.07	.221	0.52	3.15	0.35
Lindsey Miller	2.63	.313	0.40	0.40	1.19
Allie Sawatzki	1.98	.271	9.94	2.02	0.40
Stephanie Minnerly	1.93	.324	0.27	0.32	0.49
Angela Lowak	1.28	.145	0.17	0.56	0.50
Heather Reynolds	1.26	.189	0.45	3.00	0.43
Megan Pendergast	0.00	-.600	0.87	3.96	0.00
Kelsey Kinley	0.00	.000	0.23	2.00	0.00

## LSU (6-9, 2-4 SEC)

Name	K/S	HP	A/S	D/S	B/S
Desiree Elliott	3.44	.282	0.17	0.57	0.85
Madie Jones	3.19	.220	0.02	0.41	0.37
Helen Boyle	2.52	.171	0.18	2.44	0.22
Cati Leak	1.72	.083	0.28	2.34	0.60
Khourtni Fears	1.33	.147	0.06	0.10	1.12
Madi Mahaffey	0.84	.189	0.00	0.16	0.68
Malorie Pardo	0.44	.191	9.89	2.06	0.43
Katie Lindelow	0.05	-.200	0.21	1.42	0.11
Sam Delahoussaye	0.02	.333	0.26	3.24	0.00
Haley Smith	0.00	-.500	0.22	2.28	0.00

## A LOOK AT THE WEEKEND'S OPPONENTS

## SCOUTING TEXAS A&amp;M

The Aggies, just outside of the AVCA top-25 poll, bring a 12-2 overall record and a 4-1 league mark into Friday's matchup. In SEC play, Texas A&M has the most kills and assists per set of any league team. Their defense has limited SEC foes to a .186 hitting percentage, second in the league stats, while they have hit .237 themselves in their first five SEC matches.

Alisia Kastmo leads the Aggies with a 3.59 kills average and ranks second on the team with a 0.26 aces average. Tori Mellinger ranks second in both kills (3.07) and digs (3.15). Lindsey Miller tops the team with 1.19 blocks per set and stands third with 2.63 kills a frame. Allie Sawatzki is an active setter, dishing out 9.94 assists a set while also posting 1.98 kills a frame, fourth on the team. Libero Megan Pendergast makes 3.96 digs a set and 0.32 aces a frame, both high marks for the Aggies.

## SERIES HISTORY VS. THE AGGIES

This will be the third meeting in history between South Carolina and Texas A&M, with the Aggies holding a 2-0 advantage heading into Friday's match. The Aggies swept a 1993 contest in Columbia and a second-round NCAA Tournament meeting in 1995.

## GAMECOCK TIES WITH THE AGGIES

Former club teammates square off in the match at College Station. Gamecock freshman Jenna Allen played for the same Texas Advantage club team that produced Aggie freshman Shelby Sullivan and senior Stephanie Minnerly. And redshirt sophomore Cara Howley can catch up with two fellow former Skyline club members, senior Tori Mellinger and freshman Kate Praslicka.

And the Gamecock travelling volleyball staff may get to say hello to former South Carolina athletic director Eric Hyman and chief of staff Marcy Girton, who now have those same roles at Texas A&M.

## SCOUTING LSU

Going into Wednesday's contest against Georgia, LSU is 6-9 on the season, splitting the last two weekends of SEC play with two five-set wins over Kentucky and Mississippi State. Back-row defense is LSU's best asset, according to the SEC-only stats, as the Tigers rank fourth with 16.77 digs per set. SEC foes are hitting .237 against LSU, the 10th-best mark in the league, and the Tigers have recorded only 0.85 aces a set in league play, 11th in the SEC.

Desiree Elliott, Madie Jones and Helen Boyle power the LSU offense, with the trio all averaging over 3.2 kills a set in SEC action. Elliott (0.85 bps) and Khourtni Fears anchor the block, with Fears leading the team with her 1.12 blocks per set this season. Setter Malorie Pardo does not attack often, with only 68 tries in 54 sets, but she does send out 9.89 assists a frame. Pardo also ranks as the toughest active server, posting 0.28 aces a set. Sam Delahoussaye, stepping into the libero role, averages 3.24 digs a set overall and 4.42 in SEC play.

## SERIES HISTORY VS. THE TIGERS

LSU holds a 18-13 lead in the all-time series that began when South Carolina entered the SEC. At home, the Gamecocks snapped a seven-match Tiger winning streak three weeks ago. When playing in Baton Rouge, LSU has a 9-6 advantage, including a six-match skein dating back to the 2006 season.

## THE LAST TIME VS. LSU - SEPT. 16, 2012

A roller-coaster ride of a match saw South Carolina come back from a 2-1 deficit to defeat LSU in five sets, 25-18, 26-28, 16-25, 25-18, 15-12, in front of 839 fans on Sunday afternoon in the Volleyball Competition Facility, extending the season-opening win streak to a program-best 13 matches.

Junior outside hitter Juliette Thévenin posted a double-double with a season-high 22 kills to go with 11 digs. Sophomore outside hitter Bethanie Thomas narrowly missed one as well, posting nine kills and 14 digs. Junior libero Paige Wheeler led all players with 18 digs, while redshirt sophomore middle blocker Cara Howley added 11 kills. Senior setter Taylor Bruns posted 49 assists, eight digs and seven kills. Howley and freshman middle blocker Darian Dozier both had five block assists, a career best for both.

Madie Jones led LSU with 18 kills, while Desiree Elliott and Helen Boyle added 16 and 15, respectively. Sam Delahoussaye had 14 digs, while Malorie Pardo contributed 12 digs to go with 21 assists. Elliott led all players with nine blocks, and Khourtni Fears had seven. Jackie Gerig had 29 assists.

## GAMECOCK TIES WITH THE TIGERS

Four Gamecocks can greet former club teammates: Jaclynn Gerig and Taylor Bruns (Illini Elite), Madie Jones, Meghan Manneri and Cara Howley (Skyline) and Cati Leak and Bethanie Thomas (Rocket City).

## RECORD BREAKDOWN

Overall .....	13-4
Conference .....	2-4
Vs. Ranked Teams.....	0-2
Home.....	9-2
Away .....	1-2
Neutral.....	3-0
August.....	4-0
September.....	9-4
October.....	0-0
November.....	0-0
December.....	0-0
Sundays.....	3-2
Mondays.....	0-0
Tuesdays.....	0-0
Wednesdays.....	0-0
Thursdays.....	0-0
Fridays.....	4-2
Saturdays.....	6-0
Winning set one.....	11-1
Losing set one.....	2-3
Winning set two.....	12-0
Losing set two.....	1-4
Winning set three.....	11-2
Losing set three.....	2-2
Winning set four.....	3-0
Losing set four.....	1-4
Three-set matches.....	9-1
Four-set matches.....	2-3
Five-set matches.....	2-0
More kills than opposition.....	12-0
Less kills than opposition.....	1-4
Kills equal.....	0-0
More hitting errors than opposition.....	3-4
Less hitting errors than opposition.....	9-0
Hitting errors equal.....	1-0
More attacks than opposition.....	5-4
Less attacks than opposition.....	6-0
Attacks equal.....	2-0
Out-hitting opposition.....	12-0
Out-hit by opposition.....	1-4
Hitting equal.....	0-0
More assists than opposition.....	11-2
Less assists than opposition.....	1-2
Assists equal.....	1-0
More aces than opposition.....	7-2
Less aces than opposition.....	4-1
Aces equal.....	2-1
More service errors than opposition.....	3-0
Less service errors than opposition.....	8-2
Service errors equal.....	2-2
More digs than opposition.....	11-0
Less digs than opposition.....	1-4
Digs equal.....	1-0
More total blocks than opposition.....	6-0
Less total blocks than opposition.....	3-4
Total blocks equal.....	4-0
More ball handling errors than opposition.....	3-1
Less ball handling errors than opposition.....	6-2
Ball handling errors equal.....	4-1

## NOTEWORTHY

### SEEING DOUBLE

These double-doubles have been recorded by the Gamecocks in 2012 (in chronological order):

Player (No.)	Opponent	Date	Combination
Juliette Thévenin (7)	East Tennessee State	8/25	15 kills, 11 digs
	West Virginia	9/1	17 kills, 14 digs
	Niagara	9/2	14 kills, 12 digs
	UAB	9/8	20 kills, 13 digs
	Winthrop	9/8	11 kills, 12 digs
	LSU	9/16	22 kills, 11 digs
	Auburn	9/21	22 kills, 18 digs
Taylor Bruns (5)	Temple	8/24	17 assists, 10 digs
	UNC Asheville	8/25	22 assists, 10 digs
	George Mason	9/1	32 assists, 13 digs
	Clemson	9/7	30 assists, 10 kills
	No. 21 Tennessee	9/23	32 assists, 10 digs
Bethanie Thomas (1)	East Tennessee State	8/25	10 kills, 14 digs

### DOUBLE-FIGURE KILLS

The following Gamecocks have reached double figures in kills in a match this season:

Player (No.)	Kills	Opponent	Date
Juliette Thévenin (14)	12	Temple	8/24
	10	Akron	8/24
	15	East Tennessee State	8/25
	14	UNC Asheville	8/25
	17	West Virginia	9/1
	15	George Mason	9/1
	14	Niagara	9/2
	15	Clemson	9/7
	20	UAB	9/8
	11	Winthrop	9/8
	18	Georgia	9/14
	22	<i>LSU</i>	<i>9/16</i>
	22	<i>Auburn</i>	<i>9/21</i>
	14	No. 21 Tennessee	9/23
Cara Howley (7)	12	East Tennessee State	8/25
	11	Niagara	9/2
	17	UAB	9/8
	10	Winthrop	9/8
	11	Georgia	9/14
	11	LSU	9/16
	12	No. 12 Florida	9/28
Bethanie Thomas (4)	10	East Tennessee State	8/25
	10	UNC Asheville	8/25
	12	George Mason	9/1
	14	<i>No. 12 Florida</i>	<i>9/28</i>
Christina Vereb (2)	11	<i>East Tennessee State</i>	<i>8/25</i>
	11	<i>Winthrop</i>	<i>9/8</i>
Jenna Allen (1)	10	<i>No. 12 Florida</i>	<i>9/28</i>
Taylor Bruns (1)	10	<i>Clemson</i>	<i>9/7</i>
Darian Dozier (1)	10	<i>UAB</i>	<i>9/8</i>
Megan Kent (1)	13	<i>East Tennessee State</i>	<i>8/25</i>

## SC IN SEC/NCAA STATS

## NCAA Team Rankings

Category	Figure	Rank
Hitting Percentage	.272	20th
Assists/Set	13.02	44th
Kills/Set	13.93	44th
Blocks/Set	1.92	185th
Service Aces/Set	1.10	230th
Digs/Set	14.90	140th

## SEC Team Rankings (Overall)

Category	Figure	Rank
Hitting Percentage	.272	3rd
Opp. Hitting Percentage	.212	11th
Assists/Set	13.02	5th
Kills/Set	13.93	5th
Blocks/Set	1.92	10th
Service Aces/Set	1.10	9th
Digs/Set	14.90	6th

## SEC Team Rankings (SEC Only)

Category	Figure	Rank
Hitting Percentage	.194	9th
Opp. Hitting Percentage	.290	13th
Assists/Set	11.78	10th
Kills/Set	12.70	9th
Blocks/Set	1.65	12th
Service Aces/Set	1.09	8th
Digs/Set	13.57	11th

## NCAA Individual Rankings

Name	Figure	Rank
<b>Hitting Percentage</b>		
Cara Howley	.326	141st
<b>Kills/Set</b>		
Juliette Thévenin	4.13	37th
<b>Assists/Set</b>		
Taylor Bruns	8.98	165th
<b>Aces/Set</b>		
Cara Howley	0.31	202nd
<b>Digs/Set</b>		
Paige Wheeler	4.05	172nd
<b>Points/Set</b>		
Juliette Thévenin	4.50	58th

## SEC Individual Rankings (Overall)

Name	Figure	Rank
<b>Hitting Percentage</b>		
Cara Howley	.326	10th
Juliette Thévenin	.279	19th
<b>Kills/Set</b>		
Juliette Thévenin	4.12	3rd
<b>Assists/Set</b>		
Taylor Bruns	8.98	11th
<b>Aces/Set</b>		
Cara Howley	0.31	8th
Taylor Bruns	0.24	T-18th
<b>Blocks/Set</b>		
Darian Dozier	0.88	14th
<b>Digs/Set</b>		
Paige Wheeler	4.05	6th
<b>Points/Set</b>		
Juliette Thévenin	4.50	T-3rd

## SEC Individual Rankings (SEC Only)

Name	Figure	Rank
<b>Kills/Set</b>		
Juliette Thévenin	4.14	4th
<b>Assists/Set</b>		
Taylor Bruns	9.61	9th
<b>Aces/Set</b>		
Cara Howley	0.35	9th
Juliette Thévenin	0.33	T-10th
Taylor Bruns	0.26	20th
<b>Digs/Set</b>		
Paige Wheeler	3.73	12th
<b>Points/Set</b>		
Juliette Thévenin	4.57	3rd

## NOTEWORTHY

## DOUBLE-DIGIT DIGS

The following Gamecocks have reached double-figure digs in a match in 2012:

Player (No.)	Digs	Opponent	Date	
Paige Wheeler (13)	12	Temple	8/24	
	17	Akron	8/24	
	20	East Tennessee State	8/25	
	16	West Virginia	9/1	
	15	George Mason	9/1	
	14	Navy	9/2	
	14	Niagara	9/2	
	<b>21</b>	<b>UAB</b>	<b>9/8</b>	
	13	Georgia	9/14	
	18	LSU	9/16	
	20	Auburn	9/21	
	15	No. 21 Tennessee	9/23	
	10	No. 12 Florida	9/28	
	Juliette Thévenin (7)	11	East Tennessee State	8/25
		14	West Virginia	9/1
12		Niagara	9/2	
13		UAB	9/8	
12		Winthrop	9/8	
11		LSU	9/16	
18		<i>Auburn</i>	9/21	
Bethanie Thomas (6)	12	East Tennessee State	8/25	
	14	UNC Asheville	8/25	
	12	Clemson	9/7	
	16	<i>Winthrop</i>	9/8	
	14	LSU	9/16	
	10	No. 21 Tennessee	9/23	
Taylor Bruns (4)	10	Temple	8/24	
	10	UNC Asheville	8/25	
	13	<i>George Mason</i>	9/1	
	10	No. 21 Tennessee	9/23	
Christina Glover (2)	10	<i>UAB</i>	9/8	
	10	<i>Georgia</i>	9/14	
	12	<i>Niagara</i>	9/2	
Jenna Allen (1)	12	<i>Niagara</i>	9/2	
Lindsey Craft (1)	12	<i>Mississippi</i>	9/30	

*Italics* mean individual season best

**Bold** means team's season best

**SOUTH CAROLINA MATCH-BY-MATCH STARTERS**

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	OUTSIDE/DS	MIDDLE	OUTSIDE	OUTSIDE	MIDDLE	SETTER	LIBERO
8/24	Temple	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Megan Kent	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
8/24	Akron	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Megan Kent	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
8/25	East Tennessee State	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Megan Kent	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
8/25	UNC Asheville	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Megan Kent	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
8/29	Slovenian Nat'l Team	L	Jenna Allen	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Megan Kent	Lexie Pawlik	Paige Wheeler
9/1	vs. West Virginia	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Megan Kent	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/1	at George Mason	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/2	vs. Navy	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/2	vs. Niagara	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Megan Kent	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/7	Clemson	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/8	UAB	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/8	Winthrop	W	Christina Glover	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/14	Georgia	W	Christina Glover	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/16	LSU	W	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/21	at Auburn	L	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/23	at No. 21 Tennessee	L	Lexie Pawlik	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/28	No. 12 Florida	L	Christina Vereb	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Megan Kent	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
9/30	Mississippi	L	Sarah Blomgren	Cara Howley	Juliette Thévenin	Bethanie Thomas	Darian Dozier	Taylor Bruns	Paige Wheeler
10/5	at Texas A&M								
10/7	at LSU								
10/12	Alabama								
10/16	at Coastal Carolina								
10/19	at Mississippi State								
10/21	at Mississippi								
10/26	Auburn								
10/28	Texas A&M								
11/2	at Missouri								
11/4	at Kentucky								
11/9	Mississippi State								
11/11	Tennessee								
11/16	at Alabama								
11/18	at Florida								
11/23	Arkansas								

**SOUTH CAROLINA SET-BY-SET LIBEROS**

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SET #1	SET #2	SET #3	SET #4	SET #5
8/24	Temple	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
8/24	Akron	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
8/25	East Tennessee State	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler
8/25	UNC Asheville	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
8/29	Slovenian Nat'l Team	L	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Lindsey Craft	-----	-----
9/1	vs. West Virginia	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
9/1	at George Mason	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
9/2	vs. Navy	W	Paige Wheeler	Lindsey Craft	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
9/2	vs. Niagara	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----
9/7	Clemson	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
9/8	UAB	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----
9/8	Winthrop	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
9/14	Georgia	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
9/16	LSU	W	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler
9/21	at Auburn	L	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----
9/23	at No. 21 Tennessee	L	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----
9/28	No. 12 Florida	L	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	Paige Wheeler	-----
9/30	Mississippi	L	Paige Wheeler	Lindsey Craft	Paige Wheeler	-----	-----
10/5	at Texas A&M						
10/7	at LSU						
10/12	Alabama						
10/16	at Coastal Carolina						
10/19	at Mississippi State						
10/21	at Mississippi						
10/26	Auburn						
10/28	Texas A&M						
11/2	at Missouri						
11/4	at Kentucky						
11/9	Mississippi State						
11/11	Tennessee						
11/16	Alabama						
11/18	Florida						
11/23	Arkansas						



## UPDATED CAREER RECORDS

### KILLS

Rank	Name (Years)	Kills
1.	Lori Rowe (1983-86)	1,855
2.	Shonda Cole (2003-06)	1,775
3.	Cally Plummer (1998-2002)	1,345
4.	Heather Larkin (1994-97)	1,293
5.	Amy Iannocari (1991-94)	1,231
6.	Kim DeNeve (1986-89)	1,179
7.	Ivana Kujundzic (2006-09)	1,133
8.	Berna Dwyer (1999-2002)	1,107
9.	Lora Myers (1987-90)	1,100
10.	Stephanie Pflughaupt (1986-89)	1,093
11.	Caryn Case (1988-91)	1,080
12.	Megan Laughlin (2007-10)	1,021
13.	Diane Denton (1985-88)	974
14.	<i>Juliette Thévenin (2010-)</i>	902

### KILLS PER SET (Minimum 500 Kills)

Rank	Name (Years)	(K-SP) K/S
1.	Shonda Cole (2003-06)	(1,775-417) 4.26
2.	<i>Juliette Thévenin (2010-)</i>	(902-240) 3.76
3.	Lori Rowe (1983-86)	(1,855-507) 3.66
4.	Kori Ermigarat (1994-95)	(842-233) 3.61
5.	Cally Plummer (1998-2002)	(1,345-394) 3.41
6.	Heather Larkin (1994-97)	(1,293-395) 3.27
7.	Crystal Moore (1997-99)	(754-240) 3.14
8.	Kim DeNeve (1986-89)	(1,179-381) 3.09
9.	Berna Dwyer (1999-2002)	(1,107-366) 3.02
10.	Ivana Kujundzic (2006-09)	(1,133-389) 2.91

### ATTACKS

Rank	Name (Years)	Kills
1.	Shonda Cole (2003-06)	4,181
2.	Lori Rowe (1983-86)	3,874
3.	Amy Iannocari (1991-94)	3,487
4.	Cally Plummer (1998-2002)	3,288
5.	Ivana Kujundzic (2006-09)	3,047
6.	Heather Larkin (1994-97)	2,958
7.	Caryn Case (1988-91)	2,936
8.	Lora Myers (1987-90)	2,825
9.	Kim DeNeve (1986-89)	2,819
10.	Diane Denton (1985-88)	2,559
11.	Megan Laughlin (2007-10)	2,556
12.	Berna Dwyer (1999-2002)	2,533
13.	Stephanie Pflughaupt (1986-89)	2,413
14.	<i>Juliette Thévenin (2010-)</i>	2,390

### ASSISTS

Rank	Name (Years)	Assists
1.	Ashley Edlund (1995-98)	5,177
2.	Megan Hosp (1999-02)	4,689
3.	Tammy Correll (1987-90)	4,563
4.	Julie Morrison (1984-87)	3,602
5.	Jodi Thompson (1991-94)	3,237
6.	Shellie Higgins (1983-84)	2,544
7.	<i>Taylor Bruns (2009-)</i>	2,426
8.	Kelly Morrow (1993-96)	2,136
9.	Bridget Denson-Dorman (2008-09)	2,044
10.	Iris Santos (2003-06)	2,040

### ASSISTS PER SET (Minimum 500 Assists)

Rank	Name (Years)	(A-SP) A/S
1.	Megan Hosp (1999-02)	(4,689-387) 12.12
2.	Ashley Edlund (1995-98)	(5,177-430) 12.04
3.	Tammy Correll (1987-90)	(4,563-447) 10.21
4.	Shellie Higgins (1983-84)	(2,544-254) 10.02
5.	Katelyn Panzau (2003-04)	(1,857-194) 9.57
6.	Bridget Denson-Dorman (2008-09)	(2,044-215) 9.51
7.	Julie Morrison (1984-87)	(3,602-385) 9.36
8.	<i>Taylor Bruns (2009-)</i>	(2,246-333) 7.29
9.	Jodi Thompson (1991-94)	(3,237-495) 6.54
10.	Kelly Morrow (1993-96)	(2,136-354) 6.03

### DIGS PER SET (Minimum 500 Digs)

Rank	Name (Years)	(D-SP) D/S
1.	Fernanda Laires (1996-97)	(839-208) 4.03
2.	Kori Ermigarat (1994-95)	(920-233) 3.95
3.	<i>Paige Wheeler (2010-)</i>	(822-232) 3.54
4.	Sarah Cline (2006-09)	(1,464-422) 3.47
5.	Hannah Lawing (2007-10)	(1,334-398) 3.35
6.	Crystal Moore (1997-99)	(765-240) 3.19
7.	Diane Denton (1985-88)	(1,462-477) 3.06
8.	Katie Gerst (1992-94)	(986-334) 2.95
9.	Shani Abshier (1994-97)	(1,049-357) 2.94
10.	Megan Hosp (1999-2002)	(1,079-387) 2.79
11.	<i>Juliette Thévenin (2010-)</i>	(667-240) 2.78

### POINTS

(According to rally-scoring era rules for all players)

Rank	Name (Years)	Points
1.	Lori Rowe (1983-86)	2,457.0
2.	Shonda Cole (2003-06)	2,029.0
3.	Cally Plummer (1998-2002)	1,479.5
4.	Stephanie Pflughaupt (1986-89)	1,679.5
5.	Heather Larkin (1994-97)	1,636.0
6.	Kim DeNeve (1986-89)	1,401.5
7.	Berna Dwyer (1999-2002)	1,399.0
8.	Amy Iannocari (1991-94)	1,386.5
9.	Ivana Kujundzic (2006-09)	1,345.0
10.	Lora Myers (1987-90)	1,313.5
11.	Caryn Case (1988-91)	1,278.5
12.	Megan Laughlin (2007-10)	1,253.5
13.	Amy Collinsworth (1990-93)	1,155.0
14.	Jennifer Guess (1990-93)	1,130.0
15.	Diane Denton (1985-88)	1,123.0
16.	Belita Salters (2005-08)	1,120.5
17.	Colleen McKenzie (1985-88)	1,071.0
18.	Sam Alban (1999-2002)	1,033.5
19.	<i>Juliette Thévenin (2010-)</i>	1002.5

### POINTS PER SET (Minimum 500 Points)

Rank	Name (Years)	(P-SP) P/S
1.	Shonda Cole (2003-06)	(2029-417) 4.87
2.	Lori Rowe (1983-86)	(2457-507) 4.85
3.	Cally Plummer (1998-2002)	(1,749.5-394) 4.44
4.	<i>Juliette Thévenin (2010-)</i>	(1,002.5-235) 4.18
5.	Heather Larkin (1994-97)	(1,363-395) 4.14
6.	Kori Ermigarat (1994-95)	(946.5-233) 4.06
7.	Berna Dwyer (1999-2002)	(1,399-366) 3.82
8.	Crystal Moore (1997-99)	(892.5-240) 3.72
9.	Stephanie Pflughaupt (1986-89)	(1,679.5-455) 3.69
10.	Kim DeNeve (1986-89)	(1,401.5-381) 3.68



# SCOTT SWANSON

## Head Coach • Second Year at South Carolina

- Coached seven teams that played in the NCAA Tournament (Arizona State 1999, 2000, Minnesota 2006-10)
- Part of staff for seven All-Americans
- Recruited three top-10 classes to Minnesota

The 11th head coach in Gamecock Volleyball history, Scott Swanson looks to build upon a season where he helped South Carolina double its win total in his first year.

The Gamecocks went 14-16 in Swanson's first year and improved its offensive efficiency and its backline defense under his guidance. The team led the SEC with a 16.78 digs average, the best mark in four years for the Gamecocks, and hit .226, a 45-point improvement from the 2011 season. Three times, South Carolina student-athletes garnered an SEC weekly award, with Juliette Thévenin picking up the first offensive listing and Paige Wheeler twice gaining the defensive certificate.

Swanson's teams also proved themselves in the classroom, earning the program's second Team Academic Award from the American Volleyball Coaches Association in 2011-12. Thirteen Gamecocks were listed on the SEC Academic Honor Rolls for the year as well, and the team claimed the department's Life Skills Team of the Year award, honoring the group for its academic achievements, personal development and work in the community.

Prior to his current head coaching job, Swanson spent five years on the sidelines for the Golden Gophers, helping the team to five-consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances and a 125-46 record. Three times, Minnesota finished second in the Big Ten behind perennial power Penn State. The 2009 team advanced to the national semifinals in the NCAA Tournament.

During his tenure in Minneapolis, Swanson helped the Golden Gophers become an elite blocking team. In five years, Minnesota never ranked lower than 35th in NCAA Division I in blocks. The 2007 team set a program record with 3.54 blocks per set. Five Golden Gophers earned All-America accolades during those five years, including 2009 first-team middle blocker and 2012 US National Team pool member Lauren Gibbemeyer.

Swanson also led the Gophers' recruiting efforts, posting three top-10 recruiting classes according to *PrepVolleyball.com*. The 2009 group earned top honors from the outlet.

The summer of 2009, Swanson spent time with USA Volleyball's A-2 Junior National Team, and he coached the USA Red team to a second-place showing in the 2008 USA Adult Open Championships.

Swanson brings in four years of head coaching experience to Columbia after his tenure at the University of Texas-El Paso. With a 50-61 career record, Swanson had the team on the brink of the NCAA Tournament in 2005, when the Miners went 21-10. Three players earned all-conference honors under Swanson's tutelage, including honorable mention All-American Kari Stacy. He also inked a high school All-American and saw his team improve in the classroom to a department-best 3.2 GPA in 2005.

Prior to UTEP, Swanson spent six years at his alma mater, Arizona State. He helped the team to two NCAA Tournament appearances during his time in Tempe and coached one second-team All-American and two Pac-10 All-Freshman Team players. Two of his Sun Devil players garnered Academic All-America certificates as well.

Swanson started his coaching career at Mountain View (Ariz.) High School, working as an assistant with the varsity team and leading his junior varsity group to a 17-1 record. As a head coach with the Arizona East Valley Juniors club, he led a 16-1s team to a national runner-up finish and earned Cactus Region Coach of the Year honors. He also served as head coach at Camelback High School before landing the job with Arizona State, where he also played club volleyball.

A graduate of ASU, Swanson is married to the former Erin Meier. The couple has one daughter, Rylee Sue.

### HEAD COACHING RECORD

Year	School	W	L	PCT	W	L	PCT	Finish
2002	UTEP	11	14	.440	6	7	.462	2nd WAC East
2003	UTEP	8	22	.267	2	11	.154	5th WAC East
2004	UTEP	10	15	.400	2	11	.154	4th WAC East
2005	UTEP	21	10	.677	10	6	.625	4th CUSA
2011	South Carolina	14	16	.467	5	15	.250	5th SEC East
2012	South Carolina	13	4	.765	2	4	.333	???
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6 Years</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>.487</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>.333</b>	

### ASSISTANT COACHING RECORD

Year	School	W	L	PCT	W	L	PCT	Finish
1996	Arizona State	9	15	.375	4	14	.222	8th Pac-10
1997	Arizona State	13	16	.448	4	14	.222	8th Pac-10
1998	Arizona State	11	14	.440	8	10	.444	T-5th Pac-10
1999	Arizona State	14	13	.519	10	8	.556	5th Pac-10
2000	Arizona State	18	12	.600	9	9	.500	T-5th Pac-10
2001	Arizona State	10	16	.385	5	13	.278	7th Pac-10
2006	Minnesota	26	8	.765	17	3	.850	T-2nd Big Ten
2007	Minnesota	18	13	.581	11	9	.550	T-3rd Big Ten
2008	Minnesota	27	7	.794	16	4	.800	2nd Big Ten
2009	Minnesota	28	9	.757	15	5	.750	3rd Big Ten
2010	Minnesota	26	8	.765	14	6	.700	2nd Big Ten
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11 Years</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>.604</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>.543</b>	

### THE SWANSON TIMELINE

#### Coaching

2011-present	Head coach, South Carolina
2006-2010	Assistant coach, associate head coach, Minnesota
2009	Assistant coach, USA Volleyball A-2 Women's Team
2002-2005	Head coach, UTEP
1996-2001	Assistant coach, associate head coach, Arizona State
1994-1995	Head coach, Camelback High School
1993-2000	Head coach, Arizona East Valley Juniors
1991-1992	Assistant coach, Mountain View High School

#### Education

1995	B.A., Family studies and human development, Arizona State
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# 1 - PAIGE WHEELER

## 5-7 • Jr. • DS • Virginia Beach, Va. (Cape Henry)

- Two-time SEC Academic Honor Roll member (2010-11)
- Two-time SEC Defensive Player of the Week (11/7/2011 & 11/21/2011)

### 2012 (JUNIOR)

- Served as libero in all but two sets in regular-season action
- Leads the Gamecocks with a 4.05 digs average, good for sixth in the SEC
- Tallied 20 digs at Auburn (9/21)
- Had no serve reception errors on 25 tries in the two Saturday matches of the Carolina Clash (9/8)
- Posted 21 digs and a career-best seven assists in the UAB win (9/8)
- Landed three service aces, a new career best, in the sweep of UNC Asheville (8/25)

### 2011 (SOPHOMORE)

- Served as libero in all but three sets
- Led the team and ranked third in the SEC with 4.57 digs per set, posting the fifth-most digs in a single season in South Carolina history (475), third-most in the rally-scoring era.
- Ranked second among passers with .945 serve-reception percentage
- *Twice earned SEC Defensive Player of the Week honors (11/7 & 11/21)*
- Posted 28 digs, tying her Elon (9/3) mark, in the four-set win over Georgia (11/20), knotted for third-best in a four-setter at South Carolina
- Averaged 5.83 digs per set and went 39-of-40 in serve receive vs. Mississippi and Alabama (11/4-6)
- Tallied a career-best 31 digs in the five-set win at College of Charleston (9/10)

### 2010 (FRESHMAN)

- Served as libero in 18 sets
- Ranked third among passers with .942 serve-reception percentage
- Posted three kills and nine digs in collegiate debut against Middle Tennessee (8/27)
- Had season-best 16 digs and made just one reception error in 35 tries in the home win over Mississippi State (11/13)
- Perfect in serve reception in five contests: No. 6 Illinois, College of Charleston, No. 16 LSU, at Mississippi State and at Arkansas

### HIGH SCHOOL

- League and Division II State Player of the Year as a junior
- Two-time first-team All-Tidewater Conference player, also making the second team once
- Led Cape Henry Collegiate School to two Virginia Independent Schools Athletic Association titles as a junior and senior
- Won 2007 USA Volleyball Junior Beach tour event for 16-and-unders

### MAJOR

- Exercise science

### Season Highs

#### Kills

1, Clemson (9/7)

#### Attempts

1, 2x, last UAB (9/8)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

N/A

#### Assists

7, UAB (9/8)

#### Service Aces

3, UNC Asheville (8/25)

#### Digs

21, UAB (9/8)

#### Blocks Solo

N/A

#### Block Assists

N/A

#### Total Blocks

N/A

### Career Highs

#### Kills

3, Middle Tennessee (8/27/10)

#### Attempts

6, 2x, last Mississippi State (10/8/10)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

N/A

#### Assists

7, UAB (9/8/12)

#### Service Aces

3, UNC Asheville (8/25/12)

#### Digs

31, C. of Charleston (9/10/11)

#### Blocks Solo

N/A

#### Block Assists

N/A

#### Total Blocks

N/A

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2010	70	26	9	0.13	10	39	-.026	9	0.13	1	0.01	13	112	1.60	17	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	10.0	0.14
2011	104	30	1	0.01	0	8	.125	65	0.62	14	0.13	24	475	4.57	33	0	0	0	0.00	0	2	15.0	0.14
2012	58	17	1	0.02	0	2	.500	54	0.93	8	0.14	19	235	4.05	15	0	0	0	0.00	0	2	9.0	0.16
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>.020</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>0.55</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>3.54</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>34.0</b>	<b>0.15</b>



# 2 - LEXIE PAWLIK

6-0 • So. • S • Granger, Ind. (Penn)

• 2011-12 SEC First-Year Academic Honor Roll

## 2012 (SOPHOMORE)

- Played in 13 matches
- Made a career-best 22 assists in the East Tennessee State win (8/25)

## 2011 (FRESHMAN)

- Saw time in 16 matches
- Tallied two kills and made 16 assists and four digs at Arkansas (11/11)
- Made ESPN SportsCenter Top 10 Plays after getting a dig and a kill in one action vs. Mississippi (11/4)
- Compiled 14 assists and a career-best four digs vs. LSU (10/7)
- Posted three kills and two digs vs. UNC Asheville (9/3)
- Had six assists, a kill, a solo block and an assist vs. Elon (9/3)
- Played two sets against Stony Brook (8/27), posting two kills and 17 assists

## HIGH SCHOOL

- Two-time first-team Indiana Coaches of Girls Sports Association 4A player
- Twice named Northern Indiana Conference Player of the Year
- *PrepVolleyball.com* top 250 in Senior Aces
- Second-team Under Armour/AVCA High School All-American in 2009-10
- Led team, and her coach Lisa Pawlik, her mother, to state championship as a senior
- Team improved its final finish every year with Pawlik

## MAJOR

- Early childhood education

### Season Highs

#### Kills

1, Navy (9/2)

#### Attempts

2, Navy (9/2)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

N/A

#### Assists

22, ETSU (8/25)

#### Service Aces

1, 3x, last Winthrop (9/8)

#### Digs

7, 3x, last West Virginia (9/1)

#### Blocks Solo

N/A

#### Block Assists

1, 2x, last Winthrop (9/8)

#### Total Blocks

1, 2x, last Winthrop (9/8)

### Career Highs

#### Kills

3, UNC Asheville (9/3/11)

#### Attempts

4, UNC Asheville (9/3/11)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

N/A

#### Assists

22, ETSU (8/25/12)

#### Service Aces

1, 6x, last Winthrop (9/8/12)

#### Digs

7, 3x, last West Virginia (9/1/12)

#### Blocks Solo

1, Elon (9/3/11)

#### Block Assists

1, 2x, last Winthrop (9/8/12)

#### Total Blocks

1, 3x, last Winthrop (9/8/12)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2011	27	16	9	0.33	4	15	.333	113	4.19	3	0.11	7	25	0.93	0	1	0	1	0.04	1	1	13.0	0.48
2012	27	13	1	0.04	2	4	-.250	138	5.11	3	0.11	4	39	1.44	0	0	2	2	0.07	0	3	5.0	0.19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>.211</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>4.65</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0.11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>1.19</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0.06</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>0.33</b>





# 4 - DARIAN DOZIER

6-0 • Fr. • MB/OH • Sandy Spring, Md. (St. Johns College)

## 2012 (FRESHMAN)

- Started 10 times and played in 16 matches
- Tallied five blocks, two of those solo, against Mississippi (9/30)
- Made nine kills and five block assists in the win over LSU (9/16)
- Posted 10 kills in the triumph over UAB (9/8)
- Compiled a season-best six blocks, including two solo stuffs, in the Clemson victory (9/7)
- Hit .538 with eight kills in the Niagara win (9/2)

## HIGH SCHOOL

- 2011 Under Armour/AVCA High School All-America Second Team honoree
- 2011 D.C. Gatorade Player of the Year
- First-team All-Met honors by the *Washington Post* after averaging 4.94 kills per set as senior
- Led her team to a pair of runner-up finishes in the Washington Catholic Athletic Conference

## MAJOR

- International business

### Season Highs

#### Kills

10, UAB (9/8)

#### Attempts

20, UAB (9/8)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

.538, Niagara (9/2)

#### Assists

2, LSU (9/16)

#### Service Aces

N/A

#### Digs

3, 2x, last at No. 21

Tennessee (9/23)

#### Blocks Solo

2, 2x, last Mississippi

(9/30)

#### Block Assists

5, LSU (9/16)

#### Total Blocks

6, Clemson (9/8)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2012	51	16	66	1.29	21	165	.273	4	0.08	0	0.00	0	15	0.29	0	6	39	45	0.88	8	0	91.5	1.78



# 5 - MADDIE FROME

5-10 • Fr. • OH • Newport Beach, Calif. (Mater Dei)

## 2012 (FRESHMAN)

- Appeared in eight matches
- Topped the Gamecocks with seven kills and added a solo block in the sweep of Navy (9/2)

## HIGH SCHOOL

- First-team All-Trinity League honors as a senior
- Team MVP and also claimed the offensive player award and the school's Monarch Award

## MAJOR

- Business

### Season Highs

#### Kills

7, Navy (9/2)

#### Attempts

15, Navy (9/2)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

.200, Navy (9/2)

#### Assists

1, West Virginia (9/1)

#### Service Aces

N/A

#### Digs

5, Navy (9/2)

#### Blocks Solo

1, Navy (9/2)

#### Block Assists

1, Temple (8/24)

#### Total Blocks

1, 2x, last Navy (9/2)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2012	9	8	12	1.33	6	27	.222	1	0.11	0	0.00	1	7	0.78	4	1	1	2	0.22	0	0	13.5	1.44



# 6 - SARAH BLOMGREN

5-10 • Fr. • Opp. • Canyon Country, Calif. (Saugus)

## 2012 (FRESHMAN)

- Posted five kills at Auburn (9/21)
- Debuted against LSU (9/16), posting three kills and three block assists in four sets of action

## HIGH SCHOOL

- 2011 first-team All-Foothills League and All-Santa Clarita Valley by *The Signal*
- Helped the Centurions to the 2011 Foothills League title
- Averaged 3.5 kills per set and posted 57 aces as a senior
- Nominated for Saugus's SAMMY award for success on and off the playing field

## MAJOR

- Exercise science

### Season Highs

#### Kills

5, Auburn (9/21)

#### Attempts

18, Auburn (9/21)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

.111, Auburn (9/21)

#### Assists

N/A

#### Service Aces

N/A

#### Digs

1, 2x, last Mississippi  
(9/30)

#### Blocks Solo

N/A

#### Block Assists

3, LSU (9/16)

#### Total Blocks

3, LSU (9/16)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2012	15	5	11	0.73	13	45	-0.044	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	2	0.13	0	0	6	6	0.40	1	0	14.0	0.93



# 9 - CHRISTINA GLOVER

**5-10 • Sr. • OH • Mount Pleasant, S.C. (Wando)**

- Three-time SEC Academic Honor Roll (2009-11)
- 2010 SEC Volleyball Community Service Team

## 2012 (SENIOR)

- Played in nine matches, drawing two starts
- Had 10 digs in the UAB win (9/8) and also in the Georgia victory (9/14)

## 2011 (JUNIOR)

- Played in 17 matches, starting four times
- Posted a season-best eight kills and 11 digs in the triumph over Georgia (11/20)
- Had six digs in a defensive specialist's role both at Ole Miss (10/16) and vs. Mississippi State (10/21), both SC wins
- Drew the start against Stony Brook (8/27), posting seven digs and five kills

## 2010 (SOPHOMORE)

- Ranked third on the team with 2.00 digs per set
- Recorded personal-best 16 digs and 15 kills vs. BYU (8/28)
- Tallied 10 kills and a career-best four blocks against Georgia (10/15)

## 2009 (FRESHMAN)

- Saw time in 20 matches, starting twice
- South Carolina went 2-0 during her two starts
- Posted 10 kills vs. Alabama (9/25)

## HIGH SCHOOL

- Two-time South Carolina Player of the Year according to the Coaches Association for Women's Sports
- Also named 2008 Player of the Year for the state by Gatorade, the *High School Sports Report* and the *Charleston Post & Courier*
- Two-time *PrepVolleyball.com* All-American
- 2007 *HSSR* 4A Volleyball Player of the Year
- Named Lowcountry's Athlete of the Year for 2008-09 by the *Post & Courier*
- Played for mother and former Gamecock letter winner Alexis (Homer) Glover at Wando High School

## MAJOR

- Middle level education

### Season Highs

**Kills**  
2, Navy (9/2)

**Attempts**  
6, Navy (9/2)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
N/A

**Assists**  
N/A

**Service Aces**  
1, Winthrop (9/8)

**Digs**  
10, 2x, last LSU (9/16)

**Blocks Solo**  
N/A

**Block Assists**  
N/A

**Total Blocks**  
N/A

### Career Highs

**Kills**  
15, BYU (8/28/10)

**Attempts**  
44, BYU (8/28/10)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.381, Alabama (9/25/09)

**Assists**  
2, 2x, last Kentucky (9/25/11)

**Service Aces**  
2, Arkansas (10/1/10)

**Digs**  
16, BYU (8/28/10)

**Blocks Solo**  
1, 2x, last Mississippi (10/31/10)

**Block Assists**  
3, Georgia (10/15/10)

**Total Blocks**  
4, Georgia (10/15/10)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2009	41	20	37	0.90	18	119	.160	5	0.12	0	0.00	4	27	0.66	8	0	3	3	0.07	3	1	38.5	0.93
2010	72	26	103	1.43	70	384	.086	8	0.11	4	0.06	15	144	2.00	33	2	10	12	0.17	4	1	114.0	1.58
2011	33	18	28	0.85	20	102	.078	7	0.21	0	0.00	4	70	2.12	8	0	2	2	0.06	0	0	29.0	0.88
2012	22	9	2	0.09	0	9	.222	0	0.00	1	0.05	3	36	1.64	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	3.0	0.14
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>1.01</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>.101</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0.12</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0.03</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>1.65</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>184.5</b>	<b>1.10</b>





# 10 - CHRISTINA VEREB

**6-1 • R-Fr. • Opp./MB • Rock Hill, S.C. (Rock Hill)**

- 2011-12 SEC First-Year Academic Honor Roll

## 2012 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)

- Started 13 matches and played in all 17
- Posted 11 kills twice, including when she posted a .500 hitting percentage in the Winthrop win (9/8)
- Twice has made four block assists in a match: East Tennessee State (8/25) and Clemson (9/7)

## 2011 (FRESHMAN)

- Took a redshirt in her first year on campus

## HIGH SCHOOL

- Honorable mention on Under Armour/AVCA Girls High School All-America teams
- Two-time South Carolina Coaches Association of Women's Sports 4A all-state team member
- Led Rock Hill to runner-up honors in the state as a senior
- *High School Sports Report's* Player of the Year in 2010
- Earned All-Piedmont team honors from the *Charlotte Observer* and all-area accolades from the *Rock Hill Herald* twice
- Also lettered three times in track and once in basketball
- Four-year member of the honor roll

## MAJOR

- Sport and entertainment management

### Season Highs

**Kills**  
11, 2x, last Winthrop (9.8)

**Attempts**  
23, George Mason (9/1)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.500, Winthrop (9/8)

**Assists**  
3, Niagara (9/2)

**Service Aces**  
N/A

**Digs**  
5, George Mason (9/1)

**Blocks Solo**  
N/A

**Block Assists**  
4, 2x, last Clemson (9/7)

**Total Blocks**  
4, 2x, last Clemson (9/7)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2011									Did Not Played - Redshirt														
2012	59	17	92	1.56	39	230	.230	5	0.08	0	0.00	0	24	0.41	1	0	31	31	0.53	2	1	107.5	1.81



# 11 - CARA HOWLEY

**6-0 • RS So. • MB/OH • McKinney, Texas (McKinney Boyd)**

• Two-time SEC Academic Honor Roll member (2010-11)

## Season Highs

**Kills**  
17, UAB (9/8)

**Attempts**  
29, LSU (9/16)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.526, Niagara (9/2)

**Assists**  
2, No. 21 Tennessee (9/23)

**Service Aces**  
3, West Virginia (9/1)

**Digs**  
8, LSU (9/16)

**Blocks Solo**  
1, 2x, last No. 12 Florida (9/28)

**Block Assists**  
5, LSU (9/16)

**Total Blocks**  
5, LSU (9/16)

## Career Highs

**Kills**  
17, UAB (9/8/12)

**Attempts**  
36, LSU (10/7/11)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.667, S.C. State (9/10/10)

**Assists**  
2, 2x, last Alabama (10/14/11)

**Service Aces**  
3, 2x, last West Virginia (9/1/12)

**Digs**  
10, C. of Charleston (9/4/10)

**Blocks Solo**  
1, 4x, last No. 12 Florida (9/28/12)

**Block Assists**  
5, LSU (9/16/12)

**Total Blocks**  
5, 2x, last LSU (9/16/12)

## 2012 (REDSHIRT SOPHOMORE)

- Started all 17 matches at middle blocker
- Leads South Carolina in aces per set (0.31) and hitting percentage among regular hitters (.326)
- Ranks second on the team in kills per set (2.47) and blocks per set (0.76)
- Led the Gamecocks with 16 points (12 kills, two aces, one solo block, two block assists) against No. 12 Florida (9/28), hitting .400
- Landed 11 kills and season highs in digs (8) and blocks (5) in the LSU victory (9/16)
- Hit .500 with 11 kills in the Georgia win (9/14)
- Posted a career-best 17 kills in the win over UAB (9/8)
- The last of her three four-block matches came in the sweep of Clemson (9/7)
- Hit .526 (11-1-19) against Niagara (9/2)
- Tied her career best with three aces in the West Virginia win (9/1)

## 2011 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)

- Played in 29 matches, starting 16
- Made a season-best 14 kills, a career-high 16.5 points and tied her season high with six digs in the four-set win over Georgia (11/20)
- Tied season bests in digs (6) and block assists (4) in the victory over Auburn (11/18)
- Compiled a career-best three aces as part of her 15.5 points (11 kills, 3 block assists) at LSU (11/13)
- Made 12 kills on a .524 hitting percentage and had then-career bests in aces (2) and block assists (4) in the win at Ole Miss (10/16)
- Tallied 10 kills on a .400 hitting percentage in two sets she played against Kentucky (9/25)

## 2010 (FRESHMAN)

- Played in 10 matches, starting seven, before a knee injury ended her year, taking a medical redshirt
- Ranked third on the team in kills and hitting percentage when her season was cut short
- Twice posted 15 kills in the Carolina Challenge vs. College of Charleston and Winthrop (9/4)
- Had 10 digs vs. the Cougars while posting five blocks against the Eagles

## HIGH SCHOOL

- Claimed the District 8-5A MVP award as a senior
- Named the district's best blocker as a junior
- Also owned McKinney Boyd's high jump record
- Helped her Skyline Roshambo group finish ninth in the open division at the 2009 Junior Olympics

## MAJOR

- Double in international business and human resource management with a minor in Spanish

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2010	33	10	78	2.36	34	187	.235	4	0.12	4	0.12	2	27	0.82	1	2	19	21	0.64	1	1	93.5	2.82
2011	79	29	167	2.11	71	433	.222	6	0.08	15	0.19	28	54	0.68	1	0	31	31	0.39	4	1	197.5	2.49
2012	58	17	143	2.47	45	301	.326	7	0.12	18	0.31	24	44	0.76	0	2	42	44	0.76	4	0	184.0	3.17
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>2.28</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>.258</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>0.22</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>0.74</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>475.0</b>	<b>2.79</b>



# 12 - JULIETTE THÉVENIN

**6-2 • Jr. • OH • Mont-sur-Marchienne, Belgium (Notre-Dame de Loverval)**

- 2010 SEC All-Freshman Team
- Two-time SEC Academic Honor Roll member (2010-11)
- Three SEC Weekly Awards (Offensive 9/17/12, Offensive 8/29/11, Freshman 10/25/10)

## 2012 (JUNIOR)

- Posted seven double-doubles and double-figure kills in 14 matches
- Leads the Gamecocks in kills per set (4.12), the fourth-best mark in the SEC
- Held a share or led the team in kills in 14 of the 17 matches on the NCAA schedule
- Hit .370 with 22 kills and 18 digs in the Auburn outing (9/21)
- Named SEC Offensive Player of the Week (9/17)
- Compiled a season-best 22 kills to go with 11 digs in the LSU win (9/16) while also receiving 33 serves without an error
- Posted 18 kills on a .333 hitting percentage against Georgia (9/14), including 13 without an error in the last two sets
- Had 20 kills and 13 digs in the UAB win (9/8)
- Tied a career high with a .500 hitting percentage on 15 kills in the sweep of Clemson (9/7)
- Posted one ace in each of the four matches of the 2012 Gamecock Invitational (8/24-25)

## 2011 (SOPHOMORE)

- Had 19 kills on a .306 hitting percentage and 15 digs in the victory over Auburn (11/18)
- Matched a season best with three aces and added 12 kills at Mississippi State (9/18)
- Named to the College of Charleston Invitational All-Tournament Team
- Made a season-best 20 digs in the win over Winthrop (9/10)
- Posted a career-best 23 kills in the victory over College of Charleston (9/10)
- Earned SEC Offensive Player of the Week honors (8/29)
- Named Temple Invitational MVP and most valuable attacker after posting double-doubles in all three matches, averaging 4.80 kills and 4.90 digs per set
- Tied a then-career high with 21 kills in the season-opening win over Montana (8/26)
- Compiled 19 digs and 10 kills in the victory at Temple (8/27)

## 2010 (FRESHMAN)

- Became the third freshman and 11th Gamecock all-time to lead team in kills and aces in the same season
- The fifth Gamecock to lead the team in kills as a freshman
- Finished fourth in the SEC in kills and service aces, leading the team in both categories
- Also topped the team with a .948 serve reception percentage
- Her 350 kills ranked fifth on the single-season rally-scoring era charts
- Season average of 3.65 kills per set stood second best on the freshman charts
- Tallied seven double-doubles on the year, most on the team
- Earned Gamecock Invitational All-Tournament Team accolades

## CLUB

- Played under coach Sacha Koulberg with Dauphines Charleroi
- Member of Belgium's junior national team that won bronze at the 2009 FIVB Girls Youth Volleyball Championship

## MAJOR

- Russian

### Season Highs

**Kills**  
22, 2x, last Auburn (9/21)

**Attempts**  
58, LSU (9/16)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.500, Clemson (9/7)

**Assists**  
2, 5x, last No. 21 Tennessee (9/23)

**Service Aces**  
3, No. 21 Tennessee (9/23)

**Digs**  
18, Auburn (9/21)

**Blocks Solo**  
2, Niagara (9/2)

**Block Assists**  
3, West Virginia (9/1)

**Total Blocks**  
3, 2x, last Niagara (9/2)

### Career Highs

**Kills**  
23, C. of Charleston (9/10/11)

**Attempts**  
58, 2x, last LSU (9/16/12)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.500, 2x, last Clemson (9/7/12)

**Assists**  
5, Alabama (11/6/11)

**Service Aces**  
4, The Citadel (9/26/10)

**Digs**  
23, Mississippi State (11/13/10)

**Blocks Solo**  
2, 2x, last Niagara (9/2/12)

**Block Assists**  
4, 2x, last Mississippi State (11/13/10)

**Total Blocks**  
5, Mississippi State (10/8/10)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2010	96	27	350	3.65	141	934	.224	28	0.29	29	0.30	45	226	2.35	23	5	24	29	0.30	6	2	396.0	4.12
2011	88	25	321	3.65	121	896	.223	27	0.31	17	0.19	34	296	3.36	26	4	25	29	0.33	2	1	354.5	4.02
2012	56	17	231	4.12	75	560	.279	17	0.30	12	0.21	20	145	2.59	12	3	12	15	0.27	3	2	252.0	4.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>902</b>	<b>3.76</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>2390</b>	<b>.236</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>0.24</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>2.78</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>0.30</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1002.5</b>	<b>4.18</b>



# 13 - JENNA ALLEN

5-10 • Fr. • OH • Lewisville, Texas (Hebron)

## 2012 (FRESHMAN)

- Played in 17 matches
- Posted a career-best 10 kills on a .412 hitting percentage against No. 12 Florida (9/28)
- Set a then-personal best with eight kills and 12 digs in the Niagara win (9/2)
- Compiled four block assists in her debut against Temple (8/24)

### Season Highs

#### Kills

10, No. 12 Florida  
(9/28)

#### Attempts

23, ETSU (8/25)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

.412, No. 12 Florida  
(9/28)

#### Assists

3, Clemson (9/7)

#### Service Aces

1, 2x, last Clemson  
(9/7)

#### Digs

12, Niagara (9/2)

#### Blocks Solo

1, Niagara (9/2)

#### Block Assists

4, Temple (8/24)

#### Total Blocks

4, Temple (8/24)

## HIGH SCHOOL

- Texas Girls Coaches Association 5A All-State honors as a senior
- Shared Offensive Player of the Year accolades for District 8-5A in 2011
- Named the Texas Player of the Week by MaxPreps/AVCA on Oct. 30, 2011
- Led the Hawks to the Texas 5A title during her junior year
- Also a four-year letter-winner in track
- Member of the Texas Advantage club when they won a national title in the 15-open division

## MAJOR

- Exercise science

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2012	45	17	54	1.20	24	138	.217	9	0.20	2	0.04	5	44	0.98	4	1	14	15	0.33	0	0	64.0	1.42





# 15 - LINDSEY CRAFT

## 5-7 • Jr. • DS • Alpharetta, Ga. (Chattahoochee)

- Two-time SEC Academic Honor Roll member (2010-11)

### 2012 (JUNIOR)

- Had 12 digs, including eight in a set as the libero, in the Mississippi contest (9/30)
- Made six digs in each of her two appearances in The Mason Inn Patriot Invitational against Navy and Niagara (9/2)
- Led the Gamecocks with nine digs in the exhibition against the Slovenian National Team (8/29)

### 2011 (SOPHOMORE)

- Compiled a season-best 14 digs and tied a career best with two assists at LSU (11/13)
- Played the final two sets at libero against Kentucky (9/25) and posted a then-season-best 11 digs
- Had six digs in three different matches: Stony Brook (8/27), Elon (9/3) and Clemson (9/9)

### 2010 (FRESHMAN)

- Posted 22 digs and a kill against BYU (8/28)
- Had nine digs at Auburn (11/5)

### HIGH SCHOOL

- A 5A All-Georgia first-team member as a senior and named a senior all-star
- Three-time 6-5A all-area team recipient
- Helped Chattahoochie win the 6-5A area title as a junior

### MAJOR

- Double in international business and human resource management with a minor in Spanish

### Season Highs

#### Kills

1, Temple (8/24)

#### Attempts

2, Temple (8/24)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

N/A

#### Assists

1, 2x, last No. 12  
Florida (9/28)

#### Service Aces

N/A

#### Digs

12, Mississippi (9/30)

#### Blocks Solo

N/A

#### Block Assists

N/A

#### Total Blocks

N/A

### Career Highs

#### Kills

1, 3x, last Temple  
(8/24/12)

#### Attempts

2, 6x, last Temple  
(8/24/12)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

N/A

#### Assists

2, 4x, last LSU  
(11/13/11)

#### Service Aces

1, 4x, last Mississippi  
(10/16/11)

#### Digs

22, BYU (8/28/10)

#### Blocks Solo

N/A

#### Block Assists

N/A

#### Total Blocks

N/A

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2010	38	17	2	0.05	1	8	.125	7	0.18	2	0.05	3	66	1.74	4	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	4.0	0.11
2011	55	23	0	0.00	1	9	-.111	9	0.16	2	0.04	5	78	1.42	8	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	2.0	0.04
2012	16	8	1	0.06	0	3	.333	2	0.12	0	0.00	8	36	2.25	2	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0	0.06
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0.03</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>.050</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0.04</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>1.65</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>0.06</b>



# 16 - BETHANIE THOMAS

6-1 • So. • OH • Madison, Ala. (Bob Jones)

• 2011-12 SEC First-Year Academic Honor Roll

## 2012 (SOPHOMORE)

- Third on the team in kills per set (2.28) and digs per set (2.33)
- Tallied 14 kills on a .444 hitting percentage with nine digs against No. 12 Florida (9/28)
- Compiled 14 digs and nine kills in the LSU win (9/16)
- Led the team with 16 digs in the win over Winthrop (9/8)
- Had 10 kills, 14 digs and four blocks, three of those solo, in the victory against East Tennessee State (8/25)

## 2011 (FRESHMAN)

- Led South Carolina with a .949 reception percentage
- Posted 10 kills at No. 24 Kentucky (10/28)
- Held to season lows with three digs at both Kentucky and No. 20 Tennessee (10/28-30)
- Made 11 digs vs. No. 13 Florida (10/19)
- Tallied 11 kills and 11 digs at Alabama (10/14)
- Posted two of her five double-doubles in consecutive matches with identical 10 kill and 10 dig outputs vs. Mississippi State (9/18) and Tennessee (9/23)
- Had a career-best 16 digs vs. College of Charleston (9/10)
- MVP of the Gamecock Invitational
- Compiled a .577 hitting percentage with 16 kills, both career bests, against Elon (9/3)
- Posted double-digit digs on 13 occasions, tallying nine five times and eight three other times
- Just missed a double-double in her debut with nine kills and 11 digs against Montana (8/26)

## HIGH SCHOOL

- All-state honors in 2007 and 2008
- Finalist for national freshman and sophomore of the year by *PrepVolleyball.com*
- Led Bob Jones to their first volleyball state title in 2008, winning Alabama 6A
- Super All-Metro team member from the *Huntsville Times* as a freshman
- Played exclusively with the Rocket City Volleyball Club her final two years of high school

## MAJOR

- Civil engineering

### Season Highs

**Kills**  
14, No. 12 Florida (9/28)

**Attempts**  
34, Clemson (9/7)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.474, 2x, last UNC Asheville (8/25)

**Assists**  
5, Clemson (9/7)

**Service Aces**  
2, Akron (8/24)

**Digs**  
16, Winthrop (9/8)

**Blocks Solo**  
3, ETSU (8/25)

**Block Assists**  
2, 2x, last UNC Asheville (8/25)

**Total Blocks**  
4, ETSU (8/25)

### Career Highs

**Kills**  
16, Elon (9/3/11)

**Attempts**  
39, Alabama (10/14/11)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.577, Elon (9/3/11)

**Assists**  
5, 2x, last Clemson (9/7/12)

**Service Aces**  
2, 2x, last Akron (8/24/12)

**Digs**  
16, 2x, last Winthrop (9/8/12)

**Blocks Solo**  
3, ETSU (8/25/12)

**Block Assists**  
2, 7x, last UNC Asheville (8/25/12)

**Total Blocks**  
4, ETSU (8/25/12)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2011	99	30	207	2.09	89	723	.163	48	0.48	8	0.08	12	259	2.62	28	4	19	23	0.23	3	1	228.5	2.30
2012	57	17	130	2.28	33	368	.264	20	0.35	8	0.14	5	133	2.33	11	10	20	0.35	2	0	153.0	2.68	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>2.16</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>1091</b>	<b>.197</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>0.44</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>2.51</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>0.28</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>381.5</b>	<b>2.44</b>



# 17 - ELIZABETH JOHNBULL

5-10 • Fr. • MB • Pflugerville, Texas (Connally)

## 2012 (FRESHMAN)

- Played in five matches
- Posted three kills on three swings against Navy (9/2)

## HIGH SCHOOL

- First-team all-district honors as a senior, helping her team to the district title
- Named District 16-4A's Best Offensive Player as a junior
- Three-time member of the academic all-district listings

## MAJOR

- Switching to public health

### Season Highs

#### Kills

3, Navy (9/2)

#### Attempts

3, Navy (9/2)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

N/A

#### Assists

N/A

#### Service Aces

N/A

#### Digs

N/A

#### Blocks Solo

N/A

#### Block Assists

1, Navy (9/2)

#### Total Blocks

1, Navy (9/2)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2012	5	5	4	0.80	1	6	.500	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	1	1	0.20	0	0	4.5	0.80



# 20 - TAYLOR BRUNS

6-0 • Sr. • S • Normal, Ill. (University)

• Three-time SEC Academic Honor Roll (2009-11)

## Season Highs

**Kills**  
10, Clemson (9/7)

**Attempts**  
21, UAB (9/8)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.588, Clemson (9/7)

**Assists**  
54, UAB (9/8)

**Service Aces**  
3, Temple (8/24)

**Digs**  
13, George Mason (9/1)

**Blocks Solo**  
1, 2x, last Auburn (9/21)

**Block Assists**  
3, No. 21 Tennessee (9/23)

**Total Blocks**  
3, 2x, last No. 21 Tennessee (9/23)

## Career Highs

**Kills**  
10, Clemson (9/7/12)

**Attempts**  
21, UAB (9/8/12)

**Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)**  
.588, Clemson (9/7/12)

**Assists**  
59, C. of Charleston (9/10/11)

**Service Aces**  
6, 2x, last Alabama (11/6/11)

**Digs**  
20, Montana (8/26/11)

**Blocks Solo**  
1, 3x, last Auburn (9/21/12)

**Block Assists**  
4, Montana (8/26/11)

**Total Blocks**  
4, Montana (8/26/11)

## 2012 (SENIOR)

- MVP of the Carolina Clash with a 2.33 kills average, 2.67 digs average and 11.78 assists average in the event
- Had 54 assists and eight kills in the UAB win (9/8)
- Posted a double-double with a career-best 10 kills and 30 assists in the sweep of Clemson (9/7)
- Compiled seven kills, 39 assists and two aces and guided the team to a .370 hitting percentage in the Niagara win (9/2)
- Had six kills, 32 assists and 13 digs in the win at George Mason (9/1)
- Landed three aces and added 10 digs in the season-opening sweep of Temple (8/24)

## 2011 (JUNIOR)

- Tied for the team lead with 14 points (seven kills, six aces, two block assists) in the triumph over Alabama (11/6)
- The six aces vs. the Crimson Tide tie for fourth on South Carolina's three-set match chart and tied her career high
- Matched her then-career best with nine kills, hitting .727, and led team to .359 hitting percentage in win over Miss. State (10/21)
- Added her ninth double-double at Ole Miss (10/16) with 48 assists and 10 digs while also adding five kills and an ace
- Made a career-best 59 assists in the win over College of Charleston (9/10)
- A member of the Gamecock Invitational all-tournament team after hitting .556 (18-3-27) and dishing out 11.38 assists per set
- Tallied eight kills without an error in the win over Elon (9/3)
- Named the Temple Invitational's most valuable setter, posting two double-doubles there
- Set a career high with 20 digs and four block assists to go with 36 assists, two kills and two aces in the win over Montana (8/26)
- Had 35 assists and 10 digs in the victory at Temple (8/27)

## 2010 (SOPHOMORE)

- Led team and ranked seventh in the SEC in assists (7.30 per set average)
- Also ranked fifth in the league in aces (0.30 per set)
- Tied for second-most aces in a five-set match with six while adding 40 assists, seven digs and two block assists vs. BYU (8/28)
- Had season-best 54 assists and six kills against College of Charleston (9/4)
- Hit .350 with eight kills, 35 assists and 10 digs at No. 18 Tennessee (9/17)
- Posted 35 assists, 11 digs and four aces at Mississippi (10/31)
- Compiled 29 assists and four aces in win over Alabama (11/12)
- Had nine kills and .533 hitting percentage, both career bests, along with 41 assists and eight digs vs. Mississippi State (11/13)

## 2009 (FRESHMAN)

- Sparked a comeback against No. 15 Kentucky when the Gamecocks forced a fifth set with her 11 assists and no service errors (10/4)

## HIGH SCHOOL

- An honorable mention on the *Chicago Tribune* and *Champaign News-Gazette* all-state teams in 2008
- Area Player of the Year by the *Bloomington Pantagraph* as a senior
- Twice on the *Pantagraph's* all-area team
- Two-time All-Corn Belt Conference honoree
- Led University to three-consecutive conference championships
- Won the 17s title at AAU Nationals with her Illini Elite club team

## MAJOR

- Middle level education

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2009	69	28	13	0.19	5	48	.167	175	2.54	7	0.10	11	66	0.96	0	0	1	1	0.01	0	2	20.5	0.29
2010	104	29	76	0.73	28	249	.193	759	7.30	31	0.30	15	181	1.74	0	1	11	12	0.12	4	4	113.5	1.09
2011	102	30	105	1.03	25	242	.331	971	9.52	25	0.25	27	258	2.53	0	0	21	21	0.21	3	9	140.5	1.37
2012	58	17	59	1.02	11	139	.345	521	8.98	14	0.24	11	124	2.14	0	2	13	15	0.26	0	2	81.5	1.40
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>0.76</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>678</b>	<b>.271</b>	<b>2426</b>	<b>7.29</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>1.89</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>0.15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>356.0</b>	<b>1.07</b>



# 21 - LITSA DARBY

5-6 • Fr. • DS/S • Mount Pleasant, S.C. (Ashley Hall)

## 2012 (FRESHMAN)

- Played in four matches, posting two assists in the UNC Asheville win (8/25) and two digs against Navy (9/2)

### Season Highs

Kills	N/A
Attempts	N/A
Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)	N/A
Assists	2, UNC Asheville (8/25)
Service Aces	N/A
Digs	2, Navy (9/2)
Blocks Solo	N/A
Block Assists	N/A
Total Blocks	N/A

## HIGH SCHOOL

- Two-time *PrepVolleyball.com* All-American
- The 2011 *High School Sports Report* (HSSR) Miss Volleyball for South Carolina
- Named Lowcountry Player of the Year by the *Charleston Post & Courier*
- Four-time HSSR and South Carolina Independent School Association all-state selection
- Compiled 3,884 assists as the starting setter for her team
- Also earned two track letters and one soccer letter at Ashley Hall
- The 2012 Ashley Hall Community Service Excellence Award winner

## MAJOR

- Studio art

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2012	5	4	0	0.00	0	0	.000	2	0.40	0	0.00	2	3	0.60	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	2	0.0	0.00



# 22 - MEGAN KENT

6-1 • Jr. • MB/OH • Ijamsville, Md. (Urbana)

- Two-time SEC Academic Honor Roll member (2010-11)

## 2012 (JUNIOR)

- Started seven matches and played in 12
- Posted career bests with 13 kills and a .600 hitting percentage while adding four block assists in the East Tennessee State win (8/25)

## 2011 (SOPHOMORE)

- Tallied a career-best 10 kills at LSU (11/13)
- Posted then-career highs in kills (8), swings (21), aces (1) and digs (4) at No. 24 Kentucky (10/28)
- Had seven kills on a career-best .500 hitting percentage in the Mississippi State win (10/21)
- Posted a career-best five blocks, including her first solo stuff, to go with a season-best five kills vs. LSU (10/7)
- Went 4-for-5 on swings in the win over Elon (9/3)
- Compiled three kills and three block assists against Montana (8/26)

## 2010 (FRESHMAN)

- Saw time in 16 matches, starting once
- Posted a career-best eight kills on a .375 hitting percentage while adding two block assists vs. Georgia (10/15)

## HIGH SCHOOL

- Named the Monocacy Valley Athletic League (MVAL) Player of the Year by the *Frederick Post*
- All-Met honorable mention by the *Washington Post*
- 2007 and 2009 first-team All-MVAL

## MAJOR

- Criminal justice

### Season Highs

#### Kills

13, ETSU (8/25)

#### Attempts

20, ETSU (8/25)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

.600, ETSU (8/25)

#### Assists

1, ETSU (8/25)

#### Service Aces

N/A

#### Digs

3, ETSU (8/25)

#### Blocks Solo

1, ETSU (8/25)

#### Block Assists

3, ETSU (8/25)

#### Total Blocks

4, ETSU (8/25)

### Career Highs

#### Kills

13, ETSU (8/25/12)

#### Attempts

27, LSU (11/13/11)

#### Hit. % (Min. 12 Att.)

.600, ETSU (8/25/12)

#### Assists

2, Kentucky  
(10/22/10)

#### Service Aces

1, 2x, last Kentucky  
(10/28/11)

#### Digs

4, Kentucky  
(10/28/11)

#### Blocks Solo

1, 3x, last ETSU  
(8/25/12)

#### Block Assists

4, LSU (10/7/11)

#### Total Blocks

5, LSU (10/7/11)

## CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	SP	MP	KILL	K/S	ERR	ATT	PCT	AST	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	P	P/S
2010	26	16	23	0.88	14	61	.148	5	0.19	1	0.04	0	5	0.19	0	0	7	7	0.27	2	1	27.5	1.04
2011	59	23	96	1.63	27	239	.289	5	0.08	1	0.02	2	16	0.27	0	2	27	29	0.49	3	1	112.5	1.90
2012	21	12	29	1.38	7	60	.367	1	0.05	0	0.00	1	7	0.33	0	1	7	8	0.38	3	0	33.5	1.57
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>1.40</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>.278</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>0.42</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>173.5</b>	<b>1.63</b>