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## CAROLINA SOCCER



# #9 - SAM ARTHUR

**JUNIOR - FORWARD - 6'1 - 181 - ROSWELL, GA. - GREATER ATLANTA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL**

### 2008

Started all 19 games ... Led the team and Conference USA in points (27), goals (12) and game-winning goals ... Also led the team in shots (52) and shots on goal (28) ... Named to the All-C-USA First Team and the C-USA All-Academic Team ... Collected NSCAA All-South Region Second-Team honors ... Earned First Team *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District III accolades and was named a Second Team *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-American ... Kicked off the season with a stellar performance against archrival Clemson, scoring game-winning tally, while adding an assist in 2-0 victory (Aug. 29) ... Scored lone Carolina goal in 1-1 tie versus Presbyterian (Sept. 2) ... Collected assist in loss to North Carolina (Sept. 5), competing at the Wake Forest Deacon Classic ... Began a string of three-consecutive games scoring two goals in 3-0 victory over Lehigh (Sept. 12) in opening match of adidas Gamecock Classic ... Tallied both goals in 2-0 victory over Jacksonville (Sept. 14) to propel squad to adidas Gamecock Classic title ... Named offensive MVP of the tournament ... Earned *TopDrawerSoccer.com* Player of the Week honors for performance at Gamecock Classic ... Scored two goals in third-consecutive match, leading team to 4-0 shutout road victory at College of Charleston (Sept. 19) ... Named the AgSouth Athlete of the Week, the C-USA Co-Offensive Player of the Week, earned second-consecutive *TopDrawerSoccer.com* Team of the Week honor and was also named to the *CollegeSoccerNews.com* Team of the Week on Sept. 22 following performance at College of Charleston ... Tallied one goal in victory against Davidson (Sept. 27) and followed with one-goal, one-assist effort in C-USA season-opening victory against Florida International (Oct. 4) ... Scored game-winning goal, his sixth of the season, in 1-0 victory at Marshall (Oct. 25) ... Tallied final goal of the year in 3-0 win against SMU (Nov. 12) in opening round of the C-USA Tournament ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also

### 2007

received the C-USA Commissioner's Academic Medal, which is awarded to student-athletes with a cumulative GPA of 3.75 and above ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll ... Earned the team's Brian Winstead Memorial Award.

Started all nine games in which he played in before an injury ended his freshman campaign ... Scored five goals and contributed two assists ... Tallied two goals, including the game-winner, in home-opener victory against Presbyterian College (Sept. 4) ... Also contributed one assist against the Blue Hose ... Collected one goal on three shots in overtime victory over intrastate rival Wofford (Sept. 11) ... Tallied one assist against Lipscomb (Sept. 16) to help Gamecocks captured adidas Gamecock Classic title in 2-0 victory ... Scored goals in back-to-back contests against No. 9 Duke (Sept. 19) and Alabama A&M (Sept. 23) ... Named the AgSouth Athlete of the Week for his play against the Blue Devils and Bulldogs ... Played just one C-USA contest, contributing two shots in 1-0 Carolina victory over UAB ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also received the C-USA Commissioner's Academic Medal, which is awarded to student-athletes with a cumulative GPA of 3.75 and above ... Also named to the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll.

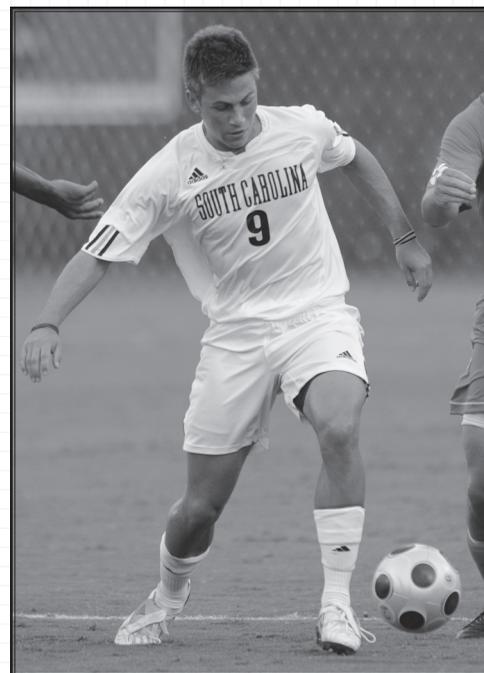
### PRE-COLLEGE

Member of the United States National Team Under-18 player pool, Region III Olympic Development Team and the Georgia State Team 2002-05 ... Named one of the nation's top 10 soccer recruits by *RISE Magazine* in 2007 ... Garnered National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) adidas All-America High School honors in 2006 ... Invited to the adidas Elite Soccer Program (ESP) in 2006... Holds the Greater Atlanta Christian School record for most goals in a season and career ... Helped his team to three regional titles, 2004-2006, and an appearance in the 2006 state finals ... Named Gwinett County Super Six ... Named first-team all-county in 2005 and 2006 ... Earned NSCAA High School All-South honors in 2006 ... Played club soccer for the At-

lanta Fire United and coach Massoud Roushanel ... Club team won the Georgia State and Region III titles in 2006 and made the Region III finals in 2005 ... Led the Region III Premier League East in goals and overall points in both 2005 and 2006 ... Was also the league's assist leader in 2006 ... Involved in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes in high school.

### PERSONAL

Born Aug. 9, 1989 ... Played for the Atlanta Silverbacks PDL team during the summer of 2008 and the Atlanta Blackhawks during the summer of 2009 ... Parents are Philip and Vera Arthur ... A business major ... Full name is Samuel Everett Arthur.



### ARTHUR'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2007	9/9	20	5	2	12	1
2008	19/19	52	12	3	27	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>28/28</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>7</b>



# #8 - VANCE BENSON

R-SOPHOMORE - MIDFIELD - 5'8 - 163 - ROCK HILL, S.C. - NORTHWESTERN

## 2008

Saw action in 15 contests, posting eight shots on the year ... Played majority of the time on the field in midfield positions ... Tallied one shot on goal against FIU (Oct. 4) and Marshall (Oct. 25), both Gamecock victories ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll ... Shared the team's Strength and Conditioning Award with Blake Brettschneider.

## PERSONAL

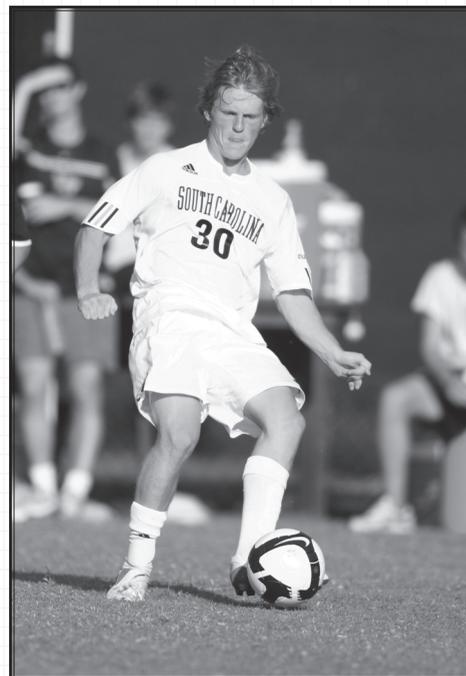
Born June 24, 1988 ... Parents are David and Lise' Benson ... A marketing major ... Full name is David Vance Benson II.

## 2007

Redshirted.

## PRE-COLLEGE

A four-year letterwinner for coach Dom Wren at Northwestern ... Earned all-state honors in 2007 after helping Northwestern to the 4A State Finals ... Named team MVP in 2006 and served as a team captain in 2007 ... Competed in the North Carolina-South Carolina All-Star game in 2007 ... Named Most Valuable Player in the Lake Murray Challenge ... Helped Northwestern to the 2006 State Championship, a final four appearance in 2005 and runner-up finishes in 2004 and 2007 ... Named MVP at the 2006 Palmetto Cup as his team captured the title ... Member of the Lake Murray All-Tournament team in 2006 ... Played club soccer for CESA '87 Premier and coach Keith Parkinson ... Played on the South Carolina Olympic Development program team (2003-2006) ... Participates in Young Life and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

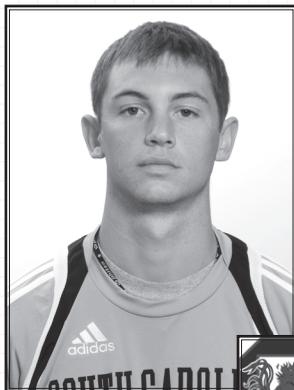


### BENSON'S SEASON STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2008	15/0	8	0	0	0	0



## CAROLINA SOCCER



# #11 - BLAKE BRETTSCHEIDER

**JUNIOR - FORWARD - 6'0 - 178 - LILBURN, GA. - PARKVIEW**

## 2008

Saw action in 18 contests with 16 starts ... Named to the All-Conference-USA First Team and the C-USA All-Tournament Team ... Posted six goals on the year, adding two assists for a total of 14 points, which ranked second on the team ... Earned an assist on game-winning tally against archrival Clemson (Aug. 29) in season-opening victory ... Also tallied a goal against the Tigers to help secure 2-0 Gamecock win ... Collected an assist in 3-0 victory over Lehigh (Sept. 12) in opening-round contest at adidas Gamecock Classic ... Scored lone Carolina goal in 2-1 loss to Furman (Sept. 24) ... Scored a goal in back-to-back games, beginning with a tally in a 2-0 victory over FIU (Oct. 4) in the opening game of the C-USA portion of the season ... Followed with lone goal in 1-1 tie on the road against SMU (Oct. 8) ... Led the Gamecocks with lone tally in 1-1 tie against UAB (Oct. 29) ... Tallied the game-winning goal in 3-0 Gamecock win over host SMU in the opening round of the C-USA Tournament (Nov. 12) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll ... Shared the team's Strength and Conditioning Award with Vance Benson.

## 2007

Started all 19 matches of his freshman campaign ... Named to the Conference USA All-Freshman Team ... Scored four goals and contributed four assists ... Posted two goals and led the team with 11 shots on goal during C-USA play ... Tallied three game-winning goals throughout the season, including his first collegiate goal, a tally in the 109th minute of double overtime to secure a 1-0 Carolina victory over archrival Clemson

(Aug. 31) in the season opener ... Named the Conference USA Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 4) for his play against Clemson ... Contributed two assists in home-opening victory over Presbyterian College (Sept. 4) ... Tallied a season-high six shots and scored one goal in 2-0 victory against Lipscomb (Sept. 16) to help squad clinch adidas Gamecock Classic title ... Earned adidas Gamecock Classic All-Tournament Team honors ... Contributed assist on lone goal against UAB (Sept. 28) in Conference USA season opener, a 1-0 Carolina victory ... Netted game-winning tally in 3-1 win at Florida International (Oct. 7) ... Scored Carolina's lone goal in a 1-1 tie against No. 25 Memphis (Oct. 20) ... Posted five shots against Central Florida (Nov. 4) and Kentucky (Nov. 9) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll ... Shared the team's Strength and Conditioning Award with Vance Benson.

## PRE-COLLEGE

Named the *Atlanta Journal Constitution* Player of the Year in 2007 ... Attended Parkview High School where he played soccer for coach Mike Tolmich ... Helped Parkview to the 2005 State Championship ... Scored 41 goals to go with 31 assists during his prep career ... Chosen Gwinnett County Super Six and All-Gwinnett County ... Recognized by *RISE Magazine* as an All-Area performer for soccer ... Served as a varsity soccer captain as a junior and senior ... Also played football in high school, serving as the team's kicker and punter ... Football squad reached the state finals in 2005 ... Was a six-time Special Teams Player of the Week ... Member of the Georgia and the Region III Olympic Development Program teams ... Played club soccer for the Atlanta Fire United and coach Massoud Roushandel.

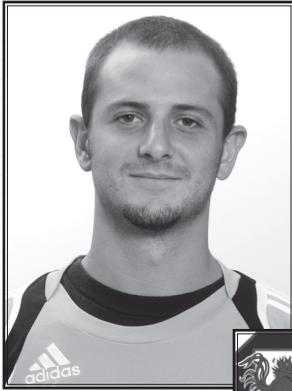
## PERSONAL

Born April 11, 1989 ... Parents are Richard and Marcia Brettschneider ... During spring of 2008, participated in U-20 National Team player pool camp ... Played for the Atlanta Silverbacks PDL team during the summer of 2008 and the Atlanta Blackhawks during the summer of 2009 ... A public relations major ... Full name is Blake Christian Brettschneider.



### BRETTSCHEIDER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2007	19/19	51	4	4	12	3
2008	18/16	28	6	2	14	1
Total	37/35	79	10	6	26	4



# #12 - MARIO BURSTEIN

SENIOR - MIDFIELD/DEFENSE - 5'6 - 156 - MARIETTA, GA. - GEORGE WALTON

## 2008

Started all 19 games at left back ... Collected three assists on the year ... Posted one shot ... Part of a strong defensive unit that allowed just 16 goals on the year, the fewest allowed by a Carolina squad since the 1998 season ... Helped the Gamecock defense record nine shutouts on the year ... Earned first assist of the season in 1-1 tie versus Presbyterian College (Sept. 2) ... Also added assists in 3-0 victory against Lehigh (Sept. 12) and in 1-1 tie in regular-season finale against UCF (Nov. 7) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll.

## 2007

Started all 19 games of sophomore campaign ... Played the majority of the season at left back ... Key member of the defensive unit that allowed just 21 goals on the year, including a league-low seven goals during Conference USA play ... Helped the Gamecock defense record six shutouts on the year ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll.

## 2006

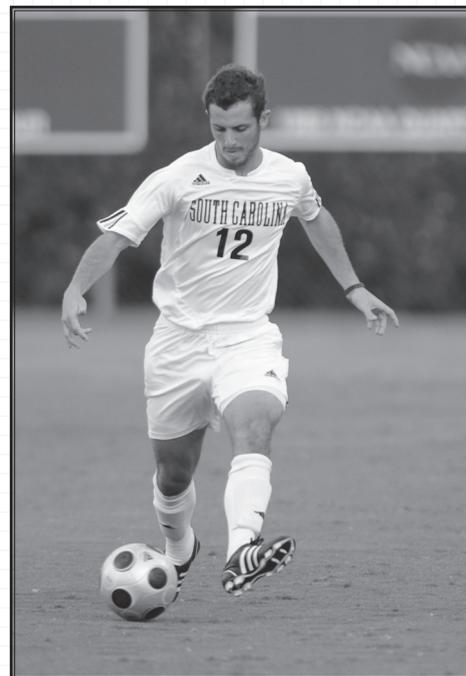
A starter in all 12 matches in which he played ... Suffered a concussion in practice the day before the season opener that sidelined him for the first five matches of the year ... Returned for the Alabama A&M match on Sept. 10 ... Played center back, helping the Gamecocks record three shutouts ... Made the Conference USA Honor Roll.

## PRE-COLLEGE

A four-year varsity starter for coach Bucky Boozer at George Walton High School ... Helped his prep team to the state championship in 2006 and the state semifinals in 2004 ... A National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) High School All-American ... adidas Elite Soccer Program (ESP) participant ... Competed in club soccer for the Concorde Fire Elite and coach Mark Thornton, serving as a team captain for five years ... Helped the Concorde Fire Elite to the Region III finals in 2003, the Raleigh Showcase Championship in 2004 and the Disney Soccer Showcase Championship in 2005 ... Competed for the Georgia State Olympic Development Team (2002-2005) and the Region III Team in 2002, 2003 and 2005.

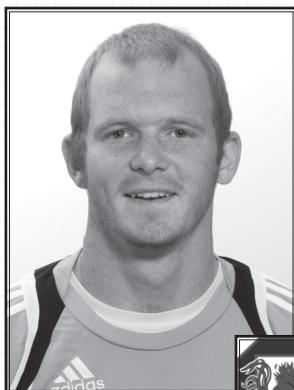
## PERSONAL

Born March 2, 1988 ... Parents are Fernando Burstein and Kathy Johnson ... Double major in accounting and finance.



### BURSTEIN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2006	12/12	0	0	0	0	0
2007	19/19	3	0	0	0	0
2008	19/19	1	0	3	3	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>50/50</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>



# #21 - DANNY CATES

SOPHOMORE - DEFENSE/MIDFIELD - 5'9 - 158 - IRMO, S.C. - DUTCH FORK

## 2008

Saw action in 14 contests with seven starts as a true freshman ... Collected four assists – all in consecutive games – while posting 12 shots on the year ... First two assists of the season came on throw-in opportunities, first in a 4-0 win over College of Charleston (Sept. 19) and following in a 2-1 loss at Furman (Sept. 24) ... Also earned assists in 4-0 win versus Davidson (Sept. 27) and 2-0 victory over FIU (Oct. 4) ... Posted four shots against Davidson and three against FIU ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Member of the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll.

## PERSONAL

Born Feb. 14, 1990 ... Son of Robert and Maureen Cates ... A sport and entertainment management major ... Full name is Patrick Daniel Cates.

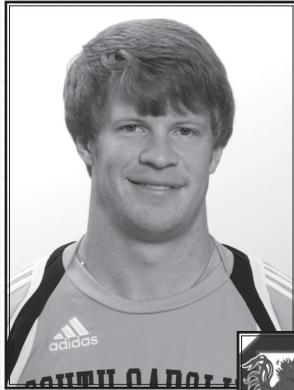
## PRE-COLLEGE

*RISE Magazine* selection as the No. 23 recruit nationally for the 2008 signing class ... NSCAA (National Soccer Coaches Association of America) adidas High School All-American in 2006 and 2007 ... adidas ESP selection in 2006 and 2007 ... Region III ODP (Olympic Development Program) team member ... Garnered NSCAA adidas High School All-South Region honors all four years at Dutch Fork ... SCYSA (South Carolina Youth Soccer Association) ODP team member (2005-08) ... Played club soccer for Lexington United 89 under South Carolina head coach Mark Berson ... Club squad earned South Carolina state title in 2006, runner-up in 2007 ... Team was also Region III Premier League runner-up in 2008 ... GFC state champions in 2005 ... Played for coach Wayne Quinlan at Dutch Fork High School ... All-state team member in 2007 ... Three-time all-area and all-region honoree during prep career ... Helped lead team to 2007 region championship ... Super 22 honoree (2005-07).



### CATES' SEASON STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2008	14/7	12	0	4	4	0



# #26 - MIKE LINDSAY

**JUNIOR - FORWARD - 6'1 - 186 - STARKVILLE, MISS. - STARKVILLE**

## 2008

Saw action in 15 contests with two starts ... Collected two assists on the year, while posting nine shots ... Earned first assist of the year in 2-0 victory over archrival Clemson (Aug. 29) in season opener ... Also tallied an assist in 3-0 victory over host SMU in the opening round of the Conference USA Tournament (Nov. 12) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll.

## 2007

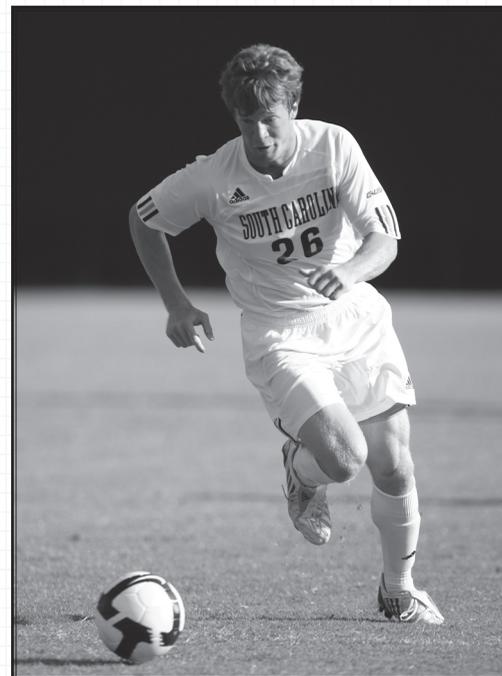
Saw action in 15 games ... Started the final four games of the season, scoring a combined three goals in those games ... Tallied first collegiate goal in 3-1 C-USA victory against Marshall (Oct. 27) ... Posted a season-high five shots against Marshall ... Scored both South Carolina goals in a 2-1 overtime victory on Senior Night at Stone Stadium in regular-season finale against Kentucky (Nov. 9) ... Was named the C-USA Offensive Player of the Week (Nov. 12) for his outstanding effort against Kentucky ... Also garnered *CollegeSoccerNews.com* National Team of the Week accolades (Nov. 12) ... Sparked 2-1 Gamecock victory over Memphis in the opening round of the C-USA Championship ... Was named to the C-USA All-Tournament Team ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll.

## PRE-COLLEGE

Member of the U.S. Under-18 National Team pool ... Selected to the Region III team in 2005 ... A state team forward for the Mississippi Olympic Development Program ... Played for coach Brian Bennett at Starkville High School ... Won the Golden Boot Award by scoring the most goals in eighth through 12th grades ... Named the Most Outstanding Offensive Player as a sophomore ... Selected the co-MVP of the team as a junior ... Team advanced to the state playoffs each season ... Competed in club soccer for the Tupelo Futbol Club and coach Nathan Hall, winning three state championships, two Premier League Championships and advancing to regionals five times ... Also participated in track, baseball and football at the prep level ... An honor roll student and member of the National Honor Society ... Named Most Outstanding Sophomore by the Starkville faculty.

## PERSONAL

Born Jan. 26, 1989 ... Played for the Panama City Pirates PDL club during the summer of 2009 ... Played for the Mississippi Brilla PDL team during the summer of 2008 ... Parents are Gaye Lindsay and the late Tom Lindsay ... Majoring in business... Full name is Michael Thomas Lindsay.



LINDSAY'S CAREER STATISTICS						
Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2007	15/4	17	4	0	8	2
2008	15/2	9	0	2	2	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>30/6</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>



## CAROLINA SOCCER



# #24 - BRYAN LOWDER

SENIOR - FORWARD - 6'1 - 201 - BRENTWOOD, TENN. - BRENTWOOD (LOUISVILLE)

### 2008

Saw action in 13 contests ... Posted two goals and two assists, while adding 14 shots ... First assist of the year came in 3-0 victory versus Lehigh (Sept. 12) in the opening game of the adidas Gamecock Classic ... Also tallied an assist in 4-0 win over Davidson (Sept. 27) ... Caught fire late in the year, scoring two goals in the final three games of the season ... Tallied lone Carolina goal in 1-1 tie versus UCF (Nov. 7) in regular-season finale ... Also posted six shots against UCF ... Scored a goal in 3-0 win versus host SMU in the opening round of play at the Conference USA Tournament ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll.

### 2007

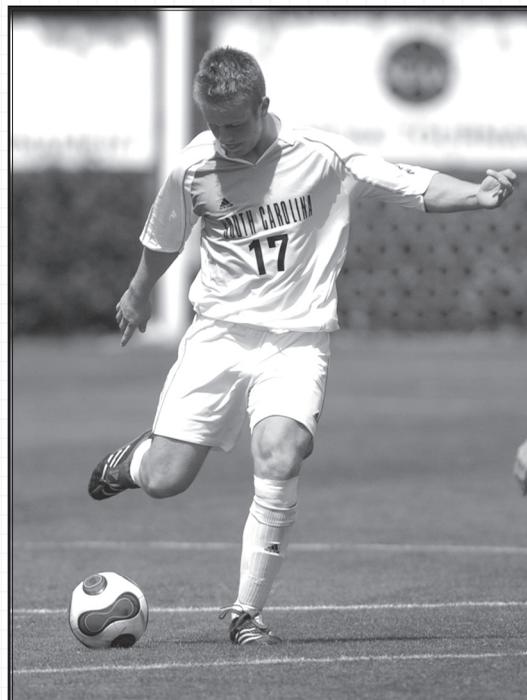
Saw action in five games ... Tallied at least one shot in each appearance, including a season-high three shots in 3-1 Gamecock victory over Marshall (Oct. 27).

### PRE-SOUTH CAROLINA

Transferred to South Carolina from the University of Louisville, where he was a member of the Cardinals soccer team in the fall of 2006 ... Garnered National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) adidas High School All-America honors in 2006 ... Named the 2006 Gatorade Tennessee Soccer Player of the Year ... Also named The Tennessean's Midstate Soccer Player of the Year ... A member of the Region III Olympic Development Program and Tennessee state teams ... Played four years for Brentwood High School, leading the team in scoring each season ... Named the District Player of the Year his senior season ... Earned all-state, all-midstate, all-region and all-district honors his sophomore, junior and senior seasons ... Named District Offensive Player of the Year and County Player of the Year his junior season, as well as County Player of the Year his sophomore season ... Helped lead his team to a state championship in 2005 and a state quarterfinal appearance his senior season ... Finished his high school career as Brentwood High School's all-time leading scorer and assist leader with 125 career goals and 69 career assists ... Played club soccer for the Tennessee Futbol Club.

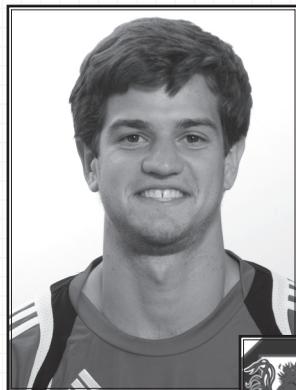
### PERSONAL

Born January 4, 1988 ... Played for the Nashville Metros PDL team during the summer of 2008 and 2009 ... Parents are Kim and Roxanne Lowder ... Majoring in sport and entertainment management ... Full name is Bryan Kimball Lowder.



### LOWDER'S SOUTH CAROLINA STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2007	5/0	7	0	0	0	0
2008	13/0	14	2	2	6	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>18/0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>



# #1 - JIMMY MAURER

**JUNIOR - GOALKEEPER - 6'2 - 185 - LAWRENCEVILLE, GA. - ST. PIUS X**

## 2008

Shared team captain responsibilities with Jeff Scannella and Mark Wiltse ... Started all 19 games and played every minute in goal during the season ... Earned numerous accolades and awards, including four Conference USA Defensive Player of the Week honors, a selection to the *TopDrawerSoccer.com* Team of the Week early in the campaign, selection to the All-C-USA Second Team, the C-USA All-Academic Team and the C-USA All-Tournament Team ... Collected NSCAA All-South Region First-Team honors ... Earned First Team *ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District III* accolades ... Allowed just 16 goals on the year, the fewest allowed by Carolina since the 1998 campaign ... Finished the year with an 0.80 goals against average, 91 saves and a .850 save percentage ... Collected nine shutouts, the most by a Gamecock goalkeeper since Brad Guzan recorded eight during the 2003 campaign ... Earned first shutout of the season in 2-0 win versus archrival Clemson (Aug. 29) in season opener ... Collected a season-high eight saves in 3-1 loss against North Carolina (Sept. 5) competing at the Wake Forest Deacon Classic ... Recorded three-consecutive shutouts – versus Lehigh (Sept. 12), Jacksonville (Sept. 14) and on the road at College of Charleston (Sept. 19) ... Averaged 5.0 saves per game during stretch ... Collected back-to-back shutouts at home, earning 4-0 win versus Davidson (Sept. 27) and 2-0 victory in C-USA season opener against FIU (Oct. 4) ... Collected seven saves in shutout win versus Marshall (Oct. 25) ... Earned eighth shutout of the season in 0-0 tie versus No. 9 Tulsa, preventing the Golden Hurricane's perfect C-USA season ... Recorded final shutout of the season in 3-0 win versus host SMU in opening-round action at the C-USA Tournament ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also received the C-USA Commissioner's Academic Medal, which is awarded to student-athletes with a cumulative GPA of 3.75 and above ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll ... Earned the team's John M. Johnson Memorial Award.

## 2007

Started all 19 games in goal during rookie campaign ... Named the C-USA Freshman of the Year ... Also garnered All-Conference USA Second-Team honors, as well as being named to the C-USA All-Freshman Team ... On national stage, was named to the *TopDrawerSoccer.com* All-Freshman Team, and the *CollegeSoccerNews.com* All-Freshman Third Team ... Allowed 21 goals for a 1.08 goals against average, ranking second among C-USA opponents ... Tallied five shutouts ... Allowed one goal or less in 14 games ... Played all but 31 minutes in goal for the Gamecocks ... Leader of the defensive unit that allowed just 21 goals on the year, including a league-low seven goals during Conference USA play ... Earned first career shutout in season-opening victory against archrival Clemson (Aug. 31) ... Led Carolina to a 2-0 victory against Lipscomb (Sept. 16) to clinch the adidas Gamecock Classic title ... Was named Classic Defensive MVP ... Tallied a career-high 10 saves against No. 9 Duke (Sept. 19) ... Garnered C-USA Defensive Player of the Week honors for his stellar performance in a 1-0 victory over UAB in the C-USA season opener ... Played every minute, including both sudden death overtime sessions, of South Carolina's 1-1 tie against No. 25 Memphis (Oct. 20) and its 0-0 stalemate against UCF (Nov. 4) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also received the C-USA Commissioner's Academic Medal, which is awarded to those student-athletes with a cumulative GPA of 3.75 and above ... Also named to the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll ... Earned the team's Bill Lauritzen Award.

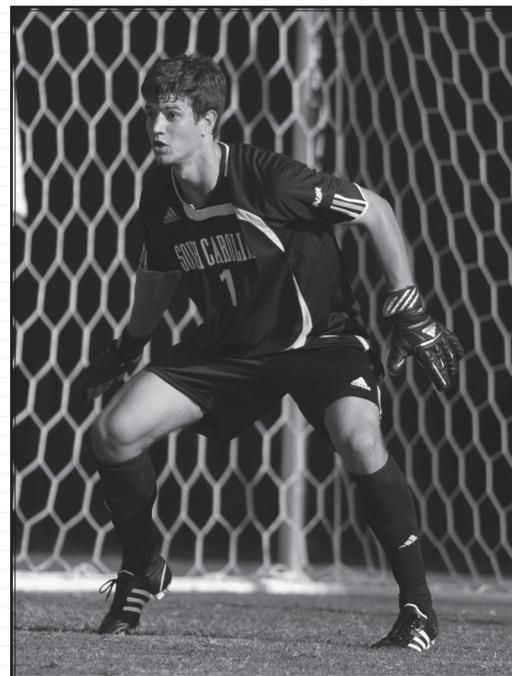
## PRE-COLLEGE

Gatorade State Player of the Year in Georgia in 2006-07... Member of the United States U-17 National Team pool, 2004-2006 ... Played on the Region III Olympic Development Program (ODP) team, 2003-2006, and the Georgia state team for the past six years ... Listed among Georgia's Best of the Best in 2007 as both a goalkeeper and a forward ... Named to the 1988 (age group) US Youth Soccer All-America team in 2006 ... Member of the Super Y National Elite Team, 2004-06 ... Participated in the adidas Elite Soccer Program (ESP) in 2005 and 2006, playing goalkeeper on the '05 championship team ... Attended St. Pius X Catholic High School in Atlanta where he played for coach Killebrew Bailey ... Garnered Player of the Year honors in 2004 and team MVP honors in 2005 ... Led St. Pius X to the state semifinals twice and the quarterfinals once ... Named all-county and NSCAA All-Region as a forward ... Competed in club soccer for coach Massoud Roushandel and the Atlanta Fire United ... Served as a team captain and helped the squad to state championships four of five seasons ... Team was ranked as high as No. 7 nationally ... Also played basketball for three years in high school ... Awarded the Mary Callahan Academic and Athletic Scholarship ... Elected to the National Congressional Student Leadership Conference in 2005 and 2006 ... Has volunteered for a number of community organizations.

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## PERSONAL

Born Oct. 14, 1988 ... Played for Chicago Fire PDL squad during summer of 2009 ... Earned 2009 PDL Goalkeeper of the Year honors ... Played for the Atlanta Silverbacks PDL team during the summer of 2008 ... Parents are T.A. and Betsy Maurer ... Major is finance ... Full name is James Robert Maurer.



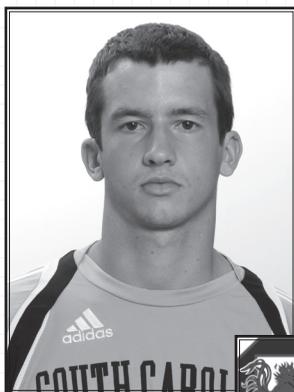
STUDENT-ATHLETES

### MAURER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	MIN.	GA	GAA	Saves	SHO
2007	19/19	1743:24	21	1.08	78	5
2008	19/19	1810:00	16	0.80	91	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>38/38</b>	<b>3553:24</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>0.94</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>14</b>



## CAROLINA SOCCER



# #5 - STEPHEN MORRISSEY

SOPHOMORE - MIDFIELD - 6'1 - 174 - FRANKLIN, TENN. - BATTLE GROUND ACADEMY

### 2008

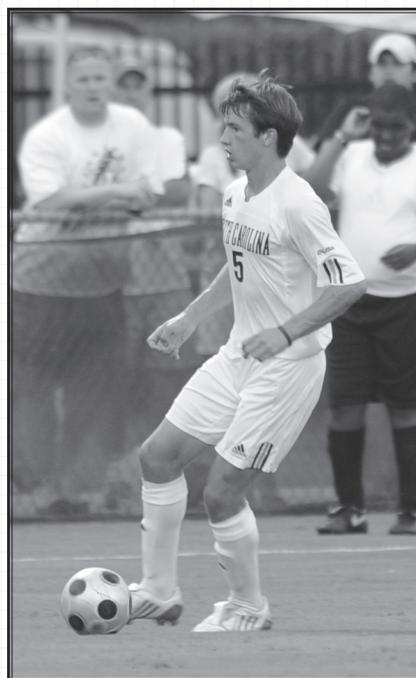
Saw action in all 19 contests with 16 starts as a true freshman ... Selected to the Conference USA All-Freshman squad ... Tallied one goal and one assist, while posting 11 shots ... Recorded his lone goal of the year in 3-1 loss to No. 15 North Carolina (Sept. 5) during the Wake Forest Deacon Classic ... Made first start of his career against defending national champion Wake Forest ... Recorded one assist in 4-0 win versus Davidson (Sept. 27) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also received the C-USA Commissioner's Academic Medal, which is awarded to student-athletes with a cumulative GPA of 3.75 and above ... Member of the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll.

### PERSONAL

Born Aug. 3, 1989 ... Son of Steve and Laura Morrissey ... Sister, Katie Morrissey, played soccer at Tennessee Tech ... A business major ... Full name is Stephen Fischer Morrissey.

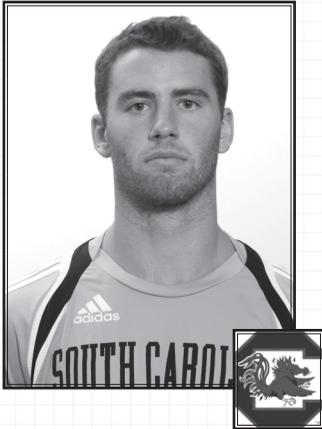
### PRE-COLLEGE

Named the 2008 Gatorade State of Tennessee Player of the Year ... 2007 NSCAA (National Soccer Coaches Association of America) adidas High School All-South Region ... *Tennessean* All-Mid-state First Team, TWSA All-State Team for division III ... Played club soccer for the Tennessee Futbol Club and coach Ajit Korgaokar ... Helped lead team to five state championships in club soccer ... Played for coach Rob Mitchell at Battle Ground Academy ... Team earned 2006 Division II state high school soccer championship ... Selected to all-state team, 2006-07 ... Also played basketball and ran track during prep career.



#### MORRISSEY'S SEASON STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2008	19/16	11	1	1	3	0



# #18 - EVAN O'DELL

**JUNIOR - DEFENSE - 6'2 - 188 - DULUTH, GA. - PEACHTREE RIDGE**

## 2008

Saw action in 11 contests with three starts ... Recorded one assist on the year ... Also posted one shot ... Lone assist came in 1-1 tie against UAB (Oct. 29) ... Played the majority of the year on the defensive line ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll.

## PERSONAL

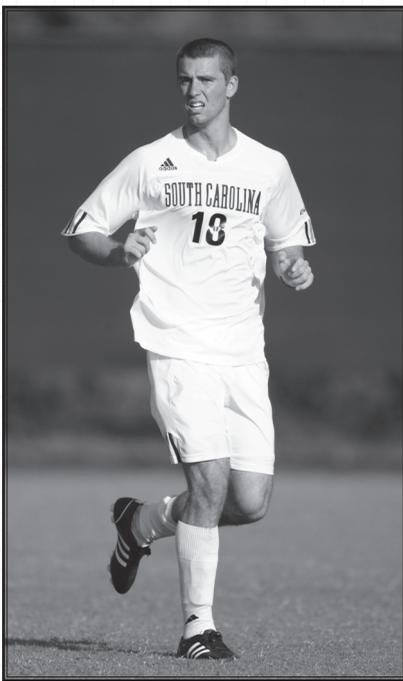
Born June 22, 1989 ... Parents are Rick and Janice O'Dell ... Major is accounting ... Full name is Evan Scott O'Dell.

## 2007

Made six appearances with five starts during rookie campaign ... Tallied one shot on goal against South Florida (Sept. 8) ... Played the majority of his time on the defensive line ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll.

## PRE-COLLEGE

Selected to the Region III team ... Named one of *TopDrawerSoccer.com's* 100 Players to Watch in 2007 ... Member of the Olympic Development Program in Georgia, 2002-2006 ... Played for coach Bill Holleman at Peachtree Ridge High School ... Selected the team's MVP as a sophomore and junior ... All-Gwinnett County selection ... Played club soccer for the Atlanta Fire United and coach Massoud Roushandel ... Helped the Fire win the 2006 State and the Region III Premier League East Division Championships ... An honor roll student throughout high school ... Part of the Student Leadership Program ... Who's Who Among American High School Students.



O'DELL'S CAREER STATISTICS						
Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2007	6/5	1	0	0	0	0
2008	11/3	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>17/8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>

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STUDENT-ATHLETES



# #23 - SCHUYLER REARDON

SENIOR - FORWARD - 6'2 - 189 - AIKEN, S.C. - AIKEN

## 2008

Saw action in 12 contests ... Collected three assists on the year, including two in 4-0 victory against College of Charleston (Sept. 19) ... Also recorded assist on lone Carolina goal in 1-1 tie against UCF in regular-season finale (Nov. 7).

## 2007

Saw action in all 19 contests, making six starts for the Gamecock offense ... Tallied three assists and eight shots on the year ... Contributed first assist of the season on game-winning tally in 2-1 overtime victory over Wofford (Sept. 11) ... Also contributed assists at No. 9 Duke (Sept. 19) and on lone Gamecock goal in 1-1 tie against No. 25 Memphis (Oct. 20) ... Named to the Conference USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll.

## 2006

Played in seven matches as a true freshman ... Registered a pair of assists for two total points, the first in the season opener against No. 5 Clemson (Aug. 25) and the second in the season finale against UAB (Nov. 1) ... Made the C-USA Honor Roll.

## PRE-COLLEGE

Played for coach Roger Carpenter at Aiken High School ... Selected the Region MVP by the *Augusta Chronicle* ... A 2006 All-Stater ... Member of SC Soccer's Super 22 team in 2006 ... An all-region selection, 2004-06 ... Named his team's offensive MVP in 2004 and 2005 ... Scored 85 goals and logged 78 assists during his prep career ... Helped Aiken High to the Upper State Finals in 2004 and Region Championships in 2004 and 2005 ... Competed in club soccer for the Aiken Fire and coach Justin Rhodes ... The Fire won the South Carolina State Championship (2001-2003), captured the Region III Championship in 2002 and finished as runner-up at Nationals in 2002 ... A member of the South Carolina Olympic Development (ODP) team 1998-2002 ... Also ran cross country and was a standout kicker on the football team ... In football, made the *Aiken Standard* All-Area team in 2004 and 2005 and *Augusta Chronicle* All-Area team in 2005 ... A member of Young Life ... Served as a Student Council Representative and on the Senior Executive Committee.

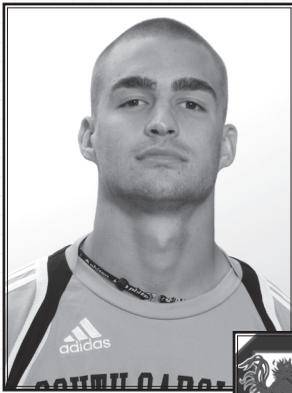
## PERSONAL

Born Feb. 19, 1988 ... Parents are Ken and Deirdre Reardon ... Father played in the Canadian Football League ... Grandfather, Kenny Reardon, was an NHL standout during the 1940s, won two Stanley Cups with the Montreal Canadiens and was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame in 1966 ... Double major in management and marketing ... First name is pronounced "Sky-ler" ... Full name is Kenneth Schuyler McCormick Reardon.



### REARDON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2006	7/0	2	0	2	2	0
2007	19/6	8	0	3	3	0
2008	12/0	3	0	3	3	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>38/6</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>



## #2 - TYLER RUTHVEN

SENIOR - DEFENSE - 6'2 - 183 - ALPHARETTA, GA. - MILTON (SAN FRANCISCO)

### 2008

Started 18 games, all at centerback on the Carolina defensive line ... Named Second Team All-Conference USA ... Part of a strong defensive unit that allowed just 16 goals on the year, the fewest allowed by a Carolina squad since the 1998 season ... Helped the Gamecock defense record nine shutouts on the year ... Tallied two shots ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll.

### PRE-SOUTH CAROLINA

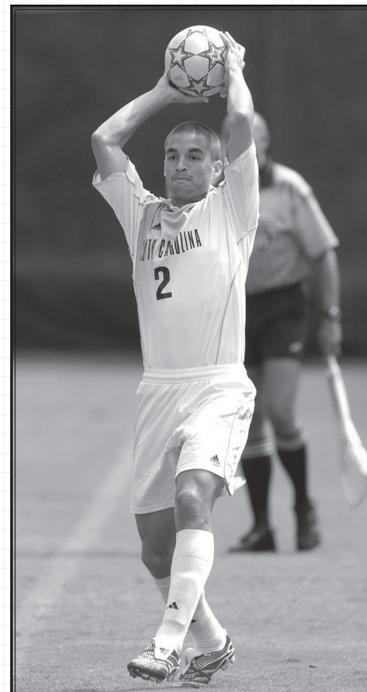
Transferred to South Carolina from the University of San Francisco ... Played in 19 matches and started 10 times as a true freshman at USF ... Recorded one assist ... Began his high school career at Roswell High School before moving on to Milton High School where he was a two-time team captain ... Played club soccer for the Concorde Fire Elite with fellow Gamecock junior Mario Burstein.

### PERSONAL

Born July 18, 1988 ... Played for the Chicago Fire PDL squad during the summer of 2009 ... Played for the Colorado Rapids PDL team during the summer of 2008, leading the team in minutes played ... Parents are Dick and Sue Ruthven ... A sport and entertainment management major ... Full name is Tyler John Ruthven.

### 2007

Started all 19 games for the Gamecock defense ... Named the Conference USA Newcomer of the Year ... Also garnered All-Conference USA Third-Team and NSCAA All-South Region Third-Team accolades ... Played the majority of the season at center back ... Key member of the defensive unit that allowed just 21 goals on the year, including a league-low seven goals during C-USA play ... Helped the Gamecock defense record six total shutouts on the year ... Also contributed one goal, one assist and seven shots ... Collected an assist in 2-1 overtime win over Wofford (Sept. 11) ... Scored first collegiate goal in South Carolina's 2-1 come-from-behind victory at Davidson (Oct. 3) ... Shared the team's Strength & Conditioning Award with Mark Wiltse.

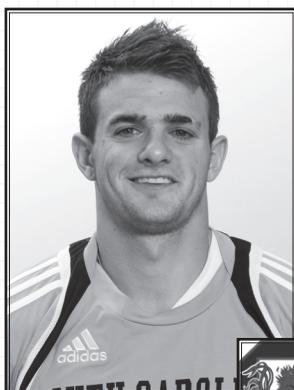


#### RUTHVEN'S SOUTH CAROLINA STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2007	19/19	3	1	1	3	0
2008	18/18	2	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>37/37</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>



## CAROLINA SOCCER



# #28 - JEFF SCANNELLA

**SENIOR - MIDFIELD - 5'8 - 156 - ALPHARETTA, GA. - NORTHVIEW**

## 2008

Shared team captain responsibilities with Jimmy Maurer and Mark Wiltse ... Started all 19 games in the Carolina midfield ... Earned All-Conference USA Second-Team honors ... Tallied two goals and two assists on the year for a total of six points ... Posted 17 shots, including eight on goal ... Collected first goal of the year in 3-0 win over Lehigh (Sept. 12) in opening game of adidas Gamecock Classic ... Earned first assist of the season in 4-0 road win at College of Charleston (Sept. 19) and followed two games later with his second goal of the year, the game-winner in 4-0 victory over Davidson (Sept. 27) ... Collected an assist in 2-0 win against FIU (Oct. 4) in C-USA season opener.

## 2007

Started all 19 games at left midfield for the Gamecocks ... Garnered All-Conference USA First-Team, *TopDrawerSoccer.com* Honorable Mention Team of the Year and NSCAA All-South Region Second-Team accolades ... Led Carolina with seven goals on the year, including four game-winning marks ... Also contributed three assists and 26 shots ... Finished tied for sixth in C-USA standings with seven goals on the year ... Tallied first goal of the season in 4-0 Gamecock shutout of Presbyterian College (Sept. 4) in home opener ... Tallied back-to-back game winners against UAB (Sept. 28) and in come-from-behind win at Davidson (Oct. 3) ... Named to the *TopDrawerSoccer.com* Team of the Week (Oct. 2) for game-winning tally against UAB ... Scored in third-straight contest, contributing one goal and one assist in victory at Florida International (Oct. 7) ... Earned the C-USA Offensive Player of the Week award (Oct. 8) for collecting goals in three straight contests, including league victories over UAB and FIU ... Tallied a season-

high three shots on goal in 1-1 tie at Memphis (Oct. 20) ... Scored Carolina's lone goal in 2-1 loss in nationally televised contest on FOX Soccer Channel against SMU (Oct. 24) ... Collected game-winning goal in 3-1 C-USA victory over Marshall (Oct. 27) ... Tallied final goal of the season, the game winner, in 2-1 overtime upset of Memphis (Nov. 14) in the opening round of the C-USA Championship ... Took two penalty kicks on the year, scoring both ... Won the team's John M. Johnson Award and the Brian Winstead award.

## 2006

Selected 2006 Conference USA Freshman of the Year ... Also named to the All-Conference Third-Team and the league's All-Freshman Team ... Honored by *CollegeSoccerNews.com* as a member of its All-Freshman squad ... Also made *TopDrawerSoccer.com's* All-Rookie Team ... Started all 17 matches ... Finished the season as the Gamecocks' third-leading scorer after compiling 10 points on three goals and four assists ... His four assists tied for the eighth-best in school history among freshmen ... Proved to be extremely effective on corner kicks as all four assists were on corner kick goals ... Logged one assist in his first career game, the season opener against No. 5 Clemson (Aug. 25) ... Scored his first goal, the game winner, in the final minutes against Temple (Sept. 8) ... Scored a goal and added an assist in the Gamecocks' 3-2 victory at N.C. State ... Had an assist in the team's 2-0 win over No. 25 UAB (Sept. 27) ... Netted his third goal, also the game winner, versus Florida International (Oct. 7) ... Attempted a season-high six shots at Marshall (Oct. 14) ... Made the C-USA Honor Roll ... Won the team's Strength & Conditioning Award.

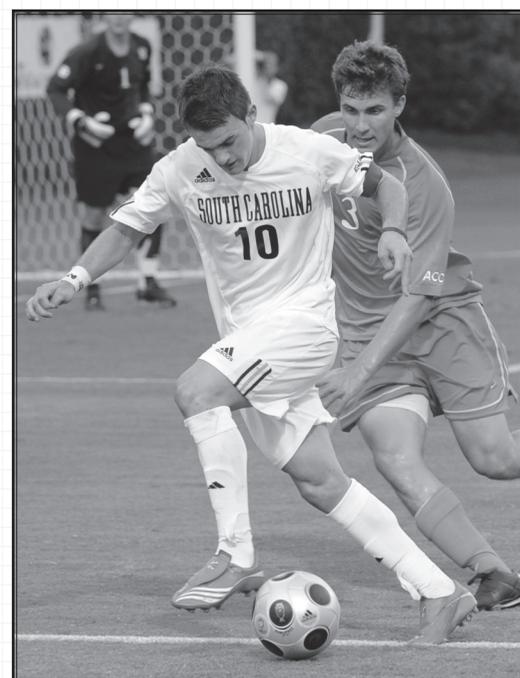
## PRE-COLLEGE

Participated in the United States U-17 National Team residency program (2003-04) ... Selected a National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) High School All-American 2003-05

... Played for the U.S. U-15 National Team in 2002 ... Participated in the prestigious adidas Elite Soccer Program (ESP) in 2005 ... Played for Tony Cianciola at Northview High School ... Named the 2005 Fulton County Player of the Year ... Also selected the 5A Player of the Month in March, 2005... Earned team MVP honors in 2005 ... Helped Northview achieve its first-ever state ranking in 2005 ... Played club soccer for Atlanta Fire United and coach Massoud Roushanel ... Team won the Georgia State Championship 2002, 2003 and 2004 ... Member of the Super Y Region Team in 2003 and 2004 ... Played for the Georgia State Olympic Development team 2001-2005 ... Member of the Region III Team, 2002-2006 ... Member of the National Honor Society.

## PERSONAL

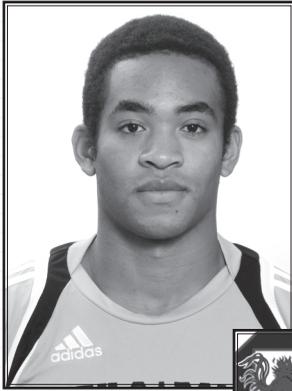
Born Aug. 13, 1988 ... Played for the Bradenton Academics PDL squad during the summer of 2009 ... Played for the Atlanta Silverbacks PDL team during the summer of 2008 ... Parents are Charlie and Susan Scannella ... Majoring in political science ... Full name is Jeffrey Daniel Scannella.



### SCANNELLA'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2006	17/17	22	3	4	10	2
2007	19/19	26	7	3	17	3
2008	19/19	17	2	2	6	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>55/55</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>6</b>

STUDENT-ATHLETES



# #15 - JOSH STEWART

**JUNIOR - MIDFIELD - 5'9 - 175 - VESTAVIA, ALA. - VESTAVIA HILLS**

## 2008

Saw action in 18 games with six starts ... Posted six shots on goal ... Tallied three shots in 3-0 victory over SMU (Nov. 12) in opening round contest at C-USA Tournament ... Named to the Conference USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll.

## PERSONAL

Born Sept. 22, 1988 ... Played for the Panama City Pirates PDL squad during the summer of 2009 ... Played for the Nashville Metros PDL team during the summer of 2008 ... Parents are Marvin and Felicia Stewart ... Brother, Jonah, plays soccer at UAB, and younger brother Joel plays soccer at Sewanee ... A business major ... Full name is Joshua Lamont Stewart.

## 2007

Started all 19 games in the Carolina midfield ... Contributed one assist ... Also tallied seven shots ... Lone assist of the season came in 3-1 Gamecock victory over Marshall (Oct. 27) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll.

## PRE-COLLEGE

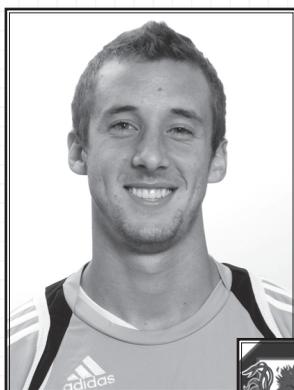
Former member of the United States Youth National Team pool, Region III Olympic Development Program (ODP) team and Alabama state team ... Played for coach Rick Grammar at Vestavia Hills High School ... A 2004 and 2005 first-team all-state selection ... Named Offensive Most Valuable Player of the Lakeshore Shootout ... Named second-team all-metro in 2004 and first-team all-metro in 2005 ... Played club soccer for the Vestavia Steamers and coach Luke Whittle ... Helped the '87 club to two state championships (2001 and 2004) and two runner-up finishes (2002 and 2003) ... Helped '89 team win the 2005 state championship and finish second in 2006.



STEWART'S CAREER STATISTICS						
Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2007	19/19	7	0	1	1	0
2008	18/6	6	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>37/25</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>



## CAROLINA SOCCER



# #17 - WILL TRAYNOR

**JUNIOR - DEFENSE - 6'2 - 182 - ST. CHARLES, MO. - FRANCIS HOWELL NORTH**

### 2008

Saw action in 18 games with 17 starts ... Tallied one goal and one assist for three points on the year ... Earned Second Team *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District III accolades ... Posted nine shots ... Part of a strong defensive unit that allowed just 16 goals on the year, the fewest allowed by a Carolina squad since the 1998 season ... Helped the Gamecock defense record nine shutouts on the year ... Lone goal of the season came in 4-0 victory against Davidson (Sept. 27) ... Collected an assist in 3-0 win against host SMU (Nov. 12) in opening-round contest of Conference USA Tournament ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also received the C-USA Commissioner's Academic Medal, which is awarded to student-athletes with a cumulative GPA of 3.75 and above ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll ... Earned the team's Bill Lauritzen Memorial Award and the Coaches' Award.

### 2007

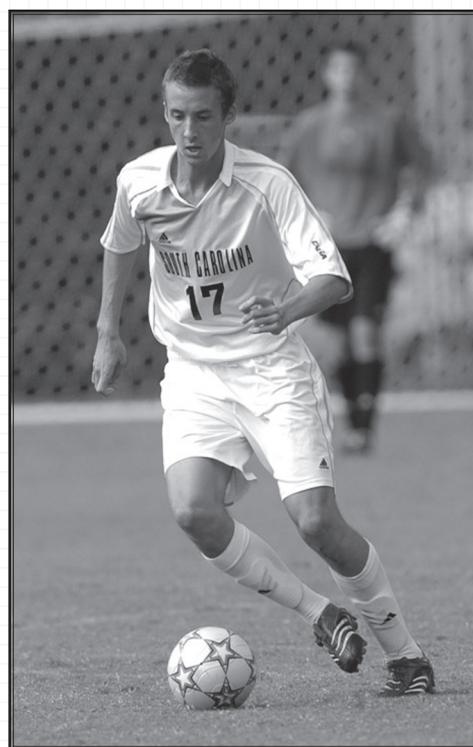
Saw action in all 19 games, starting the final 13 games of the season ... Contributed one goal on nine shots for the year ... Played the majority of his time on the defensive line ... Key member of the defensive unit that allowed just 21 goals on the year, including a league-low seven goals during C-USA play ... Helped the Gamecock defense record six shutouts on the year ... Lone goal of the season came in 3-1 Gamecock victory over Marshall (Oct. 27) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also received the C-USA Commissioner's Academic Medal, which is awarded to student-athletes with a cumulative GPA of 3.75 and above ... Also named to the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll.

### PERSONAL

Born Feb. 24, 1989 ... Was a member of the U-19 Scott Gallagher squad during the summer of 2008 ... Parents are Larry and Peg Traynor ... Brother, Jack, played soccer at Notre Dame ... A sport and entertainment management major ... Full name is William Laurence Traynor.

### PRE-COLLEGE

Former member of the Olympic Development Program (ODP) Region II and Missouri state teams ... Two-time team captain and four-year letterwinner at Francis Howell North High School and coach Vince Nowak ... Collected first-team all-state honors in 2005 and 2006 ... Selected all-conference twice and academic all-conference all four years ... Helped team to three district titles (2003, 2004, 2006), two state title sectionals (2003, 2006) and a state title final four (2004) ... Played for the Scott Gallagher Soccer Club and coach Tom Howe ... Team made the USYSA National Finals in 2006 and won the Missouri State Championship (2003-2007)... Delegate to the MSHSSA Sportsmanship Summit ... Who's Who of American High School Students.



#### TRAYNOR'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2007	19/13	9	1	0	2	0
2008	18/17	9	1	1	3	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>37/30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>



# #6 - MARK WILTSE

SENIOR - DEFENSE - 6'0 - 166 - BELLE MEADE, N.J. - MONTGOMERY

## 2008

Shared team captain responsibilities with Jimmy Maurer and Jeff Scannella ... Started 18 games at right back for the Gamecock defense ... Named Third Team All-Conference USA ... Part of a strong defensive unit that allowed just 16 goals on the year, the fewest allowed by a Carolina squad since the 1998 season ... Helped the Gamecock defense record nine shutouts on the year ... Tallied seven shots, including two in 4-0 win against Davidson (Sept. 19) and two in 1-1 tie versus UAB (Oct. 29) ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Fall Academic Honor Roll.

## 2007

Saw action in all 19 matches, making 18 starts ... Selected to the All-Conference USA Third Team ... Named to the adidas Gamecock Classic All-Tournament Team ... Contributed two goals and two assists, including assist on game-winning goal in overtime victory against Kentucky (Nov. 9) ... Scored first goal of the season in 4-0 win over Presbyterian (Sept. 4) ... Key member of the defensive unit that allowed just 21 goals on the year, including a league-low seven goals during C-USA play ... Helped the Gamecock defense record six shutouts on the year ... Also contributed an assist in 3-1 victory against Marshall (Oct. 27) ... Tallied final goal of the season in C-USA Tournament against Tulsa (Nov. 16) ... Named to the Conference USA All-Tournament Team ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll ... Shared the team's Strength & Conditioning Award with Tyler Ruthven.

## 2006

Started all 15 matches in which he appeared ... Made the Conference USA All-Freshman Team ... Joined classmate Jeff Scannella on *TopDrawerSoccer.com's* All-Rookie team ... Played outside back and helped the Gamecocks record five shutouts ... Missed the match at Wofford (Aug. 28) due to an ankle injury ... Sat out against UCF (Oct. 21) due to yellow card accumulation.

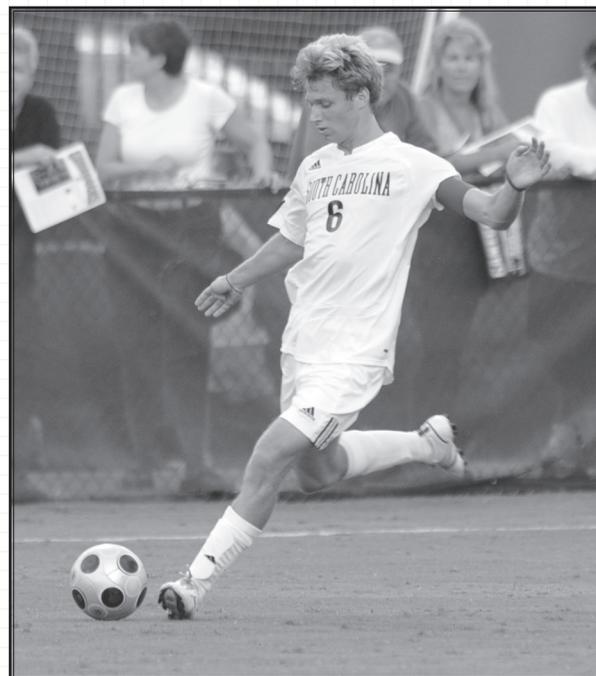
## PRE-COLLEGE

Participated in the United States U-17 National Team residency program (2003-04) ... A part of the youth U.S. National Team (2002-2005) ... Selected a National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) All-American (2003-06) ... Named to the U.S. Youth Soccer All-America (1988 age group) team in 2006 ... Invited to the prestigious adidas Elite Soccer Program (ESP) in 2004 and 2005, earning All-Star honors both years ... Also appeared on ESPN *SoccerNet.com's* Top 15 ESP Players in 2004 ... Played for coach Shaun McCulkin at Montgomery High School ... Served as team captain and collected team MVP honors during his senior year ... Also earned all-conference, all-county and all-state recognition ... Helped Montgomery High to the county finals in 2004 and the sectional semifinals in 2005 ... Competed for coach Sam Nellins and the

PDA Cantona club soccer team, which won the New Jersey State Championship (2002-2005) and made it to the regional semifinals in 2005 ... Played on the Region I Olympic Development Team, 2002-2006 ... Also competed in basketball and lacrosse while in high school ... Served as CYA Group Leader and as a Community Service Project Coordinator ... An Honor Roll student.

## PERSONAL

Born May 29, 1988 ... Represented the South Carolina Athletics Department at the NCAA National Student-Athlete Development Conference ... Played for the New York/New Jersey Red Bull U-20 squad during the summer of 2008 ... Parents are George and Sunny Wiltse ... Double major in management and marketing.



WILTSE'S CAREER STATISTICS						
Year	GP/GS	SH	G	A	PTS	GWG
2006	15/15	7	0	0	0	0
2007	19/18	13	2	2	6	0
2008	18/18	7	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>52/51</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>



## CAROLINA SOCCER



# #0 - SEAN NGUYEN

**R-JUNIOR - GOALKEEPER - 6'4 - 205 - WILMINGTON, N.C. - JOHN T. HOGGARD (CAPE FEAR CC)**

## 2008

Did not see field action.

## 2007

Redshirted.

## PRE-COLLEGE

Played prep soccer at New Hanover and John T. Hoggard for coaches Chip Stone and John Teller, respectively ... Also played football and basketball during prep career ... An all-conference, all-district and all-state performer ... Member of the Beta Club and student government ... Heritage Club President ... Played club soccer for 86 Premier and 87 Fayetteville Force Premier.

## PERSONAL

Born Jan. 10, 1988 ... Son of Lam and Samantha Nguyen ... Major is sport and entertainment management ... Full name is Sean Vinh Nguyen.



# #27 - ANDRE BAHRI

**R-FRESHMAN - MIDFIELD - 5'9 - 174 - JACKSONVILLE, FLA. - THE BOLLES SCHOOL**

## 2008

Redshirted ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll.

## PRE-COLLEGE

Played for coach Jim Lieb at The Bolles School ... Team was 2005 Florida State High School Final Four team and 2006 finalist ... A four-time district team selection ... *Florida Times Union* All-First Coast Team ... Scored 31 goals and collected 20 assists during prep career ... Helped lead team to three state Final Four appointments and three North Region championships ... An Honor Roll Student ... Played for coach Sean Steed on the First Coast KYX club squad ... A Florida State ODP member (2005-07) ... Club team captain for eight years ... Helped lead team to U.S. Club Soccer National Championships.

## PERSONAL

Born May 10, 1990 ... Son of George and Lori Bahri ... Major is business ... Full name is Andre Georges Bahri.



## #29 - LUKE BERSON

**R-FRESHMAN - DEFENSE - 6'0 - 188 - COLUMBIA, S.C. - DREHER**

### 2008

Redshirted ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll.

### PRE-COLLEGE

Played for coach Matt Hornsby at Dreher High School ... Earned SCHSA All-Region honors in 2007 ... Team earned lower-state championship and was state runner-up in 2006 ... Named the Dreher High School Defensive MVP in 2008 ... Played club soccer for Lexington United 89 under South Carolina head coach Mark Berson ... Club squad earned South Carolina state title in 2006, runner-up in 2007 ... Team was also Region III Premier League runner-up in 2007 ... Member of the National Honor Society ... "A" Honor Roll member ... President of the Dreher High School Outdoor Club.

### PERSONAL

Born April 3, 1990 ... Son of South Carolina head coach Mark Berson and Shauna Berson ... Father, Mark, and uncle Steve Berson, played soccer at the University of North Carolina ... An exercise science major ... Full name is Luke William Berson.



## #19 - HUNTER HOWAYECK

**R-FRESHMAN - DEFENSE/MIDFIELD - 6'1 - 168 - JACKSONVILLE, FLA. - THE BOLLES SCHOOL**

### 2008

Redshirted ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll ... Also received the C-USA Commissioner's Academic Medal, which is awarded to student-athletes with a cumulative GPA of 3.75 and above ... Member of the SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll.

### PRE-COLLEGE

Member of United States Youth National Team player pool ... ODP (Olympic Development Program) Region III team member (2006, 2008) ... ODP Florida state team (2005-08) ... Four-year captain of Florida ODP squad ... Played club soccer for Futsoc USA Enigma in Western, Fla., under coach Jose Tamayo ... Also played club soccer for First Coast KYX in Jacksonville, Fla., for coach Sean Steed ... Futsoc squad was ranked 10th in the country ... Futsoc squad was a 2006 Raleigh Shootout finalist ... Captured Atlanta Cup championship in 2007... Florida State Cup finalist in 2007 ... Played for coach Jim Lieb at The Bolles School ... Named *Florida Times Union* Player of the Year in 2008 ... Led high school squad in goals (2008) and assists (2005-07) ... Team was 2005 Florida State High School Final Four team and 2006 finalist ... Also competed in cross country, tennis and track ... Extracurricular activities included: class president, Chinese Club president, Find-A-Cure Club president ... Honor Roll member ... State of Florida National Young Youth Leadership Conference nominee ... State of Florida Chinese Competition Finalist (2007-08).

### PERSONAL

Born Feb. 27, 1990 ... Son of Captain James Steven and Jennifer Ross Howayeck ... Major is international business ... Full name is Thomas Hunter Howayeck.



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# #31 - DANIEL LYNCH

**R-FRESHMAN - DEFENSE - 6'2 - 183 - IRMO, S.C. - IRMO**

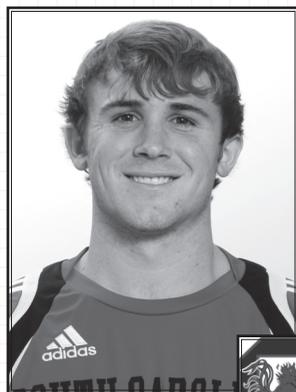
**2008**  
Redshirted.

### PRE-COLLEGE

2007 NSCAA (National Soccer Coaches Association of America) adidas High School All-South Region ... Played club soccer for Lexington United 89 under South Carolina head coach Mark Berson ... Club squad earned South Carolina state title in 2006, runner-up in 2007 ... Team was also Region III Premier League runner-up in 2007 ... Played for coach Phil Savitz at Irmo High School ... Named to the all-region IV 4A team and all-state 4A team in 2007 ... Also named high school's most outstanding defensive player in 2007 ... Earned Captains Award during junior season ... Member of high school squad that won 2005 Region V championship and lower-state championship ... Team also earned NSCAA team academic award from 2005-07 ... Earned Irmo High School Academic Excellence Award in 2007.

### PERSONAL

Born Jan. 15, 1990 ... Son of Danny and Sherryl Lynch ... A psychology major ... Full name is William Daniel Lynch III.



# #25 - ROSS POWER

**R-FRESHMAN - GOALKEEPER - 6'0 - 175 - COLUMBIA, S.C. - HAMMOND SCHOOL**

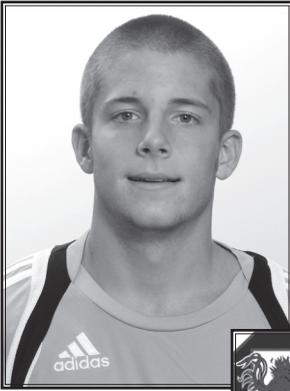
**2008**  
Redshirted ... Named to the C-USA Academic Honor Roll.

### PRE-COLLEGE

Played for coach Adrian Pinasco at Hammond School ... 2007 *High School Sports Report* All-State Team ... 2007 SCISA (South Carolina Independent School Association) All-Region and All-State honoree ... 2007 SCISA All-Star ... Team advanced to state semi-finals in 2007 ... Played club soccer for Lexington United 89 under South Carolina head coach Mark Berson ... Club squad earned South Carolina state title in 2006, runner-up in 2007 ... Team was also Region III Premier League runner-up in 2007 ... Also wrestled for Hammond School ... Individual state wrestling champion all four years of prep career ... Led prep squad to state wrestling title, 2005-08 ... Honor Roll member.

### PERSONAL

Born Oct. 29, 1989 ... Son of Woody and Martha Power ... A business major ... Full name is Ross Chappell Power.



## #22 - RYAN GOODWIN

**FRESHMAN - MIDFIELD - 5'6 - 155 - HUNTERVILLE, N.C. - NORTH MECKLENBURG**

### PRE-COLLEGE

Lettered two years for coach Marc Caulderone and coach Paul Kitka at North Mecklenburg High School ... Member of Region III ODP (Olympic Development Program) squad ... Attended Region III International training trip to Coasta Rica in March of 2009 ... 2008 South Carolina State team, ODP Championship and Region III finalist ... Selected to the *Charlotte Weekly Team of the Year* ... During senior season at North Mecklenburg named team captain ... Led team in goals and assists during senior season ... Named team MVP, all-conference, all-region and earned selection to the NCHSAA All-Star East-West Game during final prep season ... Played club soccer for CESA 90' Premier and coach Nick Finotti.

### PERSONAL

Born May 26, 1991 ... Son of Natalie and Kevin Goodwin ... A business major ... Full name is Ryan Edward Goodwin.



## #16 - ALEX LONG

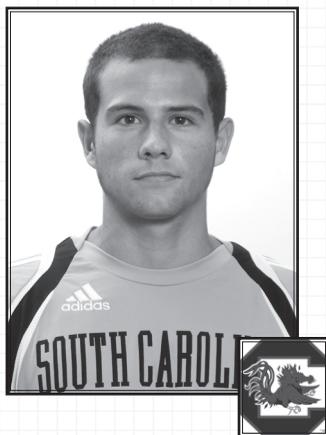
**FRESHMAN - GOALKEEPER - 6'2 - 201 - CARY, N.C. - GREEN HOPE**

### PRE-COLLEGE

Played prep career for head coach Andrew Chadwick at Green Hope High School ... Named a *Parade Magazine* High School Boy's All-American (2009) ... Member of the U-18 U.S. Men's National Team ... U-18 Men's National Team Camp (Jan 2008, Dec. 2008); U-18 U.S. Men's National Team Camp - Lisbon, Portugal (May 2008); U-18 U.S. Men's National Team Camp - Sydney, Australia (Jan. 2009) ... NSCAA/Adidas Youth High School All-American (Dec. 2008) ... Region III ODP (Olympic Development Program) team member ... An all-state honoree ... Played club soccer for CASL Chelsea FC Academy and coach Rusty Scarborough.

### PERSONAL

Born August 22, 1991 ... Son of Gina and Tommy Long ... A business major ... Full name is Alexander Thomas Long.



# #7 - ERIC MARTINEZ

FRESHMAN - DEFENSE/MIDFIELD - 6'1 - 171 - FORT MILL, S.C. - PROVIDENCE DAY SCHOOL  
(CHARLOTTE, N.C.)

## PRE-COLLEGE

Played prep career for coach Bill Finneyfrock at Providence Day High School in Charlotte, N.C. ... Named a *Parade Magazine* High School Boy's All-American (2009) ... Named an *ESPNRISE.com* First Team All-American (May 2009) ... Also earned EA Sports All-America accolades (June 2009) ... Member of the U-18 U.S. Men's National Team ... NSCAA/Adidas Youth High All-American (Dec. 2008) ... Named an *ESPN.com* Top 10 Recruit (2009 class) ... Region III ODP (Olympic Development Program) team member ...

Named the North Carolina State High School Player of the Year (coaches) following senior season ... Also named the *Charlotte Observer* North Carolina State Player of the Year ... Earned all-conference, all-region and all-state honors (2006-08) during prep career ... Played club soccer for coach Todd Hermann on the North Meck Storm squad.

## PERSONAL

Born May 2, 1991 ... Son of Amelia and David Martinez ... A business major ... Full name is Eric Matthew Martinez.



# #4 - KEVIN STAM

FRESHMAN - DEFENSE/MIDFIELD - 6'2 - 192 - RALEIGH, N.C. - NEEDHAM B. BROUGHTON

## PRE-COLLEGE

Played prep career for head coach Israel Hernandez at Needham B. Broughton High School ... Region III ODP (Olympic Development Program) team member ... Named team captain (2007, 2008) ... Earned CAP 7 All-Conference accolades (2006-08) ... All-state honoree (2007-08) ... Also earned academic all-conference honors (2005-08) ... High School squad earned NCHSAA 4A State Championship in back-to-back years (2006-07) ... Played club soccer for coach Rusty Scarborough for CASL Chelsea FC Academy.

## PERSONAL

Born Feb. 14, 1991 ... Son of Lynn and Billy Stam ... A business major ... Full name is Kevin Fordham Stam ... Member of high school honor roll and National Honor Society ... Earned National Merit Scholarship Recognition ... Also named an AP Scholar.

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# STEPHANIE BINGHAM

**ATHLETIC TRAINING GRADUATE ASSISTANT**

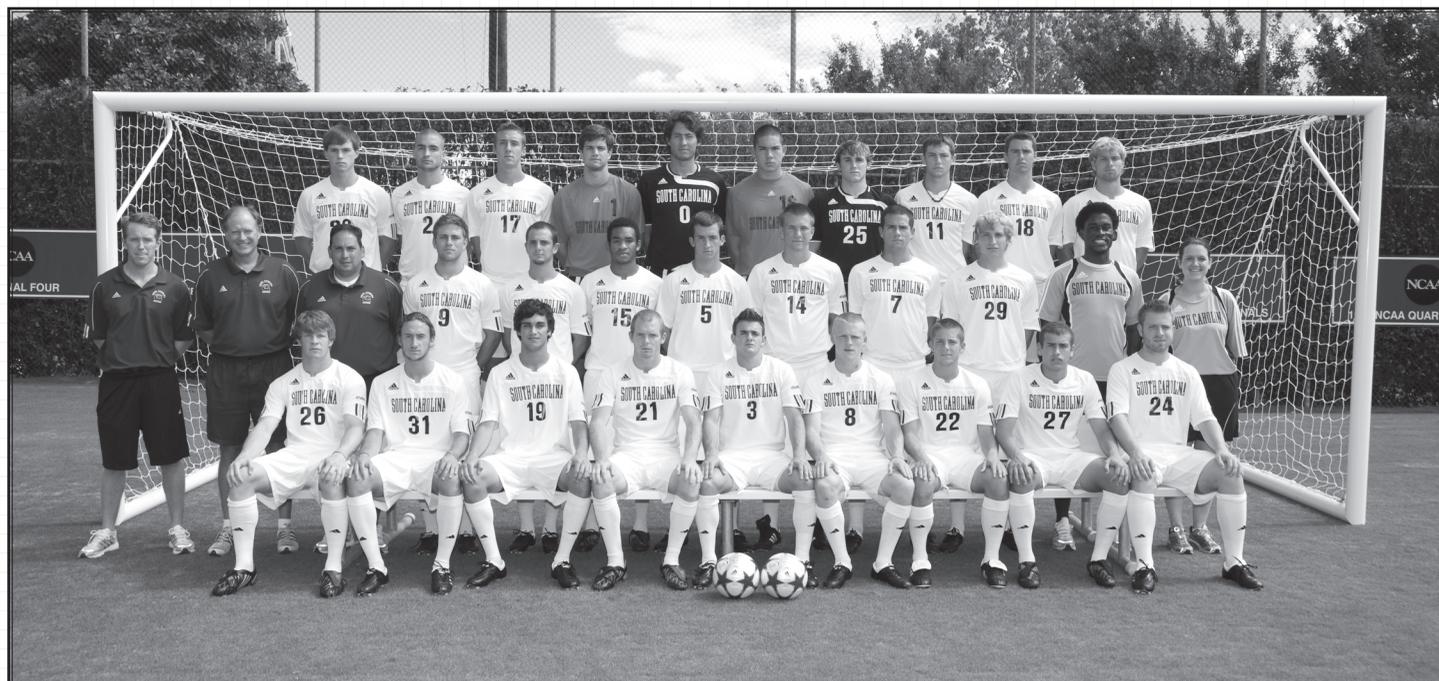
Originally from Pottstown, Penn., Stephanie Bingham received her bachelor's degree in athletic training from West Chester University (PA) in the spring of 2009. Bingham is a first-year athletic training graduate student at the University of South Carolina and is pursuing her masters in athletic training.

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## CAROLINA SOCCER



### **2009 SOUTH CAROLINA MEN'S SOCCER**

**FRONT ROW (L TO R):** Mike Lindsay, Daniel Lynch, Hunter Howayeck, Danny Cates, Jeff Scannella, Vance Benson, Ryan Goodwin, Andre Bahri, Bryan Lowder

**MIDDLE ROW (L TO R):** Assistant Coach Mike Babst, Head Coach Mark Berson, Assistant Coach Bert Molinary, Sam Arthur, Mario Burstein, Josh Stewart, Stephen Morrissey, Kevin Stam, Eric Martinez, Luke Berson, Manager Bryan Ham, Manager Megan Leonard

**BACK ROW (L TO R):** Schuyler Reardon, Tyler Ruthven, Will Traynor, Jimmy Maurer, Sean Nguyen, Alex Long, Ross Power, Blake Brettschneider, Evan O'Dell, Mark Wiltse