

CAROLINA



THE GAMECOCKS

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TENNIS



UP CLOSE WITH BLAKELY

Favorite racket: Head Pro Tour 280 — it'll always be my favorite!

Favorite women's tennis professional: Martina Hingis

Grand Slam you would most like to win: US Open

Languages you speak: English, some French and a little Swahili

A place you have always wanted to visit but never had the chance: Ireland

Dream job: Something with numbers, people and pressure

Biggest pet peeve: Incorrect grammar

Possession you would keep if you lost all but one: My computer — can't live without it!

Best advice you have ever been given: Believe and don't panic

Why USC? Hospitality, opportunity and spirit

Biggest influence in your life: My parents and my sisters

Person in history you would like to meet: Isaac Newton

Favorite class at USC: Discrete math and finance

Favorite coach Elkins quote: "Make sure you stretch good!"

Teammate who makes you laugh the most: Megan McGavock, my little break-dancer

2005-06 (JUNIOR): Went 14-7 overall in singles and was 6-9 in doubles ... Held a 3-2 record in dual matches in singles ... After losing three of her first five matches, she went on a roll by winning seven straight contests before falling in the SEC Coaches Fall Classic championship ... Finished the fall with a 9-4 record in singles and was 4-5 in doubles ... Opened up the spring playing in a tournament in Las Vegas ... Went 2-1 at the event with wins against Erica Schewer of Arizona State and Jessica Leck from Stanford ... Posted dual match singles victories against College of Charleston and Davidson at the No. 5 position ... Won the first SEC match of her career by downing Daysi Espinal of LSU in straight sets 6-3, 7-6(6) at six singles ... Earned a spot on the Dean's List for the fall semester ... Was named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll for the third consecutive year ... One of two Gamecocks named an ITA Scholar-Athlete.

2004-05 (SOPHOMORE): Totaled an 11-6 singles mark overall and ended the season with a three-match winning streak ... Had a five-match winning stretch during the fall ... All of her victories came in straight sets as well ... Competed in three dual matches during the spring and went 3-0 ... Her first career dual-match win came versus Tamar Hupples of Maryland in a pro-set match at six singles ... Lost only three games in duals ... Started the season by winning seven of her first eight matches and went into the Las Vegas tournament with an 8-2 record ... Registered an even 9-9 slate for doubles ... Was named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll for the second year in a row ... Earned President's List honors from USC for the fall and spring semesters.

2003-04 (FRESHMAN): Recorded an 8-4 mark over the fall season while compiling a 5-1 record in regional play ... After dropping two matches

she went 8-2 over her last 10 ... Defeated teammate Ayako Suzuki to win her flight at the Southern Intercollegiate tournament ... Notched a pair of victories at the SEC Coaches Fall Classic against Erin Cohn of Tennessee and Mari Muller from Alabama ... In doubles, Blakely teamed with Fallon Koon to post a 9-4 record overall and a 5-4 mark in the Southeast Region ... The duo won its respective flight at the SEC fall tournament by defeating a team from Auburn 8-2 in the final ... Did not play in the spring ... Made the Dean's List both semesters ... Was a member of the SEC Academic Honor Roll.

HIGH SCHOOL: Went undefeated in 2002 and was ranked No. 1 in the USTA Middle States in the girls' 18-year-old division ... Won 10 straight MSTA tournaments and 42 straight matches in singles ... Ranked No. 1 in MSTA doubles in the girls' 18-year-old division ... 2002 Pennsylvania high school champion ... Three-time state champion at Wyomissing High School ... Ranked No. 99 nationally in the girls' 18-year-old division ... Ranked 15th in the nation in doubles ... Scored a perfect 1600 on the SAT ... Recorded a 4.4 GPA in high school while taking eight advanced placement courses.

PERSONAL: Is a mathematics major ... Born April 18, 1985 ... Her parents are Dr. Thomas and Pamela Blakely ... Has three sisters, Lorraine, Martha and Audrey Ann.



CAREER STATISTICS

SINGLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
2003-04	8-4	8-4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2004-05	11-6	8-6	3-0	—	—	—	—	2-0	1-0
2005-06	14-7	11-5	3-2	—	—	—	—	2-0	1-2
Totals	33-17	27-15	6-2	—	—	—	—	4-0	2-2

DOUBLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3
2003-04	9-4	9-4	—	—	—	—
2004-05	9-9	8-7	1-2	—	1-0	0-2
2005-06	6-9	4-5	2-4	—	0-1	2-3
Totals	24-22	21-16	3-6	—	1-1	2-5



UP CLOSE WITH GANZER

- Favorite racket:** Head Radical
- Favorite shot to hit for a winner:** Overhead
- Favorite men's tennis professional:** Tim Henman
- Favorite women's tennis professional:** Steffi Graf
- Grand Slam you would most like to win:** Rather win the Olympics
- Languages you speak:** German, French, English, Chinese and some Spanish
- Language you use on court if you speak more than one:** German
- First thing you would do if you were head coach for a day:** Set up individual practice
- A place you have always wanted to visit but never had the chance:** South Africa
- Dream job:** Being the first female and foreign president of the United States
- Possession you would keep if you lost all but one:** My diary
- Best advice you have ever been given:** Just do what you have to do
- The deciding factor that made you choose USC:** The business school
- Most memorable match:** Clemson in 2006
- Person in history you would like to meet:** Leonardo da Vinci
- Favorite class at USC:** Strategic management

2005-06 (JUNIOR): Began the fall ranked 107th in singles ... Her overall record for singles was 11-9 and she was 5-4 in dual matches with most of her playing time coming at four singles ... Was 10-12 playing doubles and 7-4 in dual matches ... Defeated then-No. 100 Rebecca Rankin of Arizona State at a spring tournament in Las Vegas ... Ganzer's season came to an abrupt end against Georgia on March 10 ... She defeated nationally-ranked Carolina Basu 6-0 in the first set and with the match tied 4-4 in the second, Ganzer charged the net for a short ball and severely sprained her ankle in the process ... Returned to play doubles with Miranda Gutierrez against LSU and Arkansas on March 24 and 26 ... Despite winning both matches at the No. 3 position, Ganzer opted to stay out for the remainder of the season to let her ankle fully heal ... Made the SEC Academic Honor Roll for the third season in a row ... Was also a member of the Dean's List for the fall and spring semesters ... One of two Gamecocks named an ITA Scholar-Athlete.

2004-05 (SOPHOMORE): Went 18-9 on the season and finished 15-13 in doubles ... Won her draw at the Southern Intercollegiate with four victories against opponents from Wofford, College of Charleston, Furman and East Tennessee State ... Held a 7-3 singles record after the fall ... Won 12 out of 13 matches during one stretch between the fall and spring ... Won her singles match in USC's first six dual matches of the season, four of which came at the No. 2 position ... Entered the singles rankings for the first time in her career March 22 at 91st ... Defeated ranked foes Elizabeth Exon of Michigan and Sarah Foster from Kentucky during the spring ... Injuries forced her to miss a month of play in the spring ... Teamed with Fallon Koon and Danielle Wiggins for doubles in dual contests ... Earned a spot on the SEC Academic Honor Roll ... A Dean's List honoree for the spring semester.

2003-04 (FRESHMAN): Was one of three freshmen in the singles lineup for USC ... After going 4-6 in the fall, improved to go 13-9 in the spring for a combined singles mark of 17-15 ... Played the majority of the season at No. 3 singles where she went 13-7 ... Won seven of her first eight matches in the spring ... Defeated the first ranked player in her career during that period of time with a 7-6, 6-3 victory over then-No. 78 Maria Brito from Clemson ... Fell in three sets to Shadisha Robinson of Georgia, who was among the nation's top 15 at the time of the match, in three sets ... In doubles, Ganzer went 12-17 overall with a 9-12 slate in duals ... Played exclusively at No. 1 doubles with Christyn Lucas and Danielle Wiggins ... Made the SEC Academic Honor Roll ... Named to the Dean's List for the fall and spring semesters.

HIGH SCHOOL: Placed second with the German team in the under-16s in Paris for the European team championships ... Held a German women's ranking of 70th in 2001 and 105th in 2000 ... Won first place in the German doubles championships in 2000 and 2001 ... Held an ITF junior ranking of 100 in 2000.

PERSONAL: Is majoring in management and marketing ... Born June 15, 1984 ... Her parents are Friederike and Karlo Otto Ganzer.

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SINGLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
2003-04	17-15	4-6	13-9	0-1	0-1	13-7	—	—	—
2004-05	18-9	9-4	9-5	—	4-1	5-4	—	—	—
2005-06	11-9	6-5	5-4	—	—	1-0	4-4	—	—
Totals	46-33	19-15	27-18	0-1	4-2	19-11	4-4	—	—

DOUBLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3
2003-04	12-17	3-5	9-12	9-12	—	—
2004-05	15-13	8-4	7-9	0-3	4-1	3-5
2005-06	10-12	3-8	7-4	—	5-4	2-0
Totals	37-42	14-17	23-25	9-15	9-5	5-5





UP CLOSE WITH GUTIERREZ

- Favorite racket:** Babolat Pure Drive Plus
Favorite shot to hit for a winner: Backhand down the line
Favorite surface: Hard court
Favorite men's tennis professional: Roger Federer, but after Andre Agassi's second-round match at the 2006 US Open I will now pull for Marcos Baghdatis as well
Favorite women's tennis professional: Justine Henin-Hardenne
Grand Slam you would most like to win: US Open
Who is the actress who would play the part in a movie about your life? Kate Hudson
A place you have always wanted to visit but never had the chance: Greece
Biggest pet peeve: Bad breath and baby talk
The deciding factor that made you choose USC: Its all-around sports program
Biggest influence in your life: My grandmother
Person in history you would like to meet: Princess Diana
Favorite class at USC: Business law
Favorite coach Elkins' quote: "Don't get passed down the line."
Teammate who makes you laugh the most: Natasa Vuckovic and Christyn Lucas

2005-06 (JUNIOR): Went 11-8 in singles after missing the entire fall with an injury ... Was 10-10 in doubles and 9-9 for dual matches with the majority of her work coming at the No. 3 position ... Tallied three consecutive wins to open the spring against foes from College of Charleston, Davidson and Furman ... Gradually worked her way up from No. 6 singles to be South Carolina's regular at the No. 4 slot ... Won four of her first five matches in SEC play ... Did not drop a game in her victory over Auburn's Tori Almagno ... Capped off a three-match winning streak with a 6-2, 6-2 triumph over Alabama's Natalie McElveen ... Won a key match over Preethi Subramanian from Mississippi in the first round of the SEC Tournament by scores of 6-4, 7-6(6) ... USC lost the doubles point to the Rebels, but Gutierrez helped the Gamecocks rally for a 4-1 victory ... Had several doubles partners, including Grace Blakely, Laura Ganzer, Christyn Lucas and Megan McGavock.

2004-05 (SOPHOMORE): Tallied a 20-15 record overall in singles while posting a 14-19 doubles mark ... Won her respective singles flight at the Southern Intercollegiate ... Played a major role in the spring because of injuries affecting players at the top of the lineup ... Moved up a spot to No. 3 singles, where she went 7-4 with the four losses coming to players who were ranked in the national top 100 ... Had a five-match winning streak in the spring that included a trio of victories that came in three sets ... At one point, she won 12 of 15 matches ... Went 7-4 in SEC contests with triumphs over Arkansas, Kentucky, Vanderbilt, Alabama, Auburn, Tennessee and Mississippi ... Won her singles and doubles matches in USC's first-round NCAA match with Nebraska to help the Gamecocks extend their streak of opening-round wins to 12 ... Played at all three doubles spots in the spring ... Made the Athletics Director's Honor Roll for the spring semester.

2003-04 (FRESHMAN): Went 18-8 in singles, playing the majority of the dual season at No. 4 singles ... Went an impressive 18-4 in doubles play, which included a perfect 7-0 slate in tournaments ... Battled injuries throughout the season but came back to help lead USC to a first-round win over Wake Forest in the 2004 NCAA Tournament ... Missed nine matches due to a broken bone in her foot ... Was 3-1 in SEC matches with the one loss coming to Vanderbilt ... Her league victories were against Arkansas, LSU and Kentucky ... Was a tough out at No. 3 doubles with teammate Ayako Suzuki, as the pair went 9-4 ... Overall, Gutierrez was 10-4 at the position ... Earned a spot on the Athletics Director's Honor Roll during the fall semester.

HIGH SCHOOL: Ranked 12th in the nation in the 16s ... Won the Gatorade Will to Win Athlete Award and the Andres Garcia Memorial Tennis Award ... First-team all-county in Hillsborough and named the 2003 Hillsborough County Player of the Year ... Was the 2003 high school state champion in Florida.

PERSONAL: Is majoring in business management and marketing ... Her birthday is Oct. 19, 1985 ... Alan and Mary Jane Gutierrez are her parents ... Nickname is "Roo-Roo."



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SINGLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
2003-04	18-8	8-3	10-5	—	—	2-0	8-5	—	—
2004-05	20-15	7-7	13-8	—	1-0	7-4	5-4	—	—
2005-06	11-8	—	11-8	—	—	0-1	2-3	4-1	5-3
Totals	49-31	15-10	34-21	—	1-0	9-5	15-12	4-1	5-3

DOUBLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3
2003-04	18-4	7-0	11-4	—	1-0	10-4
2004-05	14-19	7-6	7-13	1-6	2-2	4-5
2005-06	10-10	1-1	9-9	—	2-4	7-5
Totals	42-33	15-7	27-26	1-6	5-6	21-14



UP CLOSE WITH LUCAS

- Favorite racket:** Thunder 750 Longbody
Favorite shot to hit for a winner: Backhand down the line
Favorite surface: Clay
Favorite men's professional: Andre Agassi
Favorite women's professional: Jennifer Capriati
Grand Slam you would most like to win: Wimbledon
A place you have always wanted to visit but never had the chance: Italy
Dream job: President of the United States
Craziest ambition: To visit every country in the world
Possession you would keep if you lost all but one: Bible
Most memorable match: In 2005 versus Alabama, I was the last match on the court and was down 6-2, 5-1 40-love and also 4-1 in the third and came back to win 6-4 in the third to clinch the win for the team
Person in history you would like to meet: Jesus
Favorite coach Elkins quote: "Don't get passed down the line."
Favorite junk food: Whopper with cheese, Sweet Tarts, Nerds and vanilla ice cream
Teammate who makes you laugh the most: Natasa Vuckovic

CHRISTYN LUCAS

5-3 • Sr.-3L • Right-Handed
Miami, Fla.
(Gulliver Preparatory)

2005-06 (JUNIOR): Sat out the fall season because of an injury ... Held a ranking of No. 63 nationally when the fall season began ... Went 7-6 in singles and was 8-9 for doubles ... Her first appearance in a dual match came versus Clemson on Feb. 19 when she teamed with Danielle Wiggins at No. 3 doubles ... Returned to the singles lineup for South Carolina in the spring against Mississippi State on March 3 ... Played No. 6 singles in the contest and was in the same position two days later at Mississippi ... After dropping a couple matches to Georgia and Tennessee, Lucas ripped off four consecutive victories at three singles ... All of her wins came in straight sets against the likes of Winthrop, LSU, Arkansas and Auburn ... Ela Kaluder from Arkansas was ranked 53rd at the time of their match ... Won a three-set battle over Danielle Petrisko of Kentucky by scores of 6-3, 4-6, 6-2 ... Made the SEC Academic Honor Roll for the second-straight year.

2004-05 (SOPHOMORE): Named USC's 2005 MVP ... Finished the season with a 23-14 record and a 7-3 mark in SEC play ... Played at No. 1 in seven matches and posted a 4-2 record with one match being suspended midway through the second set ... Her regular starting position was No. 2, where she was 10-4 in the spring ... Held a 16-15 doubles slate and was 11-9 in duals ... Began the fall with a No. 111 national ranking and finished at 93rd, which was the highest of her career at the time ... Entered the 2005 NCAA Tournament on a five-match winning streak ... Also had a six-match unbeaten stretch earlier in the year that came after she lost her first two matches of the season ... Named SEC Player of the Week after her performance against Ashley Bentley of Alabama and Isabel Rosenbrock of Auburn ... Her victories in the Alabama, Mississippi and Mississippi State matches gave Carolina 4-3 victories

... In all three of those matches, she was the last match on court with the team score tied at three-all ... Named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll ... Made the Dean's List both semesters.

2003-04 (FRESHMAN): Won her respective singles flight at the Southern Intercollegiate during the fall ... Had a six-match winning streak during the fall en route to a 7-4 record ... Played at No. 2 singles in the spring, where she went 12-8 overall and 6-4 in SEC play ... Her overall SEC performance was 7-4, which was the second-best record on the 2004 team ... Lucas' combined record in singles was 21-12, giving her the second-most wins on the team ... Was 18-16 overall in doubles with an 11-13 dual ledger ... Defeated nationally-ranked opponents Amanda Fish of Vanderbilt and Evgenia Subbotina of Georgia in three sets ... Ended her first year winning five of six matches with the one loss coming to Jennifer Magley of Florida, who was ranked among the national top 25 at the time ... A member of the Dean's List for the fall and spring semesters.

HIGH SCHOOL: High school state champion in 2002 ... Team MVP in 2001 and 2002 ... All-American in 2001 and 2002 ... First-team All-Dade County in 2001 and 2002 ... Winner of the Florida State Closed Championship in 2002.

PERSONAL: Is a marketing major ... Born Feb. 10, 1985 ... Her parents are Phil and Cheryl Lucas ... Has one brother, Phillip.

CAREER STATISTICS

SINGLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
2003-04	21-12	7-4	14-8	—	12-8	2-0	—	—	—
2004-05	23-14	9-8	14-6	4-2	10-4	—	—	—	—
2005-06	7-6	—	7-6	—	—	4-4	1-1	0-1	2-0
Totals	51-32	16-12	35-20	4-2	22-12	6-4	1-1	0-1	2-0

DOUBLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3
2003-04	18-16	7-3	11-13	3-5	8-8	—
2004-05	16-15	5-6	11-9	5-3	6-6	—
2005-06	8-9	—	8-9	—	4-7	4-2
Totals	42-40	12-9	30-31	8-8	18-21	4-2





UP CLOSE WITH McGAVOCK

- Favorite racket:** Babolat Pure Drive
- Favorite shot to hit for a winner:** Backhand down the line
- Favorite surface:** Clay
- Favorite men's tennis professional:** Andre Agassi
- Favorite women's tennis professional:** Martina Hingis and Kim Clijsters
- Gram Slam you would most like to win:** US Open
- Languages you speak:** English
- If there were a movie about your life, what would it be called?** "Chaos"
- A place you have always wanted to visit but never had the chance:** Europe
- Biggest pet peeve:** Broken promises
- Best advice you have ever been given:** Don't panic
- Biggest influence in your life:** My mother
- Favorite junk food:** Chocolate chip cookies
- Teammate who makes you laugh the most:** Grace Blakely

2005-06 (SOPHOMORE): Was the Gamecocks' most consistent performer in the spring, as she led the team in dual-match victories with a 16-5 record ... Went 21-10 overall ... Played all the singles positions except the top two ... The majority of her matches were played at No. 5 singles, where McGavock was 12-3 ... Had a 15-15 slate in doubles play, which included a 12-11 record in duals ... Was used nearly equally at all three doubles slots, playing nine at No. 1 doubles, eight at the second spot and six at three doubles ... Won her first six contests in duals after going 0-4 at a January tournament in Las Vegas ... Also won nine of her first 10 in dual matches with the one loss coming in three sets ... Defeated Mimi Renaudin of Mississippi by scores of 4-6, 6-3, 6-4 to help the Gamecocks to a 4-3 victory over the Rebels ... McGavock was 6-4 overall in SEC matches ... Registered a 6-4, 4-6, 6-2 triumph over Vanderbilt's Caroline Ferrell ... Gave the Gamecocks their one point in a first-round NCAA loss to Wake Forest by downing Sierra Poske 6-1, 6-1 at No. 5 singles ... Finished the fall with an impressive 5-1 record ... Competed only in the USTA and Southern Intercollegiate tournaments ... Won four matches at the Southern Intercollegiate to win her flight ... Made the SEC Academic Honor Roll for the second-straight year.

2004-05 (FRESHMAN): Was a significant contributor for South Carolina as a freshman, going 19-8 in singles and 15-10 in doubles ... Had a successful fall season where she went 10-5 and won her flight at the SEC Coaches Fall Classic ... Defeated Audrey Bordeleau from Arkansas in the final 4-6, 6-4, 6-3 ... Had to win three of the four matches at the event in three sets ... Stepped into the starting lineup midway through the dual-match season and went 8-2 playing primarily at No. 6 singles ... In her first dual match against Alabama, McGavock upended Andrea Brenes at the No. 6 slot 6-2, 5-7, 7-5 to help USC earn a 4-3 victory ... Snagged one of the Gamecocks' two points at Tennessee, as McGavock defeated

Ghizela Schutte in three sets ... Went on to win four more matches in a row after the UT contest to extend her unbeaten streak to six ... Beat Nebraska's Katie Garcia 6-3, 6-3 in the first round of NCAA play to help the Gamecocks win their 12th opening-round match in a row ... Played doubles with Grace Blakely, Miranda Gutierrez, Fallon Koon and Magda Wojdylo ... Named to the SEC Academic Honor Roll ... Was a Dean's List member for the fall and spring semesters.

HIGH SCHOOL: Was ranked No. 6 in Florida as a junior in the 18s ... Also ranked among the top 50 in the country in the 18s ... Did not play high school tennis.

PERSONAL: Is pursuing a degree in business administration ... Born Dec. 18, 1985 ... Her parents are Patrick and Gail McGavock ... Has an older brother, Ryan, and a younger brother, Kevin.



CAREER STATISTICS

SINGLES									
Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
2004-05	19-8	11-6	8-2	—	—	2-0	—	—	6-2
2005-06	21-10	5-5	16-5	—	—	2-0	2-1	12-3	0-1
Totals	40-18	16-11	24-7	—	—	4-0	2-1	12-3	6-3

DOUBLES						
Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3
2004-05	15-10	10-4	5-6	0-1	2-0	3-5
2005-06	15-15	3-4	12-11	5-4	4-4	3-3
Totals	30-25	13-8	17-17	5-5	6-4	6-8



UP CLOSE WITH SCHOFIELD

- Favorite racket:** Babalot
- Favorite shot to hit for a winner:** Overhead
- Favorite surface:** Hard, but my best results are on clay
- Favorite men's professional:** Roger Federer
- Favorite women's professional:** Stefi Graf (still playing, Justine Henin-Hardenne)
- Grand Slam you would most like to win:** French Open
- If there were a movie about your life, what would it be called?** "Trip of Dreams"
- A place you have always wanted to visit but never had the chance:** Ivory Coast, Spain and Japan
- Dream job:** Travel around the world and spread chiropractic
- Craziest ambition:** Spreading positivism and chiropractic
- Biggest pet peeve:** When someone does something to you that he/she does not want done to him/her
- Best advice you have ever been given:** What you think you create
- Biggest influence in your life:** My family, each member
- Favorite coach Elkins quote:** "Everybody get a drink of water."
- Favorite junk food:** Ice cream
- Teammate who makes you laugh the most:** Natasa Vuckovic and Ana Marija Zubori

2005-06 (FRESHMAN): Had one of the best freshman years in South Carolina history ... Named second-team All-SEC ... Also tabbed SEC Co-Freshman of the Year, becoming the first USC player to earn the accolade from the Southeastern Conference ... Became the second Gamecock to win the ITA Southeast Region Rookie of the Year award ... Won USC's 2006 MVP award as well ... Was an at-large selection for the NCAA Singles Championship in Stanford, Calif., and just the second USC freshman to make the field ... Finished the year ranked No. 54 in the nation in singles ... Stayed among the top 70 in singles the entire spring, reaching a high of 46th in late February ... Lost back-to-back matches in singles just one time the entire season ... Went 25-11 overall and 14-7 in duals while playing exclusively at the No. 1 singles position ... Held a 5-6 mark in SEC matches ... In doubles, Schofield registered a 19-17 slate, tying her with fellow freshman Natasa Vuckovic for the team lead in victories ... Played every doubles match during the spring season at the top slot as well ... Defeated four ranked players in the spring ... The first was Frederica van Adrichem from Clemson, who was 41st at the time ... Within a week during April, Schofield beat players ranked No. 12 and No. 15 at the time of the match ... The first was Robin Stephenson of Alabama, who lost in straight sets ... The second was Vanderbilt's Amanda Fish ... Defeated Kseniia Tokarieva from Mississippi in the first round of the SEC Tournament to help USC win 4-1 after losing the doubles point ... Tokarieva was the player with which Schofield shared SEC Freshman of the Year honors ... Finished the fall at 10-2 with a couple of tournament victories ... Her first was the Southern Intercollegiate ... Schofield's last tourney championship was at the SEC Coaches Fall Classic by downing teammate Vuckovic in the final in three sets ... Played doubles with Laura Ganzer, Megan McGavock and Vuckovic ... Was 10-11 in dual matches for doubles play ... Made the SEC Academic Honor Roll, as well as the Athletics Director's Honor Roll for the fall and spring semesters.

GIRA SCHOFIELD

5-6 • So.-1L • Right-Handed
Boca Raton, Fla.
(American Heritage Boca Delray)

HIGH SCHOOL: Attended American Heritage High School ... Ranked No. 1 in Florida in the girls' 16s and finished No. 2 in the nation ... Won the state championship at her high school during her junior season and the team finished second in her senior season ... During her junior year of high school, she won the Best Newcomer of the Year award and the team MVP as a senior ... Finished second at the girls' 16s National Clay Courts and second at the girls' 18s Bush Florida Open tournament.

PERSONAL: Is an exercise science major ... Her birthday is Aug. 29, 1986 ... Parents are Dr. Fred and Susan Schofield ... Has two older brothers, F.J. and Paxton.



CAREER STATISTICS

SINGLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
2005-06	25-11	11-4	14-7	14-7	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	25-11	11-4	14-7	14-7	—	—	—	—	—

DOUBLES

Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3
2005-06	19-17	9-6	10-11	10-11	—	—
Totals	19-17	9-6	10-11	10-11	—	—



UP CLOSE WITH VUCKOVIC

- Favorite racket:** Wilson
- Favorite surface:** Clay
- Favorite men's tennis professional:** Roger Federer
- Favorite women's tennis professional:** Martina Hingis
- Favorite class at USC:** International studies
- Languages you speak:** Serbian, English and some Spanish
- Language you use on court if you speak more than one:** Serbian
- First thing you would do if you were head coach for a day:** Schedule a match at Hawaii
- If there were a movie about you life, what would it be called:** "You Can Do That"
- Who is the actress who would play the part in a movie about your life:** Jennifer Lopez
- A place you have always wanted to visit but never had the chance:** Hawaii
- Possession you would keep if you lost all but one:** My family
- Best advice you have ever been given:** You can do that
- The deciding factor that made you choose USC:** Assistant coach Katarina Petrovic
- Favorite class at USC:** Dance 101
- Favorite coach Elkins quote:** "Come on girls, quick drink." and "Just one more minute."
- Favorite junk food:** I hate food here
- Teammate who makes you laugh the most:** Christyn Lucas

NATASA VUCKOVIC

5-8 • So.-1L • Right-Handed
Novi Sad, Serbia
(Karlovacka Gim)

2005-06 (FRESHMAN): Earned second-team All-SEC honors and garnered SEC Player of the Week recognition once ... Led the team in singles victories with a 26-15 record ... Tied for second with fellow freshman Gira Schofield in dual-match wins after a 14-7 slate ... Played No. 2 singles for most of the spring, going 11-7 and 6-5 in SEC contests ... Held a national singles ranking for the majority of the spring season as well, going as high as No. 62 in January and February ... Reached the final of three fall tournaments, including the SEC Coaches Fall Classic and the Southern Intercollegiate ... Defeated a pair of ranked opponents at the fall SEC event in Nina Suvak of Florida and Taka Bertrand from Vanderbilt ... Vuckovic won in three sets both times ... Upended one ranked player in the spring by downing Arizona State's Sabrina Capannolo 6-3, 6-1 at a tournament in Las Vegas ... Won her first six matches in duals ... One of her victories came against Clemson's Maria Brito by a 7-6(5), 1-6, 6-3 count to help USC win 4-3 after losing the doubles point ... Had a five-match winning streak in March as well that included victories over players from Tennessee, Winthrop, LSU, Arkansas and Auburn ... Won a key match against Ilona Somers from Mississippi in the first round of the SEC Tournament ... The Gamecocks lost the doubles point, but Vuckovic's triumph helped lift them to a 4-1 win ... Tied for the team lead in doubles wins thanks to a 19-17 mark ... Went 10-10 in duals and split time playing at one and two doubles ... Played a large portion of the season with Schofield, going 13-11 overall and 5-7 at the No. 1 slot in dual matches ... Her six victories in doubles during SEC play was the best on the squad ... Vuckovic and Schofield defeated one ranked doubles tandem during the season.

HIGH SCHOOL: Five-time champion in Serbia & Montenegro ... Best finish in the ITF junior national rankings was 73rd ... Played in the Wimbledon and French Open under-18 tournaments ... Finished the season ranked No. 1 in her country for the under-16 and -18 age divisions ... Played on national teams at all age levels.

PERSONAL: Is undecided as to her major ... Her birthday is May 14, 1986 ... Vuckovic's parents are Dusko and Mirjana Vuckovic ... Has two siblings, Luka and Gordana.



CAREER STATISTICS

SINGLES									
Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
2005-06	26-15	12-8	14-7	—	11-7	2-0	1-0	—	—
Totals	26-15	12-8	14-7	—	11-7	2-0	1-0	—	—
DOUBLES									
Year	Overall	Tourn.	Dual	#1	#2	#3			
2005-06	19-17	9-7	10-10	5-7	5-3	—			
Totals	19-17	9-7	10-10	5-7	5-3	—			



ANA MARIJA ZUBORI

**5-6 • Fr.-HS • Right-Handed
Mulhouse, France
(Nikola Tesla)**

HIGH SCHOOL: Played in the main draw of several major junior tournaments, including the Australian Open, French Open and Wimbledon ... Was the French National Junior Tennis Championship winner in the under-14 and under-16 divisions ... Claimed the under-18 title at the Serbian National Junior Tennis Championship and did likewise in the over-18s ... Zubori won four International Tennis Federation junior tournaments ... Ranked in the top 10 in the under-16s in Europe and was among the top 50 in the world for the under-18s ... Held a career-high Women's Tennis Association singles ranking of No. 707 in April 2005 ... Her best in doubles was No. 827 in August 2005 ... Made the semifinals of a tournament in Le Touquet, France, in July 2004 by defeating two seeded players, including the tourney's No. 1 seed ... Was a quarterfinalist at three other tournaments.

PERSONAL: Is still undecided as to her major at South Carolina ... Her parents are Djordje and Mira Zubori ... Has three siblings: Aleksandra, Milena and Djordje ... Born in Novi Sad, Serbia, on Sept. 12, 1986.



UP CLOSE WITH ZUBORI

- Favorite surface:** Hard court
- Languages you speak:** Serbian, French and English
- A place you have always wanted to visit but never had the chance:** Greece
- Most memorable match:** French junior championship final
- Biggest influence in your life:** My mom and sisters
- Person in history you would like to meet:** Nikola Tesla, he is the greatest in history!
- Favorite junk food:** Pizza



THE 2006-07 SOUTH CAROLINA GAMECOCKS

(Left-Right): Natasa Vuckovic, Grace Blakely, Gira Schofield, Christyn Lucas, Megan McGavock, Ana Marija Zubori, Laura Ganzer, Miranda Gutierrez



Senior Laura Ganzer has appeared on the SEC Academic Honor Roll each year since coming to USC. She is pursuing degrees in marketing and management while minoring in Chinese.

GAMECOCKS ON THE SEC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

2005-06

SEC Academic Honor Roll Members: 6

- Grace Blakely, Mathematics
- Laura Ganzer, Marketing and Management
- Christyn Lucas, Marketing
- Megan McGavock, Business Administration
- Gira Schofield, Arts & Sciences (Freshman)
- Justine Walsh, Accounting

2004-05

SEC Academic Honor Roll Members: 9

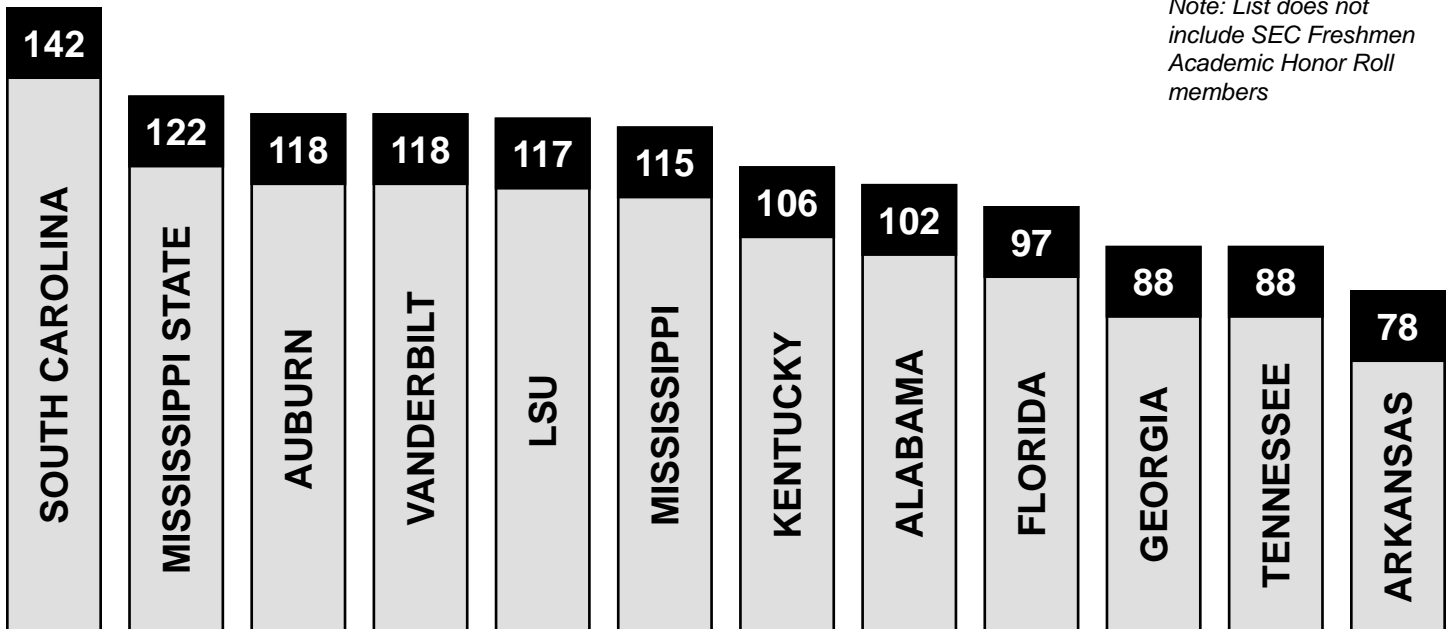
- Grace Blakely, Mathematics
- Laura Ganzer, Marketing
- Audrey George, Accounting
- Fallon Koon, International Studies
- Christyn Lucas, Business Administration
- Megan McGavock, Business Administration (Freshman)
- Justine Walsh, Business Administration
- Danielle Wiggins, Sport and Entertainment Management
- Magda Wojdylo, Real Estate

2003-04

SEC Academic Honor Roll Members: 9

- Grace Blakely, Mathematics (Freshman)
- Laura Ganzer, Business Administration (Freshman)
- Audrey George, Accounting
- Fallon Koon, International Studies
- Christyn Lucas, Political Science (Freshman)
- Ayako Suzuki, Sport and Entertainment Management
- Justine Walsh, Experimental Psychology
- Danielle Wiggins, Sport and Entertainment Management
- Magda Wojdylo, Real Estate

MEN'S & WOMEN'S TENNIS SEC HONOR ROLL SELECTIONS SINCE 1992



Note: List does not include SEC Freshmen Academic Honor Roll members