# PENN STATE WOMEN'S SOCCER



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25	HOFSTRA <sup>1</sup>	W, 2-1
30	at No. 5 Virginia	L, 5-1
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1	LA SALLE	W, 5-1
6	BOSTON UNIVERSITY	W, 1-0
10	at Bucknell	W, 6-0
13	at Oklahoma State	W, 4-2
15	at Tulsa	W, 3-2
20	NORTHWESTERN*	W, 3-2(2OT)
26	PURDUE*	W, 6-1
29	INDIANA*	W, 4-1
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4	at No. 18 Wisconsin*	W, 2-1
6	at Minnesota*	L, 1-0
13	No. 19 MICHIGAN*	L, 1-0
17	OHIO STATE*	W, 4-2
20	ILLINOIS	12:00 p.m.
25	at lowa*	8:00 p.m.
27	at Nebraska*	2:00 p.m.
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1	at Michigan State*	3:00 p.m.
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1	NCAA Quarterfinals	TBA
6	College Cup Semifinals	TBA
8	College Cup Championship	TBA

Big Ten Championship<sup>2</sup> NČAA First Round

NCAA Second Round NCAA Third Round

NCAA Quarterfinals

\* – Big Ten match 1-Penn State Invitational, University Park, Pa. 2 - Big Ten Tournament, Champaign, III. Home matches in CAPS at Jeffrey Field All times Eastern

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## **#17 PENN STATE NITTANY LIONS**

(11-3-1, 5-2-0 Big Ten)

## **ILLINOIS FIGHTING ILLINI**

(8-5-2, 3-2-1 Big Ten)

Oct. 20, 2013 • Noon • Jeffrey Field • University Park, Pa.



**VENUE** TV COVERAGE ONLINE COVERAGE SERIES RECORD LAST MEETING

Jeffrey Field (Grass - 5,000) Big Ten Network GameTracker Penn State leads 20-4-0 Nov. 2, 2012 (IU won, 1-0)

## THE SUNDAY NEWS

- Penn State hosts Illinois on Senior Day
- Sunday's match will air live on the Big Ten Network
- The Nittany Lions are 20-4-0 against the Illini all-time
- The Blue and White are third in the B1G standings
- PSU leads the conference in five offensive categories
- The Lions rank in the top five in the nation in two categories
- Hayes named Senior CLASS Award finalist

#### ON THE PITCH

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The No. 17 Penn State women's soccer will close out its regular season home slate on Sunday, hosting Illinois on Senior Day. The noon match will air live on the Big Ten Network.

#### PENN STATE NO. 17 IN NSCAA POLL

After eight weeks of action, the Penn State women's soccer team ranks 17th overall according to the NSCAA rankings. Michigan (12) and Nebraska (22) also represent the Big Ten in the poll while Wisconsin is just outside of the Top 25, receiving votes.

#### **LEADING THE LEAGUE**

Mallory Weber

The Blue and White currently lead the conference in five offensive categories. They are No. 1 in goals (43), goals per game (2.87), assists (39), assists per game (2.60) and points (125). Penn State is also in the top five in the nation in points (4th) and scoring offense (4th).

## **2013 STAT LEADERS**

POINTS		ASSISTS	
Maya Hayes	35	Raquel Rodriguez	7
Tani Costa	15	Tani Costa	5
Mallory Weber	15	Emily Hurd	5
		Maya Hayes	5
GOALS		Taylor Schram	5
Maya Hayes	15	Mallory Weber	5
Mallory Weber	5		
Tani Costa	5	SAVES	
		Britt Eckerstrom	59
<b>GAME-WINNING GOALS</b>			
Maya Hayes	4		

## **GAMEDAY CENTRAL**

#### **SCOUTING THE FIGHTING ILLINI**

Illinois heads into Sunday's game at 8-5-2 overall and 3-3-1 in conference play after most recently taking down Northwestern, 3-1, on Thursday evening. Senior Janelle Flaws notched a hat trick in Thursday's match to lead the Illini past the Wildcats.

Illinois is led by Flaws and Vanessa DiBarnardo. Flaws leads the nation in goals and points with 18 and 37, respectively, while DiBernardo has notched four goals and a team-high six assists.

#### **SERIES HISTORY vs. ILLINOIS**

Penn State owns a record of 21-4-0 against the Illini all-time. The Nittany Lions split with U of I last season, defeating the Illini by a count of 4-0 in the regular season before falling to them, 1-0, in the Big Ten Tournament.

PSU has never dropped a match to Illinois in regular season play.

#### LAST TIME OUT

Seniors Taylor Schram and Maya Hayes (led the No. 17 Penn State women's soccer team to a 4-2 victory over Big Ten rival Ohio State on Thursday afternoon at Jeffrey Field. Schram netted the Lions' first goal of the match and Hayes found the back of the net twice.

The OSU defense held the Nittany Lions to its second lowest shot count of the season, allowing just 10 shots by the Blue and White offensive attack. The Lions had seven attempts on net to the Buckeyes' six and were awarded eight corner kicks while Ohio State took five.

After two consecutive scoreless games, PSU made sure to find the back of the net early. Schram received a low cross from sophomore Mallory Weber and put the ball in on a sliding kick from six yards out to put Penn State up 1-0.

The Penn State lead was extended to 2-0 at the 33:12 mark after the Buckeyes sent an own goal into the net. Weber crossed the ball towards the goal and it deflected off of OSU defender Marisa Wolf, putting the Blue and White up 2-0.

Nichelle Prince put the Buckeyes on the board a little over three minutes later. Alexis Degler found Prince inside the 18 yard box and the forward finished from 12 yards out, bringing the score to 2-1

The Buckeyes were awarded a corner kick in the 53rd minute and were able to capitalize on it as Morgan Wolcott netted the equalizer. Danica Wu took the corner kick and sent the ball flying towards Wolcott, who found the ball and headed it inside the far post to tie the match at 2-2.

The Nittany Lions did not waste any time responding as Hayes notched her first goal just over a minute later. The senior intercepted an OSU pass inside the 18 yard box and beat the goalkeeper before burying the ball in the net from eight yards out.

Three minutes later, Hayes booted another one in to register her third multi-goal game of the season. The forward rebounded the ball after a shot by Schram collided with the crossbar and was able to knock it in from just outside the box.

Michela Paradiso attempted to cut the deficit in the 83rd minute as she found the ball inside the box, but her shot was off target as the ball sailed high, leaving the final score at 4-2.

#### HAYES FINALIST FOR SENIOR CLASS AWARD

Penn State senior Maya Hayes has been selected as one-of-10 finalists for the 2013 Senior CLASS Award in collegiate soccer, announced Wednesday afternoon. Hayes is the first PSU women's soccer student-athlete in the seven-year history of the award to be named a finalist.

The Senior CLASS (Celebrating Loyalty and Achievement for Staying in School) Award is presented yearly to a Division I senior student-athlete who has notable achievements in four areas of excellence - community, classroom, character and competition.

Penn State fans can vote for Hayes at the Senior Class Award website. Fans can vote DAILY for their top three choices and are encouraged to vote often as fan voting is a key factor in determining the winner of the award.

Hayes leads the Nittany Lions, is second in the Big Ten and fourth in the nation in points this season with 35 through 15 matches. The forward is also second in the league and tied for third in the country in goals (15) and has notched five assists.

A two-time NSCAA first team All-America selection, Hayes was second on the team in goals (16) and points (38) in 2012 despite missing the first seven games while participating in the U20 World Cup with the U.S. U20 Women's National Team. She led the nation in scoring in her sophomore season, registering 31 goals and eight assists for a Big Ten-record 70 points.

A kinesiology major, Hayes has received several academic awards during her time as a Nittany Lion. She was a 2011 CoSIDA/Captial One third-team Academic All-America selection and CoSIDA/Capital One first team All-District selection. Hayes was included on the Dean's List for the spring 2013 semester and was inducted into Penn State's Athletic Honor Society, Spiritus Leoninus. She is also a two-time Academic All-Big Ten selection.

The finalists were chosen by a media committee from the list of 30 men's candidates and 30 women's candidates announced in August. Nationwide fan voting begins immediately to help select the winner. Fans are encouraged to vote on the Senior CLASS Award website through November 25. Fan votes will be combined with media and Division I head coaches' votes to determine the winner. The Senior CLASS Award winners will be announced during the 2013 NCAA Men's and Women's College Cup championships in December.

#### TOP TIER

Senior Maya Hayes is second in the B1G and fourth in the nation in points with 35. The forward is also is second in the B1G and tied for third in the country in goals with 15.

Hayes has found the back of the net in 12-of-14 matches this season.

#### IN THE BOOKS

Forward Maya Hayes solidified her place in the Penn State record books after notching the second most goals (31) and most points (70) in a single season during her sophomore campaign but she is not stopping there. The senior is now No. 3 on the career goals ledger after netting 15 so far this season, bringing her total to 67 in just 80 games.

All-American Tiffany Weimer (2002-05) and MAC Hermann Trophy winner Christie Welsh (1999-02) are atop the standings with an impressive 91 and 82 goals, respectively.

Hayes is also third on the career points record list with 154. Welsh leads the category with a remarkable 216 points and Weimer follows closely with 214.

#### **HOME FIELD DOMINANCE**

The Lions are a force to be reckoned with when playing at Jeffrey Field, having amassed a home record of 189-22-11 (.876). At 95-4-4 (.942), the Nittany Lions have the best Big Ten home record in the conference.

PSU also leads the league in attendance, averaging 1,842 fans per game this season. The program with the next highest attendance average is Michigan at 806 fans per match.

#### THE BLUE AND WHITE FALL TO MICHIGAN

The Penn State women's soccer team was unable to capitalize on its offensive opportunities on Sunday as the Nittany Lions fell, 1-0, to Michigan. Sunday's match marks the Lions' first home loss since August 24 of last season when they fell to then-No. 1 Stanford.

Despite outshooting the Wolverines 21-7, the Blue and White could not find the back of the net, resulting in their third loss of the 2013 campaign and fourth-ever loss to Michigan. Ultimately, a cross by U-M forward Nkem Ezurike led to a scoring opportunity for senior Tori Combs, who tapped the game-winner in from point blank range in the 67th minute.

#### 2013 BIG TEN PRESEASON POLL

#### 1. Penn State

- 2. Michigan
- 3. Illinois
- 4. Ohio State
- 5. Wisconsin
- 6. lowa
- 7. Minnesota
- 8. Northwestern
- 9. Nebraska
- 10. Michigan State
- 11. Purdue
- 12. Indiana

#### 2013 BIG TEN STANDINGS

Team	Big Ten	Pts.	<u>Overall</u>
1. Nebraska	6-1-0	18	11-3-1
2. Michigan	5-1-1	16	11-2-1
3. Penn State	5-2-0	15	11-3-1
4. lowa	3-3-1	10	11-3-1
5. Wisconsin	3-3-1	10	8-4-2
6. Illinois	3-3-1	10	8-5-2
7. Indiana	3-4-0	9	10-4-1
8. Purdue	3-4-0	9	8-6-1
9. Minnesota	2-3-2	8	9-4-2
10. Ohio State	2-3-2	8	8-4-3
11. Michigan State	2-5-0	6	8-5-2
12. Northwestern	1-6-0	3	3-10-2

#### LIONS OUTSHONE BY GOLDEN GOPHERS

The Penn State women's soccer team registered its first Big Ten loss of the season on Oct. 6, falling to Minnesota 1-0 at Elizabeth Lyle Robbie Stadium. The Lions outshot the Gophers 20-6 and notched seven shots on goal but could not get past Minnesota keeper Tara Hobbs, who collected seven saves.

Haley Helverson scored the lone goal in the 17th minute of action. The sophomore received the ball right in front of the goal on a cross from Steph Brandt and knocked it into the net from point blank range to put Minnesota up 1-0.

#### THE BLUE AND WHITE BURY THE BADGERS

The No. 7 Penn State women's soccer team collected its first Big Ten road win on Oct. 4, edging No. 18 Wisconsin, 2-1, at the McClimon Soccer Complex. The Nittany Lions used goals from seniors Tani Costa and Maya Hayes to earn their ninth-straight victory.

The Lions put three shots on goal early on in the first half before netting one at the 30:59 mark. Hayes beat a Badger defender and sent a through ball to Costa, who found the back of the net from just outside the box to give Penn State a 1-0 advantage.

The Lions extended their lead to 2-0 just five minutes later as Hayes buried one in the back of the net. The senior received the ball on a beautiful cross from Mallory Weber and headed it in from 10 yards out.

Rose Lavelle gave the Badgers their first and only goal of the match in the 66th minute. McNicoll took a shot from just outside the box, which was blocked by Eckerstrom but Lavelle found the rebound, knocking the ball in from 10 yards out.

Raquel Rodriguez made the final attempt of the match in the 87th minute. The midfielder was awarded a free kick and sent the ball flying straight for the net but Richard was prepared, yet again, making a diving save to leave the final score at 2-1.

#### **SEPTEMBER SWEEPS**

The Nittany Lions completed their perfect September record (8-0-0) on Sunday, Sept. 29 with a 4-1 win over Indiana. They now own a 124-31-13 (.777) record in the month of September all-time.

PSU defeated Purdue, 6-1, on Sept. 26 night and opened up conference play with a 3-2 double overtime win against Northwestern on Sept. 20.

The Blue and White have also posted consecutive wins over Tulsa (9/15), Oklahoma State (9/13), Bucknell (9/10), Boston University (9/6) and LaSalle (9/1).

#### **LIONS HANDLE HOOSIERS**

The then-No. 8 Penn State women's soccer team completed its perfect September record (8-0-0) on Sunday afternoon as it overpowered Indiana, 4-1, at Jeffrey Field. Raquel Rodriguez, Tani Costa, Emily Hurd and Maya Hayes each netted goals for the Nittany Lions.

				2013 F	PENN STATE WOMEN'S SO	CCER ROSTER	
No.	Name.	Pos.	Elig.	Ht.	Hometown	High School	Pronunciation
0	Meghan Kaminski	GK	So.	6-1	Doylestown, Pa.	Central Bucks South	
00	Lexi Golestani	GK	Fr.	5-6	Montgomery, N.J.	The Hun School of Princeton	GOAL-es-tawn-EE
1	Brittany Basinger	D	Fr.	5-7	Fairfax, Va.	Woodgrove	BAY-singer
2	Megan Ritchey	M	So.	5-3	State College, Pa.	State College Area	9
3	Emily Hurd	M	R-Jr.	5-7	Sammamish, Wash.	Eastlake	
4	Lexi Marton	D	R-Sr.	5-11	Aurora, Ontario	The Country Day School	
5	Maya Hayes	F	Sr.	5-7	West Orange, N.J.	Newark Academy	
6	Anna Witte	D	Fr.	5-4	Morrisville, N.C.	Cary	witt-EE
7	Corey Persson	M	So.	5-3	Danvers, Mass.	Danvers	
8	Jenna Kalwa	D/M	So.	5-5	Pennington, N.J.	Hopewell Valley Central	
9	Andrea Gundersor	n D	Fr.	5-6	West Chester, Pa.	WC Rustin	
11	Raquel Rodriguez	F/M	So.	5-6	San Jose, Costa Rica	International Christian	
12	Kindrah Kohne	M	Jr.	5-5	Homer, N.Y.	Homer	KO-nee
14	Kori Chapic	F/M	Jr.	5-7	Novelty, Ohio	West Geauga	CHAP-ick
15	Erin Kehoe	D	Sr.	5-4	Crystal Lake, III.	Prairie Ridge	
16	Mallory Weber	F	So.	5-6	Novi, Mich.	Northville	
17	Whitney Church	D	Jr.	5-5	Ashburn, Va.	Broad Run	
18	Angela Widlacki	D	Fr.	5-5	Naperville, III.	Naperville North	
19	Taylor Schram	F/M	Sr.	5-5	Canonsburg, Pa.	Canon-McMillan	SHRAM
20	Salina Williford	M/D	Fr.	5-4	Wayne, Pa.	Conestoga	
21	Teddy Chase	D	So.	5-7	Wayne, Pa.	The Shipley School	
22	Tani Costa	F	R-Sr.	5-8	Honolulu, Hawaii	Kalani	TAH-nee
23	Bri Hovington	D	Sr.	5-4	Lothian, Md.	Southern	
24	Liv Brandy	D	Fr.	5-4	Gibsonia, Pa.	Home Schooled	
25	Mallory Peterson	F/M	So.	5-5	Clinton Corner, N.Y.	Millbrook	
26	Emily Carrollo	F/M	GS	5-5	Sussex, N.J.	Pope John Regional	KA-roll-oh
27	Maggie Chapman		Fr.	5-4	Dumfries, Va.	Forest Park	
28	Britt Eckerstrom	GK	R-So.	5-10	Germantown, Md.	Northwest	51155
30	Chloe Buehler	GK	Fr.	5-7	Perrysburg, Ohio	Perrysburg	BYOO-lur
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	ad Coach: Erica Wa				Time M/a II /F		
	sistant Coacnes: A				Tim Wassell (Fourth year)		

**Director of Operations:** Kara Lowery (First year) **Volunteer Assistant:** Mike Eckberg (First Year)

Rodriguez started things off for the Nittany Lions for the second-straight match, netting her third goal of the year in the seventh minute. Kori Chapic played a ball to Hurd and Hurd crossed it to Rodriguez, who was able to head it in to give PSU a 1-0 lead.

IU tied it up at the 25:01 mark as Monica Melink notched her second goal of the season. The midfielder received the ball on a cross from Rebecca Candler and put it in from the far corner of the box.

The Nittany Lions came out firing on all cylinders in the second half, posting four shots in the first seven minutes. Costa found success on the fourth shot, burying the ball in the net from 12 yards ahead on a beautiful cross from Hurd.

Hurd added a goal of her own in the 60th minute. The redshirt junior blasted one in from the far corner of the 18 yard box to give the Lions a 3-1 lead.

Britt Eckerstrom collected a big save in the 62nd minute to keep the score at 3-1, stopping a Melink attempt that came on goal. The Hoosiers had two more clean looks in the game but Eckerstrom was up to the task, picking up saves on both. The redshirt sophomore finished the match with eight

Hayes posted her 12th goal of the year and capped the scoring with seven minutes remaining in the game. Taylor Schram dropped the ball to Hayes and the senior dribbled past an Indiana defender before firing the ball in from 12 yards deep.

#### **LIONS STEAM BOILERMAKERS**

The then-No. 8 Penn State women's soccer team used six goals from five different players en route to a dominant 6-1 victory over Purdue on Sept. 26 as it honored the life and legacy of Mack Brady. Raquel Rodriguez, Kori Chapic, Maya Hayes, Tani Costa and Kindrah Kohne each scored for the Nittany Lions.

Penn State's offense was not the only impressive part of the match as the defensive unit held the Boilermakers (5-4-1, 0-2-0) to just one shot for the entire game.

Rodriguez put the Nittany Lions on the board early, tallying her second goal of the season in the seventh minute of action. Hayes dribbled the ball to beat a defender and crossed it to Rodriguez, who put it in from eight yards out.

The Boilermakers evened the score in the 16th minute as forward Maddy Williams tallied her seventh goal of the year. Juliana Hairston played a cross to Jordan Pawlik and Pawlick flicked it to Williams, who was able to finish from 10 yards out.

With the goal, Williams became the first Purdue player to score on Jeffrey Field since 2005.

The Blue and White were awarded a corner kick in the 37th minute and came up with their second goal of the match. Chapic headed the ball in off a fantastic corner from Rodriguez to give Penn State a 2-1 lead.

The Lions' next tally came right before the half as Purdue sent an own goal into the net. Costa crossed the ball towards the goal and it deflected off of Boilermaker defender Kim Love as she was attempting to clear it, putting PSU up 3-1.

Penn State didn't waste much time before extending their lead to 4-1 as Costa posted her third goal of the season in the 53rd minute. Emily Hurd crossed the ball to Costa and the senior buried the ball in the back of the net from point blank range.

Hayes was the next to score for the Lions, registering her 11th goal of the year at the 62:00 mark. The forward beat a defender at the edge of the box and slid one past Kridler, giving the Blue and White a 5-1 advantage.

Kohne capped the scoring and posted her first Penn State goal in the 77th minute of play. The junior midfielder intercepted a pass from Purdue and hammered the ball in from 20 yards deep to leave the score at 6-1.

#### **PSU RALLIES PAST NORTHWESTERN**

Junior defender Whitney Church posted two crucial goals on Sept. 20 to lift the then-ninth-ranked Penn State women's soccer team over Big Ten foe Northwestern, 3-2, in a double overtime thriller at Jeffrey Field. Maya Hayes also came up big for the Lions, netting the game-tying goal in the conference opener for both squads.

NU senior Kate Allen put the Wildcats on the board early, netting the first goal of the match in the fourth minute of action. Sami Schrakamp crossed the ball to Allen, who then fired it into the top of the net over Eckerstrom to give NU a 1-0 lead.

Allen netted her second goal of the game in the 78th minute, stretching NU's lead to 2-0. Georgia Waddle dropped the ball to Allen and the forward fired one past Eckerstrom to give the Wildcats a two goal advantage with 12 minutes remaining in regulation.

The second Northwestern goal seemed to motivate the Nittany Lions as they fired back with their first goal of the game just two minutes later. The Blue and White were awarded another corner kick and this time they made it count. Rodriguez sent the ball to Church, who headed it in from six yards out to bring the score to 2-1.

#### PENN STATE CAREER RECORDS

SH	отѕ				ASS	ISTS	•		
1.	431	Christie Welsh	97 gms.	1999-02	1.	52	Christie Welsh	97 gms.	1999-02
<ol> <li>3.</li> </ol>	381 356	Katie Schoepfer Tiffany Weimer	92 gms. 97 gms.	2006-09 2002-05	2. 3.	41 37	Christine Nairn Joanna Lohman	94 gms. 101 gms.	2009-12
	347	Joanna Lohman	101 gms.		4.	32	Tiffany Weimer	97 gms.	2000-05
5.	317	Rachel Hoffman	87 gms.	1994-97	5.	31	Rachel Hoffman	87 gms.	1994-97
6.	314	Christine Nairn	94 gms.	2009-12	6.	29	Stephanie Smith	101 gms.	
7. <b>8.</b>	283 <b>263</b>	Heidi Drummond	98 gms.	2000-03 <b>2010-</b>	7.	26	Katie Schoepfer Heidi Drummond	92 gms. 98 gms.	2006-09 2000-03
9.	253	Maya Hayes Danielle Toney	<b>80 gms.</b> 99 gms.	2010-			Kelly Convey	96 gms.	1996-99
	230	Kelly Convey	93 gms.	1996-99	10.	25	Liz Villamil	87 gms.	1994-97
GO	ALS				POII				
1.	91 82	Tiffany Weimer	97 gms.	2002-05		216 214	Christie Welsh	97 gms.	1999-02
2. <b>3.</b>	6 <b>7</b>	Christie Welsh  Maya Hayes	97 gms. <b>80 gms.</b>	1999-02 <b>2010-</b>		214 <b>154</b>	Tiffany Weimer  Maya Hayes	97 gms. <b>80 gms.</b>	2002-05 <b>2010-</b>
4.	58	Rachel Hoffman	87 gms.	1994-97		147	Rachel Hoffman	87 gms.	1994-97
5.	56	Heidi Drummond	98 gms.	2000-03		138	Heidi Drummond	98 gms.	2000-03
6. 7.	48 44	Katie Schoepfer Carole Dutchka	92 gms.	2006-09 1995-98		122 119	Katie Schoepfer Joanna Lohman	92 gms. 101 gms.	2006-09 2000-03
7. 8.	44	Joanna Lohman	87 gms. 101 gms.			108	Carole Dutchka	87 gms.	1995-98
9.	38	Danielle Toney	99 gms.	2007-10		109	Christine Nairn	94 gms.	2009-12
10.	34	Christine Nairn	93 gms.	2009-12	10.	96	Danielle Toney	99 gms.	2007-10
GA	ME-W	INNING GOALS			GAN	/IES I	PLAYED		
1.	27	Christie Welsh	97 gms.	1999-02		104	Bonnie Young		1997-01
3.	27 19	Tiffany Weimer Heidi Drummond	97 gms. 98 gms.	2002-05 2000-03		103 101	Megan Mills Joanna Lohman		1998-01 2000-03
3. 4.	18	Katie Schoepfer	96 gms.	2006-09		101	Stephanie Smith		2000-03
	18	Rachel Hoffman	87 gms.	1994-97		100	Emily Oleksiuk		1998-01
6.	17	Carole Dutchka	87 gms.	1995-98	6.	99	Danielle Toney		2007-10
0	<b>17</b> 15	Maya Hayes Joanna Lohman	<b>80 gms.</b>	2010-	7.	97 97	Luanne Strom Tiffany Weimer		1997-00 2002-05
8. 9.	12	Danielle Toney	101 gms. 99 gms.	2000-03		97	Christie Welsh		1999-02
10.	12	Christine Nairn	93 gms.	2009-12	10.	96	Courtney Lawson		1996-99
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						103	Megan Mills		1997-01
						103 101	Bonnie Young Joanna Lohman		1997-01 2000-03
						101	Stephanie Smith		2000-03
					5.	100	Emily Oleksiuk		1998-01



Hayes added another goal for PSU in the 84th minute. Hayes got the ball on a long pass from Chapic and then went on to beat Hascher one-on-one, tapping the ball into the net to tie the game at 2-2 and send the match into overtime.

Church sealed the deal for the Blue and White with 3:35 remaining in the game. The defender got the ball after it bounced off of several PSU and NU players and drilled it into the far corner of the net from 20 yards out to leave the final score at 3-2.

#### **PENN STATE EDGES TULSA**

Penn State finished out its non-conference slate with an exciting 3-2 victory over Tulsa on Sept. 15. Maya Hayes came up big for the Nittany Lions, scoring the game-winning goal in the 89th minute. Sophomore Mallory Weber and senior Tani Costa also netted goals for PSU.

Weber notched the first goal of the match, putting the ball into the net in the 22nd minute. The sophomore got the ball on a high arcing cross from Emily Hurd and headed it in from four yards out to give Penn State a 1-0 advantage.

Claire Nicholson got the Golden Hurricane on the board in the 57th minute of action after Tulsa was awarded a penalty kick. Eckerstrom went left and Nicholson chose right, sending the ball into the back of the net and tying the game at 1-1.

The Nittany Lions pulled ahead at the 73:42 mark with Costa tallying her second goal of the season. Hurd dropped the ball to Costa, who then beat the keeper and tapped the ball in from seven yards out to give the Blue and White a 2-1 lead.

Leading by one with just over four minutes remaining, it looked as though Penn State had the game won but the Golden Hurricane thought otherwise. Kirsch dropped the ball to Kajal Parmar and Parmar crossed it to Pelley, who scored the equalizer on a sliding kick from seven yards out.

Pelley's efforts were not enough to send the game into overtime, however, as Hayes responded with the game-winner with 20 seconds remaining. The senior ripped one into the top of the net from 15 yards out on an assist from Schram, putting the final score at 3-2 in Penn State's favor.

#### **LIONS LASSO COWGIRLS**

After trailing 2-0 early in the first half, the then-No. 13 Penn State women's soccer team rallied to defeat Oklahoma State 4-2 on Friday, Sept. 13 at Cowgirl Stadium. Senior Maya Hayes led the Lions with two goals while junior Kori Chapic and sophomore Mallory Weber netted one apiece.

Tani Costa also came up big for the Blue and White, tallying assists on three of Penn State's four goals.

Oklahoma State's Allie Stephenson got the Cowgirls on the board early. The sophomore fired the ball in from 20 yards out in the sixth minute on an assist by Joanna Robertson.

The Cowgirls extended their lead to 2-0 eight minutes later as Krissy Killon made a great play to beat Eckerstrom, scoring from eight yards out.

Chapic netted her first goal of the season to get Penn State on the board in the 24th minute. The Junior drilled the ball in off of the far post from 30 yards out, putting the score at 2-1.

The Lions picked up the pace towards the end of the second half, netting two goals in a two minute span. Weber notched the equalizer at the 35:34 mark, flicking the ball into the net from five yards out on a cross from Costa. Hayes tallied the third goal of the match, blasting the ball over Medina's head from 20 yards out to give Penn State its first lead of the evening at 3-2.

Hayes earned her second goal of the game with just six minutes remaining. The senior received the ball on a long pass from Costa before breaking away from a Cowgirl defender and beating Medina in a one on one situation to cap the scoring at 4-2.

#### THE BLUE AND WHITE BLANK THE BISON

The then-No. 13 Penn State women's soccer team used six goals from five different players en route to a 6-0 victory over Bucknell on Sept. 10. Sophomore Mallory Weber led the way with two goals while Emily Hurd, Maya Hayes, Corey Persson and Liv Brandy each netted one.

## **MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS**

#### PENN STATE is...

189-22-11 ...........All-time at Jeffrey Field 95-4-4 ... All-time vs. Big Ten at Jeffrey Field

In 2013
7-1-1 at home
4-2-0 on the road
0-0-0 at neutral site
1-0-1 in overtime
7-2-1 when wearing white
4-1-0 when wearing blue
9-0-0 when leading at halftime
1-2-1when trailing at halftime
2-1-0 when tied at halftime
10-1-0when scoring first goal
1-2-1 when opponent scores first goal
11-2-1 when out-shooting opponent
0-1-0 when out-shot by opponent
0-0-0 when shooting the same # of shots
8-2-1 when taking more corner kicks
3-1-0 when allowing more corner kicks
0-0-0 when taking the same corner kicks
1-2-0against ranked opponents
10-1-1 against unranked opponents
0-1-0 against higher-ranked opponents
1-1-0against lower-ranked opponents
0-2-0when scoring 0 goals
1-0-0when scoring 1 goal
2-0-1 when scoring 2 goals
8-0-0when scoring 3+ goals
2-0-0 when allowing 0 goals
5-2-0 when allowing 1 goal
3-0-1 when allowing 2 goals
0-1-0 when allowing 3+ goals
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11-3-1 on grass

0-0-0 . . . . . on turf

0-1-0 ......vs. ACC 0-0-0 ....vs. Big East

5-2-0 ......vs. Big Ten

1-0-1 . . . . . vs. Big 12

1-0-0 .....vs. Conference USA

0-0-0 .....vs. Mountain West

0-0-0 .....vs. Pac-12

2-0-0 . . . . . . . . . . . vs. Patriot League

0-0-0 ..... vs. WAC

0-0-0 ......vs. MAC

0-0-0 .....vs. NEC

1-0-0 ..... when a freshman scores

1-2-0 ..... in one-goal games

## **INDIVIDUAL HONORS & AWARDS**

## **Brittany Basinger**

TDS Preseason Best XI all-freshman team

#### **Whitney Church**

TDS National Team of the Week (9/24) Big Ten Offensive POW (9/23) Philly Soccer News POW (9/23) MAC Hermann Trophy Watch List TDS Preseason Best XI second team Big Ten Player to Watch

## Maya Hayes

Senior CLASS Award finalist (10/16)
Disney Soccer/NSCAA National POW (9/17)
Big Ten Offensive POW (9/16)
Philly Soccer News POW (9/16)
MAC Hermann Trophy Watch List
Senior CLASS Award Candidate
Soccer America Preseason All-American
TDS Preseason Best XI first team
Big Ten Player to Watch

## Raquel Rodriguez

TopDrawerSoccer National Team of the Week (10/1) Big Ten Offensive POW (9/30) Philly Soccer News POW (9/30) Big Ten Player to Watch Sophomore Raquel Rodriguez also had a stellar performance, tallying a personal-best three assists in just 25 minutes of action. It was the first time a Nittany Lion has notched three helpers in a single game since Hayes achieved the feat against Ohio State on Sept. 29, 2011.

The Lions' match against the Bison also marked the first time that the Nittany Lions have scored six goals since they upended Purdue, 6-1, on Oct. 31, 2010.

#### **LIONS SILENCE TERRIERS**

Senior Taylor Schram netted her third goal of the season to lead the then-No. 14 Penn State women's soccer team to a 1-0 victory over Boston University on Sept. 6 at Jeffrey Field. Friday's shutout was the first of the 2013 campaign for the Nittany Lions.

The match was one delegated by defense as Penn State allowed just nine shots from BU and the Terriers held the Nittany Lions to just three shots on goal.

Schram got the Blue and White on the board in the 53rd minute, drilling the ball in from six yards out. The goal originated when Raquel Rodriguez dropped the ball to Mallory Weber, who then passed it to Schram.

The Penn State defensive unit of Kori Chapic, Whitney Church, Brittany Basinger and Salina Williford was superb in the second half as the Lions allowed just three shots, none of which were on goal. Eckerstrom tallied three saves in the second shutout of her career.

#### LIONS ROAR PAST LA SALLE

The Penn State women's soccer team earned its second victory of the season with a 5-1 win over La Salle on Sept. 1 at Jeffrey Field.

Senior forward Maya Hayes netted two goals for the Nittany Lions while seniors Taylor Schram and Tani Costa and sophomore Raquel Rodriguez posted one apiece.

Hayes got things started for the Nittany Lions in the 34th minute, finding the ball after a free kick was deflected and drilling it into the back of the net to give Penn State a 1-0 advantage.

The Lions extended their lead to 2-0 just five minutes later as Rodriguez made a quick move around a La Salle defender and put one in from the edge of the box.

A goal by Kelsey Haycook got the Explorers on the board at the 58:48 mark. The junior knocked the ball into the net on a cross from teammate Maryam Huseini to bring the score to 2-1 in PSU's favor.

Costa gave the Lions their third goal of the game at the 70:31 mark. The forward got the ball from Hayes, who stole it from a defender, and fired it past La Salle keeper Katie Getzinger to give Penn State a 3-1 lead. The Blue and White were awarded a corner kick just three minutes later and were able to capitalize as Hayes scored off a Kori Chapic header from a Rodriguez cross, putting the score at 4-1.

Penn State capped the scoring in the 84th minute as Schram stole the ball and hammered it into the back of the net, bringing the score to 5-1.

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PENN STATE		
Scored 3 goals		vs. Northwestern (3-2, 2OT)
Scored 4 goals		vs. Ohio State (4-2)
Scored 5 goals	9/1/13	vs. La Salle (5-1)
Scored 6 goals	9/26/13	vs. Purdue (6-1)
Scored 7 goals	9/1/02	vs. Pittsburgh (7-2)
Scored 8 goals	10/9/05	vs. lowa (8-0)
Scored 9 goals	9/25/01	vs. Bucknell (9-2)
Allowed 0 goals	9/10/13	at Bucknell (6-0)
Allowed 1 goal		vs. No. 19 Michigan (0-1)
Allowed 2 goals		vs. Ohio State (4-2)
Allowed 3 goals		vs. Minnesota (4-3)
Allowed 4 goals	12/2/12	vs. #13 North Carolina (1-4)
Allowed 5+ goals	8/30/13	vs. Virginia (1-5)
Won in overtime	11/30/12.	vs. #7 Florida State (2-1)
Lost in overtime	11/6/11	vs. #18 Illinois (1-2)
Won in double overtime	9/20/13	vs. Northwestern (3-2)
Lost in double overtime	9/9/11	vs. Central Florida (1-2)
Tied in double overtime	8/23/12	vs. West Virginia (2-2, 2OT)
Was ranked in the NSCAA Top 25		
Was ranked in the NSCAA Top 10		7th
Played a NSCAA Top 10 Team		vs. #5 Virginia (1-5)
Played a NSCAA Top 25 Team	10/13/13.	vs. #19 Michigan (0-1)
Defeated a NSCAA Top 10 Team	11/30/12.	vs. #7 Florida State (2-1)
Defeated a NSCAA Top 25 Team		at #18 Wisconsin (2-1)
Attempted less than 10 shots		vs. #5 Virginia (1-5)
Attempted 10-19 shots		10 vs. Ohio State (4-2)
Attempted 20-29 shots		
Attempted 30-39 shots		30 at Bucknell (6-0)
Attempted 40+ shots		
Allowed 4 or less shots		1 vs. Purdue (6-1)
Allowed 5-9 shots		9 vs. Ohio State (4-2)
Allowed 10-15 shots	10/4/13	15 at #18 Wisconsin (2-1)
Allowed 16+ shots		16 vs. Indiana (4-1)
Scored 15-24 points		
Scored 25+ points		
Made 10-14 saves		
Made 15+ saves		
Had 10+ corner kicks		
Allowed 10+ corner kicks		
Tallied 5-7 assists		
Tallied 8+ assists		
Won an NCAA Tourney game	11/30/12	vs. #7 Florida State (2-1)
Lost an NCAA Tourney game		vs. #13 North Carolina (1-4)
Won a road NCAA Tourney game		at Connecticut (2-1)
		vs. #7 Florida State (2-1)
Won penalty kick shootout	11/18/12	vs. #/ Florida State (2-1)
Lost penalty kick shootout	11/9/07	vs. Ohio State (2-2, 4-5 PKs)
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A PENN STATE PLAYER	
Scored 2 goals	10/17/13 Maya Hayes vs. Ohio State (4-2)
Scored 3 goals	9/4/11 Maya Hayes at Pittsburgh (3-0)
Scored 4 goals	10/7/01 Christie Welsh vs. Michigan (6-2)
Had 2 assists	9/29/13 Emily Hurd vs. Indiana (4-1)
Had 3 assists	9/13/13Tani Costa at Oklahoma St. (4-2)
Had 4 assists	9/17/03Ali Krieger vs. Bucknell (6-0)
Had 5-9 points	9/1/13 Maya Hayes 5 vs. La Salle (5-1)
Had 10+ points	10/7/0110, Christie Welsh vs. Michigan (6-2)
Attempted 10+ shots	11/11/11 10, Christine Nairn vs. Army (1-0)
Made 10-14 saves	10/31/12 14, Erin McNulty vs. lowa (2-0)
Made 15+ saves	9/3/94 15, Robin Van Praag at Minnesota (3-2)
Scored in the Big Ten Tournament	10/31/12 Maddy Evans vs. lowa (2-0)
Had a Big Ten Tourney shutout	10/31/12 McNulty vs. lowa (2-0)
Scored in an NCAA game	12/212 Taylor Schram vs. #13 North Carolina (1-4)
Had an NCAA game shutout	11/23/12 Erin McNulty vs. #19 Duke (1-0)

#### **CAVALIERS DOWN PSU**

Penn State dropped its first road match of the season to No. 5 Virginia, 5-1, on Friday, Aug. 30 at Klöckner Stadium. The Nittany Lions led 1-0 early on before UVA took control, netting three goals in the first half and two in the second.

Maya Hayes notched the lone goal for PSU, tapping one in on a cross from sophomore Mallory Weber in the sixth minute to give the Blue and White a 1-0 lead.

UVA responded seven minutes later as Morgan Brian drilled one in from 18 yards out on an assist from Makenzy Doniak to tie the match up at 1-1.

UVA controlled the momentum for the rest of the half, taking a 2-1 lead in the 18th minute on a goal by Doniak, assisted by Gloria Douglas and Danielle Colaprico. Senior Kate Norbo extended the Wahoos' lead to 3-1 in the 21st minute, netting one from 15 vards out on a breakaway.

Virginia showed no signs of letting up in the second half as senior Shasta Fisher knocked one in at the far post from 15 yards out just two minutes in, giving the Cavaliers a 4-1 advantage.

Keeper Britt Eckerstrom came up with two nice saves in the 72nd and 73rd minutes before Cavalier sophomore Brittany Ratcliffe nudged one past her on an assist from Kailie Torres in the 77th minute to cap the scoring at 5-1.

#### LIONS CLAW THE PRIDE

The Penn State women's soccer team posted its first win of the 2013 campaign with a 2-1 victory over Hofstra on Sunday, Aug. 25 in the Penn State Invitational. Senior Maya Hayes and sophomore Mallory Weber led the way for the Nittany Lions with both netting goals in the first half.

Hayes took the initiative early in the match, sending the ball in to the back of the net in the 11th minute on a low cross from Emily Carrollo to give PSU an early 1-0 lead. Weber extended the Lions' lead to 2-0 in the 19th minute, stealing the ball off a goal kick and putting it into the top of the net.

Hofstra didn't waste any time in the second half as Leah Galton netted an unassisted goal from 12 yards out in the 51st minute to bring the Pride within one. Hofstra registered three more shots on goal in the second half but could not get by Eckerstrom, who totaled six saves in the match.

#### **PSU DRAWS WITH MOUNTAINEERS**

The Penn State women's soccer team kicked off the 2013-14 campaign with a 2-2 tie against non-conference foe West Virginia on Friday, Aug. 23 in the Penn State Invitational. Despite being down 0-2 late in the contest, seniors Taylor Schram and Maya Hayes rallied to tie it up with 10 minutes to go in regulation.

West Virginia came out hot, netting a goal in the fourth minute. WVU senior Frances Silva put one in on a cross from sophomore Kelsie Maloney.

With 20 minutes remaining in regulation, Maloney extended the Mountaineers lead, heading one in to put WVU up 2-0. Penn State responded 10 minutes later when Schram ripped one into the back corner of the net on an assist from Hayes, putting the score at 2-1 in West Virginia's favor.

Just over a minute later Hayes added another goal for the Nittany Lions, scoring on a cross from Weber to even the score at 2-2.

PSU and WVU registered three shots each in overtime but neither were able to capitalize, leaving the score at an even 2-2.

#### LIONS PICKED TO WIN BIG TEN

The 15-time defending Big Ten Champion Nittany Lions were selected by conference coaches to win yet another Big Ten title. The Michigan Wolverines were tabbed to finish second and Illinois rounded out the top three.

#### TWO NAMED TO HERMANN WATCH LIST

Penn State women's soccer senior forward Maya Hayes and junior defender Whitney Church have been named to the Missouri Athletic Club's Hermann Trophy Watch List for the 2013 season.

The MAC Hermann Trophy is collegiate soccer's most prestigious award presented annually to one male and one female athlete. The winners will be announced Friday, Jan. 10, 2014 at the trophy presentation banquet at the Missouri Athletic Club in St. Louis. Christie Welsh is the only Penn State athlete to win the award (2001).

This is Hayes' second consecutive year on the watch list and Church's first appearance. Hayes was a finalist for the award in 2011 and a semifinalist in 2012. Hayes and Church are joined by Illinois' Vanessa DiBernardo as Big Ten honorees for the award.

Hayes is a two-time NSCAA first team All-America selection and has earned back-to-back Big Ten Forward of the Year honors. She finished second on the team in goals (16) and points (38) in 2012, despite missing the first seven games of the season while participating in the U20 World Cup with the U.S. U20 National Team.

Church received NSCAA first team All-Great Lakes recognition and Big Ten Defender of the Year honors in 2012. She led the Nittany Lion defensive attack, starting all 27 contests and logging over 2,000 minutes.

#### **SOCIAL MEDIA**

For complete coverage of Penn State women's soccer, please visit http://www.GoPSUsports.com/sports/w-soccer. Follow PSU women's soccer on Twitter and Instagram: @PennStateWSOC. Penn State women's soccer is also on Facebook: www.facebook.com/PSUWomensSoccer.

	PENN STATE SEASON RECORDS										
SHOTS				GAME	-WINNING GOA	LS					
124	Tiffany Weimer	23 gms.	2004	13	Tiffany Weime	r 25 g	ıms.	2005			
123	Christie Welsh	26 gms.	2001	9	Maya Hayes	<b>26</b> g	ıms.	2011			
115	Joanna Lohman	25 gms.	2003	9	Christie Welsh	ı 26 g	ıms.	1999			
114	Christie Welsh	24 gms.	2002	8	Joanna Lohm	an 25 g	ıms.	2003			
104	Katie Schoepfer	24 gms.	2008	7	Katie Schoept	er 24 g	ıms.	2007			
104	Katie Schoepfer	24 gms.	2007	7	Christie Welsh	21 0	ıms.	2000			
				7	Carole Dutchk	a 26 g	ıms.	1998			
GOALS											
32	Tiffany Weimer	25 gms.	2005	SAVES	3						
31	Maya Hayes	26 gms.	2011	132	Emily Oleksiuk		ıms.	1998			
27	Christie Welsh	26 gms.	1999	115	Emily Oleksiuk			1999			
26	Tiffany Weimer	23 gms.	2004	115	Emily Oleksiuk	( 24 g	ıms.	2000			
25	Christie Welsh	26 gms.	2001								
21	Tiffany Weimer										
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ASSIST	~			11	Erin McLeod	21 g		2004			
18	Christie Welsh	26 gms.	2001	10	Amanda Brow			2003			
14	Joanna Lohman	26 gms.	2001	9.85	Emily Oleksiuk	_		1999			
13	Christine Nairn	25 gms.	2011	9	Erin McLeod	24 g	ıms.	2005			
13	Christie Welsh	26 gms.	1999								
12	Christine Nairn	27 gms.	2012	WINS							
12	Taylor Schram	24 gms.	2011	22	Erin McLeod	24 g		2005			
12	Tiffany Weimer	23 gms.	2004	21	Erin McNulty	26 g		2011			
12	Stephanie Smith	26 gms.	2000	21	Emily Oleksiuk			1999			
				20	Emily Oleksiuk	_		2001			
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69	Tiffany Weimer	25 gms.	2005		S AGAINST AVG	-	40.04	0000			
68	Christie Welsh	26 gms.	2001	0.41	Emily Oleksiuk	2222:40	10 GA	2000			
67	Christie Welsh	26 gms.	1999	0.43	Erin McLeod	1885:59	9 GA	2004			
64	Tiffany Weimer	23 gms.	2004	0.62	Alyssa Naeher	2176:18	15 GA	2007			
51	Tiffany Weimer	25 gms.	2003	0.75	Emily Oleksiuk	2168:52	18 GA	2001			
46	Christine Nairn	27 gms.	2012								

	WEEKLY RANKINGS												
	PS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	F
NSCAA	4	9	14	13	9	8	7	11	17				
NCAA RPI	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	7	3	2	5				
TopDrawerSoccer	5	9	9	9	7	7	7	8	10				
Soccer America	2	7	16	15	11	9	8	10	21				

NSCAA TOP 25 (as of Oct. 15)			NCAA RPI (as of Oct. 14)			SOCCER AMERICA TOP 25 (as of Oct. 14)				TOP DRAWER SOCCER TOP 25 (as of Oct. 14)			
# Team	Record	Last	# Team	Record	#	Team	Record	Last	#	Team	Record		
1 Virginia	14-0-0	1	1 Virginia	14-0-0	1 1	Virginia	14-0-0	Lasi 1	1 1	Virginia	14-0-0		
2 UCLA	12-1-1	3	2 North Carolina	12-2-0	2	UCLA	12-1-1	4	2	UCLA	12-1-1		
3 Florida State	12-0-3	5	3 UCLA	12-1-1	3	Florida State	12-0-3	5	3	Florida State	12-0-3		
4 North Carolina	12-2-0	4	4 Marguette	12-3-0	4	North Carolina	12-2-0	6	4	North Carolina	12-2-0		
5 Portland	11-1-1	7	5 Penn State	10-3-1	5	Portland	11-1-1	7	5	Portland	11-1-1		
6 Virginia Tech	11-1-2	10	6 Georgetown	11-1-2	6	West Virginia	11-2-2	9	6	Virginia Tech	11-1-2		
7 South Carolina	a 12-1-1	13	7 Virginia Tech	11-1-2	7	Virginia Tech	11-1-2	12	7	Texas Tech	13-1-2		
8 Florida	10-3-1	12	8 Florida State	12-0-3	8	Stanford	9-3-1	4	8	Georgetown	11-1-2		
9 California	9-1-4	8	9 Wake Forest	8-3-2	9	Notre Dame	9-4-1	5	9	Denver	12-1-1		
10 Stanford	9-3-1	5	10 Michigan	10-2-1		Marquette	12-3-0	18		Penn State	10-3-1		
11 West Virginia	11-2-2	16	11 South Carolina	12-1-1	11		10-2-1	21	11		9-3-1		
12 Michigan	10-2-1	19	12 UCF	11-2-2	12		11-1-2	8	' '	Florida	10-3-1		
13 Notre Dame	9-4-1	9	13 Santa Clara	8-3-1	13	3.1.1		15		South Carolina	12-1-1		
14 Santa Clara	8-3-1	18	14 Denver	12-1-1		Kentucky	11-2-1	16		California	9-1-4		
15 Georgetown	11-1-2	6	15 Stanford	9-3-1		Santa Clara	8-3-1	17		Michigan	10-2-1		
16 Denver	12-1-1	17	16 Colorado Colleg		16		13-1-2	14		Notre Dame	9-4-1		
17 Penn State	10-3-1	11	17 Nebraska	10-3-1	17		10-3-1	20		Wake Forest	8-3-2		
18 Texas Tech	13-1-2	15	18 William & Mary	7-1-4			11-2-2	19		West Virginia	11-2-2		
19 Wake Forest	8-3-2	14	19 Notre Dame	9-4-1		Wake Forest	8-3-2	11		Texas A&M	10-3-1		
20 Marquette	12-3-0	RV	20 West Virginia	11-2-2		California	9-1-4	13		Santa Clara	8-3-1		
21 UCF	11-2-2	21	21 Minnesota	9-4-1		Penn State	10-3-1	10		UCF	11-2-2		
22 Nebraska	10-3-1	24	22 Rutgers	11-2-1		Nebraska	10-3-1	23		Kentucky	11-2-1		
23 Kentucky	11-2-1	25	23 California	9-1-4		Denver	12-1-1	24		BYU	7-4-1		
24 Mississippi	11-3-1	RV	24 Tennessee	7-5-2		Texas A&M	10-3-1	NR		Marquette	12-3-0		
25 BYU	7-4-1	22	25 Portland	11-1-1		Texas	10-4-1	NR		Mississippi	11-3-1		
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#### 2012 NSCAA NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR TWO-TIME BIG TEN COACH OF THE YEAR (2009, 2012)

Head coach Erica Walsh enters her seventh season at the helm of the Penn State women's soccer program in 2013. Walsh's 2012 Nitanny Lions were the most successful team in program history after advancing to their first-ever national title game. The Nittany Lions won 21 of 27 games and were unbeaten in Big Ten action with a 10-0-1 record. The Lions registered their 15th consecutive Big Ten title and 18th-straight NCAA Tournament appearance. The 15-title mark stands as the most consecutive Big Ten Championships by a women's program, along with the present Northwestern tennis

#### WALSH'S COLLEGIATE RÉSUMÉ Head Coach

PENN STATE 2007-present 2012 NSCAA National Coach of the Year 2012 Big Ten Coach of the Year 2009 Big Ten Coach of the Year

Harvard 2006
Dartmouth 2000-02
Assistant Coach

Florida State 2005-06 Dartmouth 1998-99 Graduate Assistant

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Lehigh 2003-04
Dartmouth 1997
Student-Athlete

William & Mary 1993-97 William & Mary Hall of Fame Inductee

## WALSH'S NATIONAL RÉSUMÉ Head Coach

U.S. Women's Under-17 2004-07 **Assistant Coach** 

U.S. Women's National Team

2008-present 2008 Olympic Gold Medalists 2011 World Cup Silver Medalists U.S Women's Under-19 2004 Senior Christine Nairn became just the seventh Nittany Lion to finish as a finalist for the prestigous Missouri Athletic Club's Hermann Trophy in 2012 under Walsh's tutelage while junior Maya Hayes was named a semifinalist for the award.

Walsh's success was recognized at the conference and national level as she earned Big Ten Coach of the Year and NSCAA Coach of the Year honors.

Her 2011 team was a dominant force, winning 21 of 26 matches, while out-scoring opponents 70-24. The Nittany Lions were 10-1-0 in Big Ten action and posted the seventh undefeated season at Jeffrey Field (9-0). Walsh helped guide the Lions to their 14th-straight Big Ten title and a spot to the NCAA Sweet Sixteen

for the first time since 2007.

With Walsh's guidance, sophomore Maya Hayes became the nation's most prolific scorer in soccer in 2011. Hayes was a finalist for the M.A.C. Hermann Trophy. Hayes led the nation with 31 goals and 70 points. The sophomore phenom broke single-season record at Penn State for goals and points.

During the 2011 summer, Walsh had an extraordinary experience of being one of the top assistants to Pia Sundhage and the 2011 United State women's national team at the FIFA World Cup in

Germany. The U.S. made a sparkling run through knockout play to the final, falling to eventual champions Japan.

During the 2010 season, Walsh's young club made a remarkable turnaround mid-season, overcoming a two-game deficit in the league standings over the final weeks to capture a share of a record-breaking 13th straight Big Ten title.

After a tough 2-4 start to the 2009 season, Walsh led the Nittany Lions to a remarkable turnaround, going 10-1-2 in the last 13 games of the regular season, earning her the 2009 Big Ten Coach of the Year Award for her efforts. In March of 2010, Walsh's alma mater, William & Mary, honored her by inducting her into the W&M Athletics Hall of Fame.

With the impressive end to the season, Walsh and her charges captured the program's 12th-straight Big Ten Championship, tying a record for most consecutive women's Big Ten titles won held by the Michigan swimming & diving program. By winning the Big Ten, the Nittany Lions continued their string of NCAA Tournament berths, making their 15th-straight appearance in the 64-team field in 2009. For the second time in three years, Penn State hosted the first and second rounds of tournament play.

Walsh also orchestrated one of the finest awards seasons in Penn State history when Katie Schoepfer, Alyssa Naeher and Christine Nairn swept the year-end Big Ten Player of the Year awards. Schoepfer was named the Offensive Player of the Year, Naeher the Defensive Player of the Year and Nairn the Freshman of the Year. Danielle Toney was named to the All-Big Ten First Team, while Lexi Marton garnered Second Team mention. Walsh has now coached two players of the year to three awards as Naeher was also the 2007 recipient of the Defensive Player of the Year honors in Walsh's first year in Happy Valley.

Walsh continued her success from the 2007 campaign into a 16-8-0 record that saw Penn State capture its 11th-straight Big Ten Championship and the 2008 Big Ten Tournament crown.

Her transition to Penn State was quite smooth as the 2007 team finished 18-4-2, including a 9-1-0 mark in conference play, and was ranked 12th in the final NSCAA poll of the season.

When she came to Penn State, Walsh brought with her a wealth of experience at both the international and collegiate levels. She already has coached at six different universities, including three stints as head coach as well as serving as an assistant for the U.S. U-19 team in 2004. Walsh served as head coach of the U-17 team from December 2004 until her hire at Penn State in February of 2007

As of January 2009, Walsh was appointed as a member of the Panel of Instructors and Lecturers for FIFA Courses. In addition, she was appointed as the Chairman of the Women's Technical Committee for the period of January 1, 2009 to June 30, 2011.

In January of 2008, Walsh was named as the assistant coach by Pia Sundhage for the U.S. National Team. With Walsh's help and guidance the U.S. team completed its historic run with a gold medal at the 2008 Olympic Games in Beijing, China. Even sweeter was that Walsh's main responsibility was the U.S. Team's defense, which held fellow world power Brazil scoreless in the gold medal game.

The head coach at Harvard University as well as the U.S. Under-17 team prior to her hiring at Penn State, Walsh has consistently been active among the coaching ranks both at the Division I level and the U.S. Youth National Team program for nearly a decade. Prior to her time with the Crimson, she was part of a Florida State staff that led the Seminoles to one of its most successful year to date. FSU joined Penn State in the 2005 Women's Soccer College Cup, with both programs reaching the national semifinals.

Walsh's coaching path began in 1997 as a graduate assistant with Bucknell University. In 1998, she accepted a position at Dartmouth, where she was an assistant coach for two seasons. After helping the team to a final NSCAA ranking of No. 8 at the conclusion of the team's 1998 NCAA quarterfinal run as well as an

Ivy League championship in 1999, Walsh assumed head coaching duties before the 2000 season.

As head coach, Walsh led the Big Green to back-to-back Ivy League co-championships in 2000 and 2001. Her squad was ranked in the NSCAA's top 25 each year, rising as high as No. 13 in 2001. In her three seasons as head coach, Dartmouth was invited to the NCAA Tournament each season and reached the round of 16 twice. All three of her teams earned the NSCAA's Academic Team Award.

Walsh left Dartmouth to earn her Master's in business administration at Lehigh University where she served as a graduate assistant from 2003-04.

Beginning in the spring of 2004, Walsh joined the United States Under-19 team as an assistant coach where she helped with preparations for the Under-19 World Cup. The U.S. finished with the bronze medal in Thailand after defeating Brazil in the third place match. After the World Cup, Walsh was appointed the U.S. National Team's U-17 head coach, a position which she held for three years.

As a player, Walsh was an NSCAA All-Region selection at William & Mary. A two-time first team All-CAA pick, she propelled her team to four NCAA Tournament appearances as well as two CAA regular season and two CAA league championships.

A high school All-American at Lower Moreland, she was also a member of the U.S. Under-17 National Team.

Walsh earned her Bachelor of Science degree with a concentration in biology from William & Mary in 1997 and resides in State College, Pa.

## WALSH'S ACCOLADES

- 10 YEARS OF COLLEGE HEAD COACHING EXPERIENCE
- 1 COLLEGE CUP APPEARANCE
- 1 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP APPEARANCE
- **13** NCAA TOURNAMENT WINS
- 9 NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES
- **10** ALL-AMERICA **HONORS**
- 6 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS
- 1 OLYMPIC GOLD MEDAL
- 1 NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD
- 2 BIG TEN COACH OF THE YEAR AWARDS

WALSH'S CAREER AT PENN STATE										
Season	Overall	Pct.	Big Ten	Pct.	Finish	NCAA				
2007	18-4-2	.792	9-1-0	.900	1st	Third Round				
2008	16-8-0	.667	8-2-0	.800	T-1st	First Round				
2009	13-6-2	.667	8-1-1	.850	1st	Second Round				
2010	11-9-1	.548	8-2-0	.800	T-1st	Second Round				
2011	21-5-0	.808	10-1-0	.909	1st	Third Round				
2012	21-4-2	.815	10-0-1	.955	1st	Second Place				
2013	11-3-1	.750	5-2-0	.714						
Penn State	111-39-8	.821	58-9-2	.855		6 NCAAs (10-6)				
Career	150-67-1	1 .682				9 NCAAs (13-9)				

## 2013 Penn State Women's Soccer Penn State Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 17, 2013) All games

RECORD:			OVERALL			НОМЕ		ΑY		NEUTR			
ALL GAMES			11-3-1			7-1-1		4-2		0-0			
CONFERENCE			5-2			4-1		1-1		0-0			
NON-CONFERENCE		CE	6-1-1			3-0-1		3-1		0-0			
<u>Date</u>	Opponent		Score		##	Player	gp	g a	pts	sh sh%	sog sog%		
Aug 23	WVU	To2	2-2	3742	5	Hayes, Maya	15	15 5	35	51 .294	28 .549	4	0-0
Aug 25	HOFSTRA	W	2-1	732	19	Schram, Taylor	15	4 5	13	39 .103	13 .333	1	0-0
Aug 30	at #6 Virginia	L	1-5	2609	22	Costa, Tani	14	5 5	15	32 .156	15 .469	1	0-0
Sep 01	LASALLE	W	5-1	1012	11	Rodriguez, Raquel	15	3 7	13	32 .094	14 .438	1	0-0
Sep 06	BOSTON UNIVERSITY	W	1-0	1556	16	Weber, Mallory	15	5 5	15	25 .200	11 .440	2	0-0
Sep 10	at Bucknell	W	6-0	1390	3	Hurd, Emily	15	2 5	9	24 .083	15 .625	0	0-0
Sep 13	at Oklahoma State	W	4-2	1316	14	Chapic, Kori	15	2 3	7	20 .100	7 .350	1	0-0
	3 at Tulsa	W	3-2	252	17	Church, Whitney	15	2 1	5	13 .154	6 .462	1	0-0
* Sep 20	NORTHWESTERN	Wo2	3-2	3118	20	Williford, Salina	15	0 0	0	7 .000	2 .286 4 .667	0	0-0 0-0
* Sep 26	PURDUE	W	6-1	851	26	Carrollo, Emily	13	0 1	1	6 .000		0	
* Sep 29	INDIANA	W	4-1	1582	12	Kohne, Kindrah	13 15	1 0	2	6 .167 5 .000	1 .167 3 .600	0	0-0 0-0
* Oct 04 * Oct 06	at #18 Wisconsin at Minnesota	W	2-1	453 796	1	Basinger, Brittany	10		1	5 .000	1 .200	0	0-0
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000 15	# 19 MICHIGAN OHIO STATE	L	0-1 4-2	567	24 15	Brandy, Liv Kehoe, Erin	2	0 1	1		1 .250	0	0-0
* Oct 17	OHIO STATE	W	4-2	307	23	Hovington, Bri	15	0 0	0		1 .333	0	0-0
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	not attempts	43-280		22-168	7	Persson. Corev	14	1 0	2		1 1.000	0	0-0
	ored per game	2.87		1.47	2	Ritchey, Megan	2	0 0	0	0 .000	0 .000	0	0-0
Shot pct		.154		.131	4	Marton, Lexi	5	0 0	0	0 .000	0 .000	0	0-0
	goal-Attempts	128-280		83-168	6	Witte, Anna	3	0 0	0	0 .000	0 .000	0	0-0
SOG pct		.457		.494	28	Eckerstrom, Britt	15	0 0	0	0 .000	0 .000	0	0-0
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Sophomore • GK Doylestown, Pa.



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**MEGHAN RITCHEY** Sophomore • M State College, Pa.



**EMILY HURD** R - Junior • M Sammamish, Wash. Aurora, Ontario



I FXI MARTON R - Senior • D



**MAYA HAYES** Senior • F West Orange, N.J.



**ANNA WITTE** Freshman • D Morrisville, N.C.



**COREY PERSSON** Freshman • M Danvers, Mass.



**JENNA KALWA** Sophomore • M/D Pennington, N.J.



ANDREA GUNDERSON Freshman • D West Chester, Pa.



RAQUEL RODRIGUEZ KINDRAH KOHNE Sophomore • F/M Junior • D San Jose, Costa Rica Homer, N.Y.



**KORI CHAPIC** Sophomore • D Homer, N.Y.



**ERIN KEHOE** Senior • M Crystal, III.



Sophomore • F Novi, Mich.



Junior • D Ashburn, Va.



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Senior • F Canonsburg, Pa.



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**TEDDY CHASE** Sophomore • D Wayne, Pa.



TANI COSTA R - Senior • F



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LIV BRANDY Freshman • D Gibsonia, Pa.



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Grad. Student • F/M



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ANN COOK Assistant Coach • 7th year William & Mary '97



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