

# UTSA

2015 volleyball

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### 2015 Schedule

Overall: 18-7 | Home: 5-2 | Away: 6-4 | Neutral: 7-1 | C-USA: 9-2

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
8/28	Montana State!	Huntsville, Texas	W, 3-0
8/28	Prairie View A&M!	Huntsville, Texas	W, 3-0
8/29	Sam Houston State!	Huntsville, Texas	W, 3-2
8/29	Tulane!	Huntsville, Texas	W, 3-0
9/3	Texas State #	San Marcos, Texas	L, 3-2
9/4	Indiana #	San Marcos, Texas	W, 3-1
9/5	Texas Southern #	San Marcos, Texas	W, 3-0
9/7	#12 Oregon	<b>Convocation Center</b>	W, 3-1
9/10	Santa Clara	Convocation Center	L, 3-1
9/11	#4 Texas \$	Austin, Texas	L, 3-0
9/11	Iona \$	Austin, Texas	W, 3-0
9/18	TCU %	Dallas, Texas	L, 3-1
9/18	Clemson %	Dallas, Texas	W, 3-2
9/19	(RV) SMU %	Dallas, Texas	L, 3-1
9/25	Middle Tennessee *	<b>Convocation Center</b>	W, 3-0
9/27	North Texas *	Convocation Center	W, 3-0
10/2	UAB *	Birmingham, Ala.	W, 3-0
10/9	#23 WKU *	Bowling Green, Ky.	L, 3-1
10/11	UTEP *	El Paso, Texas	W, 3-0
10/15	at Rice *	Houston, Texas	W, 3-2
10/18	Marshall *	Convocation Center	L, 3-1
10/21	Charlotte *	Convocation Center	W, 3-0
10/25	UTEP *	Convocation Center	W, 3-0
10/30	Florida Atlantic *	Boca Raton, Fla.	W, 3-1
11/1	FIU *	Miami, Fla.	W, 3-1
11/4	Rice*	Convocation Center	6 p.m.
11/6	LA Tech *	Convocation Center	6 p.m.
11/8	UAB *	Convocation Center	1 p.m.
11/12	Southern Miss *	Hattiesburg, Miss.	7 p.m.
11/14	North Texas *	Denton, Texas	1 p.m.
11/20-22	C-USA Championships	San Antonio, Texas	TBA

All home matches are played at the Convocation Center and subject to change.

\* Denotes C-USA match •! Bearkats Invitational (Hosted by Sam Houston State)

# Delta Zeta Classic (Hosted by Texas State) • \$ Texas Classic (Hosted by Texas)

% SMU Doubletree Invitational (Hosted by SMU)

**This Week** 

Match #26 • Rice

November 4 • Convocation Center • San Antonio, Texas

UTSA heads into the final home stretch of the season with its final three of the year at the Convocation Center. The Roadrunners will kick off the home stand with Rice on Wednesday, Nov. 4, at 6 p.m.

Wednesday will mark the second meeting of the 2015 campaign against Rice. UTSA won the previous match, avenging a loss at the 2014 Conference USA Tournament. The Roadrunners went the distance as three players reached double figures and Amanda Gonzales began her streak of 40-plus assist matches.

After a perfect week last week, UTSA (18-7, 9-2 C-USA) held onto its second place spot in the standings as two weeks remain in the regular season. Dajana Boskovic and Amanda Gonzales continue their impressive streaks as they repeated as C-USA Offensive and Freshman Players of the Week.

Boskovic registered a career-best 29 kills at Florida Atlantic and is averaging 4.26 kills per set, which ranks 24th in the nation. Gonzales matched a season-best 49 assists at FAU and followed that with another 41 at FIU.

In league-only matches, the Roadrunners are hitting a .267 clip and holding opponents to a league-best .150 hitting percentage. UTSA also tops the circuit in service aces with 1.49 per frame.

Rice (18-8, 8-4) heads to the Alamo City off a five-set win over No. 24 WKU to halt the Lady Toppers 17-match win streak. The Owls have won their last two and tie for third in the standings.

The Owls lead the conference in kills and assists per set and are second in aces per frame. Rice's 13.51 aps ranks 11th in the NCAA while their total (1,419) is best for third. In addition, the 14.30 kps Rice is averaging is ranks 15th in the nation.

UTSA will close out its home stand with Louisiana Tech on Friday (Nov. 6) and UAB on Sunday (Nov. 8).

The Roadrunners will also serve as the hosting site for the 2015 C-USA Volleyball Championships set for Nov. 20-22. The three-day event will take place at the Convocation Center on UTSA's campus.

#### 2015 UTSA Volleyball Roster (Bold denotes probable starter)

No.	Name	CI.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown	Notes
1	Morgan Broussard	Sr.	S	5-9	Gering, Neb.	Made an appearance at FAU and is avg. 5.15 assists per set
5	Amanda Gonzales	Fr.	S	5-5	New Braunfels, Texas	Earned second straight CUSA Fresh. POW w/6th 40+ assists
6	Kasey Kiefer	Jr.	OH	6-0	Tempe, Ariz.	Third on team w/2.61 kps w/10 double digit performances
7	Marijeta Runjic	So.	OH	6-4	Trogir, Croatia	Four straight matches of double-figure kills, avg. 3.00 kps
8	Laura Cruz	Fr.	DS	5-2	Helotes, Texas	Averaging 1.70 digs per set thru 13 matches played
9	Megan Slan	So.	MH	6-0	Leander, Texas	Seven matches of 5+ blocks, avg. 1.05 per set (7th CUSA)
<u>11</u>	Annie Kunes (L)	Sr.	DS	5-6	Fontana, Wis.	Averaging 3.69 digs per set in league only matches (10th)
12	Jordan Kotara	Sr.	MH/OH	6-1	Poth, Texas	Made 2 starts this yr, recorded at least 1 ace in last 3 matches
<u>15</u>	Kylie Schott	Sr.	MH	6-1	Cypress, Texas	Leads team w/89 blocks, 55th in NCAA in hitting pct.
<u>16</u>	Shelby Williams	Fr.	DS	5-6	New Braunfels, Texas	Averaging 2.61 digs per set, has started 17 of 25 matches
<u>17</u>	Dajana Boskovic	Jr.	ОН	6-1	Trebinje, B&H	Career best 29 kills at Florida Atlantic, CUSA Off. POW
18	Tessa Dahnert	Jr.	MH	6-0	Cedar Park, Texas	Averaging 1.00 block per frame with 1.09 kills per set
20	Jessica Waldrip	Jr.	S	5-10	New Braunfels, Texas	Averaging 7.30 assists per set and 1.23 digs per set
24	Daniella Villarreal	Jr.	DS	5-5	New Braunfels, Texas	Averaging 2.29 digs per set thru 49 sets played
<u> 26</u>	Antonela Jularic	Fr.	OH	6-1	Vrbovec, Croatia	Ranks 134th in the NCAA in aces per set with 0.33 (22)

<sup>^</sup> Conference USA Volleyball Championship (Hosted by UTSA)



## **Quick Facts**

Name The University of Texas at San Antonio Location San Antonio, Texas 1969 Founded Enrollment 28,628 (24,342 undergraduate) Nickname Roadrunners School Colors Navy Blue, White and Orange Convocation Center / 2,650 Home Arena Affiliation Division I Conference USA Conference President Dr. Ricardo Romo Director of Athletics Lynn Hickey 210-458-4161 Athletic Department Phone

**Coaching Staff** 

Head Coach
Record at UTSA
Career record
Office Phone
Assistant Coaches

Laura Neugebauer-Groff (Texas, '86)
251-186 (13 seasons)
507-248 (21 seasons)
210-458-4196
Pat Stangle (Third season)
Danka Danicic (Second season)

#### **Team Information**

 2014 overall record
 20-9

 2014 Conference USA record
 15-1 (t-1st)

 Final ranking
 N/A

 Letter winners R/L
 11/3

 Starters R/L
 5 +libero/1

Key returners D. Boskovic, J. Waldrip, A. Kunes, K. Schott Key Losses Dempsey Thornton Key newcomers Antonela Jularic, Amanda Gonzales

#### Volleyball History

First year 1983
All-time record 600-494
NCAA Postseason appearances 3 (2000, 2010, 2013)
C-USA regular season titles 2 (2013, 2014)
C-USA tournament titles 1 (2013)
Southland Conference championships 3 (1999 regular season; 2000 and 2010 tournament)

#### **Athletics Communications**

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**Media Coverage** | The UTSA Athletics Communication Office assists members of the media with their coverage of all Roadrunners sports by providing player and coach interviews, feature ideas, pregame notes and updated statistics.

Interviews | All interviews with coaches and student-athletes must be arranged at least 24 hours in advance through volleyball contact Zena Rex. Telephone interviews are available to the media on a "call-back" basis at a time that is convenient for the coach or student-athlete. Postmatch interviews with coaches and student-athletes will be conducted on the court following a 10-minute cooling off period.

**Internet Radio Broadcasts** | All of UTSA's home matches are slated to be broadcast live (audio) on goUTSA.com this season. Video streaming (subscription required) will also be available for all home matches.

#### **Last Time Out**

MIAMI, Fla. — The UTSA volleyball program captured its 600th all-time victory with a four-set decision (25-17, 25-27, 25-9, 25-17) at FIU on Sunday afternoon.

UTSA (18-7, 9-2 C-USA) entered the 2015 campaign with a 582-487 program record and reached yet another milestone Sunday. It marks the third milestone the Roadrunners have reached this year with head coach Laura Neugebauer-Groff notching her 500th career win and Dajana Boskovic totaling 1,000 career kills.

Boskovic paced the Roadrunners with 21 kills, 11 digs and four blocks. Marijeta Runjic added 15 winners and three blocks.

Amanda Gonzales had yet another 40-plus assist match with 44 and picked up another double-double adding 19 digs. Annie Kunes had a team-high 22 digs with eight assists and one ace.

UTSA opened up its Sunday matinee against FIU (13-10, 7-5 C-USA) with a 25-17 win but was unable to win two straight sets with a 27-25 loss in the second frame.

The Roadrunners returned from the intermission and downed the Panthers with a 25-9 win. UTSA held FIU to a -.241 hitting percentage as the Panthers recorded 10 miscues in the frame. The nine points allowed was the third time this season that the Roadrunners have held opponents to that score total.

In the fourth set, the Roadrunners secured the win on a 25-17 decision. The frame tied six times before UTSA could gain complete control. The final tie came at the 9-all mark and a kill from Gonzales gave way to the Roadrunners' lead.

#### **National Poll** AVCA Division I Coaches Preseason Poll (Nov. 1, 2015) '14 Final Rank School **Total Points** '15 Record 1. Penn State (27) 21-2 1543 3 2. Southern California (27) 1517 23-1 1 3. Washington (8) 1496 20-2 5 4. Minnesota (2) 1417 19-3 4 5. Texas 1303 19-2 2 6. Hawaii 1212 20-1 6 7. Stanford 1205 15-5 7 8. Nebraska 1146 18-4 9 9. UCLA 1124 18-4 8 10. Kansas 1053 21-1 10 11. Florida 912 18-4 T12 12. Ohio State 900 19-5 11 13. Wisconsin 890 16-6 T12 14. BYU 748 19-3 16 15. Colorado State 642 19-3 18 565 17 16. Purdue 17-6 17. Florida State 532 18-5 15 18. Illinois 499 15-8 21 19. Arizona 452 15-9 19 20. Arizona State 432 17-6 14 322 20 21. Kentucky 16-7 22. Louisville 138 17-5 23 22. San Diego 138 16-7 24 24. WKU 24-3 22 112 25. Michigan 98 25 16-7 Others receiving votes: North Carolina 88; Arkansas State 80; SMU 70; Long Beach State 57; Missouri 34; Colorado 29; Texas A&M 24; Creighton

NCAA National Team Rankings - As of Nov. 1					
Leader	Statistic	UTSA			
Murray St.	Opp hitting percentage	20			
Florida	Hitting percentage	40			
Southern California	Match W-L pct.	57			
Wyoming	Team blocks	59 65			
Hawaii	Blocks per set	65			
USC Upstate	Digs per set	77			
Manhattan	Aces per set	80			
Rider	Team digs	81			
Manhattan	Team aces	84			
Southern Miss	Team assists	97			
Southern Miss	Team kills	99			

Kills per set

Assists per set

At Convocation Center	5-2
On the road	6-4
At a neutral site	7-1
Last 5 matches	4-1
Against ranked opponents	1-2
Longest win streak	4
Longest losing streak	2
Scoreboard	
Up 1-0	14-1
Up 2-0	11-0
Up 2-1	7-0
Tied 1-1	7-5
Tied 2-2	3-1
Down 0-1	4-6
Down 0-2	0-2
Down 2-1	0-6
In August	4-0
In September	7-5
In October	6-2
In November	1-0
On Sundays	4-1
On Mondays	1-0
On Tuesdays	0-0
On Wednesdays	1-0
On Thursdays	1-2
On Fridays	8-3
On Saturdays	3-1
UTSA - More kills in match	16-0
Opp More kills in match	2-7
Tied	0-0
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UTSA - More assists in match	16-1
Opp More assists in match	2-6
Tied	0-0
UTSA - More digs in match	14-4
Opp More digs in match	3-3
Tied	1-0
	40.4
UTSA - More aces in match	12-1
Opp More aces in match	4-3
Tied	2-3
UTSA - More blocks in match	14-3
Opp More blocks in match	3-3
Tied	1-1
1100	1-1

Roadrunners Trends

Nationally	Ran	ked
Matches thru	u Nov. 1	
Name	Rank	Value
Jularic (aces per set)	134	0.33
Boskovic (kills per set)	24	4.26
Boskovic (points per set)	27	4.84
Boskovic (attacks per set	53	11.04
Boskovic (points)	94	368.0
Boskovic (total kills)	95	324
Schott (hitting pct.)	55	.369
Schott (blocks per set)	127	1.07
Slan (blocks per set)	145	1.05

# NCAA RPI Rankings Oct. 5 - 97 Oct. 11 - 88

## **Court Notes**

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## Roadrunners picked second in CUSA Poll

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Boise St.

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UTSA was selected to finish second in the 2015 Conference USA Volleyball Preseason Poll, voted upon the league's coaches, it was announced July 30.

Coming off their second consecutive regular season title and fifth consecutive 20-plus win

season, UTSA was selected behind WKU, who shared the crown with UTSA last fall.

Dajana Boskovic and Jessica Waldrip also make their second appearance on the preseason all-conference team. Both were first team all-conference honorees in 2014 while Waldrip was tabbed the league's setter of the year.

#### Hot streaks

Oct. 19 - 95 Oct. 26 - 97 Nov. 1 - 85

Combined with the 2013 and 2014 season, UTSA won 22 consecutive regular season Conference USA matches, for the all-time league record. Tulsa held the previous record of 20, set in 2010.



## **Conference USA Preseason Team and Poll**

_ Name	School	Pos.	Yr.
Katarina Stepanovic	Florida Atlantic	MB	Sr.
Ally Kiekover	Marshall	MB	Jr.
Chelsea Ross	Middle Tennessee	OH	Sr.
Carnae Dillard	North Texas	OH	Sr.
Chelsey Harris	Rice	RS	Jr.
Leah Mikesky	Rice	OH	RJr.
Mary Pursell	Southern Miss	L/DS	Sr.
Dajana Boskovic	UTSA	OH	Jr.
Jessica Waldrip	UTSA	S	Jr.
Alyssa Cavanaugh	WKU	OH	So.
Jessica Lucas	WKU	S	So.
Noelle Langenkamp	WKU	MH	Sr.

C-USA Volleyball Preseason Player of the Year: Carnae Dillard, UNT

#### 2015 Conference USA Volleyball Preseason Poll

- 1. WKU
- 2. UTSA
- 3. Rice
- 4. North Texas
- 5. Florida Atlantic
- 6. Southern Miss
- 7. Marshall
- 8. Middle Tennessee
- 9. FIU
- 10. Charlotte
- 11. UTEP
- 12. UAB
- 13. Louisiana Tech



Stat Leaders						
Overa Hitting Percentage 4. Kylie Schott	Il conference individual leaders - As of Nov. 1 No. (148-27-328)	<b>Avg./S</b> .369				
Kills 4. Dajana Boskovic	324	4.26				
<b>Assists</b> 7. Amanda Gonzales	472	9.08				
Service Aces 6. Antonela Jularic	22	0.33				
Blocks 5. Kylie Schott 7. Megan Slan	89.0 (11-78) 80.0 (8-72)	1.07 1.05				
Points 3. Dajana Boskovic	368.0 (324K-13SA-57B)	4.84				
Hitting Percentage 9. Kylie Schott 10. Dajana Boskovic	Conference only leaders - As of Nov. 1 No. (61-13-142) (164-40-377)	Avg./S .338 .329				
Kills 3. Dajana Boskovic	164	4.43				
Assists 4. Amanda Gonzales	375	9.62				
Service Aces 3. Antonela Jularic 8. Shelby Williams	14 12	0.44 0.32				
Blocks 4. Megan Slan	44.0 (5-39)	1.16				
<b>Digs</b> 10. Annie Kunes	144	3.69				
Points 3. Dajana Boskovic	190.5 (164K-8SA-34B)	5.15				

Standings - As of Nov. 1							
Conference Overall							
Team	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	
<u>^WKU</u>	11	1	.917	24	3	.889	
UTSA	9	2	.818	18	7	.720	
North Texas	8	4	.667	16	11	.593	
Rice	8	4	.667	18	8	.692	
Southern Miss	8	5	.615	21	9	.700	
Florida Atlantic	7	5	.583	15	9	.625	
FIU	7	5	.583	13	10	.565	
Marshall	6	6	.500	15	10	.600	
Middle Tennessee	6	7	.462	8	19	.296	
Charlotte	4	8	.333	7	16	.304	
Louisiana Tech	3	9	.250	10	16	.385	
UTEP	1	11	.083	7	20	.259	
UAB	1	12	.077	9	19	.321	

<sup>^</sup> qualified for C-USA Tournament

## **Team Comparison**

As	of I	Vov.	1
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Leader WKU285 WKU152 Rice - 13.51 Rice - 14.30 FIU - 2.55 Charlotte - 1.58 UTEP - 17.23	Overall Statistic Hitting percentage Opponent hitting percentage Assists Kills Blocks Service Aces Digs	UTSA 2nd253 2nd157 5th - 12.28 5th - 13.17 4th - 2.37 3rd - 1.41 4th - 15.87
Leader WKU300 UTSA150 Rice - 13.72 Rice - 14.54 FIU - 2.62 UTSA - 1.49 Southern Miss - 16.75	Conference-only Statistic Hitting percentage Opponent hitting percentage Assists Kills Blocks Service Aces Digs	UTSA 2nd267 1st 5th - 12.97 4th - 13.95 4th - 2.46 1st 2nd - 16.26

## **C-USA Players of the Week**

Week 1 - Aug. 31

Offensive - Noelle Langenkamp, WKU

Defensive - Kylie Schott, UTSA

Setter - Madison McDaniel, Rice Freshman - Gabriela Martin, FAU

Week 2 - Sept. 8

Off. - Stephany Purdue, USM; Carnae Dillard, NT Defensive - Mary Pursell, Southern Miss Setter - Madison McDaniel, Rice Freshman - McKay Kyle, Rice

Week 3 - Sept. 14 Offensive - Leah Mikesky, Rice Defensive - Allie Kellerman, Marshall Setter - Madison McDaniel, Rice Freshman - Gabriela Martin, FAU

Week 4 - Sept. 21 Offensive - Carnae Dillard, NT Defensive - Kimberly Vaio, Rice Setter - Jessica Lucas, WKU Freshman - Zahria Ri'chard, UAB

Week 5 - Sept. 28 Offensive - Abreia Epps, Charlotte Defensive - Portia Okafor, Rice Setter - Julianna Dole, Rice Freshman - Rachel Anderson, WKU

Week 6 - Oct. 5 Offensive - Carnae Dillard, NT; Stephany Purdue, USM Defensive - Mary Pursell, USM Setter - Jessica Lucas, WKU Freshman - Julianna Dole, Rice

Week 7 - Oct. 12
Offensive - Chelsea Ross, MT; Carnae Dillard, NT
Defensive - Georgia O'Connell, WKU
Setter - Delaney Taylor, MT
Freshman - Amanda Gonzales, UTSA

Week 8 - Oct. 19 Offensive - Carnae Dillard, NT Defensive - Allie Kellerman, Marshall Setter - Jessica Lucas, WKU Freshman - Sarah Bell, USM

Week 9 - Oct. 26

Offensive - Dajana Boskovic, UTSA
Defensive - Dani Villarreal, UTSA; Sarah Villa, UTEP
Setter - Madison McDaniel, Rice

Freshman - Amanda Gonzales, UTSA

Week 10 - Nov. 2

Offensive - Dajana Boskovic, UTSA

Defensive - Jacqeline Lux, MT

Setter - Madison McDaniel, Rice

Freshman - Amanda Gonzales, UTSA

Week 11 - Nov. 9 Offensive -Defensive -Setter -Freshman -

### **Scouting the Opponent**

Rice • November 4 • 6 p.m.

- All-time record against Rice: 5-16
- Last meeting: Oct. 15, 2015 in Houston; W, 3-2 (20-25,25-21,25-17,22-25,15-12)
- After a schedule change and a second trip to Houston, UTSA picked up a five-set victory over Rice to avenge a loss at the 2014 Conference USA Volleyball Tournament. Three Roadrunners reached double-figure kills and Amanda Gonzales registered 40 assists to begin her six match streak of 40 or more.
- The Owls head to the Alamo City with an 18-8 overall record and 8-4 league record, to sit tied for third in the standings. Rice is currently on a two-match win streak as the Owls have been the only team this season in the league to upset No. 24 WKU.
- Rice leads Conference USA in kills per set and assists per set and is second in aces per set The Owls' 13.51 aps ranks 11th in the NCAA while their total (1,419) is third best. In addition, the 14.30 kills per set Rice is averaging is best for 15th in the nation and its 1,502 total kills ranks third.
- Leah Mikesky leads the Owls offense with a league seventh-best 3.70 kill per set. Mikesky also adds 276 digs and 37 blocks.
- Portia Okafor is hitting a team-best .347 (185-46-400) and also leads the club with 112 blocks for 1.11 per frame.

#### Louisiana Tech · November 6 · 6 p.m.

- All-time record against Louisiana Tech: 7-1
- Last meeting: Oct. 10, 2014 in Ruston, La.; W, 3-1 (23-25,25-15,25-17,25-21)

#### UAB • November 8 • 1 p.m.

- All-time record against FIU: 2-0
- Last meeting: Oct. 2, 2015 in Birmingham, Ala.; W, 3-0 (25-19,25-17,25-16)



## **Court Notes**

#### We've got the keys

UTSA will return five of its starting six, plus libero, for the 2015 season. Highlighting the returning squad is Conference USA Setter of the Year and All-American Jessica Waldrip and all-conference selections Dajana Boskovic, Annie Kunes and Kylie Schott.

Reigning C-USA Coach of the Year Laura Groff will have one slot to fill with the graduation of outside Dempsey Thornton.

#### The more the merrier

Head coach Laura Neugebauer-Groff adds four to the 2015 roster - all true freshman. The Roadrunners will welcome Antonela Jularic (OH), Amanda Gonzales (S), Laura Cruz (DS) and Shelby Williams (DS).

Jularic hails from Croatia where she most recently played in the Youth World Championships in Estonia. The 6-1 outside hitter was also a member of the Croatian Youth National and Senior National Teams.

Gonzales, Cruz and Williams all come to UTSA from the San Antonio/New Braunfels area.

#### Make it 15

The Roadrunners have now opened each of their last 15 campaigns on the road. The last time UTSA opened at home was during the 2000 season when it hosted the UTSA/Hampton Inn Invitational.

Since then, the Roadrunners have headed to Wyoming, Illinois, North Carolina, Kansas, Idaho, Tennessee, Louisiana and have even stayed within the friendly confines of the Lone Star State to kick off their campaigns.

#### Season openers

In the program's 32 years of existence, the Roadrunners have gone 13-19 in season openers. In the last five seasons, UTSA is 3-2, and in 2014 won the season opener against Tulane at the Texas A&M Invitational in College Station.

#### **Tough competition**

The AVCA announced its preseason poll for the 2015 campaign and UTSA will face two opponents ranked in the top-25. Texas checked in at No. 3 and received one first-place vote while Oregon was picked No. 13. The Roadrunners will host the Ducks on Sept. 7 for the home opener.

#### One at a time

During the 2014 season, UTSA won 15 consecutive matches during the regular season, which was the second longest win streak in program history. The program record of 16 was set in 1999 when the Roadrunners finished 22-7. The streak ended for the Roadrunners on November 13 when they traveled to North Texas and went down in straight sets.

1999 - 16 consecutive wins (22-7) 2014 - 15 consecutive wins (20-9) 2000 - 15 consecutive wins (24-9) 2010, 2011 - 12 consecutive wins

#### Milestone 500

At the conclusion of the 2014 season, head volleyball coach Laura Neugebauer-Groff wrapped up her 21st season coaching with a 489-241 career record and is 11 wins away from reaching her 500th career win. Fourteen of her 21 seasons coaching have come at UTSA with another eight at Division II St. Mary's.

In 2010, Neugebauer-Groff reached her 400th career win against McNeese State in a 3-2 decision.

#### Among the best

Head coach Laura Neugebauer-Groff enters her 14th season at the helm of the Roadrunners volleyball program and 22nd overall in 2015. Among all coaches at the Division I level, Neugebauer-Groff is the 26th winningest coach (by wins) with 489 and is the 45th winningest coach (by percentage) with a 67 percent winning percentage.

#### Program 600

Since its inception in 1983, UTSA has compiled a 582-487 overall record. The Roadrunners are 18 wins away from reaching the program's 600th win. Let the countdown begin!

#### On the watch

Senior Kylie Schott already ranks in the all-time record books in block assists and total blocks but is nine block solos away from cracking into the top-10. Schott has totaled 41 block solos through three seasons.

#### Reaching new heights

The Roadrunners set a program record on Aug. 28 when they swept Prairie View A&M at the Bearkats Invitational. UTSA hit a whopping .573 which surpassed the previous mark of .536 set on Sept. 19, 2013 against Mississippi Valley

State. Seven Roadrunners hit above .500.

#### Trio standouts at Bearkats Invite

UTSA captured its first tournament title since the 2013 season (Hilton Mavericks Classic) at the 27th Bearkats Invitational hosted by Sam Houston State. Kylie Schott was tabbed the MVP while Jessica Waldrip and Dajana Boskovic were named to the all-tourney team.

#### **Schott tabbed DPOW**

Kylie Schott hit .532 (28-3-47) over the weekend at the Bearkats Invitational and was recognized as the tournament most valuable player. Schott in turn was recognized as the league's first defensive player of the week.

She tallied 11 kills with six blocks against Sam Houston and helped lead the team to a 3-2 win over the Bearkats, their first since 2013 snapping a 16-home match win streak.

#### Power 5, power down

UTSA squared off with Big Ten Indiana for the first time in school annals at the Delta Zeta Classic and notched a 3-1 victory over the Hoosiers. The win marked a program first for a win over a Big Ten school.

#### Duo recognized on all-tournament team

After leading the Roadrunners to a 2-1 weekend, Dajana Boskovic and Marijeta Runjic led UTSA to a second-place finish at the DZ Classic and earned a spot on the all-tournament team. Boskovic notched double figure kills in all three matches, including a season-best of 25 against Texas State.

#### Going down in history

Three days after posting a first-ever win over a Big Ten opponent, UTSA upset No. 12 Oregon, 3-1, at the Convocation Center in front of the program's sixth-best crowd (1,051).

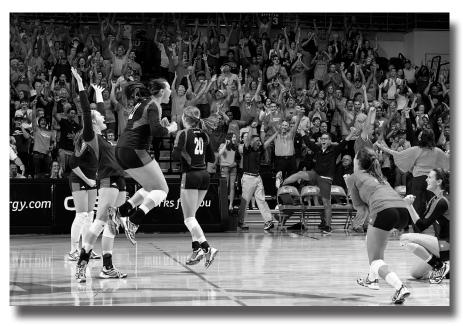
The Roadrunners dropped the first set 25-19, but bounced back winning the last three sets. Dajana Boskovic led the team with 21 kills and 16 digs for her fourth double-double of the season.

#### On the way to the top

After the second-best start in program history, the Roadrunners have added three more accomplishments to the 2015 season. UTSA has now earned wins against three Power 5 programs.

The first came against Indiana at the Delta Zeta

## **Convocation Center**



- Built in 1975, the Convocation Center features a permanent maple hardwood court that measures 17,900 square feet and seating that accommodates 4,080 spectators.
- The "Convo" hosted the 1993 United States Olympic Festival Volleyball Tournament, 1998 NORCECA World Volleyball Championships, 2002 WBCA All-Star Game and 2004 Nike Hoops Summit.
- It has been the home of UTSA's volleyball team since 1989.
- Nine of the top 10 crowds in program history have come during the 12-year Laura Neugebauer-Groff era.

## **Top-10 Crowds**

<u>1.                                    </u>	1,612	vs. Texas State	Nov. 10, 2011
2.	1,537	vs. McNeese State	Oct. 14, 2009
3.	1,330	vs. Texas State	Nov. 12, 2009
4.	1,150	vs. Florida	Nov. 13, 1999
<u>5.</u>	1,105	vs. Tulsa	Nov. 17, 2013

<u>6.</u>	<u> 1,051</u>	vs. #12 Oregon	<u>Sept. 7, 2015</u>
7.	987	vs. Baylor	Sept. 20, 2014
8.	923	vs. Rice	Aug. 28, 2013
9.	918	vs. Rice	Oct. 20, 2014
10.	863	vs. Texas State	Nov. 22, 2003

Classic and was followed by an upset over then-No. 12 Oregon at the Convocation Center. The final came this past weekend at the SMU Doubletree Invitational when the Roadrunners defeated Clemson (ACC) in five sets.

#### It's flu season

Tuesday's Conference USA opener against Rice (Sept. 22) was rescheduled due to Rice's team coming down with a stomach virus. A date has yet to be determined for a make up date.

#### Milestone 500

Head coach Laura Neugebauer-Groff reached yet another milestone on Sunday, Sept. 27, when she led her team to a sweep of North Texas. Neugebauer-Groff is now 500-246 for her career.

Prior to taking over the reigns at UTSA, Neugebauer-Groff was the head coach at Divsion II St. Mary's.

#### Schedule changes

Due to Rice's volleyball team coming down with a stomach virus for the Sept. 22 match, the entire home and home series was rescheduled.

The series will open in Houston on Oct. 15 with a 4 p.m. start time and the following match will take place on Nov. 4 at 6 p.m. in San Antonio.



UTSA will be the host site for the 2015 Conference USA Volleyball Championships set for November 20-22.

The eight-team, single elimination tournament will be held at the Convocation Center Friday through Sunday. Western Kentucky won the tournament crown in 2014 after earning a share of the regular season title with the Roadrunners.

The 2015 edition of the event will mark the first time UTSA will play host to a Conference USA championship in any sport.

The last time UTSA hosted a conference tournament was back in 2012 in the Roadrunners first and only season in the Western Athletic Conference.





# 2015 VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIP BRACKET

### **#CUSAVB #CUSACHAMP**

#### EVENT INFO

November 20-22 San Antonio, Texas Hosted by UTSA



#### Dig Pink match Oct. 25

UTSA will be hosting its annual Dig Pink match on Oct. 25 when the team welcomes UTEP. Each year, money is raised and all donations go to cancer research across the country.

#### Let the countdown begin

Junior Dajana Boskovic is 35 kills away from reaching her 1,000th kill at UTSA. She reached double figures this past weekend at WKU and UTEP as has posted double digits 13 times this season. As of Oct.12, Boskovic has 965 career kills.

**UPDATE:** After the Rice and Marshall matches, Boskovic is now 11 kills away from reaching 1,000.

#### Gonzales tabbed C-USA Freshman of the Week

Gonzales helped UTSA to a split weekend against then-No. 23 WKU and UTEP en route to being named the league's freshman of the week.

The New Braunfels native averaged 8.14 assists per set and collected her fourth double-double of the year with 37 assists and 12 digs against WKU.

#### Boskovic reaches 1,000th career kill

In the third set of the Roadrunners contest against Charlotte, Dajana Boskovic registered her 1,000th career kill to put UTSA up 16-13. She finished the night with 12 kills and .524 hitting percentage. The junior outside will head into Sunday's match with 1,001 kills.

#### Trio earn weekly C-USA honors

After leading the Roadrunners to a 2-0 week which moved UTSA to second in the league standings, juniors Dajana Boskovic and Daniella Villarreal, and freshman Amanda Gonzales were recognized by the league office with its weekly honors.

Boskovic was named offensive player of the week. She averaged 4.17 kills per set, to go with 2.00 digs, 0.83 blocks and 0.67 aces per frame. Boskovic started the week with 12 kills against Charlotte and record her 1,000th career kill in the final set to lead UTSA to a sweep of the 49ers. She then followed that performance with 13 kills and a career-best three aces against UTEP.

Daniella Villarreal was named co-defensive player of the week as she totaled 41 digs, averaging 6.83 per set. Villarreal set a season-best of 16 against Charlotte and then shattered that with a career-best 25 against the Miners.

Setter Amanda Gonzales picked up her second freshman of the week honor as she registered 85 of the team's 88 assists and averaged 14.17 per frame. She has recorded 40-plus assists through four straight matches and notched her seventh double-double versus Charlotte with 41 assists and 10 digs.

#### UTSA captures 600th all-time program win

On November 1, in a 3-1 victory over FIU, the UTSA volleyball team captured the program's 600th all-time win and was the 18th win of the season. It marked the third milestone reached by the team with head coach Laura Neugebauer-Groff notching her 500th career win and Dajana Boskovic recording her 1,000th career kill.

#### Boskovic, Gonzales repeast as C-USA POW

With another perfect week in the books, UTSA held onto its second place spot in the standings as Dajana Boskovic and Amanda Gonzales repeated as offensive and freshman of the week, respectively.

Boskovic registered a career high 29 kills in a four-set win over Florida Atlantic and then followed with 21 winners against FIU. She also had double-doubles in each of the matches to bring her season total to 11.

Gonzales continues with her impressive freshman campaign as she's now recorded six consecutive matches of 40-plus assists. She matched a season-best of 49 against FAU and averaged 11.62 assists per set.



## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

**KILLS** 

Match: 40 - Tamara Luckemeyer vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998) 3 sets: 26 - Two players (last on Nov. 9, 2004) 4 sets: 35 - Tamara Luckemeyer vs. Texas State (Oct. 23, 1998) 5 sets: 40 - Tamara Luckemeyer vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998) Season: 653 - McKenzie Adams (2013) Career: 2,034 - Tamara Luckemeyer (1996-2000)

ATTACK ATTEMPTS

 Match:
 81 - McKenzie Adams (Oct. 18, 2013)

 3 sets:
 59 - Tamara Luckemeyer vs. McNeese State (Oct. 22, 1999)

 4 sets:
 74 - Stacy Schmidt at Stephen F. Austin (Sept. 15, 2000)

 5 sets:
 81 - McKenzie Adams (Oct. 18, 2013)

 Season:
 1,575 - McKenzie Adams (2013)

 Career:
 5,159 - Meagan Daniel (2003-06)

ATTACK PERCENTAGE

Match (20 att.): .762 - McKenzie Adams at McNeese State (Oct. 8, 2011)
Season (100 att.): .385 - Kylie Schott (2014)
Career (1500 att.): .383 - Leslie Dodson (1989-92)

**ASSISTS** 

Match: 88 - Natasha Biggers vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998)
3 sets: 64 - Natasha Biggers vs. McNeese State (Oct. 22, 1999)
4 sets: 78 - Natasha Biggers at Lamar (Sept. 29, 2000)
5 sets: 88 - Natasha Biggers vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998)
Season: 1,597 - Natasha Biggers (2000)
Career: 5,440 - Natasha Biggers (1997-2000)

**SERVICE ACES** 

Match: 8 - Tamin Uthoff vs. Texas-Pan American (Sept. 29, 1989)
3 sets: 6 - Two players (last on Sept. 10, 1995)
4 sets: 8 - Tamin Uthoff vs. Texas-Pan American (Sept. 29, 1989)
5 sets: 7 - Cristela Perez vs. McNeese State (Nov. 21, 1996)
Season: 84 - Tamin Uthoff (1990)
Career: 227 - Tamin Uthoff (1987-90)

**DIGS** 

 Match:
 42 - Erin McMillan vs. Texas State (Nov. 9, 2006)

 3 sets:
 29 - Audrey Hiser vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 13, 2007)

 4 sets:
 34 - Three players (last on Nov. 16, 2007)

 5 sets:
 42 - Erin McMillan vs. Texas State (Nov. 9, 2006)

 Season:
 734 - Erin McMillan (2006)

 Career:
 2,280 - Kelsey Jewasko (2008-11)

**BLOCK SOLOS** 

Match: 6 - Victoria Prior at Prairie View A&M (Sept. 14, 2007) Season: 63 - Carla Dewey (1995) Career: 198 - Carla Dewey (1993-96)

**BLOCK ASSISTS** 

 Match:
 11 - Two players (last on Oct. 9, 1999)

 Season:
 132 - Carla Dewey (1995)

 Career:
 402 - Carla Dewey (1993-96)

**TOTAL BLOCKS** 

 Match:
 13 - Nicole Camp at Stephen F. Austin (Oct. 9, 1999)

 3 sets:
 9 - Three players (last on Oct. 1, 2011)

 4 sets:
 13 - Nicole Camp at Stephen F. Austin (Oct. 9, 1999)

 5 sets:
 12 - Two players (last on Oct. 11, 1996)

 Season:
 195 - Carla Dewey (1995)

 Career:
 600 - Carla Dewey (1993-96)

#### **TEAM RECORDS**

**KILLS** 

 Match:
 103 vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998)

 3 sets:
 72 vs. McNeese State (Oct. 9, 1998)

 4 sets:
 96 vs. Texas State (Nov. 10, 1998)

 5 sets:
 103 vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998)

 Season:
 2,005 (2000)

**ATTACK ATTEMPTS** 

 Match:
 268 vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998)

 3 sets:
 187 vs. McNeese State (Oct. 22, 1999)

 4 sets:
 256 vs. Texas State (Nov. 10, 1998)

 5 sets:
 268 vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998)

 Season:
 5,624 (2006)

ATTACK PERCENTAGE

Match: .573 vs. Prairie View A&M (Aug. 28, 2015) Season: .267 (1999)

**ASSISTS** 

 Match:
 93 vs. McNeese State (Oct. 28, 2005)

 3 sets:
 65 vs. UT Arlington (Nov. 9, 2004)

 4 sets:
 86 at Stephen F. Austin (Sept. 16, 2000)

 5 sets:
 93 vs. McNeese State (Oct. 28, 2005)

 Season:
 1,819 (2006)

**SERVICE ACES** 

 Match:
 19 vs. Texas Southern (Sept. 30, 1995)

 3 sets:
 12 at Louisiana-Monroe (Nov. 9, 2001)

 4 sets:
 19 vs. Texas Southern (Sept. 30, 1995)

 5 sets:
 15 vs. McNeese State (Nov. 21, 1996)

 Season:
 285 (1990)

DIGS

 Match:
 136 at Southeastern Louisiana (Nov. 2, 2001)

 3 sets:
 89 vs. McNeese State (Oct. 22, 1999)

 4 sets:
 131 vs. Texas State (Nov. 10, 1998)

 5 sets:
 136 at Southeastern Louisiana (Nov. 2, 2001)

 Season:
 2,638 (1990)

**BLOCK SOLOS** 

Match: 15 at Northwestern State (Oct. 11, 2002) Season: 138 (1995)

**BLOCK ASSISTS** 

Match: 34 vs. Sam Houston State (Sept. 23, 2006) Season: 482 (2013)

**TOTAL BLOCKS** 

 Match:
 27 at Texas-Pan American (Oct. 30, 1991)

 3 sets:
 16.5 vs. Texas A&M-Corpus Christi (Sept. 23, 2004)

 4 sets:
 27 at Texas-Pan American (Oct. 30, 1991)

 5 sets:
 20 vs. UT Arlington (Oct. 27, 1998)

 Season:
 355 (1995)

	CAREER RECORDS								
KILI	_S		I SEF	RVICE ACES					
1.	Tamara Luckemeyer, 1996-2000	2,034	1.	Tamin Uthoff, 1987-90	227				
2.	Meagan Daniel, 2003-06	1,808	2.	Natasha Biggers, 1997-2000	159				
3.	Stacy Schmidt, 1998-2001	1,779	3.	Meagan Daniel, 2003-06	144				
4.	Kendra Rowland, 2007-10	1,625	4.	Cristela Perez, 1993-96	122				
5.	Leslie Dodson, 1989-92	1,612	"	Amber Soletti, 1994-96	122				
6.	Connie Picard, 2003-06	1,396	6.	Leslie Dodson, 1989-92	118				
7.	Heather Turner, 1994-97	1,391	°.	Jennifer Sharp, 1991-94	118				
8.	McKenzie Adams, 2011-13	1,382	8.	Katy Risinger, 1997-2000	115				
9.	Brittany Hildebrand, 2003-06	1,342	9.	Deanna Bower, 1991-94	111				
10.	Whitney Walls, 2009-12	1,236	10.	Heather Turner, 1994-97	107				
KILI	LS PER SET		DIG	S					
1.	Tamara Luckemeyer, 1996-00	4.60	1.	Kelsey Jewasko, 2008-11	2,280				
2.	McKenzie Adams, 2011-13	4.44	2.	Erin McMillan, 2003-06	2,279				
3.	Stacy Schmidt, 1998-2001	4.09	3.	Shalynn McCoy, 1986-89	2,009				
4.	Meagan Daniel, 2003-06	3.99	4.	Annie Kunes, 2012-Present	1,855				
5.	Charlsie Heifrin, 2000-02	3.38	5.	Stacy Schmidt, 1998-2001	1,839				
6.	Kendra Rowland, 2007-10	3.37	6.	Tamara Luckemeyer, 1996-2000	1,549				
7.	Victoria Prior, 2005-07	3.26	7.	Meagan Daniel, 2003-06	1,433				
8.	Leslie Dodson, 1989-92	3.20	8.	Kendra Rowland, 2007-10	1,395				
9.	Connie Picard, 2003-06	3.05	9.	Audrey Hiser, 2005-08	1,359				
10.	Brittany Hildebrand, 2003-06	3.02	10.	Heather Turner, 1994-97	1,356				
ATT	ACK ATTEMPTS		BLC	DCK SOLOS					
1.	Meagan Daniel, 2003-06	5,159	1.	Carla Dewey, 1993-96	198				
2.	Kendra Rowland, 2007-10	4,963	2.	Connie Picard, 2003-06	94				
3.	Stacy Schmidt, 1998-2001	4,914	3.	Jennifer Sharp, 1991-94	84				
4.	Tamara Luckemeyer, 1996-2000	4,803	4.	Charlsie Heifrin, 2000-02	83				
5.	Heather Turner, 1994-97	4,167	5.	Kelly Paegle, 1990-92	79				
6.	Brittany Hildebrand, 2003-06	3,750	6.	Teri Fry, 2000-03	62				
7.	Dempsey Thornton, 2011-14	3,676	7.	Briana Mason, 2007-10	61				
8.	Cristela Perez, 1993-96	3,468	8.	Victoria Prior, 2005-07	58				
9.	McKenzie Adams, 2011-13	3,391	9.		52				
9. 10.		3,240		Kylie Schott, 2012-Present	50				
	Connie Picard, 2003-06	3,240	10.	McKenzie Adams, 2011-13 Brittney Malloy, 2009-12	50				
ATT	ACK PERCENTAGE (MIN. 1,500 ATTEMPTS)								
1.	Leslie Dodson, 1989-92	.383	BLC	OCK ASSISTS					
2.	Brittney Malloy, 2009-12	.295	1.	Carla Dewey, 1993-96	402				
2.	Charlsie Heifrin, 2000-02	.290	2.	Connie Picard, 2003-06	363				
3.	Connie Picard, 2003-06	.285	3.	Kylie Schott, 2012-Present	362				
4.	Whitney Walls, 2009-12	.276	4.	Brittney Malloy, 2009-12	349				
	Victoria Prior, 2005-07	.276	5.	Whitney Walls, 2009-11	279				
6.	Carla Dewey, 1993-96	.272	6.	Charlsie Heifrin, 2000-02	236				
7.	McKenzie Adams, 2011-13	.262	7.	Briana Mason, 2007-10	225				
8.	Stacy Schmidt, 1998-2001	.259	8.	Jennifer Sharp, 1991-94	221				
9.	Katy Risinger, 1997-2000	.237	9.	Marcia Lyssy, 1996-97	216				
10.	Jennifer Sharp, 1991-94	.232	10.	McKenzie Adams, 2011-13	210				
10.	Natasha Biggers, 1997-2000	.232		,					
	NOTO			TAL BLOCKS	202				
	SISTS	<b>5</b> 440	1.	Carla Dewey, 1993-96	600				
1.	Natasha Biggers, 1997-2000	5,440	2.	Connie Picard, 2003-06	457				
2.	DeeDee Strickland, 2003-06	5,407	3.	Kylie Schott, 2012-Present	414				
3.	Deanna Bower, 1991-94	3,761	4.	Brittney Malloy, 2009-11	399				
4.	Tamin Uthoff, 1987-90	3,269	5.	Kelly Paegle, 1989-92	344				
5.	Tobi Irish, 1994-97	2,760	6.	Charlsie Heifrin, 2000-02	319				
6.	Kelsey Schwirtlich, 2008-11	2,523	7.	Jennifer Sharp, 1991-94	305				
<b>7.</b>	Jessica Waldrip, 2013-Present	2,384	8.	Whitney Walls, 2009-12	294				
8.	Amber Brooks, 2008-09	1,915	9.	Briana Mason, 2007-10	286				
9.	Brandy Huskey, 2012-13	1,746	10.	McKenzie Adams, 2011-13	260				
10.	Rebecca Hrapmann, 2005-08	1,350							



#### #1 Morgan Broussard • 5-9 • S • Sr. • Gering, Neb.

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - 1.000 (6x) last at Middle Tennessee (10/3/14)

2015 Season Highs

2 vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15) Kills Total Attacks 4 vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15) 20 vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15) Assists Service Aces 1 at Texas State (9/3/15) 4 vs. Santa Clara (9/10/15) Digs 2 vs. Prairie View A&M (8/28/15) **Total Blocks** Hitting Pct. .000 (2-2-4) vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15)

**Career Highs** 

Kills 2 (3x) last vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15)

**Total Attacks** 5 vs. McCook C.C. (9/24/13) **Assists** 41 vs. Trinidad State Junior College (10/13/12)

4 vs. McCook C.C. (10/16/12) Service Aces Digs 14 vs. Marquette (9/13/14) 5 vs. Green Bay (9/12/14) **Total Blocks** 

#6 Kasey Kiefer • 6-0 • OH • Jr. • Tempe, Ariz.

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - 1.000 (1-0-1) vs. Tulane (11/24/13)

2015 Season Highs

18 (2x) last vs. Clemson (9/18/15) Kills Total Attacks 48 vs. Clemson (9/18/15) 1 (3x) last at #23 WKU (10/9/15) **Assists** Service Aces 2 vs. Charlotte (10/21/15) Dias 11 vs. Charlotte (10/21/15) **Total Blocks** 3 (3x) last vs. TCU (9/18/15)

Hitting Pct. .600 (6-0-10) vs. Prairie View A&M (8/28/15)

Career Highs

18 (2x) last vs. Clemson (9/18/15) Kills **Total Attacks** 38 (2x) last vs. TCU (9/18/15) 2 vs. San Diego State (8/31/13) Assists 2 (3x) last vs. Charlotte (10/21/15) Service Aces 11 (2x) last vs. Charlotte (10/21/15) Digs Total Blocks 3 (4x) last vs. TCU (9/18/15)

## #8 Laura Cruz • 5-2 • DS • Fr. • Helotes, Texas

#### 2015 Season Notes

#### 2015 Season Highs

Kills Total Attacks

Assists 1 (2x) last at #4 Texas (9/11/15) 2 vs. Indiana (9/4/15) Service Aces 17 at Texas State (9/3/15) Digs

**Total Blocks** Hitting Pct.

#### **Career Highs**

Total Attacks Assists Service Aces Digs **Total Blocks** 

#### #5 Amanda Gonzales • 5-5 • S • Fr. • New Braunfels, Texas

#### 2015 Season Notes

- Debuted college career against TCU (Sept. 18)

- Has registered 40-plus assists through six straight matches

2015 Season Highs

3 at Rice (10/15/15) Kills **Total Attacks** 4 (2x) last at FIU (11/1/15)

Assists 49 (2x) last at Florida Atlantic (10/30/15)

3 (2x) last vs. UTEP (10/25/15) Service Aces

Digs 19 at FIU (11/1/15)

Total Blocks 2 (4x) last at Florida Atlantic (10/30/15) Hitting Pct. 1.000 (1-0-1)(4x) last vs. Marshall (10/18/15)

#### Career Highs

Kills **Total Attacks Assists** Service Aces Digs Total Blocks

#### #7 Marijeta Runjic • 6-4 • OH • So. • Trogir, Croatia

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - .900 (9-0-10) vs. Prairie View A&M (8/28/15)

2015 Season Highs

19 at SMU (9/19/15) Kills 43 at Florida Atlantic (10/30/15) **Total Attacks** 1 (3x) last at SMU (9/19/15) **Assists** Service Aces 5 vs. Iona (9/11/15) 7 vs. Clemson (9/18/15) Digs

**Total Blocks** 6 (2x) last vs. Clemson (9/18/15)

.900 (9-0-10) vs. Prairie View A&M (8/28/15) Hitting Pct.

**Career Highs** 

24 at Texas A&M (8/30/14) Kills 60 at Texas A&M (8/30/14) **Total Attacks** 2 vs. James Madison (9/13/14) **Assists** Service Aces 5 vs. lona (9/11/15)

Digs 16 at Texas A&M (8/30/14) **Total Blocks** 6 (2x) last vs. Clemson (9/18/15)

#### #9 Megan Slan • 6-0 • MH • So. • Leander, Texas

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - .900 (9-0-10) vs. Montana State (8/28/15)

#### 2015 Season Highs

10 vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15) Kills **Total Attacks** 18 vs. UTEP (10/25/15) 1 (4x) last at UTEP (10/11/15) **Assists** Service Aces 1 vs. Prairie View A&M (8/28/15) 2 (2x) last at FIU (11/1/15) Digs **Total Blocks** 10 at Rice (10/15/15)

.900 (9-0-10) vs. Montana State (8/28/15) Hitting Pct.

**Career Highs** 

Kills 10 vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15) 18 vs. UTEP (10/25/15) **Total Attacks** 1 (6x) last at UTEP (10/11/15) **Assists** Service Aces 1 vs. Prairie View A&M (8/28/15) Digs 2 (3x) last at FIU (11/1/15) Total Blocks 10 at Rice (10/15/15)

#12 Jordan Kotara • 6-1 • MH/OH • Sr. • Poth, Texas

10 vs. UTEP (10/25/15)

27 vs. UTEP (10/25/15)

10 at Florida Atlantic (10/30/15)

4 at Florida Atlantic (10/30/15)

.333 (1-0-3) vs. Iona (9/11/15)

14 vs. Tulane (8/29/14)

45 vs. Tulane (8/29/14)

2 vs. Wichita State (9/6/14)

2 (4x) last at FIU (11/1/15)

5 at Texas State (9/5/14)

22 vs. Wichita State (9/6/14)

2 vs. Middle Tennessee (9/25/15)

3 vs. Prairie View A&M (8/28/15)

21 (2x) last vs. Clemson (9/18/15)

4 (2x) last vs. Middle Tennessee (9/25/15)

2 at FIU (11/1/15)

Career hitting pct. - .600 (7-1-10) at LA Tech (11/3/12)

2015 Season Highs

Kills

Assists

Digs

Kills

**Assists** 

Digs

Total Attacks

Service Aces

**Total Blocks** 

Hitting Pct.

**Career Highs** 

Total Attacks

Service Aces

Total Blocks

2015 Season Highs

2015 Season Notes

#### #11 Annie Kunes • 5-6 • DS • Sr. • Fontana, Wis.

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - 1.000 (3x) last vs. Texas A&M (12/5/13)

#### 2015 Season Highs

1 vs. lona (9/11/15) Kills Total Attacks 2 vs. Iona (9/11/15) 8 at FIU (11/1/15) Assists Service Aces 3 vs. Iona (9/11/15)

27 at Sam Houston State (8/29/15) Digs

**Total Blocks** 

.500 (1-0-2) vs. Iona (9/11/15) Hitting Pct.

#### **Career Highs**

Kills 1 (5x) last vs. lona (9/11/15)

Total Attacks 3 (4x) last vs. Florida Atlantic (9/26/14) Assists 8 (3x) last at FIU (11/1/15)

4 vs. Seattle (9/27/12) Service Aces 39 at Texas A&M (8/30/14) Digs

Total Blocks

#### #15 Kylie Schott • 6-1 • MH • Sr. • Cypress, Texas #16 Shelby Williams • 5-6 • DS • Fr. • New Braunfels, Texas 2015 Season Notes

Kills

Assists

Digs

**Total Attacks** 

Service Aces

**Total Blocks** 

Hitting Pct.

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - .833 (5-0-6) at UAB (10/2/15)

#### 2015 Season Highs

13 at Rice (10/15/15) Kills **Total Attacks** 24 at Rice (10/15/15) 2 vs. #12 Oregon (9/7/15) Assists 1 (4x) last at UAB (10/2/15) Service Aces Digs 4 vs. Indiana (9/4/15)

**Total Blocks** 7 at Florida Atlantic (10/30/15) Hitting Pct. .833 (5-0-6) at UAB (10/2/15)

#### **Career Highs**

13 at Rice (10/15/15) Kills **Total Attacks** 26 vs. Texas A&M (8/30/14) 2 (3x) last vs. #12 Oregon (9/7/15) Assists 2 (8x) last vs. North Texas (9/28/14) Service Aces

7 at UAB (10/12/14) Digs

**Total Blocks** 10 vs. Loyola Marymount (9/6/13)

#### **Career Highs**

Kills **Total Attacks Assists** Service Aces Digs **Total Blocks** 

#### #17 Dajana Boskovic • 6-1 • OH • Jr. • Bileca, Bosnia & Herzegovina 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - .800 (4-0-5) vs. Mississippi Valley State (9/14/13)

#### 2015 Season Highs

29 at Florida Atlantic (10/30/15) Kills Total Attacks 80 at Sam Houston State (8/29/15) Assists 2 (4x) last at Rice (10/15/15) 3 vs. UTEP (10/25/15) Service Aces Digs 18 at Texas State (9/3/15) **Total Blocks** 6 vs. #12 Oregon (9/7/15)

Hitting Pct. .565 (16-3-23) vs. Prairie View A&M (8/28/15)

#### **Career Highs**

29 at Florida Atlantic (10/30/15) Kills Total Attacks 80 at Sam Houston State (8/29/15) 3 vs. Texas A&M-Corpus Christi (9/9/13) Assists 3 (2x) last vs. UTEP (10/25/15) Service Aces Digs 18 at Texas State (9/3/15) Total Blocks 9 vs. Southern Miss (10/11/13)

#### #18 Tessa Dahnert • 6-0 • MH • Jr. • Cedar Park, Texas

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - 1.000 (1-0-1) at Marshall (11/3/13)

#### 2015 Season Highs

10 vs. UTEP (10/25/15) Kills **Total Attacks** 14 vs. UTEP (10/25/15) **Assists** 

Service Aces

2 (3x) last vs. Santa Clara (9/10/15) Digs **Total Blocks** 7 (2x) last vs. Santa Clara (9/10/15) .667 (2-0-3) vs. Tulane (8/29/15) Hitting Pct.

#### **Career Highs**

10 vs. UTEP (10/25/15) **Total Attacks** 15 vs. LSU (8/30/13) 1 (2x) last vs. Rice (10/19/14) **Assists** Service Aces 3 at Marguette (9/13/14) Digs 3 (2x) last vs. Rice (10/18/13) **Total Blocks** 9 vs. Rice (10/18/13)



#### #20 Jessica Waldrip • 5-10 • S • Jr. • New Braunfels, Texas

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - 1.000 (6x) last vs. TCU (9/18/15)(3-0-3)

#### 2015 Season Highs

5 (2x) last at UTEP (10/11/15) Kills **Total Attacks** 8 (2x) last at UTEP (10/11/15) Assists 50 at Sam Houston State (8/29/15) 3 at Sam Houston State (8/29/15) Service Aces 10 at Sam Houston State (8/29/15) Digs Total Blocks 4 (2x) last vs. Tulane (8/29/15)

1.000 (3-0-3)(4x) last vs. TCU (9/18/15) Hitting Pct.

#### **Career Highs**

Kills 5 (3x) last at UTEP (10/11/15) **Total Attacks** 14 vs. Rice (10/18/13) **Assists** 59 (2x) last vs. FIU (11/9/14) Service Aces 4 vs. Baylor (9/20/14) 19 at Texas A&M (8/30/14) Digs Total Blocks 4 (6x) last vs. Tulane (8/29/15)

#### #26 Antonela Jularic • 6-1 • OH • Fr. • Vrbovec, Croatia

#### 2015 Season Notes

- Had the game-winning point against No. 12 Oregon

#### 2015 Season Highs

14 vs. Clemson (9/18/15) Kills **Total Attacks** 47 vs. Clemson (9/18/15) 2 vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15) **Assists** Service Aces 4 vs. Charlotte (10/21/15) Digs 12 vs. Clemson (9/18/15) **Total Blocks** 5 at Rice (10/15/15)

Hitting Pct. .300 (4-1-10) vs. Marshall (10/18/15)

#### **Career Highs**

Kills **Total Attacks Assists** Service Aces Digs

#### #24 Daniella Villarreal • 5-5 • DS • Jr. • New Braunfels, Texas

#### 2015 Season Notes

Career hitting pct. - 1.000 (1-0-1) vs. Marshall (11/23/13)

#### 2015 Season Highs

Kills

**Total Attacks** 

Assists 2 vs. Charlotte (10/21/15) Service Aces 4 vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15) 25 vs. UTEP (10/25/15) Digs

**Total Blocks** 

#### **Career Highs**

**Total Blocks** 

Kills 1 vs. Marshall (11/23/13)

**Total Attacks** 1 (4x) last vs. Florida Atlantic (9/26/14)

**Assists** 5 at Texas State (9/5/14) Service Aces 4 vs. Texas Southern (9/5/15) 25 vs. UTEP (10/25/15) Digs



## 2015 UTSA Volleyball Statistics

Overall record: 18-7 Conf: 9-2 Home: 5-2 Away: 6-4 Neutral: 7-1

					Attack			S	et ,		Serve			D	ig ,		В	locking				
##	Player	sp	k	k/s	е	ta	pct	а	a/s	sa	se	sa/s	re	dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s	be	bhe	points
17	BOSKOVIC, Dajana	76	324	4.26	104	839	.262	14	0.18	13	32	0.17	29	207	2.72	5	52	57	0.75	5	0	368.0
7	RUNJIC, Marijeta	82	246	3.00	83	623	.262	3	0.04	7	14	0.09	2	41	0.50	7	43	50	0.61	6	1	281.5
6	KIEFER, Kasey	77	201	2.61	68	620	.215	3	0.04	3	10	0.04	9	86	1.12	1	18	19	0.25	0	0	214.0
15	SCHOTT, Kylie	83	148	1.78	27	328	.369	4	0.05	4	8	0.05	0	23	0.28	11	78	89	1.07	4	0	202.0
9	SLAN, Megan	76	104	1.37	29	222	.338	4	0.05	1	0	0.01	0	15	0.20	8	72	80	1.05	8	1	149.0
26	JULARIC, Antonela	67	90	1.34	50	337	.119	6	0.09	22	27	0.33	9	83	1.24	1	20	21	0.31	0	1	123.0
18	DAHNERT, Tessa	32	35	1.09	17	87	.207	0	0.00	0	6	0.00	0	8	0.25	1	31	32	1.00	3	0	51.5
12	KOTARA, Jordan	17	17	1.00	12	54	.093	0	0.00	6	8	0.35	5	28	1.65	1	4	5	0.29	0	0	26.0
20	WALDRIP, Jessica	61	34	0.56	3	67	.463	445	7.30	12	21	0.20	1	75	1.23	1	29	30	0.49	8	6	61.5
5	GONZALES, Amanda	52	10	0.19	1	19	.474	472	9.08	14	7	0.27	0	144	2.77	1	11	12	0.23	2	10	30.5
1	BROUSSARD, Morgan	13	2	0.15	4	10	200	67	5.15	1	2	0.08	0	8	0.62	0	4	4	0.31	1	2	5.0
11	KUNES, Annie	92	1	0.01	1	4	.000	84	0.91	12	12	0.13	8	337	3.66	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	13.0
8	CRUZ, Laura	37	0	0.00	0	0	.000	2	0.05	5	8	0.14	7	63	1.70	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	5.0
16	WILLIAMS, Shelby	88	0	0.00	0	4	.000	17	0.19	22	26	0.25	8	230	2.61	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	22.0
24	VILLARREAL, Daniella	49	0	0.00	0	0	.000	9	0.18	8	9	0.16	7	112	2.29	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	8.0
	UTSA	92	1212	13.17		3214	.253	1130	12.28	130	190	1.41	94	1460	15.87	37	362	218.0	2.37	37	21	1560.0
	Opponents	92	1085	11.79	562	3321	.157	983	10.68	94	141	1.02	130	1349	14.66	24	291	169.5	1.84	56	31	1348.5

Team Statistics	UTSA	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	1212	1085
Errors	399	562
Total Attacks	3214	3321
Attack Pct	.253	.157
Kills/Set	13.2	11.8
SET		
Assists	1130	983
Attempts	3134	3206
Assist Pct	.361	.307
Assists/Set	12.3	10.7
SERVE		
Aces	130	94
Errors	190	141
Attempts	2103	1832
Serve Pct	.910	.923
Aces/Set	1.4	1.0
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	94	130
Errors/Set	1.0	1.4
Attempts	1685	1902
Reception Pct	.944	.932
DEFENSE		
Digs	1460	1349
Digs/Set	15.9	14.7
BLÖCKING		
Block Solo	37	24
Block Assist	362	291
Total Blocks	218.0	169.5
Blocks/Set	2.4	1.8
Block Errors	37	56
Ball handling errors	21	31
ATTENDANCE		
Total	4397	8278
Dates/Avg Per Date	7/628	10/828
Neutral site #/Avg	8/114	
Current win streak	4	-
Home win streak	2	-

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Date	Opponent		Score by set	Att.
Aug 28	vs Montana State w		25-17,25-16,25-23	117
Aug 28	vs Prairie View w	3-0	25-13,25-13,25-14	101
Aug 29	at Sam Houston State w	3-2	19-25,25-20,25-20,19-25,15-12	321
Aug 29	vs Tulane w	3-0	25-16,25-14,25-19	94
Sep 03	at Texas State	2-3	21-25,25-20,14-25,25-19,14-16	2533
Sep 04	vs Indiana w	3-1	25-18,18-25,25-19,25-19	100
Sep 05	vs Texas Southern w	3-0	25-12,25-14,25-13	100
Sep 07	#12 ORE w	3-1	21-25,25-23,25-19,25-23	1051
Sep 10	SANTA CLARA	1-3	17-25,25-17,22-25,20-25	456
Sep 11	at #4 Texas	0-3	29-31,21-25,14-25	1890
Sep 11	vs Iona w	3-0	25-17,25-9,25-19	120
Sep 18	vs TCU	1-3	25-18,23-25,15-25,21-25	102
Sep 18	vs Clemson w	3-2	25-13,17-25,25-14,25-27,15-6	178
Sep 19	at SMU L	1-3	17-25,17-25,25-21,23-25	328
*Sep 25	MIDDLE TENNESSEE w	3-0	25-18,25-22,25-23	637
*Sep 27	NORTH TEXAS w	3-0	25-18,25-15,25-16	740
*Oct 02	at UAB w	3-0	25-19,25-17,25-16	197
*Oct 09	at #23 WKU	1-3	23-25,25-16,22-25,20-25	1587
*Oct 11	at UTEP w	3-0	25-21,25-20,25-13	896
*Oct 15	at Rice w	3-2	20-25,25-21,25-17,22-25,15-12	287
*Oct 18	MARSHALL L	1-3	19-25,25-9,23-25,16-25	507
*Oct 21	CHARLOTTE w	3-0	25-19,25-19,25-19	402
*Oct 25	UTEP w	3-0	25-17,25-22,25-21	604
*Oct 30	at FAU w	3-1	19-25,25-21,25-15,25-21	174
*Nov. 1	at FIU w	3-1	25-17,25-27,25-9,25-17	65

Record in 3-set matches:11-1 • Record in 4-set matches:4-5 • Record in 5-set matches:3-1





1 Morgan BROUSSARD S • 5-9 • Senior Gering, Nebraska



5 Amanda GONZALES S • 5-5 • Freshman New Braunfels, Texas



6 Kasey KIEFER OH • 6-0 • Junior Tempe, Arizona



7 Marijeta RUNJIC OH • 6-4 • Sophomore Trogir, Croatia



8 Laura CRUZ DS • 5-2 • Freshman Helotes, Texas



9 Megan SLAN MH • 6-0 • Sophomore Leander, Texas



11 Annie KUNES DS • 5-6 • Senior Fontana, Wis.



12 Jordan KOTARA MH/OH • 6-1 • Senior Poth, Texas



15 Kylie SCHOTT MH • 6-1 • Senior Cypress, Texas



16 Shelby WILLIAMS DS • 5-6 • Freshman New Braunfels, Texas



17 Dajana BOSKOVIC OH • 6-1 • Junior Bileca, Bosnia and Herzegovina



18 Tessa DAHNERT MH • 6-0 • Junior Cedar Park, Texas



20 Jessica WALDRIP S • 5-10 • Junior New Braunfels, Texas



24 Daniella VILLARREAL DS • 5-5 • Junior New Braunfels, Texas

Pat STANGLE

Assistant coach







26 Antonela JULARIC OH • 6-1 • Freshman Vrbovec, Croatia



Danka **DANICIC** Assistant coach

#### **Pronunciation Guide**

be-LETCH-ah Bileca DAY-nert **Dahnert** Dajana Boskovic di-AH-nah BOSS-co-vitch **Danka Danicic** DON-kah DON-uh-chich Kiefer KEEF-er **CUE-ness** Kunes Marijeta Runjic mar-E-eta roon-itch

Trogir troh-geer Neugebauer NEW-ga-bow-er Poth (rhymes with both) Slan (rhymes with can) you-LARRR-itch **Jularic** 



Laura NEUGEBAUER-GROFF Head coach