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IOWA MEN'S TENNIS
HAWKEYES FALL TO CENTRAL FLORIDA

LA JOLLA, CA – The University of Iowa men's tennis team fell to Central Florida, 5-1, Thursday afternoon at the La Jolla Beach and Tennis Club in California. The Hawkeyes move to 9-3 overall.

In doubles, the Hawkeyes were barely edged, with the point going to Central Florida. **J.P. Ritchie** and **Aaron Schaechterle** defeated Ener Garsoy and Sebastian Delgado, 9-8 (2). At the No. 2 spot, **Chaitu Malempati** and **Bart von Monsjou** took Rhett Rosen and Simon Jaeger into a tiebreaker, but finally lost, 9-8 (4).

Ritchie was the lone Hawkeye to win a singles match. He defeated Jaeger, 6-3, 6-1, at the No. 3 spot. The No. 6 match was not finished due to rain. **Brett Taylor** split a pair of sets with Paul Ramy, 5-7, 6-4, before the rain.

Iowa will next compete against Dartmouth Sunday, March 20.

Results

Central Florida 5
Iowa 1

Match Summary

Singles

- No. 1 Ener Garsoy (UCF) def. **Chaitu Malempati (UI)**, 6-1, 7-6 (3)
- No. 2 Joel Allen (UCF) def. **Kyle Markham (UI)**, 6-0, 6-3
- No. 3 **J.P. Ritchie (UI)** def. Simon Jaeger (UCF), 6-3, 6-1
- No. 4 Antonio Sierra (UCF) def. **Bart von Monsjou (UI)**, 6-3, 6-2
- No. 5 Sebastian Delgado (UCF) def. **Jonny Hoak (UI)**, 6-3, 6-1
- No. 6 **Brett Taylor (UI)** vs. Paul Ramy (UFC), 5-7, 6-4, DNF

Doubles

- No. 1 Sierra/Allen (UCF) def. **Markham/Taylor (UI)**, 8-3
- No. 2 Rhett Rosen/Jaeger (UFC) def. **Malempati/van Monsjou (UI)**, 9-8 (4)
- No. 3 **Ritchie/Aaron Schaechterle (UI)** def. Garsoy/Delgado (UCF), 9-8 (2)

