



2015 MIAMI HURRICANES VOLLEYBALL

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NCAA Appearances: 2002, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014; All-Time Record: 471-270-1 (.635)

#5THINGS

- 1 The Canes are ranked 47th in the latest RPI rankings. They are one of six ACC teams in the Top 50.
- 2 **Taylor Scott** was named ACC Player of the Week for Sept. 14, 2015
- 3 Three Canes were named All Tournament at the LSU Tournament: **Taylor Scott (MVP)**, **Alexis Mourning** and **Kalysta White**.
- 4 Sophomores **Haley Templeton** and **Olga Strantzali** were named Preseason All-ACC.
- 5 **Olga Strantzali** played for the Greek National Team over the summer.

SCHEDULE / RESULTS

August			
Fri. 28	ILLINOIS STATE [^]	W, 3-0	
Sat. 29	FLORIDA A&M [^]	W, 3-0	
Sat. 29	KANSAS STATE [^]	W, 3-2	
September			
Fri. 4	Missouri State#	L, 3-2	
Sat. 5	Marquette#	L, 3-2	
Sat. 5	Oral Roberts#	L, 3-1	
Sat. 12	Purdue!	W, 3-2	
Sun. 13	LSU!	W, 3-1	
Thu. 17	SEATTLE U?	W, 3-0	
Fri. 18	UCF?	W, 3-1	
Wed. 23	at Florida State*	L, 3-2	
Sun. 27	at Louisville*	L, 3-1	
October			
Fri. 2	GEORGIA TECH*	W, 3-1	
Sun. 4	CLEMSON*	W, 3-0	
Fri. 9	at Wake Forest*	W, 3-1	
Sun. 11	at Duke*	W, 3-2	
Fri. 16	at NC State*	W, 3-2	
Sun. 18	at North Carolina*	L, 3-0	
Fri. 23	BOSTON COLLEGE*	7 p.m.	
Sun. 25	SYRACUSE*	1 p.m.	
Fri. 30	at Virginia Tech*	7 p.m.	
November			
Sun. 1	at Pittsburgh*	1 p.m.	
Wed. 4	FLORIDA STATE*	7 p.m.	
Fri. 6	VIRGINIA*	7 p.m.	
Fri. 13	LOUISVILLE*	7 p.m.	
Sun. 15	NOTRE DAME*	1 p.m.	
Fri. 20	DUKE*	7 p.m.	
Sun. 22	WAKE FOREST*	1 p.m.	
Wed. 25	at Clemson*	7 p.m.	
Fri. 27	at Georgia Tech*	1 p.m.	
December			
TBD	NCAA Tournament	TBD	

All Times Eastern
BOLD CAPS indicates home matches
 * - ACC Match
 ^ - Hurricane Invitational
 # - Missouri State Tournament
 ! - LSU Tournament
 ? - FIU/Miami Challenge

MIAMI HURRICANES (12-6, 5-3 ACC)
 Head Coach: Jose "Keno" Gandara (UC Santa Barbara, 1990)
 Career Record: 53-27 (Third season), Record at UM: Same

STAT LEADERS

Kills	
Olga Strantzali	243
Taylor Scott	190
Kelsie Groot	187
Assists	
Haley Templeton	754
Kalysta White	58
Kelsie Groot	24
Blocks	
Alexis Mourning	74
Lucia Pampana	49
Olga Strantzali	43
Digs	
Kalysta White	266
Olga Strantzali	173
Taylor Scott	141
Attack Percentage	
Alexis Mourning	.367
Sakile Simmons	.352
Haley Templeton	.309
Service Aces	
Olga Strantzali	32
Haley Templeton	17
Taylor Scott	15
Alexis Mourning	13

MATCH 19 • Oct. 23, 7:00 p.m. • Knight Complex (Coral Gables, Fla.)



BOSTON COLLEGE EAGLES (9-11, 1-7 ACC)
 Head Coach: Chris Campbell (McGill, 1995)
 Career Record: 132-236 (13th season) Record at Boston College: 67-141 (Sixth season)
 Series Record: Miami leads 18-2
 Last Meeting: Miami 3, Boston College 0 (Nov. 23, 2014 in Coral Gables, Fla.)
 TV: ESPN3 Live Stats: Statbroadcast.com

MATCH 20 • Oct. 25, 1 p.m. • Knight Complex (Coral Gables, Fla.)



SYRACUSE ORANGE (16-4, 6-2 ACC)
 Head Coach: Leonid Yelin (Uzbekistan Gov't Institute, 1970)
 Career Record: 524-186 (23rd season) Record at Syracuse: 44-38 (3rd season)
 Series Record: Miami leads 5-0
 Last Meeting: Miami 3, Syracuse 0 (Nov. 21, 2014 in Coral Gables, Fla.)
 TV: ESPN3 Live Stats: StatBroadcast.com

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Four Canes have combined for 24 double-doubles, led by Olga Strantzali with eight.

DOUBLE TROUBLE

Olga Strantzali has an ace in 16 of Miami's 18 matches, including a career-high 5 vs. Illinois State on August 28.

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STRANTZALI'S SERVES

Haley Templeton has dished out at least 50 assists six times, including a career-high 56 twice.

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HALEY HELPING HITTERS

- Quick Hits**
- Miami head coach **Jose "Keno" Gandara** beat Clemson 3-0 on Oct. 4, 2015 to earn his 50th head coaching win.
 - Sophomore **Olga Strantzali** is tied for the ACC lead and ranks 25th in the country with 0.44 service aces/set.
 - Senior **Alexis Mourning** ranks sixth in the ACC with a .367 hitting percentage.
 - Sophomore setter **Haley Templeton** ranks fourth in the ACC with 10.33 assists per set. She has tallied a career-high 56 assists twice in 2015 (Oct. 11 at Duke and Oct. 16 at NC State).
 - The Hurricanes rank in the top half of the conference in service aces/set (1.38, 6th).
 - Sophomore **Olga Strantzali's** 24 kills against Marquette on Sept. 5 are fourth-most by an ACC player in a single match this season.
 - Junior **Kelsie Groot** recorded double-digit kills in 13 consecutive matches, beginning with a career-high 19 in Miami's five-set victory over Kansas State and ending in the Canes' win at Wake Forest.
 - Two Canes have tallied a season-high eight blocks in a match this season: **Sakile Simmons** (vs. Kansas State, 8/29) and **Lucia Pampana** (vs. Marquette, 9/5)
 - Senior **Alexis Mourning** has earned two All-Tournament selections: Dr. Mary Jo Wynn Invitational and the LSU Tournament.
 - The Canes advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament for the third time in program history when they beat UCF in five sets on Dec. 5, 2014. The victory was Gandara's first NCAA Tournament win as a head coach and Miami's first NCAA Tournament win since they beat Northern Illinois in four sets in the first round of the 2011 NCAA Tournament.

2015 Miami Volleyball Roster

#	Name	POS.	HT.	CL.	Hometown/High School (College)
2	Sylvia Hernandez	So.	DS	5-11	Miami, Fla./Westminster Christian
3	Michele Marenus	So.	DS	5-8	Miami, Fla./Our Lady of Lourdes
4	Alexis Mourning	Sr.	MB	6-1	Arlington, Texas/Martin
5	Haley Templeton	So.	S	6-0	Alpharetta, Ga./Chattahoochee
7	Samantha Purnell	Fr.	MB	6-0	Purcellville, Va./Woodgrove
8	Anna Haak	Fr.	OH	5-11	Angelholm, Sweden/Angelholms Gymnasieskola
9	Kelsie Groot	Jr.	OH	6-1	Irvine, Calif./Northwood
10	Kalysta White	Sr.	DS	5-5	Laguna Beach, Calif./Laguna Beach/Minnesota
11	Lucia Pampana	Fr.	OH	6-3	Modena, Italy/I.T.A.S. Francesco Selmi
12	Olga Strantzali	So.	OH	6-1	Pylaia, Thessaloniki, Greece/Hellenic College/UCLA
14	Kolby Bird	Fr.	OH	6-0	San Diego, Calif./Westview
15	Caitilin Donahoe	Sr.	S	6-0	Pompano Beach, Fla./Cardinal Gibbons
17	Codi Lee	Fr.	DS	5-3	The Woodlands, Texas/The Woodlands
19	Sakile Simmons	So.	MB	6-1	Houston, Texas/St. Agnes Academy
22	Taylor Scott	Sr.	OH	5-9	Claremont, Calif./Claremont/Miss. St.
44	Brooke McDermott	So.	OH	6-1	Miami, Fla./TERRA

Head Coach: Jose "Keno" Gandara (UC Santa Barbara, 1990, Third Season)
 Assistant Coach: Sanja Tomasevic (Washington, 2006, Second Season)
 Assistant Coach: Kasey Crider (Pepperdine, 2011, First Season)
 Strength & Conditioning Coach: Andrew Klich (Connecticut, 1996)
 Assistant Athletic Trainer: Simona Latino (Kean, 2012)

Pronunciation Guide Coaches

Jose "Keno" Gandara Ho-SEH KEN-oh GAHN-dah-rah
 Sanja Tomasevic San-ya Toe-mah-sheh-vitch

Pronunciation Guide Players

#3 Michele Marenus #3 Mah-ree-nus
 #8 Anna Haak #8 Hawk
 #10 Kalysta White #10 Kah-lee-stah
 #11 Lucia Pampana #11 Lu-chee-ah PAM-pah-nah
 #12 Olga Strantzali #12 STRAN-sah-lee
 #15 Caitilin Donahoe #15 Caitlin
 #19 Sakile Simmons #19 Sah-kee-lay

2015 Photo Roster



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Alpharetta, Ga.
Chattahoochee



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Woodgrove



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Head Coach



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Assistant Coach



2015 Miami Hurricanes Volleyball
Miami Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 18, 2015)
All matches



Overall record: 12-6 Conf: 5-3 Home: 7-0 Away: 4-4 Neutral: 1-2

#	Player	sp	Attack				pct	Set		Serve			re	Dig		Blocking					points	
			k	k/s	e	ta		a	a/s	sa	se	sa/s		dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s	be		bhe
12	Olga Strantzali	73	243	3.33	105	610	.226	9	0.12	32	44	0.44	8	173	2.37	1	42	43	0.59	2	0	-
22	Taylor Scott	61	190	3.11	82	520	.208	10	0.16	15	18	0.25	16	141	2.31	4	19	23	0.38	0	0	-
9	Kelsie Groot	66	187	2.83	77	577	.191	24	0.36	7	15	0.11	23	137	2.08	4	33	37	0.56	3	0	-
4	Alexis Mourning	74	146	1.97	42	283	.367	10	0.14	13	16	0.18	2	39	0.53	7	67	74	1.00	1	0	-
5	Haley Templeton	73	53	0.73	15	123	.309	754	10.33	17	18	0.23	0	138	1.89	0	33	33	0.45	2	16	-
11	Lucia Pampana	52	41	0.79	16	102	.245	3	0.06	0	0	0.00	0	11	0.21	8	41	49	0.94	6	0	-
14	Kolby Bird	23	39	1.70	19	106	.189	2	0.09	2	9	0.09	5	18	0.78	1	2	3	0.13	3	0	-
8	Anna Haak	26	31	1.19	21	105	.095	5	0.19	2	5	0.08	8	39	1.50	0	4	4	0.15	0	0	-
19	Sakile Simmons	28	27	0.96	8	54	.352	1	0.04	0	0	0.00	0	3	0.11	1	21	22	0.79	0	0	-
10	Kalysta White	74	0	0.00	0	6	.000	58	0.78	11	20	0.15	20	266	3.59	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
2	Sylvia Hernandez	18	0	0.00	0	0	.000	3	0.17	0	2	0.00	1	14	0.78	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
15	Caitilin Donahoe	6	0	0.00	0	2	.000	15	2.50	1	1	0.17	0	2	0.33	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	-
17	Codi Lee	2	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	2	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
44	Brooke McDermott	4	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	1	0.00	0	5	1.25	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
3	Michele Marenus	12	0	0.00	0	0	.000	1	0.08	2	1	0.17	0	1	0.08	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
MIAMI		74	957	12.93	385	2488	.230	895	12.09	102	152	1.38	95	987	13.34	26	262	157.0	2.12	17	17	-
Opponents		74	937	12.66	403	2482	.215	878	11.86	95	139	1.28	102	986	13.32	25	272	161.0	2.18	25	13	-

Team Statistics	UM	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	957	937
Errors	385	403
Total Attacks	2488	2482
Attack Pct	.230	.215
Kills/Set	12.9	12.7
SET		
Assists	895	878
Attempts	2502	2488
Assist Pct	.358	.353
Assists/Set	12.1	11.9
SERVE		
Aces	102	95
Errors	152	139
Attempts	1635	1612
Serve Pct	.907	.914
Aces/Set	1.4	1.3
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	95	102
Errors/Set	1.3	1.4
Attempts	1470	1482
Reception Pct	.935	.931
DEFENSE		
Digs	987	986
Digs/Set	13.3	13.3
BLOCKING		
Block Solo	26	25
Block Assist	262	272
Total Blocks	157.0	161.0
Blocks/Set	2.1	2.2
Block Errors	17	25
Ball handling errors	17	13
ATTENDANCE		
Total	3064	7682
Dates/Avg Per Date	7/438	8/960
Neutral site #/Avg	3/110	
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	7	-

Date	Opponent	Score	Score by set	Att.
Aug 28	ILLINOIS STATE	w 3-0	25-23,25-19,25-17	0
Aug 29	FLORIDA A&M	w 3-0	25-22,25-21,25-19	388
Aug 29	KANSAS STATE	w 3-2	25-21,22-25,25-20,20-25,15-10	528
09-04-15	at Missouri State	L 2-3	20-25,25-16,25-21,22-25,6-15	559
09-05-15	vs Marquette	L 2-3	25-23,23-25,20-25,25-18,11-15	87
09-05-15	vs Oral Roberts	L 1-3	25-21,21-25,20-25,19-25	116
Sep 12	vs Purdue	w 3-2	25-19,25-19,24-26,24-26,15-13	127
Sep 13	at LSU	w 3-1	25-23,20-25,25-20,25-23	851
Sep 17	SEATTLE U	w 3-0	25-14,25-20,25-21	365
Sep 18	UCF	w 3-1	25-22,17-25,25-22,25-22	518
*Sep 23	at Florida State	L 2-3	20-25,21-25,25-19,25-20,11-15	1012
*Sep 27	at Louisville	L 1-3	25-22,19-25,15-25,21-25	2372
*Oct 02	GEORGIA TECH	w 3-1	27-25,17-25,25-18,25-22	777
*Oct 04	CLEMSON	w 3-0	25-23,25-16,26-24	488
*Oct 09	at Wake Forest	w 3-1	20-25,25-22,25-22,28-26	724
*Oct 11	at Duke	w 3-2	25-22,26-28,19-25,25-19,15-12	1112
*Oct 16	at NC State	w 3-2	25-19,18-25,27-29,25-23,15-12	442
*Oct 18	at North Carolina	L 0-3	15-25,21-25,16-25	610

Record in 3-set matches:4-1 • Record in 4-set matches:4-2 • Record in 5-set matches:4-3