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MATCH INFO

Date: Friday, Oct. 8, 2021 Time: 8 p.m. EST

Location: Durham, North Carolina Stadium: Knight Sports Complex

Television: ACC Extra

DATE OPPONENT

Live Stats: miamihurricanes.com/sports/

wyball/schedule Series History: 16-12, Duke Last Meeting: 3-2, Miami (3/19/21)

(H: 5-0, A: 5-1, N: 3-1)

TV TIME/RESULT

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Augus	st		
27	vs. Tarleton State [^]		W, 3-0
28	at Florida International^		W, 3-0
29	UMBC		W, 3-0
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3	at South Florida%		W, 3-1
5	SOUTH FLORIDA%		W, 3-0
10	at Texas State\$		W, 3-0
11	vs. Alabama\$		W, 3-0
16	vs. Central Florida#		L, 2-3
16	at Florida Atlantic#		W, 3-0
17	vs. Florida Gulf Coast#		W, 3-0
24	at #5 Lousiville*	ACCNX	L, 0-3
26	at Notre Dame*	ACCN	W, 3-0
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Octob	er		
1	NORTH CAROLINA*	ACCN	W, 3-2
3	NC STATE*	ACCNX	W, 3-0
6	FLORIDA STATE*	ACCN	W, 3-1
8	at Duke*	ACCNX	6:30 p.m.
15	PITTSBURGH*		7 p.m.
17	VIRGINIA*		1 p.m.
22	at Wake Forest*		7 p.m.
24	at Virginia Tech*		1 p.m.
29	SYRACUSE*		7 p.m.
31	BOSTON COLLEGE*		1 p.m.
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5	at Georgia Tech*		7 p.m.
7	at Clemson*		1 p.m.
13	CLEMSON*		5 p.m.
19	at Florida State*		6:30 p.m.
21	at North Carolina*		1 p.m.
24	WAKE FOREST*		
	WAKE FUREST		
24	WAKE FUREST		3 p.m.

BOLD CAPS - home game

- * ACC game
- ^ FIU Invitational
- % USF/UM Tournament
- \$ Bobcat Invitational
- # Sunshine State Classic
- *All times Eastern and subject to change*

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Miami Hurricanes (13-2, 4-1 ACC)

Head Coach: Jose "Keno" Gandara

Season at UM: 9th

Miami Record: 146-91 (.616)

Career Record: 146-91

Duke Blue Devils (11-4, 2-2 ACC)

Head Coach: Jolene Nagel Season at Duke: 23rd Record at Duke: 459-234

Career Record: 662-371



OUICK HITS

LAST TIME OUT

- The Hurricanes bested in-state rival Florida State, 3-1, on Oct. 6.
- Savannah Vach posted her sixth doubledouble of the year, fourth straight, with a game-high 51 assists and 19 digs.
- Four Miami players -- Aristea Tontai, Angela Grieve, Janice Leao, and Peyman Yardimci -- posted double-digit kills. Tontai led the way with a game-best 14, followed by Yardimci (13), and Grieve and Leao each with 12.
- Priscilla Hernandez posted the game-high mark for digs with 29.

HISTORICALLY AGAINST DUKE

- Miami has won four of the last five meetings against Duke.
- All of the last six matches have gone to four or five sets, with the last sweep going to Duke in Coral Gables on Nov. 20, 2015.
- Angela Grieve and Janet Kalaniuvalu each finished last year's match with double-digit kills, Gireve with 11 and Kalaniuvalu with 10.
- Grieve recorded a double-double in the win, adding 10 digs to go with her 11 kills.
- Priscilla Hernandez led the Canes with 17
- Savannah Vach posted a match-best 44 assists, along with three kills and nine

SCOUTING THE BLUE DEVILS

- The last eight Blue Devil matches have ended in three sets.
- Duke earned a 3-0 win over Virginia in its last contest. Oct. 3.
- The Blue Devils have the second-fewest total assists in the ACC with 560, and the third lowest assists per set at 10.77.
- As a team, Duke has 638 kills which is the third-fewest in the conference.
- At a rate of 12.27 kills per set, the Blue Devils are the fourth-lowest in the league.
- Duke's 100.5 blocks are third-lowest among ACC teams.

ACC STANDINGS

School	Overall	Conference
Louisville	14-0	4-0
Pitt	14-0	4-0
Miami	13-2	4-1
Syracuse	14-2	3-1
Florida State	10-4	3-2
Georgia Tech	11-3	2-2
Duke	11-4	2-2
Boston College	12-6	2-2
Clemson	10-5	2-2
Notre Dame	5-9	2-2
Wake Forest	10-5	1-3
Virginia	8-6	1-3
NC State	7-8	1-3
North Carolina	11-4	0-4
Virginia Tech	9-7	0-4

AVCA RANKINGS

<u>Rank</u>	School F	<u>Record</u>
1	Texas	11-0
2	Pittsburgh	14-0
3	Louisville	12-0
4	Wisconsin	11-1
5	Kentucky	9-3
6	Purdue	11-2
7	Ohio State	12-2
8	Minnesota	7-4
9	BYU	13-1
10	Nebraska	10-3
11	Washington	9-3
12	Baylor	8-4
13	Penn State	11-3
14	Oregon	12-2
15	Utah	10-3
16	UCLA	10-2
17	Stanford	8-4
18	Georgia Tech	11-3
19	Creighton	15-2
T20	Florida	10-2
T20	Western Kentuck	y 15-1
22	Tennessee	12-3
23	Pepperdine	12-1
24	Colorado	12-2
25	San Diego	10-3
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BOLD is ACC team



OUICK FACTS

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION Coral Gables, Fla. Location Enrollment 17,840 Founded 1925 Hurricanes Nickname Orange, Green and White Colors President Dr. Julio Frenk Director of Athletics Blake James

Faculty Athletics Representative Atlantic Coast Conference Conference Stadium / Capacity Cobb Stadium / 500 Website MiamiHurricanes.com Mailing Address 5821 San Amaro Drive, Coral Gables,

Dr. Marvin Dawkins

Home Road Neutral Overall

PROGRAM HISTORY First Year of Volleyball All-Time Record (30 Seasons)
All-Time ACC Record (18 Seasons)
NCAA Tournament Appearances 564-334-1 (.627) 204-135 (.602) 9 ('02, '09, '10, '11,

'12, '13, '14, '15, '17) **TEAM INFORMATION**

Category

2020-21 Overall Record ACC Record / Finish 11-7 (5-3 H, 4-3 A, 2-1 N) 9-7 / 6th Newcomers

Miami's Record When

Category	Home	Road	Neutral	Overall
Record	5-0	5-1	3-1	13-2
ACC record	3-0	1-1	0-0	4-1
Versus Top 25	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1
Versus Top 10	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1
On Television	3-0	1-1	0-0	4-1
August	1-0	1-0	1-0	3-0
September	1-0	4-1	2-1	7-2
October	3-0	0-0	0-0	3-0
November	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Sunday	3-0	1-0	0-0	4-0
Monday	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Tuesday	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Wednesday	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-0
Thursday	0-0	1-0	0-1	1-1
Friday	1-0	2-1	2-0	5-1
Saturday	0-0	1-0	1-0	2-0
Day Match	3-0	2-0	3-1	8-1
Night Match	2-0	3-1	0-0	5-1
Three-Set Match	3-0	4-1	3-0	10-1
Four-Set Match	1-0	1-0	0-0	2-0
Five-Set Match	1-0	0-0	0-1	1-1
Win First Set	4-0	5-0	3-0	12-0
Lose First Set	1-0	0-1	0-1	1-2
Win First Two Sets	4-0	5-0	3-0	12-0
Lose First Two Sets	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-2
Split First Two Sets	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-0
Post More Kills	3-0	5-0	2-0	10-0
Post Fewer Kills	2-0	0-1	0-1	2-2
Kills Are Equal	0-0	0-0	1-0	1-0
Post More Service Aces	2-0	5-0	2-0	9-0
Post Fewer Service Aces	2-0	0-1	0-1	2-2
Service Aces Are Equal	1-0	0-0	1-0	2-0
Post More Digs	3-0	5-0	3-1	11-1
Post Fewer Digs	2-0	0-1	0-0	2-1
Digs Are Equal	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Post More Blocks	5-0	4-0	2-0	11-0
Post Fewer Blocks	0-0	0-1	1-1	1-2
Blocks Are Equal	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0

EXTRA VOLLEYBALL

- In their last three matches, all three of the Hurricanes' first sets have gone to extra volleyball.
- Miami took its first set against North Carolina, 29-27, and the first set against NC State, 32-30. It fell, 27-25, to Florida State.

HEATING UP

- Graduate transfer Aristea Tontai has tallied double-digit kills with zero errors in each of the last two matches.
- In the two contests, she has a combined 26 kills on 39 attempts with a .667 attacking percentage.
- She has added 13 blocks in the two wins.

BLOCK PARTY

- In their outing gainst NC State, on Oct. 3, the Hurricanes posted a season-high 15 blocks off 30 assisted blocks.
- Janice Leao led the way with nine total blocks, while Peyman Yardimci and Aristea Tontai each posted six.
- · Miami has eight games this season with double-digit blocks, including four-straight.

DOUBLE THE FUN

- Savannah Vach leads the team with six double-doubles this year.
- She has registered four straight, totaling season-bests of 51 assists and 19 digs in the last outing against Florida State on Oct. 6.

CAREER WEEK

- Seven Hurricanes -- Angela Grieve, Nyah Anderson, Priscilla Hernandez, Janet Kalaniuvalu, Janice Leao, Aristea Tontai, and Savannah Vach -- recorded new career-highs in one or more statistical categories in the last three games.
- Grieve recorded career-highs in kills (25), attacks (66), and assists (3) in Miami's match against North Carolina.
- Against NC State, Anderson tallied three digs and Bissler totaled three aces to set a new career mark.
- Hernandez notched 29 digs in Miami's win over Florida State.
- In a weekend full of blocking for the Canes, Kalaniuvalu totaled five against FSU to set a new career-best.
- Leao bested her previous career marks for assists, blocks, kills, and block assists. Her new marks are assists (2), blocks (9), kills (13), and block assists (9).
- Tontai's 14 kills on 26 attacks and seven blocks in the FSU match marked new career-bests.
- Vach tabbed 19 digs against Florida State and five assisted blocks, and total blocks, against NC State.

TRIPLE THE EXCITEMENT

- Savannah Vach notched her first career triple-double at the Sunshine State Classic against UCF (Sept. 16) with 16 kills, 28 assists, and 11 digs.
- The triple-double is the first to be recorded since head coach Jose "Keno" Gandara took the helm in 2013.

BREAK OUT THE BROOMS

• Miami has earned sweeps in 10 of its 13 wins to start the year. The three non-sweeps include four set wins over USF on Sept. 3 and FSU on Oct. 6, and a thrilling five set win against North Carolina on Oct. 1.

CAREER FIRST

- Freshman setter Alanys Viera earned her first career double-double after recording 17 assists and 10 digs against UCF.
- Freshman Peyman Yardimci recorded her first career double-double in her collegiate debut on Aug. 27, against Tarleton State, with 10 kills and 12 digs.

TOP OF THE CONFERENCE

Miami Career Record Watch

Assists

<u>Player</u>	Assists	<u>Years</u>
1. Katie Gallagher	5,173	2007-11
2. Jill Robinson	4,937	2003-06
3. Haley Templeton	4,632	2014-18
4. Nrithya Sundararaman	2,358	2009-12
5. Savannah Vach	1 2,245	2019-Pres.

Assists Per Set

Player	Assists/Se	t Years
1. Jill Robinson	11.54	2003-06
2. Katie Gallaghe	er 10.82	2007-11
3. Haley Templeton	n 10.67	2014-18
4. Savannah Va	ch 10.39 2	019-Pres.
5. Mallorey James	s 10.12	2001-04

Kills

<u>Player</u>	Kills	<u>Years</u>
1. Lane Carico	1,749	2008-11
Karla Johnson	1,484	2002-05
Olga Strantzali	1,448	2015-17
4. Valeria Tipiana	1,411	2001-04
5. Francheska Savage	1,325	2002-06
6. Janet Kalaniuvalu	1.201	2017-Pres.

Kills Per Set

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<u>Player</u>	Kills/Se	t Years
1. Marcela Gamar	ra 4.25	2001-02
Olga Strantzali	4.16	2015-17
3. Ley Santaella San	te 3.97	2003
4. Lane Carico	3.76	2008-11
5. Savannah Leaf	3.73	2012-14
6. Valeria Tipiana	3.70	2001-04
7. Karla Johnson	3.48	2002-05
8. Angela Grieve	3.29	2020-Pres.
9. Francheska Savag	je 3.14	2002-06
10. Janet Kalaniuval	u 2.99	2017-Pres.
11. Anna Haak	2.86	2015-16

<u>Player</u>	Attacks	<u>s Years</u>
1. Lane Carico	4,947	2008-11
2. Janet Kalaniuvalı	3,989	2017-Pres.
3. Karla Johnson	3,619	2007-11

Digs Per Set

<u>Player</u>	Digs/Se	t Years
1. Ryan Shaffer	4.60	2010-13
2. Cassie Loessber	g 4.43	2006-09
Jamie Grass	3.95	2001-04
Lane Carico	3.69	2008-11
5. Kalysta White	3.47	2014-15
6. Sylvia Hernand	ez 2.96	2014-17
7. Priscilla Hernande	z 2.79	2018-Pres.
8. Taylor Hollins	2.76	2010-12
9. Ann Gallo	2.74	2003-06
10. Marcela Gamar	ra 2.73	2001-02



• At the net, the Canes have been a force with the second-lowest opponent hitting percentage at .157.

the second-highest digs per set mark in the ACC at 16.18. The teams 825 total

- The Hurricanes mark of 2.84 blocks per set is the third-most in the ACC.
- Miami is averaging 12.49 assists per set, which is the fifth best in the confer-

CANES IN THE ACC

digs is third-best.

- Janice Leao is second in the conference with 1.67 blocks per game and 85 total blocks this year.
- Savannah Vach is fourth in assists (508), while sitting third with 10.58 assists
- Priscilla Hernandez sits fifth with a season-mark of 213 digs. She is fourth with 4.18 digs per set.
- Angela Grieve is ninth in the ACC in both kills (170) and kills per set (3.47).

NEW FACES IN THE CROWD

- The Hurricanes welcomed nine new players to this year's squad, including seven freshman and two graduate transfers.
- Tyanna Omazic joins the Canes from Missouri and Aristea Tontai was previously at North Carolina.
- Miami's seven freshman include -- Hanna Bissler, Ashley Carr, Yaidaliz Rosado, Alanys Viera, Nyah Anderson, Peyman Yardimci, and McKayla Vincent.
- Tontai, Bissler, Carr, Rosado, Viera, Anderson, Yardimci, and Vincent have all seen action in at least one set this season.

NEXT UP

• Miami returns home on Oct. 15 at 7 p.m. to host Pittsburgh in the Knight Sports Complex. Addmission is free for fans.

MIAMI HURRICANES ROSTER

NUMERICAL

#	NAME	POS.	HT.	CL.	HOMETOWN / HS / LAST SCHOOL
1	Savannah Vach	S	5-10	Jr.	Winter Springs, Fla. / Oviedo HS
2	Amanda Falck	DS	5-7	Jr.	Alachua, Fla. / Santa Fe HS
3	Hanna Bissler	DS	5-9	Fr.	Chardon, Ohio / Notre Dame Cathedral Latin School
4	Ashley Carr	MB	6-0	Fr.	Glenview, III. / Glenbrook South HS
5	Kennedy Prince	OH	6-0	Jr.	Sugar Land, Texas / George Ranch HS
6	Janet Kalaniuvalu	OH	6-2	Grad.	Orem, Utah / Mountain View HS / Southern Utah
7	Yaidaliz Rosado	DS	5-8	Fr.	Morovis, Puerto Rico / Piaget Bilingual Academy
8	Michalina Rola	OH	5-11	So.	Jastkow, Poland / SMS PZPS Szczyrku
9	Tyanna Omazic	MB	6-2	Grad.	Kansas City, Mo. / Olathe Northwest HS / Missouri
10	Priscilla Hernandez	DS	5-8	Sr.	Miami, Fla. / Westminster Christian HS
11	Alanys Viera	S	5-5	Fr.	Longwood, Fla. / Lyman HS
12	Taylor Burrell	OH	6-0	R-Jr.	Boca Raton, Fla. / West Boca Raton Community HS
14	Angela Grieve	OH	6-0	R-So.	Jupiter, Fla. / South Fork HS
15	Emily Damon	L	5-8	Sr.	Naples, Fla. / Gulf Coast HS
16	Nyah Anderson	OH	6-0	Fr.	San Antonio, Texas / Ronald Reagan HS
17	Janice Leao	MB	6-3	Jr.	New Bedford, Mass. / New Bedford HS
19	Peyman Yardimci	OH	6-0	Fr.	Istanbul, Turkey / TED Istanbul Koleji
20	Aristea Tontai	MB	6-4	Grad.	Athens, Greece / Anavrita Model Lyceum / North Carolina
21	McKayla Vincent	MB	6-4	Fr.	Ocoee, Fla. / The First Academy
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COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Jose "Keno" Gandara (UC Santa Barbara '90, Ninth season) Associate Head Coach: Kasey Crider (Pepperdine '11, Seventh season) Assistant Coach: Jillian Hadder (UMass Lowell 11', Sixth season) Student Assistant Coach: Cameron Dobbs (Miami 20', Third season)

Director of Operations: Natalia "Gaby" Huaroto-Luque (SMU '18, Third season)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

NO.	NAME	FIRST	LAST	
1	Savannah Vach		VAHCK	
6	Janet Kalaniuvalu		Kuh-LAH-Nee-Uh-Vall-Oo	
7	Yaidaliz Rosado	Yie-DAH-Leez	Roe-SAH-Do	
8	Michalina Rola	Me-CHUH-Lee-Nuh	ROLE-Uh	
9	Tyanna Omazic	Te-AH-Nuh	Oh-MAH-Zeech	
11	Alanys Viera	Uh-LAH-Niece	Vee-AIR-Uh	
14	Angela Grieve		GREEVE	
16	Nyah Anderson	NYE-uh		
17	Janice Leao		LAY-Ow	
19	Peyman Yardimci	PAY-Min	Yar-DIM-Chi	
20	Aristea Tontai	Are-Ee-STAY-Uh	TONE-Tye	

ROSTER BREAKDOWN BY CLASS

FRESHMAN (7) Hannah Bissler

Ashley Carr Yaidaliz Rosado Alanys Viera Nyah Anderson Peyman Yardimci McKayla Vincent

SOPHOMORE (1) Michalina Rola

REDSHIRT SOPHOMORE (1)
Angela Grieve

JUNIOR (4) Savannah Vach Amanda Falck Kennedy Prince

REDSHIRT JUNIOR (1) Taylor Burrell

Janice Leao

SENIOR (2) Priscilla Hernandez **Emily Damon**

GRADUATE STUDENT (3)

Janet Kalaniuvalu Tyanna Omazic

ROSTER BREAKDOWN BY HOME STATE/COUNTRY

FLORIDA (8) Savannah Vach Amanda Falck Priscilla Hernandez Alanys Viera

Taylor Burrell Angela Grieve Emily Damon McKayla Vincent TURKEY (1) Peyman Yardimci

POLAND (1) Michalina Rola

GREECE (1) Aristea Tontai

ILLINOIS (1)

MASSACHUSETTS (1)

Janice Leao

MISSOURI (1)

Tyanna Omazic

OHIO (1) Hanna Bissler

TEXAS (1) Kennedy Prince Nvah Anderson

<u>UTAH (1)</u>

Janet Kalaniuvalu

PUERTO RICO (1) Yaidaliz Rosado





HEAD COACH JOSE "KENO" GANDARA

9th Season | UC Santa Barbara, 1990

UM Record: 146-91 | Career Record: 146-91 | ACC Record: 92-63

GANDARA'S CAREER

Assistant Coach (Men's team) 1992-1994 **UCSB** Assistant Coach (Women's team)

1994-Associate Coach

Assistant Coach

2005-2013 Washington

Head Coach

Miami

UCSB

UNLV

2013-Pres.

EDUCATION

UC Santa Barbara, 1990

NCAA APPEARANCES

2005 - Washington - Champions 2006 - Washington - Final Four 2013 - Miami - First Round 2014 - Miami - Second Round

2015 - Miami - First Round 2017 - Miami - Second Round

PLAYING CAREER

UC Santa Barbara, 1987-90

PLAYING ACCOLDADES

First Team All-American, 1989 Second Team All-American, 1988

Two-time All-Conference Selec-

Played in 1988 National Championship

Inducted into UCSB Hall of Fame

Has represented the U.S. and Puerto Rico international teams

Jose "Keno" Gandara accepted the position of head volleyball coach at the University of Miami on March 20, 2013, becoming the second head coach since the program returned in 2001.

The Hurricanes returned the NCAA Championship in 2017 for the fourth time in five seasons under Gandara's leadership. Miami won its first postseason match since 2014, defeating the College of Charleston in the opening round of the tournament in a Gainesville, Fla. The Canes fell to No. 2 Florida in four sets in an exciting second round matchup to close the season 22-6 and finish with their best winning percentage since

Senior outside hitter Olga Strantzali was named ACC Player of the Year and AVCA East Coast Region Player of the Year. Strantzali was joined by redshirt junior setter Haley Templeton on the All-ACC First Team and AVCA All-East Coast Region team. Strantzali and Templeton topped off a memorable season with AVCA All-America Honorable Mention recognition. The Canes both started and finished the campaign strong, winning the first nine matches and the seven contests prior to falling to second-seeded Florida. Miami topped the ACC in service aces with 1.71 per set and finished the season in the top three of two additional categories – hitting percentage (second with .246) and kills (tied for third with 13.64 per set).

In 2016, Gandara led a resilient Miami squad that proved to rise to the occasion when it stepped into an opponent's gym. The 2016 Hurricanes won 11 matches away from Coral Gables, picking up big road wins at Notre Dame and Louisville. Junior outside hitter Olga Strantzali developed into one of the best players in the country, receiving AVCA All-America honorable mention and earned AVCA All-East Coast Region and First Team All-ACC honors. Strantzali and freshman setter Hannah Sorensen were named to the All-ACC Academic Team in recognition of their success on the court and in the classroom.

Gandara led the Hurricanes to three straight NCAA Tournaments in his first three seasons at the helm of the Miami volleyball program. The Canes were selected to the 2015 NCAA Tournament, where they faced Iowa State in a first round match in Madison, Wis. The Canes finished the season 21-10 and 14-6 in the ACC, while Miami's 21 wins marked the second consecutive 20-win season under Gandara's leadership. The Hurricanes saw seniors Alexis Mourning and Taylor Scott, as well as sophomores Olga Strantzali and Haley Templeton, named to the 2015 All-ACC Second Team with Strantzali and Templeton also earning AVCA All-East Coast Region Honorable Mention.

Miami reached the NCAA Tournament for the sixth consecutive season in 2014 and seventh time in program history. The Hurricanes, who finished the season 22-9, defeated UCF in five sets in the first round of the NCAA Tournament. The victory was Gandara's first NCAA Tournament win as a head coach. Miami's 22 wins also gave Gandara his first 20-win season at the helm of the program.

The Canes reached the second round of the NCAA Tournament before falling to No. 8 Florida in four sets. But Gandara helped develop several players to reach unprecedented levels of success.

Senior outside hitter Savanah Leaf was named 2014 ACC Player of the Year and a second team AVCA All-American, while freshman Haley Templeton earned ACC Freshman of the Year honors. Leaf was joined by senior middle blocker Emani Sims on the All-ACC First Team, while Templeton was picked for the All-ACC Second Team and the All-ACC Freshman Team. The accolades continued for the trio as Leaf and Sims were named AVCA East Coast All-Region selections and Templeton was tabbed as the AVCA East Coast Region Freshman of the Year.

The 2013 season was filled with firsts for Gandara. He secured his first win as a NCAA head coach on Aug. 30, when Miami defeated Austin Peay, 3-1. Gandara collected his first home win when Miami beat LSU in five sets on Sept. 14. The first-year head coach tallied his first ACC win when the Canes defeated Boston College in five sets on Sept. 28. Gándara also guided the Canes to their fifth straight NCAA Tournament appearance and first under his tutelage.

The Hurricanes dropped their first-round match against Oregon in three sets, but 2013 was still a successful first season under Gandara. Miami had four players earn All-ACC distinction, including Savanah Leaf and Emani Sims (first team), Alexis Mourning (second team) and Ryan Shaffer (third team). The Canes defeated No. 12 North Carolina at home and earned one of the coveted 64 spots in the NCAA Tournament.

Gandara came to Miami after spending eight years as an assistant at the University of Washington. He previously served as an assistant at UNLV and his alma mater, UC Santa Barbara.

Gandara is a highly respected teacher who has played and coached at the top levels of college and professional volleyball. Keno assisted former Washington head coach Jim McLaughlin with all aspects of coaching, including opponent scouting and contributing to the Huskies' defensive package. The Huskies won a National Championship in Keno's first year on staff, 2005, and reached the 2006 Final Four.

Gandara began his coaching career at UCSB in 1992 as an assistant with the men's team and was an assistant with the women's team in 1994. He also spent one season as a head coach/player with the San Juan Volleyball club in the Puerto Rico Professional League.

A San Juan, Puerto Rico, native, Gandara graduated from UC Santa Barbara in 1990 after a successful volleyball career with the Gauchos as a middle blocker. Gandara was a first team All-America selection in 1989 and second team selection in 1988 after leading UCSB to the national title match. He was also a two-time all-conference honoree. Gandara has also been inducted into the UCSB Hall of Fame. He also represented both the United States and Puerto Rico in international competition as a member of their respective national volleyball teams.

Gandara is married to Stephanie Cox who was a standout setter at UCSB and played on the AVP Tour. The couple welcomed their first child, a son named Lucas, in April 2011.



2021-22 Miami (FL) Women's Volleyball Combined Team Statistics All games

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Game Records

Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Neutral
13 - 2	4 - 1	5 - 0	5 - 1	3 - 1

Team Box Score

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##	Player	SP	K	K/S	Е	TA	PCT	Α	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S	RE	DIG	DIG/S	BS	BA	TOT/S	BLK/S	BE	BHE	PTS
1	Vach, Savannah	48	32	0.67	7	80	.313	508	10.58	17	1	0.35	0	141	2.94	0	26	26	0.54	2	9	62.0
3	Bissler, Hanna	51	2	0.04	1	3	.333	4	0.08	13	14	0.25	10	106	2.08	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	15.0
4	Carr, Ashley	13	14	1.08	6	32	.250	2	0.15	0	0	0.00	0	2	0.15	0	5	5	0.38	1	1	16.5
5	Prince, Kennedy	23	44	1.91	10	93	.366	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	7	0.30	1	24	25	1.09	2	0	57.0
6	Kalaniuvalu, Janet	27	56	2.07	23	206	.160	1	0.04	0	1	0.00	3	12	0.44	4	17	21	0.78	1	0	68.5
7	Rosado, Yaidaliz	50	1	0.02	0	5	.200	6	0.12	0	4	0.00	9	83	1.66	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	1.0
8	Rola, Michalina	1	1	1.00	0	1	1.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0
10	Hernandez, Priscilla	51	0	0.00	1	12	083	53	1.04	16	8	0.31	11	213	4.18	0	0	0	0.00	0	3	16.0
11	Viera, Alanys	7	2	0.29	0	5	.400	50	7.14	1	1	0.14	0	20	2.86	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	3.0
14	Grieve, Angela	49	170	3.47	73	487	.199	3	0.06	13	20	0.27	5	47	0.96	0	25	25	0.51	3	0	195.5
15	Damon, Emily	18	2	0.11	1	13	.077	1	0.06	0	2	0.00	2	37	2.06	0	2	2	0.11	0	1	3.0
16	Anderson, Nyah	23	54	2.35	29	171	.146	0	0.00	0	1	0.00	0	13	0.57	0	12	12	0.52	2	0	60.0
17	Leao, Janice	51	135	2.65	37	291	.337	1	0.02	3	12	0.06	0	29	0.57	13	72	85	1.67	4	1	187.0
19	Yardimici, Peyman	51	124	2.43	46	344	.227	5	0.10	13	9	0.25	0	109	2.14	0	44	44	0.86	1	2	159.0
20	Tontai, Aristea	23	48	2.09	12	90	.400	3	0.13	2	4	0.09	1	6	0.26	0	27	27	1.17	3	0	63.5
21	Vincent, McKayla	1	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
MI	AMI (FL)	51	685	13.43	246	1833	.239	637	12.49	78	77	1.53	53	825	16.18	18	254	145	2.84	19	18	908.0
Op	ponents	51	607	11.90	311	1888	.157	552	10.82	53	84	1.04	78	765	15.00	17	166	100	1.96	16	22	760.0

Team statistics

	MIAMI	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	685	607
Errors	246	311
Total Attacks	1833	1888
Attack Pct	.239	.157
Kills/Set	13.4	11.9
SET		
Assists	637	552
Attempts	1909	1959
Assist Pct	.334	.282
Assists/Set	12.5	10.8
SERVE		
Aces	78	53
Errors	77	84
Attempts	1184	1028
Serve Pct	.935	.918
Aces/Set	1.5	1
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	53	78
Errors/Set	1	1.5
Attempts	943	1107
Reception Pct	.944	.999
DEFENSE		
Digs	825	765
Digs/Set	16.2	15
BLOCKING		
Block solo	18	17
Block Assist	254	166
Total Blocks	145	100
Blocks/Set	2.8	2
Block Errors	19	16
Ball handling errors	18	22
ATTENDANCE		
Total	1771	3490
Dates/Avg Per Date	5/354	6/582
Neutral Site #/Avg	4/203	-
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-

Team Results

	Date	Opponent		Score	Score-by-set	Att.
	08/27/2021	vs Tarleton St.	W	3-0	25-23,25-18,25-23	100
	08/28/2021	at FIU	W	3-0	25-10,25-14,25-22	288
	08/29/2021	UMBC	W	3-0	25-8,25-17,25-11	122
	09/03/2021	at South Fla.	W	3-1	25-19,25-18,23-25,25-15	527
	09/05/2021	South Fla.	W	3-0	25-15,25-23,25-23	197
	09/10/2021	at Texas St.	W	3-0	25-18,25-22,25-22	887
	09/11/2021	vs Alabama	W	3-0	25-21,25-19,25-18	458
	09/16/2021	vs UCF	L	2-3	23-25,11-25,26-24,25-22,9-15	95
	09/16/2021	at Fla. Atlantic	W	3-0	25-20,25-15,25-18	476
	09/17/2021	vs FGCU	W	3-0	25-17,25-13,25-20	160
*	09/24/2021	at Louisville	L	0-3	10-25,21-25,14-25	958
*	09/26/2021	at Notre Dame	W	3-0	25-21,25-15,25-22	354
*	10/01/2021	North Carolina	W	3-2	29-27,25-20,18-25,20-25,15-12	516
*	10/03/2021	NC State	W	3-0	32-30,25-20,25-19	346
*	10/06/2021	Florida St.	W	3-1	25-27,25-21,25-22,25-11	590

2021 NUMERICAL PHOTO ROSTER



Savannah Vach S | 5-10 | Jr.



2 Amanda Falck DS | 5-7 | Jr.



3 Hanna Bissler DS | 5-9 | Fr.



4 **Ashley Carr** MB | 6-0 | Fr.



5 Kennedy Prince OH | 6-0 | Jr.



6 **Janet Kalaniuvalu** OH | 6-2 | Grad.



7 **Yaidaliz Rosado** DS | 5-8 | Fr.



8 Michalina Rola OH | 5-11 | Fr.



9 **Tyanna Omazic** MB | 6-2 | Grad.



10 **Priscilla Hernandez** DS | 5-8 | Sr.



Alanys Viera 8 | 5-5 | Fr.



12 **Taylor Burrell** OH | 6-0 | R-Jr.



14 Angela Grieve OH | 6-0 | R-So.



15 Emily Damon L | 5-8 | Sr.



16 Nyah Anderson OH | 6-0 | Fr.



17 Janice Leao MB | 6-3 | Jr.



Peyman Yardimci OH | 6-0 | Fr.



20 Aristea Tontai MB | 6-4 | Grad.



21 McKayla Vincent MB | 6-4 | Fr.



Head Coach Jose "Keno" Gandara 9th Season



Associate Head Coach Kasey Crider 7th Season



Assistant Coach Jillian Hadder 6th Season



Student Assistant Coach Cameron Dobbs 3rd Season



Director of Ops. Gaby Huaroto-Luque 3rd Season



2021 Individual And Team Highs

INDIVIDUAL HIGH	CATEGORY	TEAM HIGH
.923 (12-0-13), Tontai vs. NC State, 10/3/21	Attack Percentage (K-E-TA) (Minimum 10 Kills)	.374 (43-9-91) vs. UMBC, 8/29/21
18, Grieve vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21	Kills	59, 2x, last vs. Florida State, 10/6/21
16, 2x, last, Grieve at Notre Dame, 9/26/21	Kills (Three Sets)	51 vs. Tarleton State, 8/27/21
16, Grieve at USF, 9/3/21	Kills (Four Sets)	59 vs. Florida State, 10/6/21
18, Grieve vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21	Kills (Five Sets)	59 vs. UCF, 9/16/21
66, Grieve vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21	Attacks	174 vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21
43, Grieve at USF, 9/3/21	Attacks (Three Sets)	130 vs. Tarleton State, 8/27/21
49, Grieve at USF, 9/3/21	Attacks (Four Sets)	161 vs. Florida State, 10/6/21
66, Grieve vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21	Attacks (Five Sets)	174 vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21
51, Vach vs. Florida State, 10/6/21	Assists	57, 2x, last vs. Florida State, 10/6/21
39, Vach vs. NC State, 10/3/21	Assists (Three Sets)	44 vs. Tarleton State, 8/27/21
51, Vach vs. Florida State, 10/6/21	Assists (Four Sets)	57 vs. Florida State, 10/6/21
49, Vach vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21	Assists (Five Sets)	57 vs. UCF, 9/16/21
29, Hernandez vs. Florida State, 10/6/21	Digs	85 vs. Florida State, 10/6/21
17, Hernandez vs. Tarleton State, 8/27/21	Digs (Three Sets)	62 at Texas State, 9/10/21
29, Hernandez vs. Florida State, 10/6/21	Digs (Four Sets)	85 vs. Florida State, 10/6/21
20, Hernandez vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21	Digs (Five Sets)	69 vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21
5, Vach vs. UMBC, 8/29/21	Service Aces	14 vs. UMBC, 8/29/21
3, Leao at USF, 9/3/21	Block Solos	4 at USF, 9/3/21
9, Leao vs. NC State, 10/3/21	Block Assists	30 vs. NC State, 10/3/21
9 (0-9), Leao vs. NC State, 10/3/21	Total Blocks (BS-BA)	15 (0-30) vs. NC State, 10/3/21
20.5, Grieve vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21	Points	74.0, 2x, last vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21
18.5, 2x, last, Grieve at Notre Dame, 9/26/21	Points (Three Sets)	65.0 vs. NC State, 10/3/21
18.0, Grieve at USF, 9/3/21	Points (Four Sets)	73.5 vs. Florida State, 10/6/21
20.5, Grieve vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21	Points (Five Sets)	74.0, 2x, last vs. North Carolina, 10/1/21

2021 Double Doubles

Savannah Vach (6)		
9/3/21 at USF:	Assists, 38	Digs, 12
9/10/21 at Texas State:	Assists, 37	Digs, 15
9/26/21 at Notre Dame:	Assists, 32	Digs, 13
10/1/21 vs. North Carolina:	Assists, 49	Digs, 15
10/3/21 vs. NC State:	Assists, 39	Digs, 13
10/6/21 vs. Florida State:	Assists, 51	Digs, 19
Alanys Viera (1) 9/16/21 vs. UCF:	Assists, 17	Digs, 10
Peyman Yardimci (1) 8/27/21 vs. Tarleton State:	kills, 10	Digs, 12

2021 Triple Doubles

Savannah Vach (1)		
9/16/21 at LICE: Assists 28	Dias 11	Kille 16

2021 Opponent Highs and Lows

Category	High	Low
Attack Perct.	9/24/21, Louisville, .274	9/3/21, USF, .044
Kills	10/1/21, UNC, 70	8/29/21, UMBC, 18
Kills (3 Sets)	10/3/21, NC State, 52	8/29/21, UMBC, 18
Kills (4 Sets)	10/6/21, Florida State, 51	9/3/21, USF, 36
Kills (5 Sets)	10/1/21, UNC, 70	9/16/21, UCF, 64
Attacks	10/1/21, UNC, 185	8/29/21, UMBC, 88
Attacks (3 Sets)	10/3/21, NC State, 132	8/29/21, UMBC, 88
Attacks (4 Sets)	10/6/21, Florida State, 175	9/3/21, USF, 135
Attacks (5 Sets)	10/1/21, UNC, 185	9/16/21, UCF, 166
Assists	10/1/21, UNC, 65	8/29/21, UMBC, 17
Assists (3 Sets)	10/3/21, NC State, 49	8/29/21, UMBC, 17
Assists (4 Sets)	10/6/21, Florida State, 42	9/3/21, USF, 35
Assists (5 Sets)	10/1/21, UNC, 65	9/16/21, UCF, 59
Digs	10/1/21, UNC, 82	8/29/21, UMBC, 35
Digs (3 Sets)	9/10/21, Texas State, 58	8/29/21, UMBC, 35
Digs (4 Sets)	10/6/21, Florida State, 74	9/3/21, USF, 53
Digs (5 Sets)	10/1/21, UNC, 82	9/16/21, UCF, 60
Service Aces	9/16/21, UCF, 10	10/3/21, NC State, 1, 3x
Block Solos	10/1/21, UNC, 3, 3x	10/6/21, Florida State, 0, 8x
Block Assists	9/16/21, UCF, 30	9/10/21, Texas State, 6, 2x
Total Blocks	9/16/21, UCF, 16	10/6/21, Florida State, 2
Points	9/16/21, UCF, 90	8/29/21, UMBC, 24
Points (3 Sets)	10/3/21, NC State, 56	8/29/21, UMBC, 24
Points (4 Sets)	10/6/21, Florida State, 57	9/3/21, USF, 53
Points (5 Sets)	9/16/21, UCF, 90.0	10/1/21, UNC, 81.0
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2021 Match-By-Match Leaders

Date	Opponent	Result	Kills	Attacks	Assists	Digs	Total Blocks	Points
8/27	vs. Tarleton State	W, 3-0	Grieve, 12	Grieve, 34	Vach, 34	Hernandez, 17	Leao, 3	Grieve, 13.0
8/28	at FIU	W, 3-0	Leao, 13	Kalaniuvalu, 29	Vach, 22	Hernandez, 11	Prince, 6	Leao, 16.0
8/29	UMBC	W, 3-0	Grieve, 12	Leao, 23	Vach, 25	Bissler. Hernandez, Yrdimci, 9	Prince, 4	Grieve, 12.5
9/3	at South Florida	W, 3-1	Grieve, 16	Grieve, 49	Vach, 38	Hernandez, 17	Leao, 9	Leao, 13.5
9/5	South Florida	W, 3-0	Grieve, 16	Grieve, 43	Vach, 35	Damon, 14	Leao, 6	Grieve, 18.5
9/10	at Texas State	W, 3-0	Leao, Grieve, 13	Grieve, 36	Vach, 37	Vach, 15	Prince, 4	Grieve, 15.5
9/11	vs Alabama	W, 3-0	Prince, Kalaniuvalu, 9	Kalaniuvalu, 25	Vach, 37	Hernandez, Yardimci, 12	Leao, 7	Prince, Leao, 11.5
9/16	vs UCF	L, 3-2	Vach, 16	Anderson, 35	Vach, 28	Hernandez, 18	Leao, 6	Vach 17.0
9/16	at FAU	W, 3-0	Leao, Anderson, 9	Anderson, 28	Vach, 21	Hernandez, 12	Leao, 6	Leao, Yardimci, 12.5
9/17	vs. FGCU	W, 3-0	Grieve, 13	Grieve, 34	Vach, 37	Hernandez, 14	Leao, 6	Leao, 15.5
9/24	at Louisville	L, 3-0	Anderson, 9	Anderson, 28	Vach, 23	Bissler, 10	Leao, 5	Anderson, 10.0
9/26	at Notre Dame	W, 3-0	Grieve, 16	Grieve, 35	Vach, 32	Hernandez, 14	Leao, 8	Grieve, 18.5
10/1	North Carolina	W, 3-2	Grieve, 18	Grieve, 66	Vach, 49	Hernandez, 20	Leao, 8	Grieve, 20.5
10/3	NC State	W, 3-0	Tontai, 12	Grieve, 35	Vach, 39	Vach, 13	Leao, 9	Tontai, 15.0
10/6	Florida State	W, 3-1	Tontai, 14	Grieve, 39	Vach, 51	Hernandez, 29	Tontai, 7	Tontai, 17.5
10/8	at Duke							
10/15	Pittsburgh							
10/17	Virginia							
10/22	at Wake Forest							
10/24	at Virginia Tech							
10/29	Syracuse							
10/31	Boston College							
11/5	at Georgia Tech							
11/7	at Clemson							
11/13	Clemson					-		
11/19	at Florida State							
11/21	at North Carolina					-		
11/24	Wake Forest							



2021 Match-By-Match Comparison

Date	Matchup	K	Е	TA	Pct.	Α	SA	SE	RE	Digs	BS-BA	BE	Total	BHE
8/27	Miami	51	14	130	.285	44	3	7	3	59	1-8	0	5	1
	vs. Tarleton State	38	14	124	.194	29	3	4	3	53	0-12	0	6	1_
8/28	Miami	40	13	105	.257	37	5	3	3	45	0-21	0	10.5	0
	at FIU	27	22	102	.049	25	3	5	5	44	0-12	1	6	1_
8/29	Miam	43	9	91	.374	39	14	6	1	48	0-12	0	6	1
	vs UMBC	18	11	88	.080	17	1_	1	14	35	0-10	0	5	3_
9/3	Miami	49	28	141	.149	48	6	8	4	63	5-16	0	13	0
	at USF	36	30	135	.044	35	4	7	6	53	5-16	0	13	2
9/5	Miami	44	14	112	.268	40	5	6	5	41	4-8	4	8	2
	vs. USF	34	21	106	.123	30	5	3	5	43	2-6	3	5	2
9/10	Miami	44	14	123	.244	40	4	3	2	62	0-12	1	6	0
	at Texas State	43	16	130	.208	39	2	7	4	58	0-6	1	3	1
9/11	Miami	38	12	102	.255	37	5	5	2	50	0-24	2	12	1
	vs Alabama	38	23	117	.128	35	2	8	5	48	0-10	0	5	1_
9/16	Miami	59	28	160	.194	57	7	3	10	68	0-16	0	8	4
	vs UCF	64	20	166	.265	59	10	6	7	60	1-30	0	16	2
9/16	Miami	37	14	96	.240	35	8	3	2	46	1-20	3	11	1
	at FAU	33	19	104	.135	30	2	8	8	39	2-10	0	7	0
9/17	Miami	46	13	101	.327	41	6	5	1	50	1-10	0	6	2
	vs. FGCU	29	21	102	.078	29	1	1	6	36	0-10	0	5	0
9/24	Miami	27	27	109	.000	25	2	5	5	35	2-10	0	7	0
	at Louisville	37	11	95	.274	35	5	5	2	46	3-18	1	12	0
9/26	Miami	44	12	121	.264	40	5	3	4	54	0-22	2	11	1
	at Notre Dame	37	19	127	.142	33	4	4	5	52	1-12	2	7	2
10//1	Miami	58	23	174	.201	54	2	8	6	69	2-24	4	14	1
	vs. North Carolina	70	34	185	.195	65	6	8	2	82	3-4	1	5	4
10/3	Miami	46	12	107	.318	43	4	4	1	50	0-30	1	15	0
1010	vs. NC State	52	21	132	.235	49	1	10	4	42	0-6	3	3	1
10/6	Miami	59	13	161	.286	57	2	8	4	85	2-21	2	12.5	4
40/0	vs Florida State	51	29	175	.126	42	4	7	2	74	0-4	4	2	2
10/8	Miami													
40/45	at Dule Miami													
10/15														
10/17	vs. Pittsburgh Miami													
10/17	vs Virginia													
10/22	Miami													
10/22	at Wake Forest													
10/24	Miami													
10/24	at Virginia Tech													
10/29	Miami													
10/29	vs Syracuse													
10/31	Miami													
10/31	vs Boston College													
11/5	Miami													
11/5	at Georgia Tech													
11/7	Miami													
11/7	at Clemson													
11/13	Miami													
11/13	vs. Clemson													
11/19	Miami													
11/19	at Florida State													
11/21	Miami													
11/21	at North Carolina													
11/24	Miami													
11/24	vs. Wake Forest													
	vs. vvane FUIESL													