

# VIRGINIA

## VIRGINIA ATHLETICS MEDIA RELATIONS

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## 2016 SCHEDULE/RESULTS - 18-10, 9-5 ACC

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Jan. 17	[7] at Boston College (49) *	W, 4-3
<b>Jan. 22</b>	<b>[8] BYU</b>	<b>W, 7-0</b>
<b>Jan. 23</b>	<b>[8] COLUMBIA (56)</b>	<b>W, 6-1</b>
<b>Jan. 29</b>	<b>[7] SOUTH CAROLINA (28)</b>	<b>L, 3-4</b>
Feb. 5	[7] Texas A&M (9) ^	W, 4-1
Feb. 6	[7] California (6) ^	L, 1-4
Feb. 7	[7] Vanderbilt (1) ^	L, 0-4
<b>Feb. 15</b>	<b>[9] ALABAMA (18)</b>	<b>Cancelled</b>
Feb. 21	[9] at Syracuse (62)*	W, 5-2
<b>Feb. 28</b>	<b>[18] LOUISVILLE *</b>	<b>W, 6-1</b>
<b>Feb. 28</b>	<b>[18] NORFOLK STATE</b>	<b>W, 7-0</b>
<b>March 4</b>	<b>[16] NORTH CAROLINA (3) *</b>	<b>L, 3-4</b>
<b>March 6</b>	<b>[16] CLEMSON (19) *</b>	<b>W, 7-0</b>
<b>March 12</b>	<b>[10] MICHIGAN (6)</b>	<b>W, 4-2</b>
March 17	[10] at Georgia (4)	L, 2-4
March 19	[10] at NC State (42) *	W 5-2
March 20	[10] at Wake Forest (29) *	L, 3-4
March 25	[12] at Miami (6) *	L, 2-5
March 27	[12] at Florida State *	W, 4-0
<b>April 1</b>	<b>[12] DUKE (10) *</b>	<b>L, 0-4</b>
<b>April 3</b>	<b>[12] GEORGIA TECH (16) *</b>	<b>L, 3-4</b>
April 4	[15] at Virginia Tech (30) *	W, 6-1
<b>April 18</b>	<b>[13] PITTSBURGH *</b>	<b>W, 6-1</b>
<b>April 19</b>	<b>[13] NOTRE DAME (51) *</b>	<b>W, 5-2</b>
April 21	[16] vs. FSU (60) **	W, 4-3
April 22	[16] vs. Duke (8) **	W, 4-2
April 23	[16] vs. North Carolina (2) **	L, 1-4
May 13	[14] vs. Fairleigh Dickinson ***	W, 4-0
May 14	[14] vs. LSU (18) ***	W, 4-2
May 19	[14] vs. North Carolina (3) ****	9 a.m.

### HOME MATCHES IN BOLD CAPS

^ - ITA National Indoors, Madison, Wis.

\* - Atlantic Coast Conference match

\*\* - ACC Championship match, Cary, N.C.

\*\*\* - NCAA Championship Match, Charlottesville, Va.

\*\*\*\* - NCAA Championship Match, Tulsa, Okla.

### PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Julia ELBABA .....	El-BAH-BAH
Stephanie NAUTA .....	NAW-ta
Mark GUILBEAU .....	GILL-Bo
Troy PORCO .....	POR-Co

### THREE THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

- Virginia has advanced to the NCAA Round of 16 in five consecutive seasons and eight straight NCAA Tournaments.
- Danielle Collins has reached a career-high ranking of No. 2 in the ITA Rankings heading into the NCAA Championships.
- Virginia has won seven-of-eight matches heading into the NCAA Championships Round of 16.

### FOR OPENERS

- Virginia enters the NCAA Women's Tennis Championships on a three-match winning streak. That streak matches the longest streak of the season for the Cavaliers, done twice earlier in the season.
- The Cavaliers faced 19 nationally-ranked teams in the 2016 season and are 9-10 against those teams. Of those matches, 16 came against teams ranked in the top 50. Virginia faced 12 teams ranked in the top 25 at the time of competition.
- Three of the Cavalier seniors have broken the 100-win plateau in singles this season.
- Julia Elbaba ranks first all-time in wins with 130 singles wins for her career. Elbaba passed Lindsey Hardenbergh (2009-12).
- Elbaba is 34-7 on the season in singles play and 14-4 against nationally-ranked opponents this season.
- Danielle Collins holds 117 singles wins for her career and is 30-4 on the season, including a 17-2 mark in dual matches this season and a 20-2 mark against nationally-ranked opponents. Collins is on a 10-match win streak. 24 of her wins came as a freshman at Florida in 2012-13.
- Stephanie Nauta is tied for third all-time in singles wins with 111 for her career.

### HEAD COACH MARK GUILBEAU

- Eleventh-year head coach Mark Guilbeau has posted a 187-103 mark at UVA and 341-192 record in 20 seasons overall.
- Guilbeau has led Virginia to two ACC Championships and 21 or more wins four of the last five seasons.
- Guilbeau led the Cavaliers to their first NCAA quarterfinal appearance, first ACC Championship and first-ever share of an ACC regular-season title in 2014 before repeating as ACC Champions in 2015 and advancing to the Sweet 16.
- He has guided the Cavaliers to the NCAA Championship in 10 of 11 seasons and seven straight seasons with 15 or more wins.

### UVA ALL-TIME IN THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP

- The Cavaliers are 19-16 all-time in NCAA Women's Championship appearances.
- Virginia is 17-10 in the NCAA Championships under the leadership of head coach Mark Guilbeau.
- The Cavaliers have advanced to the NCAA Round of 16 in each of the last five seasons.
- Virginia defeated VCU and South Carolina before falling to host Baylor in the Round of 16 last season.
- Virginia defeated Fairleigh Dickinson and LSU this season to advance to the Round of 16.

### A LOOK AT VIRGINIA VS. THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS ROUND OF 16 FIELD

- Virginia and North Carolina will face each other for the third time this season when the teams take the court on Thursday.
- The Cavaliers fell 4-3 in Charlottesville in the regular season and 4-1 in the semifinals of the ACC Championships in April.
- Virginia is 14-40 all-time against North Carolina, and in potential quarterfinal matchups: vs. Auburn (1-0), vs. Vanderbilt (0-4).
- Against the rest of the Cavaliers side of the bracket: vs. Florida (0-4), vs. Miami (5-16), vs. Michigan (3-1), vs. Stanford (0-2).
- Against the other half: vs. Cal (0-1), vs. Georgia (1-3), vs. Georgia Tech (23-13), vs. Ohio State (4-3), vs. Oklahoma State (0-0), vs. Pepperdine (0-2), vs. Texas (2-0), vs. Texas Tech (0-0).
- Virginia has faced seven of the 16 teams in the Round of 16 already this season, going 1-7 in those eight matches

### VIRGINIA'S PROBABLE SINGLES LINEUP

Pos.	Player (Hometown)	Year	Rank	Overall	Dual (ACC)	Notes
1	Danielle Collins (St. Petersburg, Fla.)	Sr.	2	31-4	18-2 (11-1)	Holds a 10-match win streak entering NCAA
2	Julia Elbaba (Oyster Bay, N.Y.)	Sr.	12	34-7	19-4 (10-3)	Career record holder for singles wins at UVA (130)
3	Stephanie Nauta (Galveston, Texas)	Sr.	97	19-13	13-10 (7-5)	3x All-ACC selection has 111 career singles wins
4	Meghan Kelley (Falmouth, Me.)	Fr.	--	27-9	19-4 (12-1)	Freshman is 7-1 since moving to No. 4 singles
5	Erica Susi (Vero Beach, Fla.)	Fr.	--	10-18	4-12 (2-7)	Has played both No. 5 and No. 6 singles for UVA
6	Cassie Mercer (Huntington, W.Va.)	So.	--	5-8	4-3 (3-0)	Moved into starting lineup at Virginia Tech

### VIRGINIA'S PROBABLE DOUBLES LINEUP

Pos.	Players	Rank	Overall	Dual (ACC)	Notes
1	Danielle Collins/Meghan Kelley	18	23-10	14-9 (8-4)	Duo has been ranked to 20 for most of season
2	Stephanie Nauta/Cassie Mercer	-	9-4	9-4 (4-3)	Pair is 4-3 at No. 2 doubles, 3-1 at No. 3 doubles
3	Julia Elbaba/Erica Susi	-	5-3	3-3 (2-2)	Duo has won four of last five matches

**ABOUT THE CAVALIERS**

- The Cavaliers are led by All-ACC performers Julia Elbaba, Danielle Collins and captain Stephanie Nauta.
- Elbaba, who set the career record for singles wins this season with 130, earned All-ACC honors for the fourth straight season and has a 19-4 dual record. She is the first four-time All-ACC selection in Virginia program history.
- Danielle Collins earned her third straight All-ACC honor and has an 18-2 dual mark including a 10-match winning streak. She is currently ranked No. 2 in the ITA rankings, a career-high.
- Nauta, who won the 2014 ITA Atlantic Region singles championship, is serving as a team tri-captain this season, marking her second consecutive season as a captain for the team.
- Freshman Meghan Kelley has added a 19-4 dual record and posted a 12-1 mark in ACC play this season.

**UVA VS. UNC**

- Virginia is 14-40 all-time vs. North Carolina.
- The Cavaliers fell 4-3 in Charlottesville in the regular-season meeting and 4-1 in the ACC Championship semifinals this year.
- In the ACC match, UVA was leading on courts one and four when the match was clinched, including a retirement by UVA's No. 6 player.

**IN THE NATIONAL RANKINGS**

- Virginia is ranked No. 14 in the latest ITA national rankings.
- The Cavaliers have been ranked every week this season, including a season-high No. 7 ranking.
- Virginia has been ranked in the top 20 every week this season.

**CAVALIERS IN THE RECORD BOOKS**

- Senior Julia Elbaba ranks first all-time at Virginia with 130 career singles wins, while senior Stephanie Nauta ranks third with 111 career singles wins.
- Senior Danielle Collins ranks eighth all-time at UVA with 94 career singles wins as a part of the Virginia lineup, but has 117 career singles wins after posting 24 wins as a freshman at Florida.
- Elbaba ranks third all-time in combined singles and doubles wins with 227, while Nauta is sixth all-time with 202.
- Elbaba's 34 wins this season sets the single-season win mark by a senior player in Virginia history.

**CAVALIERS ADVANCE TO ACC CHAMPIONSHIP SEMIFINALS**

- Virginia advanced to the semifinals of the ACC Championship for the fifth consecutive season with wins over Florida State (4-3) and Duke (4-2) before falling to North Carolina (1-4) in the semifinals.

**REGULAR SEASON RECAP**

- UVA posted a 16-10 overall record and 9-5 ACC mark.
- UVA went 4-4 in non-conference action, highlighted by a wins over then-No. 9 Texas A&M at the ITA National Team Indoors.
- UVA has won nine or more ACC matches in four consecutive seasons, marking a school record.

**ITA TOP-25 TEAM RANKINGS**

Rank	Avg	School	Previous Rank
1	76.19	Florida	1
2	75.78	California	2
3	74.09	North Carolina	3
4	70.17	Ohio State	5
5	69.53	Georgia	4
6	65.90	Vanderbilt	6
7	61.17	Miami (Florida)	7
8	53.12	Pepperdine	8
9	52.52	Duke	9
10	51.56	Michigan	11
11	50.84	Auburn	10
12	49.11	Oklahoma State	15
13	47.64	South Carolina	13
<b>14</b>	<b>46.11</b>	<b>Virginia</b>	<b>14</b>
15	46.03	Stanford	12
16	43.32	Texas Tech	19
17	42.23	Georgia Tech	16
18	40.22	LSU	17
19	38.82	Texas A&M	18
20	36.53	USC	20
21	35.90	Mississippi State	21
22	33.89	Kentucky	23
23	33.53	Arizona State	22
24	30.77	Texas	24
25	28.90	Syracuse	27

**VIRGINIA 2016 ITA RANKINGS**

January 5	7th
January 20	8th
January 27	7th
February 10	9th
February 17	9th
February 23	18th
March 1	16th
March 8	10th
March 15	10th
March 22	12th
March 29	12th
April 5	15th
April 12	13th
April 19	16th
April 26	14th
May 5	14th

**2016 VIRGINIA CAVALIERS**

NAME	HT	YR	HOMETOWN
Danielle Collins	5-9	Sr.	St. Petersburg, Fla.
Julia Elbaba	5-5	Sr.	Oyster Bay, N.Y.
Meghan Kelley	5-7	Fr.	Falmouth, Me.
Cassie Mercer	5-10	So.	Huntington, W.Va.
Stephanie Nauta	5-8	Sr.	Galveston, Texas
Erica Susi	5-9	Fr.	Vero Beach, Fla.
Taylor Wingo	5-6	Sr.	Newport News, Va.

Head Coach: Mark Guilbeau  
 Associate Head Coach: Troy Porco  
 Volunteer Assistant: Tristan Venables

**INDIVIDUAL SEASON RECORDS**

**Singles Wins**

1.	Lindsey Hardenbergh (2011)	42
<b>2.</b>	<b>Danielle Collins (2014)</b>	<b>37</b>
<b>3.</b>	<b>Julia Elbaba (2013)</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>4.</b>	<b>Julia Elbaba (2016)</b>	<b>33</b>
	<b>Stephanie Nauta (2014)</b>	<b>33</b>
	Lindsey Hardenbergh (2012)	33
<b>7.</b>	<b>Stephanie Nauta (2015)</b>	<b>31</b>
	<b>Julia Elbaba (2014)</b>	<b>31</b>
	Rachel Pierson (2014)	31
	Hana Tomljanovic (2010)	31
	Maria Fuccillo (2011)	31
<b>12.</b>	<b>Danielle Collins (2016)</b>	<b>30</b>
	Emily Fraser (2011)	30
	Caroline Hammond (2007)	30
	Alison Cohen (1994)	30
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17.	Maci Epstein (2015)	29
	Erin Vierra (2012)	29
	Lindsey Hardenbergh (2010)	29
	Amy O'Donnell (1999)	29

**INDIVIDUAL CAREER RECORDS**

**Singles Wins**

<b>1.</b>	<b>Julia Elbaba (2012-present)</b>	<b>130</b>
2.	Lindsey Hardenbergh (2009-12)	127
3.	Erin Vierra (2010-13)	111
	<b>Stephanie Nauta (2012-present)</b>	<b>111</b>
5.	Alison Cohen (1993-96)	107
6.	Emily Fraser (2009-12)	102
7.	Hana Tomljanovic (2010-13)	95
<b>8</b>	<b>Danielle Collins (2013-present)</b>	<b>94</b>
9.	Christie Schweer (1998-01)	88
10.	Maria Fuccillo (2010-13)	87
	Jen Callen (1991-94)	87
	Jennifer Tuchband (2000-03)	87
	Lindsey Pereira (2005-08)	87
	Amanda Rales (2006-09)	87

**Doubles Wins**

1.	Erin Vierra (2010-13)	129
2.	Lindsey Hardenbergh (2009-12)	126
3.	Emily Fraser (2009-12)	119
5.	Hana Tomljanovic (2010-13)	104
6.	Alison Cohen (1993-96)	104
<b>7.</b>	<b>Julia Elbaba (2012-present)</b>	<b>97</b>
8.	Jennifer Stevens (2007-10)	93
9.	Maria Fuccillo (2010-13)	92
<b>10.</b>	<b>Stephanie Nauta (2012-present)</b>	<b>91</b>
11.	Maci Epstein (2012-present)	87
12.	Kristen James (2003-06)	83
13.	Amanda Rales (2006-09)	82
14.	Christie Schweer (1998-01)	76

**Combined Singles/Doubles Wins**

1.	Lindsey Hardenbergh (2009-12)	253
2.	Erin Vierra (2010-13)	240
<b>3.</b>	<b>Julia Elbaba (2012-present)</b>	<b>227</b>
4.	Emily Fraser (2009-12)	221
5.	Alison Cohen (1993-96)	211
<b>6.</b>	<b>Stephanie Nauta (2012-present)</b>	<b>202</b>
7.	Hana Tomljanovic (2010-13)	199
8.	Maria Fuccillo (2010-13)	179
9.	Jennifer Stevens (2007-10)	170
10.	Amanda Rales (2006-09)	169

**UVA VS. RANKED OPPONENTS**

- The Cavaliers are 5-8 vs. nationally-ranked opponents, including a 3-7 mark vs. top-10 foes.
- UVA defeated then No. 9 Texas A&M (4-1), then-No. 6 Michigan (4-3) and then No. 8 Duke (4-2) for its three top-10 wins.
- The three matches against nationally-ranked foes that weren't in the top 10 were vs. then No. 19 Clemson (a 7-0 victory), a 4-3 loss to then No. 16 Georgia Tech and a 4-2 win over No. 18 LSU in the second round of the NCAA Championships.

**CAVALIERS IN THE ITA SINGLES AND DOUBLES RANKINGS**

- Senior Danielle Collins is currently ranked No. 2 in the latest ITA rankings, her highest career ranking. Senior Julia Elbaba is currently ranked No. 12 in singles, while senior Stephanie Nauta is ranked No. 97.
- Collins and freshman Meghan Kelley are ranked No. 18 in doubles, with an overall record of 23-10 on the season.

**ELBABA AND COLLINS TO COMPETE AT NCAA SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP**

- Seniors Julia Elbaba and Danielle Collins will compete in the NCAA Singles Championship, held May 25-30 at the Case Tennis Center in Tulsa, Oklahoma.
- Collins is seeded second, while Elbaba is a No. 9-16 seed.
- Elbaba will earn her fourth All-America honor, while Collins will earn her third honor.

**COLLINS AND KELLEY TO COMPETE AT NCAA DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP**

- Seniors Danielle Collins and freshman Meghan Kelley will also compete at the NCAA Doubles Championship, held May 25-30 at the Case Tennis Center in Tulsa, Oklahoma.
- The duo are currently ranked No. 18 in the latest ITA rankings and hold a 22-10 record for the season playing No. 1 doubles for the Cavaliers.

**ELBABA CLAIMS ATLANTIC REGION'S ITA CISSIE LEARY AWARD FOR SPORTSMANSHIP**

- Senior Julia Elbaba was named the Atlantic Region's recipient for the ITA Cissie Leary Award for Sportsmanship. It marks the second consecutive season for a UVA player to win the award in the Atlantic Region.
- The Cissie Leary Award for Sportsmanship goes to a Division I women's player who displays inspiring dedication and commitment to her team, which has enhanced her team's performance and exemplified the spirit of college tennis. It dates back to 1997 and is in memory of the late and widely admired Penn women's tennis coach Cissie Leary.
- Stephanie Nauta claimed the award for the Cavaliers last season.

**ITA REGIONAL AWARD WINNERS**

- Danielle Collins was named the ITA Atlantic Region Senior Player of the Year when the organization announced its annual awards earlier this week.
- Head coach Mark Guilbeau was named the Coach of the Year for the Atlantic Region, while Troy Porco was named the Assistant Coach of the Year.

**CAVALIERS ALL-TIME IN THE NCAA TOURNAMENT**

Date	Score	Tournament	Location
May 12, 1993	Brigham Young 5, Virginia 3	NCAA Round of 32	Gainsville, Fla.
May 13, 1994	Wake Forest 5, Virginia 4	NCAA Round of 32	Gainsville, Fla.
May 3, 1996	Virginia 5, Penn 1	NCAA Regional	Syracuse, N.Y.
May 4, 1996	William & Mary 5, Virginia 0	NCAA Regional	Syracuse, N.Y.
May 9, 1997	Harvard 5, Virginia 0	NCAA Regional	Providence, R.I.
May 15, 1998	VCU 5, Virginia 0	NCAA Regional	Blacksburg, Va.
May 9, 2001	Kentucky 4, Virginia 0	NCAA Round of 64	Evanston, Ill.
May 10, 2003	Virginia 4, Ohio State 0	NCAA Round of 64	Knoxville, Tenn.
May 11, 2003	Tennessee 4, Virginia 1	NCAA Round of 32	Knoxville, Tenn.
May 12, 2006	Virginia 4, Alabama 3	NCAA Round of 64	Durham, N.C.
May 13, 2006	Duke 4, Virginia 0	NCAA Round of 32	Durham, N.C.
May 11, 2007	Virginia 4, VCU 2	NCAA Round of 64	Clemson, S.C.
May 12, 2007	Clemson 4, Virginia 1	NCAA Round of 32	Clemson, S.C.
May 8, 2009	Virginia 4, VCU 0	NCAA Round of 64	Durham, N.C.
May 9, 2009	Duke 4, Virginia 1	NCAA Round of 32	Durham, N.C.
May 14, 2010	Virginia 4, Princeton 3	NCAA Round of 64	Charlottesville, Va.
May 15, 2010	Duke 4, Virginia 1	NCAA Round of 32	Charlottesville, Va.
May 14, 2011	Virginia 4, Army 0	NCAA Round of 64	Charlottesville, Va.
May 15, 2011	Virginia 4, NC State 2	NCAA Round of 32	Charlottesville, Va.
May 20, 2011	UCLA 4, Virginia 1	NCAA Round of 16	Palo Alto, Calif.
May 11, 2012	Virginia 4, Fairleigh Dickinson 0	NCAA Round of 64	Charlottesville, Va.
May 12, 2012	Virginia 4, Tennessee 1	NCAA Round of 32	Charlottesville, Va.
May 17, 2012	Duke 4, Virginia 1	NCAA Round of 16	Athens, Ga.
May 11, 2013	Virginia 4, Fairleigh Dickinson 0	NCAA Round of 64	Charlottesville, Va.
May 12, 2013	Virginia 4, Texas 3	NCAA Round of 32	Charlottesville, Va.
May 17, 2013	Texas A&M 5, Virginia 0	NCAA Round of 16	Urbana, Ill.
May 8, 2014	Virginia 4, Youngstown State 0	NCAA Round of 64	Charlottesville, Va.
May 9, 2014	Virginia 4, Kentucky 1	NCAA Round of 32	Charlottesville, Va.
May 15, 2014	Virginia 4, Baylor 1	NCAA Round of 16	Athens, Ga.
May 17, 2014	Stanford 4, Virginia 2	NCAA Quarterfinals	Athens, Ga.
May 9, 2015	Virginia 4, VCU 0	NCAA Round of 64	Charlottesville, Va.
May 10, 2015	Virginia 4, South Carolina 2	NCAA Round of 32	Charlottesville, Va.
May 15, 2015	Baylor 4, Virginia 3	NCAA Round of 16	Waco, Texas
May 13, 2016	Virginia 4, Fairleigh Dickinson 0	NCAA Round of 64	Charlottesville, Va.
May 14, 2016	Virginia 4, LSU 2	NCAA Round of 32	Charlottesville, Va.

**Total: 19-16**