Moore is in his 17th season as head coach at Baylor and his 20th full season as a collegiate softball head coach. Moore, who was selected to guide the Lady Bears’ program June 2000, begins the 2017 season with a career record of 791-350 (.693), including a 652-308 (.679) record at Baylor. His teams have had a winning record in each season of his Division I coaching career and he is Baylor Athletics’ current all-time wins leader across all sports.

During Moore’s tenure, the Lady Bears have received 16 CoSIDA Academic All-America honors and 54 times players have received National Fastpitch Coaches Association All-Region honors. In addition, Baylor players have earned 73 all-conference selections during his tenure while numerous Lady Bears have earned academic all-conference honors.

In 2016, the team extended its program record with six-straight berths in the NCAA Tournament, ending its season in the Eugene Regional final. The Lady Bears finished the year with a 45-14 record, including a 13-4 record in Big 12 play, finishing second in the conference.

Led by the most consistently successful senior class in program history, the four-member class of Heather Stearns, Linsey Hays, Sarah Smith, and Robin Landrith maintained a .700+ winning percentage over all four seasons of their time at Baylor.

Hays set new program records in both career and single-season doubles, while finishing alongside Smith in the top-10 of nearly every offensive category in the Baylor record books.

Stearns closed a dominate career in the circle, finishing with her name in all 19 of the career pitching records at Baylor.

Freshman Kyla Walker set a new program record for single-season batting average, drilling out a .415 mark to top the previous record of .413 set by her older sister, Kayce, and by former All-American Ashley Monceaux.

For the team, a batting average of .319 matched the 2005 team for the highest average in program history.

The 2015 Lady Bears squad qualified for a program-record fifth-consecutive NCAA Tournament. Led by Stearns, Baylor finished the season 41-17, topping 40 wins for the third-consecutive season, another program first. Stearns led the Big 12 in strikeouts, marking the third overall and second-consecutive season a Baylor pitcher led the league.

Marked by the emergence of freshman phenom Shelby Friudenberg, the Lady Bears saw multiple season and single-game records fall. Friudenberg became just the second freshman in BU history to earn NFCA All-America honors, shattering the program’s freshman home run record with 18.

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pitcher Canion, Moore led the 2012 Baylor squad to its seventh NCAA Regional appearance in the last nine years and 10th of his coaching career. The Lady Bears picked up crucial wins throughout the season, including wins over national runner-up Oklahoma and then-No. 5 Texas.

Moore guided Baylor to its best finish in program history, tying for third, after advancing to the semifinals of the 2011 Women’s College World Series and a final ranking of fourth. En route to the WCWS, the Lady Bears captured their fourth Regional and second Super Regional titles, all occurring on the road. The 47-15 record, that included a program-best 14-game winning streak to start the year, marked his sixth 40-win season with BU. For the third time, Moore and his staff were named NFCA Division I Central Region Coaching Staff of the Year.

For the third time in program history, Baylor had two players named to the All-American squad, as Canion (second team) and Dani Leal (third team) each earned their first career honors in 2011. Additionally, the Lady Bears had five players earn All-Big 12 honors and three All-Region picks.

Moore’s emphasis on the classroom continues to be a staple, as BU placed a league-high eight student-athletes on the 2011 Academic All-Big 12 Conference first-team and three more garnered CoSIDA Academic All-District.

Moore showed his knack for big-game coaching in 2010, defeating eventual national champion UCLA 7-5 on Feb. 27. The Lady Bears also set a Big 12 Championship record with 15 runs against Oklahoma State on May 15 in the event’s opening round. His team was successful off the field as well, leading the conference in academic honors and adding two more Academic All-Americans (Tiffany and Nicole Wesley).

In 2009, Moore guided the Lady Bears to their fifth 40-win season, third Regional title and third Super Regional, finishing 40-22 overall and 15th in the final poll. Moore collected his 500th win on April 22, 2009, with a 3-2 victory over No. 23 Texas, and for his efforts, he and his staff earned NFCA Central Regional Coaching Staff of the Year honors for the second time in three years. Moore helped guide five players to All-Big 12 seasons, including freshman Canion’s campaign that saw her win both Freshman and Pitcher of the Year for the first time in Baylor history. The Lady Bears were stellar in the classroom as well, with two players earning ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America honors.

The 2007 season was one for the ages, as Moore led Baylor to its fourth straight NCAA Softball Championship appearance and its first Women’s College World Series berth. The Lady Bears finished 51-16, tying the school record for wins, and ended the season ranked fifth nationally, their highest ranking in school history to that point. Moore also helped guide Baylor to the program’s first Big 12 Conference regular season title after collecting 14 league wins, the most in BU history. During the 2007 season, Moore collected his 400th career win on Feb. 17 with a victory over Iowa State, and also won his 300th game at Baylor on May 20 with a victory over Albany. Moore and his staff were recognized as the NFCA Division I Midwest Region Coaching Staff of the Year.

Power-hitting and blazing speed were once again on display, as the 2007 Lady Bears led the Big 12 with 142 stolen bases and finished second in the league with 62 home runs. For the second straight season a player broke the school single-season home run mark, as Ashley Monceaux blasted 20 home runs. In addition, Monceaux also broke the single-season record in batting average (.502), runs (384), doubles (76), RBIs, slugging and on-base percentage, while Tiffany Wesley tied a new season record for stolen bases with 36. The 2007 Lady Bears collected numerous postseason awards as Monceaux and Brette Reagan were named NFCA All-Americans, making the second straight season that Baylor landed at least two players on the NFCA All-America squad. It was also the second consecutive year that a Baylor player (Kirsten Shortridge) took home the Big 12 Conference Freshman of the Year award. In all, a school record six players earned 2007 All-Big 12 honors.

Baylor continued its excellence in the classroom, with five Lady Bears earning Academic All-Big 12 accolades, while two players were named ESPN The Magazine All-District selections.

In 2006, Moore became the first coach to lead Baylor to three consecutive NCAA Softball Championships as the Lady Bears finished 38-22 on the season and advanced to the NCAA Corvallis Regional final. Along the way, Baylor climbed as high as No. 10 in the national rankings and finished the season No. 20 in the polls.

The Lady Bears stepped it up during the 2006 Big 12 Conference campaign under Moore as Baylor finished the season with a record of 12-6 in conference play, good for a third-place finish. Hitting the long ball was the theme for Moore’s 2006 team as Baylor led the Big 12 Conference and established a new school record with 68 home runs on the season. The Lady Bears had four players hit at least 12 home runs as Chelsea Lake led the team with 18 home runs during the 2006 campaign.

Under Moore, several players received national recognition for their play during the 2006 season. For the first time in school history, Baylor landed at least two players on the NFCA All-America squad. Brette Reagan picked up second-team honors while Lake was a third-team All-America selection. In addition, Reagan became the first player in school history to earn a Big 12 Player of the Year award as the freshman was chosen Big 12 Conference Freshman of the Year in a vote of league coaches.

In all, six players landed on the 2006 All-Big 12 Conference squad while five players found their way onto the NFCA All-Midwest Region squad. The 2006 squad excelled in the classroom as well as six players landed on the academic All-Big 12 Conference squad with Lake and Kelly Osburn earning first-team ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District VI honors. In fact, Osburn became the fourth softball player in program history to be named to the ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America team. As a team, the softball squad finished the year with a 3.4 GPA, the nation’s ninth best mark among Division I teams according to a list released by the NFCA.

Moore took the Baylor softball program reached new heights in 2005. In 2005, Baylor established a new school record at the time with 51 wins as the Lady Bears claimed the school’s first regional title, capturing the NCAA Auburn Regional crown and advancing to the NCCA Super Regional for the first time.

During the season, the program reached the highest ranking in school history to that point, climbing to No. 7 during the season. In addition to the lofty ranking, Baylor established a number of school records during the 2005 campaign. Under Moore’s guidance, the 2005 Lady Bears shattered nearly every team record, setting new marks in 15 hitting categories including average (.318), runs (384), home runs (57), slugging percentage (.502) and on-base percentage (.380).

While the team excelled in 2005, a number of players earned significant individual accolades. For only the second time in school history, a Baylor player earned NFCA All-America honors as Harmony Schwethelm was selected to the squad following an outstanding season.

In addition to Schwethelm, Lake was named a finalist for ASA Softball National Player of the Year while Tessa Lynham earned USA Softball National Player of the Week honors following her performance at the Crowne Plaza Classic. In all, four Baylor players were named NFCA All-Midwest Region while five earned all-conference nods.

The Lady Bears excelled in the classroom in 2005 as well as Kim Wilmoth became only the fourth student-athlete in Baylor history to be selected CoSIDA Academic All-America for three consecutive seasons. Four Baylor players earned CoSIDA Academic All-District VI honors while seven were selected to the academic all-conference squad as the Lady Bears posted one of the nation’s highest team GPAs.

Prior to the historic 2005 campaign, the 2004 Baylor softball season saw Moore guide the Lady Bears to unprecedented success. For the first time in the program’s history, Baylor was selected to participate in the NCAA Softball Championships and the Lady Bears’ home field, Getterman Stadium, was selected as one of eight NCAA host sites.

Along the way, Moore’s 2004 Lady Bears established then-school records for wins (48), conference victories (11) and winning percentage (.814). In addition, Moore helped the Lady Bears climb to their then-highest national ranking in school history, finishing the season ranked 19th in the country.

At one point during the season, Baylor won 27-of-28 games, including 14-straight. During the year, Baylor defeated seven teams ranked in the top 25, including a series sweep of No. 9 Oklahoma, a team that advanced to the NCAA Women’s College World Series.

The 2004 season also saw Baylor advance to the Big 12 Conference Championship semifinals for the first time ever. After finishing fourth in the conference during the regular season, tying Baylor’s then-highest ever conference finish, the Lady Bears advanced to the semifinals of the conference tournament before falling to Nebraska.

During Baylor’s historic run at the conference tournament, the Lady Bears helped Moore reach a career milestone. Rallying to defeat rival Texas A&M 2-1 in an elimination game, the Lady Bears gave Moore his
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Bayor also had several impressive individual performances during Moore’s first campaign in Waco. As a result, four Lady Bears earned NFCA All-Midwest Region honors. Baylor also placed four players on the All-Big 12 teams; and, academically, Baylor had three first-team and three second-team Academic All-Big 12 selections and two Verizon/CoSIDA Academic All-America honorees.

Prior to coming to Baylor, Moore spent two-plus seasons as head coach at LSU and four years total with the Tigers’ program. Moore led LSU to the Southeastern Conference championship in 1999 and 2000. While at LSU, Moore amassed a 117-25 (820) record.

Moore was named LSU’s head coach prior to the 1998 NCAA Regionals, where he led the Tigers to a 2-2 mark. His first full season as head coach, 1999, saw the Tigers go 56-10 and win both the SEC regular season and tournament titles. LSU repeated its regular-season crown in 2000, going 59-13 and setting a school record for wins while advancing to within a game of the Women’s College World Series. The Tigers finished eighth nationally in hitting (.310) and ninth in pitching (1.11) in 2000. LSU appeared in three-straight NCAA Regionals under Moore.

Before his stint at LSU, Moore spent one season as the head coach at William Carey College in Hattiesburg, Miss. Moore was 22-17 that season and guided William Carey to a second-place finish in the Gulf South Conference.

Moore has plenty of experience with coaching and playing softball, as well as several other sports. He played for the world famous “The King and His Court” fastpitch softball team. He was a pitcher for the team that traveled the globe showcasing its talents. He also played in the Mississippi Men’s Fastpitch and McComb (Miss.) Men’s Fall Fastpitch Softball leagues for 12 years.

Moore’s own athletic career saw him play both football and baseball at Southwest Mississippi Community College before playing tight end at Northwestern (La.) State, where he graduated from in 1993. He was inducted into Southwest Mississippi Community College’s Hall of Fame in the fall of 2000.

While enrolled at Northwestern State, Moore was a volunteer assistant softball coach for two seasons before becoming a full-time assistant in 1992. After coaching football, baseball and basketball at Amite School Center in his hometown of Liberty, Miss., he left to coach at William Carey, where he started the softball program.

Moore is married to the former Janice Miller of Camp, La., who also made her mark on the Northwestern State campus. She is a former Southland Conference high jump champion and school record holder in the sport. The couple has two children: daughter Jacey and son Ty.
Mark Lumley is in his 17th season as a coach with the Baylor softball program and 28th as an assistant to head coach Glenn Moore, serving as the team’s hitting instructor and infield coach. Following the 2006 season, Lumley was promoted to associate head coach after serving six years as an assistant coach. Lumley came to Baylor in July 2000, following Moore from LSU.

In Lumley’s 15 years at Baylor, the Lady Bears continually established new career and individual single-season hitting records under his guidance. The 2014 Bears broke the single-season homer mark with 74 surpassing the 2006 squad’s mark of 68, while the 2016 squad matched 2005’s team batting average of .319.

Lumley was instrumental in matching a program-record with six players being named all-region in both 2015 and 2016, continuing to develop elite-level hitters.

Friudenberg’s 18 home runs in 2015 stands as the most in Baylor history by a freshman, tying for the second-most by any Lady Bear in a single season. Linsey Hays set new single-season and career records in doubles, while freshman Kyla Walker broke the school record for single-season batting average set by her older sister, Kayce, and former All-American Ashley Monceaux.

In addition to being a part of the third WCWS team in school history in 2014, Lumley was also inducted into the Flowing Wells Athletics Hall of Fame in Tuscon, Ariz., for his role as a high school coach for 14 years from 1985-1998.

In 2013, while working with infielders, Holly Holl was named second-team All-Central Region by the NFCA while freshman third baseman Sarah Smith was named to the All-Big 12 Defensive team.

In 2012 Lumley helped develop first baseman Holly Holl into a first-team All-Big 12 performer and second-team all-region choice. Additionally, center fielder Kathy Shelton earned her second all-conference selection. Lumley added another All-American to his resume in 2011, as Dani Leal earned third-team honors after being one of the Big 12’s most feared hitters. Under Lumley’s guidance, Leal’s 14 home runs became the most from a BU player since 2007 and the fifth-highest of all-time. Four non-pitchers picked up All-Big 12 honors, while two more added All-Region awards. His efforts helped earn the staff an NFCA Division I Central Region Coaching Staff of the Year award for the third time in the last six seasons.

In 2009, Lumley was part of a staff that earned National Fastpitch Coaches Association Division I Central Region Coaching Staff of the Year. The Lady Bears again found themselves hitting above .300 for the year (.301). Two outfielders, Kayce Walker and Tiffany Wesley, earned All-Big 12 and NFCA all-region honors, while Walker tied the program’s single-season batting average record (.413).

Lumley continued to show his offensive teaching prowess in 2008, as the Lady Bear offense led the Big 12 in batting average, hitting .307 on the year.

In 2007, Lumley helped guide Ashley Monceaux to one of the greatest offensive seasons in Baylor history. Monceaux set single-season records in batting average (.413), hits (81), doubles (19), home runs (20), RBI (71), slugging percentage (.816) and OBP (.508). As a team, the 2007 squad hit .310 and is ranked second in school history in nearly every offensive category.

Defensively, his outfielders were part of a unit that set a school record with a .969 fielding percentage.

For his efforts, Lumley and the rest of the staff were recognized as the 2007 National Fastpitch Coaches Association Division I Midwest Region Coaching Staff of the Year.

In 2005 and 2006, his outstanding work was recognized by USA Softball as he was chosen for coaching consideration for events during the 2005 and 2006 Women’s National Team’s seasons. As an assistant coach with Team USA in 2006, Lumley helped lead the team to a gold medal at the 2006 World University Games. The team was made up of elite collegiate players from around the country. After the Games, USA took on the Chicago Bandits of the NPF, defeating them three out of four games.

The success continued for the Baylor program under Lumley in 2006. The squad shattered the home run mark set by the 2005 team, blasting 68 on the season to lead the Big 12 Conference and rank sixth in the country with 1.13 home runs per game and ranked ninth with a .486 slugging percentage. Chelsi Lake led the offensive output, belting a school record 18 home runs to break her school record set the previous season as she ranked second in the conference with a .741 slugging percentage. For the season, Baylor ranked second in the conference with a .296 batting average and ranked among the top three in every offensive category.

The program’s offensive success continued for the Baylor program under Lumley in 2007. On the way to advancing to its second consecutive NCAA Softball Championships and claiming the first regional title in program history, Baylor shattered nearly every single-season and individual school record.

Among the 15 team hitting records Baylor set in 2005, the Lady Bears established new single-season records in batting average (.318), home runs (57), runs scored (384) and runs batted in (319). The .318 team batting average ranked fifth nationally and third in the Big 12 Conference as Baylor also finished in the top 10 in the nation in runs (5th, 5.91 per game), doubles per game (5th, 1.57), triples per game (5th, 0.4) and slugging percentage (8th, .52).

In 2004, Lumley and the Baylor hitters as the Lady Bears advanced to the NCAA Softball Championships for the first time in school history. Once again, Baylor finished the season third in the Big 12 Conference in batting average as two Lady Bears finished in the top five in the conference for average. Carrie Leerberg led the way for BU in 2004 with an average of .372 to finish second in the conference as Harmony Schwethelm was not far behind with an average of .355 to finish fifth in the conference in batting.

Once the season, Baylor established a new school record with 599 total bases as eight Baylor players established new school records in several hitting categories.

In 2003, the team records continued to fall under Lumley as Baylor established a school record with 27 home runs. The total was three more than the previous mark set in 2001, Lumley’s first season with the program.

BU finished third in the Big 12 in team batting average in 2003, tied for the highest the Lady Bears have finished in the league’s 10-year history. Kelly Osburn led the conference in on base percentage, Kim Wilmoth tied for the conference lead in triples and Caudle finished third in RBI.

The offensive success continued and increased in 2002 as Baylor established school records for RBI, doubles, triples, slugging percentage, walks, on base percentage, times reached base and stolen bases. Baylor also tied or broke 14 single-game team offensive records in 2002 as several individuals established single-game and single-season school records at the plate. In 2002, all three Baylor outfielders received postseason accolades: Sarah Caudle was named the Big 12 Conference all-tournament team, Kelly Levesque earned first-team All-Big 12 and second-team NFCA All-Midwest Region honors, and Nan Wilkins was also an all-region selection.

At the season’s end, Lumley was named a National Fastpitch Coaches Association of the Year by Scholastic Coach and Athletic Director magazine. Lumley was one of just 14 Division I coaches so honored, and he joined Lori Sippel from Nebraska as the only recipients from the Big 12 Conference.
Lumley’s influence on the Baylor program was felt immediately. In 2001, several Lady Bears saw drastic improvements in their offensive numbers. First-team All-Big 12 Conference selection Stacey Hundley raised her batting average 80 points, and Holly Fields raised her average by 37 points. Fields also smashed six home runs, matching her total for her first two seasons. During Lumley’s 12 years as outfield coach, nine Baylor outfielders earned NFCA all-region honors, including Schwethelm, who became only the second player in school history to be named NFCA All-America when she was named to the squad following the 2005 season. In two seasons at LSU, Lumley guided his hitters, known for their power and aggressiveness, to a final ranking of 21st in the NCAA in 1999 and No. 8 in 2000. The 2000 squad finished the season with a batting average of .310 and ranked 13th nationally in slugging percentage (.430) and 20th in scoring with 5.07 runs a game.

Lumley, a native of Tucson, Ariz., joined Moore at LSU after a 12-year stint at Flowing Wells High School in Tucson where he led the team to a No. 5 final national ranking by USA Today.

Lumley has received numerous honors for his coaching accomplishments. He was named the 1998 Arizona Coaches Association Coach of the Year, and the 1998 Arizona All-Star Game was dedicated to Lumley for his outstanding tenure as a high school coach. He was also named the 1993 and 1997 Coach of the Year by the Daily Star-Tucson Citizen.

A 1985 graduate of the University of Arizona, Lumley is a member of the National Fastpitch Coaches Association and the American Baseball Coaches Association.

Lumley married his wife, Stacey, on Dec. 28, 2012. The couple have three sons, Trey, Mason and D.J.

### ASSISTANT COACH BRITNI SNEED NEWMAN

Britni Sneed Newman is in her 14th season as Baylor’s pitching coach. She joined the Baylor staff in 2004 after spending one season as a student assistant at LSU.

Newman has developed some of the most prolific pitchers in Baylor history, several of which have been among the nation’s best. In 2013, Newman mentored senior ace Heather Stearns to the conclusion of her remarkable career at Baylor, while coaching up the next group of pitching talent for the program. Stearns topped the Big 12 in strikeouts in 2015, marking the second consecutive year that a BU pitcher led the league.

In 2014, she saw the book closed on the illustrious career of Whitney Canion who was a member of the BU softball program for six years due to two medical redshirts. Newman saw Canion leave BU with virtually every career pitching record available and helped guide Canion’s last season where she tied her own single-season wins total in 2014 with 31, and witnessed her becoming the first, first-team All-American in program history.

In 2013, Baylor’s pitching staff was third in the Big 12 in ERA at 2.76 under Sneed Newman’s leadership. She saw Canion earn first-team All-Big 12 honors and a second-team All-Central Region selection by the NFCA.

After the loss of Canion just 14 games into the 2012 season, Sneed Newman mentored a pitching staff that finished 22nd in the country with a 1.91 ERA behind the effort of Liz Paul (1.93) and Courtney Repka (1.97). Her coaching in conference play guided the staff to finish fourth in ERA in Big 12-only games and earning a trip to the NCAA Lafayette Regional. After winning the award three times as a student-athlete, Sneed Newman tutored her first All-American as a coach in 2011, as Canion earned second-team honors. Under Sneed Newman’s tutelage, Canion needed less than two seasons to become Baylor’s all-time strikeout leader, while also already ranking in the top-5 of nearly every pitching category. As a staff, the pitchers combined for a 1.52 ERA, third-lowest in program history. After helping take the Lady Bears to their second trip to the WCWS, Sneed Newman was part of a staff that was named to the 2011 NFCA Division I Central Region Coaching Staff of the Year for the third time.

In 2010, Sneed Newman lost Canion for the final two months of the season with an arm injury and tutored a staff of just one scholarship pitcher, true freshman Repka, who became the ninth player in school history to record at least 20 wins in a season.

Sneed Newman helped guide the freshman, Canion, to the greatest season in program history in 2009. Canion broke single-season records in innings pitched (291.1), strikeouts (415) and 10-plus strikeout games in a career (10). Under Sneed Newman’s tutelage, Canion became the first Baylor player to win Big 12 Freshman and Big 12 Pitcher of the Year. As part of a staff that led the Lady Bears to a regional title, she was named to the 2009 NFCA Division I Central Region Coaching Staff of the Year.

Sneed Newman, who was a member of the Baylor staff that was recognized as the 2007 NFCA Division I Midwest Region Coaching Staff of the Year, orchestrated a pitching staff that helped lead the Lady Bears to one of the greatest seasons in program history. Baylor finished with a 2.09 ERA as opponents hit just .216 against them.

Lisa Ferguson was the ace of Sneed Newman’s staff, compiling a 26-8 record and a 1.99 ERA while earning All-Big 12 honors. Under Sneed Newman’s guidance, Ferguson became Baylor’s career leader in appearances, wins, saves and one of only three players to record over 600 career strikeouts.

Facing the toughest schedule in school history, Baylor continued its success under Sneed Newman in 2006 as the Lady Bears finished fourth in the Big 12 Conference with a .231 batting average against and a 2.46 ERA. Once again, the bullpen was a strength for the Lady Bears as Baylor led the league with seven saves in 2006.

Ferguson led the way for Sneed Newman’s staff during the 2006 season, as the junior hurler posted 20 wins on the season and earned All-Big 12 and NFCA All-Midwest Region honors.

The success for the Baylor hurlers continued in 2005 as the pitching staff established a new school record for wins and helped Baylor claim its first regional title in school history. Once again, control was the focus of her pitching staff as Baylor led the Big 12 Conference in fewest walks per game with 1.45. In addition, Baylor led the league in saves for the second straight season, recording nine, as Tessa Lynm finished the year ranked 19th in the nation with four saves.

Sneed Newman’s first season (2004) at Baylor saw her guide the Lady Bear pitchers to one of the most impressive seasons for a BU pitching staff in school history. Under her guidance, the Baylor pitchers established several new school records on their way to qualifying for the NCAA Softball Championships for the first time in school history.

In 2004, her pitching staff earned numerous honors as Ferguson was named Big 12 Conference Pitcher of the Year following her no-hitter against Auburn, while Cristin Vitek was an all-conference selection as well as a finalist for USA Softball Player of the Year.

One of the greatest pitching performances in NCAA history came under Sneed Newman’s guidance as Vitek established new single-game NCAA, NCAA Tournament and Big 12 Conference records with 28 strike-
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The 2017 season will mark the fifth season for Courtney Cox as Baylor’s Director of Softball Operations and her eighth season working with the program. She was promoted to a full-time position following the 2014 season. Prior to her first season in 2013, she spent three years as a softball team manager.

Her main duties include handling a portion of the program’s business responsibilities, team travel, apparel and equipment. Cox also communicates with the Diamond Club, a Baylor Softball booster club, and she assists the Baylor staff with youth and coaching clinics throughout the year.

Cox graduated from Baylor in 2012 with a bachelor’s degree in health science studies and again in 2014 with a master’s degree in sport management.

Dani Price is entering her third season as the volunteer assistant coach at Baylor, marking her fourth year with the program. After spending a season as a student manager in 2014, Price was promoted to volunteer assistant for the 2015 season. Price will work primarily with outfielders in addition to other coaching duties.

Price was instrumental in coaching outfielder Jessie Scroggins to the All-Big 12 Defensive team as a freshman in 2015, and returns a trio of all-region outfielders, Scroggins, Lindsey Cargill, and Kyla Walker, for the 2017 season. Price will also be tasked with developing a new crop of freshman who will be expected to make immediate contributions.

A 2013 graduate of McNeese State, Price collected eight home runs and 89 RBI over four seasons as a player. She earned a spot on the Southland Conference Commissioner’s Honor Roll four times, was a 2010 All-Southland Conference honorable mention selection and was named to the 2010 Southland Conference All-Academic Team.

For her career, Sneed Newman was 120-25 with an ERA of 0.89. She tossed 106 complete games with 55 shutouts and six no-hitters. Sneed allowed just 489 hits and 184 walks in 976.1 career innings pitched. On Oct. 29, 2008, Sneed Newman was elected to the LSU Athletics Hall of Fame.

A native of Houston, Texas, Sneed Newman was a high school All-American at Cypress-Fair High School and was recently inducted into the school’s hall of fame. She holds SEC career records for wins, ERA, opponents’ batting average (.147), shutouts, strikeouts and strikeouts per seven innings (9.82).

The former Britni Sneed is married to Josh Newman and the couple have two sons, Bowen and Brooks.
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