

FACILITIES



The Cleveland State fencing team calls the Homer E. Woodling Gymnasium home for their intercollegiate contests. Located within the Physical Education Building, the gym seats 3,000 and has a banked running track. During the summer of 2007, the floor of the gymnasium was repainted to feature the new athletic marks and logos. A full service training room and a newly-built, fully-stocked weight room are located in the lower levels of the P.E. Building.

Woodling Gym has served as the host for numerous championships, including the 2006 and 2012 NCAA Midwest Fencing Regionals, the 2000, 2008, and 2012 Horizon League Volleyball Championships, the 1999 Horizon League Women's Basketball Championship and the 1999 and 2007 Eastern Wrestling League Championships.

HISTORY

Cleveland State offers an NCAA Division I men's and women's fencing program with a long and hallowed history. The program was started in the 1930s and has produced many athletes who are recognized at the national and international levels.

National Champion:
Carlo Songini (1979)

All-Americans:
Beth Eggleston (1995)
Ben Firth (1955)
Martin Koren (1999, 2000)
Vanessa Papiol (1997)
Paolo Roselli (1998, 1999)
Peter Rozsa (1977, 1978)
Carlo Songini (1978-1981)
Jennifer Webber (1992 Acd.)

Hall of Fame Inductees:
Robert Busbey (Coach)
Madison Dods (Coach)
John Szent Kiraly (Coach)
Beth Eggleston
Guy Pinter
Peter Rozsa
Carlo Songini

2012-13 FENCING SCHEDULE

Date	Event	Location	Time
11/13/12	Case Western Meet	Cleveland, Ohio	All Day
1/12/13	Detroit Duals	Detroit, Mich.	All Day
1/26/13	Cleveland State Meet	Cleveland, Ohio	All Day
1/27/13	John Szent Kiraly Memorial Open	Cleveland, Ohio	All Day
2/3/13	Northwestern Duals	Evanston, Ill.	All Day
2/23/13	Notre Dame Duals	South Bend, Ind.	All Day
	Midwest Conference Championships		
3/2/13		South Bend, Ind.	All Day
3/3/13		South Bend, Ind.	All Day
	NCAA Midwest Regional		
3/9/13		South Bend, Ind.	All Day
3/10/13		South Bend, Ind.	All Day
	NCAA Championships		
3/2013-3/24/13		San Antonio, TX	All Day

CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

QUICK FACTS

Address	2000 Prospect Ave Cleveland, Ohio 44114 Cleveland State - 1964 Fenn College - 1929
Founded	17,323
Enrollment	Dr. Ronald M. Berkman
President	John Parry
Athletic Director	Virnette House-Browning
Sr. Associate A.D./S.W.A.	Tom Tontimonia
Associate A.D./Operations	Christine Moeller
Assistant A.D.	Dr. Shelia Patterson
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COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Andy Tulleners
Women's Assistant Coach	Brooke Snyder
Assistant Coach	Nick Marion
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2012-13 MEN'S AND WOMEN'S FENCING





CLEVELAND STATE MEN'S FENCING ROSTER

Athlete	Year	Weapon	Hometown
Tom Bienvenu	Jr.	Saber	Falls Church, Va.
John Cuturic	Jr.	Foil	Westlake, Ohio
Paul Dochow	Fr.	Epee	Spokane, Wa.
Anton Griep	So.	Foil	Pittsford, NY
Paul Lenahan	So.	Saber	Rocky River, Ohio
Mike McDonald	Jr.	Saber	North Royalton, Ohio
Wesley Miller	So.	Saber	Annandale, Va.
Phelan Spence	So.	Foil	Covington, Ky.
Zach Wetzig	Fr.	Foil	Avon, Ohio
Salih Yasun	Jr.	Epee	Bursa, Turkey
Levi Young	So.	Epee	Bremen, Ind.

CLEVELAND STATE WOMEN'S FENCING ROSTER

Athlete	Year	Weapon	Hometown
Christine Bocci	So.	Saber	Sagamore Hills, Ohio
Amanda Brown	Sr.	Epee	Middleburg Heights, Ohio
Sudeshna Chakraborty	So.	Foil	Atlanta, Ga.
Emily Edgehouse	So.	Epee	Brook Park, Ohio
Maureen Forinash	Jr.	Foil	Ashtabula, Ohio
Caitlin Thompson	Fr.	Epee	Lakewood, Ohio



Twice under head coach Andy Tulleners (above, right), a CSU student-athlete has attended the NCAA Championships. In 2010, Liran Gross (above, left) participated in the foil event. The Vikings had nine fencers qualify for the NCAA Regionals (7 men, 2 women) in 2012.

2012-13 SEASON PREVIEW

The Cleveland State fencing team will combine a number of experienced athletes with 13 returners (nine men and three women), as well as four newcomers (two men and two women). The men's team returns four fencers who finished in the top 12 at the NCAA regionals last season. The women's squad returns three fencers who earned double digit wins last season, led by Christine Bocci with 26 wins on the year.

Phelan Spence

Foil • Sophomore • Covington, Ky.

- Went 81-34 during his freshman campaign
- Went 15-1 at conference championships to finish ninth
- Took 12th at the NCAA Midwest Regional

Wesley Miller

Saber • Sophomore • Annandale, Va.

- Finished in 11th place at the NCAA Midwest Region in 2012
- Went 17-3 in his first college meet at the Ohio State duals

Tim Bienvenu

Saber • Junior • Falls Church, Va.

- Placed 10th at the NCAA Midwest Regionals in the Saber group last season
- Finished season with a 64-33 individual record in 2012
- Went undefeated (11-0) at Army Duals and Vassar (3-0)

Levi Young

Epee • Sophomore • Bremen, Ind.

- Placed 12th at the NCAA Midwest Regionals in the Epee group last season
- Finished season with a 79-40 individual record in 2012
- Went 15-3 at the Conference Championships

To learn how you can become a Viking, contact:
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VIKING COACHING STAFF

Head Coach

Andy Tulleners 5th Season

Andy Tulleners is entering his fifth season as the head coach of the Cleveland State men's and women's fencing teams.

In 2008, nine Cleveland State fencers placed in the top-50 at the Midwest Conference Championships under his watch, along with eight placing in the top-20 at the NCAA Midwest Regional Qualifier.

In 2010, he coached Liran Gross to CSU's first appearance at the NCAA Championships in five years.

John Marshall qualified for the NCAA Championships in 2011 to set the standard in the program.

Last season nine Vikings qualified for the NCAA Midwest Regional - an event hosted by Tulleners and the program at Cleveland State.

In addition to his time at CSU, Tulleners has served as the head coach of the Cladera Club team in Chardon, Ohio, and club teams at Kent State and Lake Erie College.

In 2007-08, Tulleners was a member-at-large of the U.S. Fencing Association Northern Ohio Division.

He is a 1999 graduate of the University of Dayton.

Assistant Coaches

Brian Stone - 2nd Season

Stone fenced at Notre Dame and finished his college career with a top-four finish at the NCAA Championships.

He then coached two seasons at Notre Dame before coming to Cleveland and beginning his college coaching career.

After a year at CSU, he went to Case Western for a season before returning.

He has also spent five years at Hooked on Fencing and has since rejoined the Vikings staff.

Additionally, Stone coaches at his own fencing school: Two Ravens Fencing.

Brooke Snyder - 3rd Season

Snyder is in her third year as an assistant coach after a four-year career for the Vikings. While a student-athlete, she participated in the NCAA Regional Qualifiers three times. She brings four years of NCAA fencing experience with her as she assists in preparing the women's team for the season.

Nick Marion - 2nd Season

Nick, a rated official, competed collegiately at Ohio Northern in Ada, Ohio - a club program he helped start. Nick has also spent time at Point Taken Fencing Club before joining the Vikings in 2011-12.