

# THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

## WASHINGTON DC

### 2007 Volleyball

#### General

Location: Washington, D.C. 20052  
Founded: 1821  
Enrollment: 20,280  
Nickname: Colonials  
School colors: Buff & Blue  
Arena Name: Charles E. Smith Athletic Center  
Capacity: 5,000  
Affiliation: NCAA Division I  
Conference: Atlantic 10  
President: Steven Knapp  
*Alma Mater, Yr.: Yale '73*  
Athletics Director: Jack Kvancz  
*Alma Mater, Yr.: Boston College '68*  
Sr. Assoc. Athletics Director/SWA: Mary Jo Warner  
*Alma Mater, Yr.: Western Michigan '75*  
Athletic Dept. Phone: (202) 994-6650  
Ticket Office Phone: (202) 994-6050

#### History

First year of volleyball: 1975  
Overall all-time record: 722-440 (32nd season)  
Atlantic 10 Championships: 4 ('93, '94, '95, 2000)  
NCAA Tourn. appearances: 4 ('93, '94, '95, 2000)  
NCAA Tournament record: 3-4  
No. yrs. in NIVC/last: one / 1992  
NIVC record: 1-3  
Last post-season opponent: South Carolina-2000 NAAs  
Result: L, 13-15, 10-15, 3-15 at Lincoln, NE

#### Sports Information

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SID Mailing Address: GW Athletics Communications  
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Washington, D.C. 20052

#### Coaching Staff

Head Coach: **Jojit Coronel** (8th season)  
*Alma Mater, Year: UC, Santa Cruz '93*  
Coronel's e-mail: [jcoronel@gwu.edu](mailto:jcoronel@gwu.edu)  
Record at GW: 106-98 (.519) 7 years  
Career Record: 106-98 (.519) 7 years  
Atlantic 10 Record: 49-51 (.490) 7 years  
Assoc. Head Coach: Amy Bambenek (7th season)  
*Alma Mater, Year: Coastal Carolina '98*  
Bambenek's e-mail: [bambenek@gwu.edu](mailto:bambenek@gwu.edu)  
Volleyball Office phone: (202) 994-5879 / 6152  
Best time/day to reach coach: Mon.-Thur., mornings  
Assistant Coach: Melissa Markowski (2nd season)  
*Alma Mater, Year: Virginia Tech '06*  
Markowski's e-mail: [mmarkows@gwu.edu](mailto:mmarkows@gwu.edu)  
Student Managers: A.J. Bonetti, Ike Ukaegbu

#### Team Information

Starters Returning/Lost: 3 (incl. Libero)/4  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 12/4  
AVCA Region: Northeast  
AVCA District: I  
2006 record: 14-12 (8-3 home, 3-6 away, 3-3 neut.)  
Atlantic 10 record: 6-7 (3-3 home, 2-4 away)  
Rank: n/r

#### Last Time in A-10 Tournament: 2003

Result: lost to Dayton: 0-3

#### Athletic Training Information

Athletic Trainer (volleyball): Laura Koster  
Training Room Phone: (202) 994-5779



## **CoSIDA Sports Information Sheet: VOLLEYBALL 2007**

### **GEORGE WASHINGTON TEAM INFORMATION**

#### **Starters Returning (R) and Lost (L)**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Cl.</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Applicable Statistics</u>
(L) Kaimana Lee	5-10	Sr.	S	89 G, 51 K, .057 Pct., 936 Assts, 15 Aces, 239 Digs, 40 Blks
(R) Janine Brown	6-0	Sr.	OH	64 G, 218 K, .149 Pct., 191 Digs, 20 Aces, 23 Total Blocks
(L) Abba Greenleaf	6-2	Sr.	OPP	89 G, 236 K, .174 Pct., 19 Aces, 198 Digs, 61 Total Blocks
(L) Kelly Kabbes	6-1	Sr.	MH	93 G, 185 K, .320 Pct., 19 Digs, 85 Total Blocks
(L) Juliene McLaughlin	5-10	Sr.	OH	94 G, 323 K, .166 Pct., 24 Aces, 358 Digs, 31 Total Blocks <i>2006 Atlantic 10 All-Conference Honorable Mention</i>
(R) Maggie Wright	5-4	Jr.	Libero	94 G, 372 Digs, 13 Aces <i>2006 Atlantic 10 Academic All-Conference Team</i>
(R) Abby Syverson	6-2	So.	MH	94 G, 171 K, .279 Pct., 37 Aces, 46 Digs, 64 Total Blocks <i>2006 Atlantic 10 All-Rookie Team</i>

#### **Other Key Returnees**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Cl.</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Stats</u>
Jessica Buche	5-11	Sr.	S	30 G, 16 K, .343 Pct., 84 Assists, 7 Total Blocks
Liz Moulton	6-0	Jr.	OH	43 G, 87 K, .170 Pct., 5 Aces, 72 Digs, 12 Total Blocks
Stephanie Sharp	6-0	So.	OH	65 G, 12 Aces, 6 Total Blocks
Katie Butz	6-1	So.	OPP	56 G, 27 K, .230 Pct., 15 Total Blocks

#### **Other Key Losses**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Cl.</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Stats</u>
none				

#### **Key Newcomers**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Cl.</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Hometown/High School</u>
Leah Hill	5-9	Fr.	OH	Ontario, NY/Wayne Central
Hannah Stuart	6-2	Fr.	OH	Bainbridge Island, WA/Bainbridge Island
Katie Zulantz	6-2	Fr.	MB	Chardon, OH/Beaumont

**All-Conference Candidates:** Janine Brown, Abby Syverson

#### **Notes/Clarifications:**

- 2007 team captain is senior Janine Brown.
- Reserve Jackie Yaniga is also a standout outfielder and career home run leader on the GW Softball team.
- GW Volleyball posted a perfect Academic Progress Rate (APR) score of 1,000 as released by the NCAA on May 2.