



# **ND** Coaching

# Staff

**Martin Stone was named BIG EAST Coach of the Year in 2004. Hired in 1997 as head coach when women's rowing became a varsity sport, he has steadily built a nationally-recognized program at Notre Dame.**

When he was named the head coach in October of 1997, Irish head coach Martin Stone had one simple objective — to build a national-caliber program at Notre Dame. In six seasons of competition, few could argue that Stone has the Irish headed in that direction.

The 2003-04 campaign was the culmination of Stone and his coaching staff's hard work and dedication as the Irish completed the most successful season in the program's young history. Following three consecutive second-place finishes, Notre Dame copped its first-ever team title at the BIG EAST Rowing Challenge by winning four of five race titles, tying the conference record for individual crowns. The varsity eight, second varsity eight, varsity four and second varsity four crews were all victorious. Notre Dame's final 116-point total was the second-highest in the history of the event.

The Irish varsity eight crew made an appearance in the NCAA Championships for the second time in school history and earned an 11th-place finish. Notre Dame also finished 16th in the final US Rowing/ Collegiate Rowing Coaches Association. The development of rowers has been the cornerstone to the program's success. The '03-'04 campaign saw Natalie Ladine earn first-team CRCA All-America honors as she became the second rower in school history to earn All-America accolades. Ladine and Alice Bartek garnered all-Central Region honors as well, while three individuals — Katie Chenoweth, Jacqueline Hazen and Ladine — were recipients of the CRCA Scholar-Athlete Award.

Highly respected for the success that he has experienced at both Notre Dame and Navy, Stone's accomplishments both on the waters and in the classroom have included:

- Guiding Notre Dame's varsity eight boats to appearances in the NCAA Championships in both 2002 and '04, earning 16th- and 11th-place finishes, respectively.
- Helping the Irish to the '04 BIG EAST Rowing Challenge team following a record four boats winning race titles after three previous runner-up finishes.
- Coaching the Irish to three gold medals at the 2003 BIG EAST Rowing Challenge, as well as their first gold at the Central Regions (second varsity four).
- Earning CRCA Central Region Coach of the Year honors in 2002 and becoming one of six finalists for national coach-of-the-year accolades.

### The Stone File

- **Hire Date:** Oct. 29, 1997
- **Birthdate:** March 25, 1966
- **Education:** Bachelor of Arts from Saint Mary's (Calif.) '89
- **Marital Status:** Married, wife Amy
- **Children:** Two sons - Jack (born March 1999) and Noah (born February 2005)



## Martin Stone

Head Coach

Eighth Season

St. Mary's (Calif.) '89



- Coaching two All-Americans — Natalie Ladine (first team in 2004) and Ashlee Warren (second team in 2002) and 11 all-region selections, including four in 2002.
- Mentoring 19 rowers to CRCA National Scholar-Athlete honors, including six in 2002, while his teams have posted a 3.2 grade point average or higher all 15 semesters of the program's existence.
- Achieving a national ranking in the program's first year of competition in the lightweight eight and following that with a mark as high as ninth in the country with the varsity eight in 2002.

The success of the program over the past three years has also aided Stone's recruiting efforts. Notre Dame's current seven-member freshman class is regarded as one of the top classes in the country and is led by freshman Amanda Polk, a member of the United States Rowing Junior National Team that competed at the '04 FISA Senior and Junior World Rowing Championships in Banyoles, Spain in August.

Consistency has been the hallmark of the Notre Dame rowing program under Stone. Although the Irish did not advance to the NCAA Championships in '03, there were still many firsts in the program as the second varsity four

won its first-ever gold medal at the Central Regional Championships. Notre Dame also won three gold medals (the most up to that point) at the BIG EAST regatta as the Irish won the second varsity eight, the varsity four and the second varsity four. Notre Dame defeated top teams such as Michigan, Iowa, Tennessee and Clemson throughout the season and finished just out of the top 20.

Warren and Ladine earned CRCA all-Central Region accolades while Warren (a two-time winner), Cassie Markstahler (a two-time winner) and Chenoweth were named to the CRCA National Scholar-Athlete team. Warren also became the first rower in Irish history to win the BIG EAST/Aéropostale Female Scholar-Athlete of the Year and was a semifinalist for an NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship.

In 2001-02, Stone led the Irish to their best year ever as the team finished ranked 13th in the nation, after being ranked as high as ninth at one point in the season. The Irish also earned their first-ever invitation to the national regatta, placing 16th at the NCAA Rowing Championships in the varsity eight.

That season, the Irish boasted a program-high four all-Central Region honorees. Warren also became the first rower at Notre Dame lore



## Coaching Highlights for Martin Stone

**1992** – Stone directed the Navy varsity eight to its first gold medal at the Dad Vail Regatta (largest crew regatta on the East Coast) ... The Mids captured the Seitz Trophy for overall team performance at the Dad Vail for the sixth consecutive year.

**1993** – Stone's crews swept all varsity and novice races at the Patriot League championships ... Navy's first novice boat took first at the Champion International Collegiate Rowing Regatta.

**1994** – Stone led Navy as the varsity eight won the title, as well as the first and second novice boats finishing first ... The Mids also captured the Anita DeFrantz Trophy for overall performance by a women's crew team at the Champion International Regatta.

**1995** – The Navy varsity eight and second varsity eight were fifth and second, respectively, at the Champion International Collegiate Regatta.

**1997** – Stone was named head rowing coach at the University of Notre Dame.

**1999** – Notre Dame completed its first year of varsity competition as the lightweight eight boat finished the year ranked 12th in the nation.

**2001** – Notre Dame achieved its first national ranking, closing out the season 16th, and just missed the 2001 NCAA Championships after a fifth-place finish at the Central Regions, its highest in history.

**2002** – Notre Dame's varsity eight receives an invitation to the 2002 NCAA Rowing Championships in Indianapolis ... The Irish placed 16th at the NCAAs and finished the season ranked 13th as a team. Notre Dame also had its first All-American in Ashlee Warren, while four women earned CRCA All-Region honors and six women were named CRCA National Scholar-Athletes ... Stone also was named one of six finalists for CRCA National Coach of the Year.

**2003** – Stone led Notre Dame to its first-ever gold medal at the Central Regions (second varsity four) and three gold medals at the 2003 BIG EAST Rowing Challenge (second varsity eight, varsity four, second varsity four) ... Notre Dame also competed at the Windermere Cup in Seattle in front of 100,000 people.

**2004** – Notre Dame wins a record four race titles to capture its first-ever BIG EAST Rowing Challenge ... The Irish varsity eight crew earns an at-large berth into the NCAA Championships for the second time as it finishes 11th overall ... Natalie Ladine earns CRCA first-team All-America honors and was an all-Central Region honoree along with teammate Alice Bartek.

to earn All-America honors when she was named to the second team.

In the classroom, Notre Dame broke a number of records as six women were named to the CRCA National Scholar-Athlete roster. Twenty-five student-athletes earned BIG EAST Academic All-Star honors. For his efforts in 2002, Stone was named one of six finalists for CRCA national coach-of-the-year honors.

The Irish finished the 2000-01 season ranked 16th nationally. The varsity eight took fifth and the second varsity eight sixth at the 2001 Central Regions, while the second varsity four was fourth in its final, and the varsity four won the petite title at the same event.

Other highlights of the '01 campaign included the varsity eight winning the Head of the Elk, its first such victory in a regatta of that magnitude, and five other races during the spring. The Irish received an invitation and placed sixth in the Jessop-Whittier Cup at the prestigious San Diego Crew Classic.

Stone also coached Warren and Michelle Olsgard to CRCA all-region honors in '01, while Warren, Katherine Burnett, Ann Marie Dillhoff and Becky Luckett won CRCA National Scholar-Athlete accolades. Warren and Luckett also became the first Notre Dame rowers named to the US Rowing Collegiate Honor Roll, while Leah Ashe became the first Irish rower to earn Verizon Academic All-America honors when she was named to the second team. The Irish also had 24 rowers make the BIG EAST Academic All-Star team.

Stone's second season saw dramatic improvement from his squad that boasted the talents of Katrina Ten Eyck, one of the top rowers in the nation. Ten Eyck, who garnered CRCA

all-region honors, was invited to train at the United States Olympic Training Center.

In 1998-99, Stone sent the program off to a rousing start and quickly put Notre Dame on the map as he led the lightweight eight vessel to a No. 12 national ranking.

Before his arrival at Notre Dame, Stone spent five years as the women's rowing coach at the United States Naval Academy, where he began his coaching career. began his head coaching career as the women's rowing coach at the United States Naval Academy, serving for five years.

In 1994, Stone coached the Mids to a varsity eight title at the Champion International Collegiate Rowing Championships. Navy not only earned the title, but also was awarded the prestigious Anita DeFrantz Trophy for overall performance by women's crews at the Champion International Regatta.

Two years prior in 1992, Stone directed the Mids' varsity eight to its first gold medal at the Dad Vail Regatta, the East Coast's largest crew regatta. The second varsity eight also won a gold medal at the Dad Vail with the team winning the Seitz Trophy for overall team performance by women's crews.

The next season, Navy swept all of the races at the Patriot League Championships. The first novice boat also achieved success for Stone in 1993, by placing first at the Champion International Collegiate Regatta.

Stone's fifth year and final year at the helm of the Navy crew program marked a new era for the program. The Midshipmen joined the prestigious Eastern Association of Women's Rowing Colleges (EAWRC), which includes schools such as Brown, Princeton and Virginia. In the team's first season in the EAWRC, the first varsity placed third in the third-level finals, while the second varsity won the third-level finals at the EAWRC Championships.

Prior to taking over Navy's women's program, Stone served as the Mids plebe lightweight coach in 1991. He also was an assistant rowing coach at his alma mater, Saint Mary's College in Moraga, Calif., in 1990, working with both the men's and women's programs and more specifically, with the varsity and novice women.

Stone began his rowing career at Saint Mary's College as an undergraduate. With the Gaels, he was named the most valuable oarsman three years and went on to earn three letters, two in the heavy-weight boat and one in the lightweight boat.

Born March 25, 1966, Stone graduated from Saint Mary's with a Bachelor of Arts degree in an integral major. He and his wife, Amy, are the parents of two sons — Jack and Noah.



The Stone Family – Martin, Amy, Jack and Noah.



Pam Mork is in her sixth year as an assistant rowing coach at Notre Dame, working primarily with the development of the Irish novice program and assisting head coach Martin Stone with the varsity team recruiting.

Mork has been instrumental in the overall success of the Irish program. In 2003, she was named Central Region Assistant Coach of the Year by the Collegiate Rowing Coaches Association (CRCA) and was one of six finalists for the national award.

The native of Mukwonago, Wis., has been a key part of the development of many Irish rowers. Under the guidance and tutelage of Stone and Mork, two rowers — Ashlee Warren and Natalie Ladine — have earned All-America honors. Warren was a second-team honoree in 2002, while Ladine was a first-team selection in 2004. Warren, who came to Notre Dame having never rowed prior to her freshman year, earned all-Central Region honors in her final three seasons with the Irish and All-America honors after her junior year. Ladine also was a three-time all-regional honoree before becoming the program's second All-American and first first-team selection.

She also had a hand in developing former Irish rowers Michelle Olsgard and Katherine Burnett, who spent their freshman seasons on the novice roster and became all-region recipients by the end of their careers.

Under Mork, the novice program has flourished. In 2004, Notre Dame's novice eight boat finished third in the grand final at the BIG EAST Rowing Challenge as the Irish earned the team title and was sixth at the Central/South Sprints. In addition, the novice four crew was victorious at the BIG EAST.

In '03, Mork led the Irish to a ninth-place finish in the novice eight at the Central/South Sprints and a third-place finish in the second novice eight at the BIG EAST Rowing Challenge. The Irish novice crews also had wins over Iowa, Michigan State, Tennessee and Dayton in head-to-head competition and the first novice eight was victorious at the Indiana Classic.

The development of the novice program under Mork has had a huge impact on the overall success of the entire program.



**Pam  
Mork**

*Assistant Coach*

*Sixth Season*

*Wisconsin '94*



Since its first season of varsity competition in 1999, Notre Dame's varsity eight boats have qualified for NCAA at-large berths on two occasions — in 2002 and '04, finishing 16th and 11th, respectively. In '02 as the first novice eight was third at the Central Sprints, becoming the first Notre Dame boat to ever medal at that regatta. The novice eight was also second to nationally-ranked Syracuse at the '02 BIG EAST Rowing Challenge, while the second novice eight was runners-up to Boston College. The first and second novice eights also defeated Tennessee to start the '02 spring season.

In 2000-01, the first novice eight crew won five of seven races and was second at the BIG EAST Rowing Challenge, while the second novice eight won all four races it competed in during the '00-'01 season.

"Pam Mork has been critical in the success of the Notre Dame rowing program," says head coach Martin Stone. "She is an excellent teacher and mentor to the women in our program and also an excellent representative for the sport of rowing. She is building the foundation of Notre Dame rowing in her work with the novice crews. Without Pam, our program would not be as successful as it is today."

Before arriving at Notre Dame, Mork served as assistant women's rowing coach

at the University of North Carolina for two years. Mork was a key contributor in starting the women's varsity rowing program at the Chapel Hill, N.C., institution.

During the 1998 and 1999 campaigns, she coached the novice squad, assisted with recruiting and fundraising and coordinated and managed all aspects of the Tar Heels program. In '98, the Tar Heels novice eight boat finished undefeated in dual-meet competition.

Mork, who brings a wealth of experience as a rower and coach to Notre Dame, received her bachelor's degree in applied economics from the University of Wisconsin. A four-year letterwinner and member of the women's rowing team, she rowed stroke for the varsity eight boat that finished in the top six nationally throughout her career and won the Head of the Charles race on one occasion.

In 1993, Mork participated in a developmental camp with the Vesper Boat Club in Philadelphia, Pa., and the following year trained with national coach Igor Grinko at Occoquan, Va.

Following her graduation from Wisconsin in 1994, she spent two years (1996-97) as a graduate assistant coach at Purdue University where she coached the women's novice team and performed other day-to-day operations associated with the program.





**Joe Schlosberg**

*Assistant Coach*

*Fourth Season*

*Northwestern '00*

Joe Scholsberg is in his fourth season as an assistant rowing coach at Notre Dame. In his role, he is responsible for alumni relations and equipment management. Scholsberg also assists in coaching the varsity program and coxswains and works primarily with the varsity four crews.

Scholsberg has had a great impact working with the varsity four program. During the past two seasons, Notre Dame's varsity four boats have experienced great success. In 2004, the varsity four and second varsity four crews copped gold medals at the BIG EAST Rowing Challenge in leading the Irish to their first-ever team title. The victory for the varsity four boat marked the third straight year that the varsity four boat earned the gold medal. The Irish claimed four victories on the day, tying the championship record for most individual titles. In addition, the varsity four boat finished fifth at the Central/South Regional, while the varsity boat earned an at-large berth for the second time in school history and finished 11th overall.

In 2003, the second varsity four took home the gold medal, marking the first time in Notre Dame history an Irish boat placed first in the regional regatta. That same year, at the BIG EAST Challenge, the first and second varsity fours took first



place as three boats won medals on the day. Notre Dame also claimed the gold medal in the varsity four race at the 2002 conference championship.

In '02, Notre Dame experienced its best season to date as the varsity eight qualified for its first NCAA appearance and achieved its first top-10 ranking in school

history. The Irish placed 16th at the NCAA regatta, and as a team, finished the season ranked 13th in the country. The varsity fours placed first and fifth at the '02 BIG EAST Rowing Challenge, capturing the Irish's first BIG EAST victory in any event at the conference regatta.

"Joe is a definite asset to our program. He has a tremendous background in engineering, which helps us in preparing the boats on a daily basis. He also took the initiative to train with some of the nation's best rowing coaches and has brought new drills and ideas to our team. Much of our success in the fours is because of Joe. He is invaluable to us," head coach Martin Stone says.

Schlosberg came to Notre Dame after serving as an assistant rowing coach at Northwestern in 2000-01. With the Wildcats, Schlosberg worked with the men's novice team and assisted with the men's and women's varsity squads, teaching the fundamentals of rowing and designing workout programs. He also was responsible for all of the rowing equipment.

A native of New Jersey, Schlosberg worked with some of the elite collegiate rowing coaches during the summers of '01 and '02 at the Northeast Rowing Center in Maine.

A 2000 graduate of Northwestern with a degree in mechanical engineering, Schlosberg competed for the Wildcats' crew team from 1996-2000. He was captain in 1998-99 as his team won the Midwest Sprints and the Big Ten Sprint Championship in 1998. Schlosberg was an executive board member of the rowing team from 1998-2000, as well as the team's marketing assistant and equipment manager.

In addition to his coaching responsibilities at Northwestern, Schlosberg worked as a project engineer at ITW Buildex in

Itasca, Ill. While at ITW Buildex, he led a multimillion-dollar product upgrade focusing on a new dimensional profile for the company. He has also worked as a graphics specialist at Exxon Research and Engineering in Clinton, N.J.



**Jody Sadler**  
Assistant Athletic  
Director/Rowing  
Administrator



Jody Sadler is in her fourth year as an assistant athletics director for employee services. In her role, she is responsible for all employee-related matters including staff recruiting and orientation, conflict resolution, career counseling and professional development. She serves as the liaison with the University's Department of Human Resources and General Counsel's Office on policy and personnel issues and is the administrator for the rowing program.

Sadler graduated from Notre Dame in 1992 with a bachelor's degree in marketing. After graduation, she worked for Advanced Drainage Systems in Columbus, Ohio, as a corporate/international accounts representative from 1992-94. She then took a job with the *South Bend Tribune* as a human resources assistant from 1994-95.

From 1995-99, Sadler worked for Quality Dining, Inc., in Mishawaka as a human resources generalist before going to the NCAA in 1999 as a human resources coordinator.

Sadler has worked in all capacities of the human resource profession including staffing, training, compensation analysis, policy and procedure development, succession planning, employee counseling and career development.

She is married to Les Sadler formerly of Rushville, Ind. Her father, Tony Yelovich, is the assistant athletics director for game management.

**Jaime Scollon**  
Athletic Trainer  
Temple '00



Scollon is in her third year with the Notre Dame athletic training staff and enters her first season working with the rowing program. In addition, she also works with the women's soccer program.

Scollon came to Notre Dame after serving as a graduate assistant athletic trainer at the University of Arizona, where she worked with the women's gymnastics and football programs. She also was a member of the committee that formed the department policy for eating disorders and earned her master's degree in educational psychology, with an emphasis in physical education, in 2002.

Before studying at Arizona, Scollon was a student athletic trainer at Temple, working with track and field, football, men's gymnastics and in general training room duties. She earned a bachelor's degree in kinesiology, with a concentration in athletic training, in 2000.

Scollon was a volunteer athletic trainer with Mobile Sports Medicine for the '02 Tucson Rodeo. She also served as spots medicine director of a number of different summer camps.

While at Temple and Arizona, Scollon was Dean's List honoree and member of the Golden Key National Honor Society. She was a presenter at the 2002 National Athletic Trainers Association Annual Meeting and Clinical Symposium and is a member of the NATA.

Born Aug. 6, 1976, she is married to Jim Scollon.

**Zach Goodrich**  
Senior Manager



Zach Goodrich is in his second year as a manager for the Irish rowing team. He assists the coaching staff in all aspects of the day-to-day operation of the program. His primary responsibilities centers around making all travel arrangements, issuing and maintaining equipment, budgeting of expenses and statistical analysis throughout the season.

A native of Williamsport, Pa., he has been part of the Notre Dame manager program since his freshman year and spent the fall of 2003 working with the Irish football team. A senior in the College of Science, he will graduate in May of 2005 with a degree in biology. Goodrich will attend the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine beginning in the fall of '05.

**Maureen Barrett**  
Junior Manager



Maureen Barrett is in her first year working with the Irish rowing program. She has a member of the Notre Dame manager program since her freshman year. This past fall, she was a junior manager working primarily with the football team.

A native of Clarendon Hills, Ill., she is a junior at Saint Mary's College and will receive degree in psychology in May of 2006.

**Beth Franzosa**  
Senior Manager



Beth Franzosa is in her second year as a manager with the Irish rowing program. As a freshman and sophomore she was a member of the Notre Dame rowing team.

A senior from Cincinnati, Ohio, she is enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters and will graduate in May of 2005 with a degree in English and minor in secondary education. Following graduation, she would like to pursue a career in teaching and ministry work.

**Additional  
Rowing  
Support  
Staff**



**Doreen Secor**  
Administrative  
Assistant



**Colleen Fitzgerald**  
Academic  
Services



**Holly Franz**  
Strength &  
Conditioning

