

# NOTRE DAME HISTORY & RECORDS



*Wendy Crabtree ('96) was the first Notre Dame player to break into the top 10 in the national rankings in both singles and doubles, as well as the first Irish competitor to be an All-American in singles and doubles.*





**Kathy Cordes**  
1976  
6-3-1 (.650)



**Sharon Petro**  
1977-78, '80-85  
114-45 (.717)



**Jory Segal**  
1979  
9-1 (.900)



**Michele Gelfman**  
1985-89  
68-40 (.630)



**Jay Louderback**  
1989-present  
309-148 (.676)

### Notre Dame in the ITA National Rankings

**First Ranking:** 25th, Preseason 1990-91  
**First Final Ranking:** 23rd, 1990-91  
**Highest Ranking:** 2nd, Mar. 7, 2006  
**Highest Final Ranking:** 5th, 2005-06  
**Highest Preseason Ranking:** 4th, 2006-07  
**Times Ranked Below 30th:** 2 (March 26, 2003 – 47th; April 5, 2005 - 31st)  
**Seasons in ITA Top 25:** 16 in a row: 1990-91 – 2005-06  
**Seasons in ITA Top 20:** 14 in a row: 1992-93 – 2005-06  
**Seasons in ITA Top 15:** 11: 1993-94 – 2002-03, 2005-06  
**Seasons in ITA Top 10:** 5: 1995-96, '96-97, '98-99, 2000-01, 2005-06  
**Seasons in Preseason ITA Rankings:** 14 in a row: 1990-91/25th, 1991-92/25th, 1992-93/20th, 1993-94/18th, 1994-95/13th, 1995-96/18th, 1996-97/8th, 1997-98/16th, 1998-99/16th, 1999-2000/18th, 2000-01/13th, 2001-02/14th, 2002-03/22nd, 2003-04/21st, 2004-05/21st, 2005-06/22nd

**Seasons in Final ITA Rankings:** 13: 1990-91/23rd, 1992-93/19th, 1993-94/15th, 1994-95/28th, 1995-96/6th, 1996-97/21st, 1997-98/19th, 1998-99/15th, 1999-2000/13th, 2000-01/10th, 2001-02/23rd, 2002-03/21st, 2003-04/27th; 2004-05/24th, 2005-06/5th  
**Most Consecutive Weeks in ITA Rankings:** 221 (current), Preseason 1992-93 to final 2005-06  
**Most Consecutive Weeks in ITA Top 25:** 125, Preseason 1995-96 to March 12, 2003

**Note:** The ITA rankings featured 25 teams until they were expanded to 50 teams for the 1992-93 season. Since 1996-97, the ITA rankings have included 75 teams.

Year	Coach	Captain(s)	W	L	Pct.	Rank	Conference	NCAA Tournament
1976 (fall only)	Kathy Cordes	Jane Lammers	6	3*	.650	—	—	—
1977 (fall only)	Sharon Petro	Diane Shillingburgh	5	5	.500	—	—	—
1978 (fall only)	Sharon Petro	Jean Barton, Anne Kelley	7	3	.700	—	—	—
1979 (fall only)	Jory Segal	Paddy Mullen	9	1	.900	—	—	22nd
1980-81	Sharon Petro	Sheila Cronin	20	6	.769	—	—	20th
1981-82	Sharon Petro	Carol Shukis, Tina Stephan	13	10	.565	—	—	T-6th
1982-83	Sharon Petro	Camille Cooper	19	11	.633	—	—	3rd
1983-84	Sharon Petro	Pam Fischette	25	5	.833	—	Champions	3rd
1984-85	Sharon Petro	Lisa LaFratta, Laura Lee	25	5	.833	—	Champions	2nd
1985-86	Michele Gelfman	JoAnne Biafore, Susie Panther	28	6	.824	—	Champions	—
1986-87	Michele Gelfman	Michelle Dasso, Tammy Schmidt	10	14	.417	—	Champions	—
1987-88	Michele Gelfman	Michelle Dasso	12	14	.462	—	Champions	—
1988-89	Michele Gelfman	Alice Lohrer	16	6	.727	—	Champions	—
1989-90	Jay Louderback	Alice Lohrer	17	8	.680	—	Champions	—
1990-91	Jay Louderback	Kim Pacella	16	9	.640	23rd	Champions	—
1991-92	Jay Louderback	Tracy Barton	11	10	.686	—	Champions	—
1992-93	Jay Louderback	Eniko Bende	18	8	.692	19th	Champions	Round of 16
1993-94	Jay Louderback	Christy Faustmann	17	9	.654	15th	Champions	Round of 16
1994-95	Jay Louderback	Laura Schwab	14	10	.583	28th	Champions	—
1995-96	Jay Louderback	Wendy Crabtree	23	7	.767	6th	Champions	Quarterfinals
1996-97	Jay Louderback	Erin Gowen	18	11	.621	21st	Champions	Regional Semifinals
1997-98	Jay Louderback	Kelley Olson	20	10	.667	19th	Runners-up	Regional Finals
1998-99	Jay Louderback	Jennifer Hall	23	7	.767	15th	Champions	Second Round
1999-2000	Jay Louderback	Kelly Zalinski	23	7	.767	13th	Runners-up	Round of 16
2000-01	Jay Louderback	Michelle Dasso	25	5	.833	10th	Champions	Round of 16
2001-02	Jay Louderback	Becky Varnum	14	14	.500	23rd	Runners-up	First Round
2002-03	Jay Louderback	Katie Cunha	16	9	.640	21st	Champions	Second Round
2003-04	Jay Louderback	Caylan Leslie, Alicia Salas	12	12	.500	27th	Runners-up	Second Round
2004-05	Jay Louderback	Sarah Jane Connelly	15	10	.600	24th	Champions	Second Round
2005-06	Jay Louderback	Lauren Connelly	27	2	.931	5th	Champions	Quarterfinals
<b>30-Year Totals</b>			<b>506</b>	<b>237*</b>	<b>.681</b>		<b>19 titles</b>	<b>13 Div. I appearances</b>

**Notes:** Notre Dame competed in the North Star Conference from 1983-84 to 1987-88, the Midwestern Collegiate Conference from 1988-89 to 1994-95, and in the BIG EAST Conference from 1995-96 to present. The Irish were a Division III program until attaining Division II status in 1981-82 and then moving up to Division I in 1985-86.  
 \* includes one tie

### Notre Dame Individual Ranking Summary

Name	Class	Singles		Doubles	
		High	Hi Final	Hi	Hi Final
Michelle Dasso	'01	2nd ('00-01)	5th ('01)	5th ('00-01)	9th ('01)
Jennifer Hall	'99	6th ('96-97)	9th ('96)	6th ('98-99)	10th ('99)
Wendy Crabtree	'96	6th ('95-96)	15th ('94)	9th ('95-96)	13th ('94)
Melissa Harris	'92	7th ('91-92)	22nd ('92)	-	-
Alicia Salas	'04	10th ('03-04)	22nd ('04)	36th ('03-04)	59th ('03)
<b>Catrina Thompson</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>24th (1/10/06)</b>	<b>30th ('06)</b>	<b>1st (twice)</b>	<b>5th ('05)</b>
Marisa Velasco	'99	25th ('95-96)	73rd ('98)	-	-
Caylan Leslie	Sr.	26th ('03-04)	40th ('03)	-	-
<b>Christian Thompson</b>	<b>Sr.</b>	<b>32nd (2/22/06)</b>	<b>125th ('06)</b>	<b>1st (twice)</b>	<b>5th ('05)</b>
Tracy Barton	'91	34th ('90-91)	34th ('91)	9th ('88-89)	20th ('89)
Lisa Tholen	'94	36th ('92-93)	-	11th ('93-94)	13th ('94)
CeCe Cahill	'89	37th ('88-89)	48th ('88)	9th ('88-89)	20th ('89)
Holyn Lord	'96	39th ('94-95)	50th ('94)	9th ('95-96)	24th ('95)
Becky Varnum	'02	40th ('98-99)	73rd ('01)	5th ('00-01)	9th ('01)
<b>Brook Buck</b>	<b>Jr.</b>	<b>54th (3/8/05)</b>	<b>83rd ('05)</b>	<b>29th (3/21/06)</b>	-
Nina Vaughan	'02	61st ('01-02)	89th ('01)	37th ('98-99)	-
Laura Schwab	'95	77th ('94-95)	-	-	-
Kelly Zalinski	'00	81st ('97-98)	-	37th ('98-99)	-
Christy Faustmann	'94	89th ('92-93)	-	17th ('92-93)	24th ('91)
Tiffany Gates	'98	94th ('96-97)	-	7th ('96-97)	14th ('98)
<b>Keley Tefft</b>	<b>So.</b>	<b>110th (3/21/06)</b>	-	<b>29th (3/21/06)</b>	-
Katie Cunha	'03	-	-	14th ('00-01)	39th ('00)
Kimberly Guy	'01	-	-	14th ('00-01)	39th ('00)
Lindsey Green	'02	-	-	23rd ('01-02)	40th ('02)
Erin Gowen	'97	-	-	23rd ('96-97)	23rd ('97)
Kristina Stastny	'06	-	-	27th ('02-03)	43rd ('03)
Lauren Connelly	'06	-	-	36th ('03-04)	59th ('03)
Sarah Jane Connelly	'05	-	-	43rd ('03-04)	-

### Notre Dame Doubles Team Ranking Summary

Names	High	Hi Final
<b>Catrina Thompson (Sr.)/Christian Thompson (Sr.)</b>	<b>1st (twice)</b>	<b>5th ('05)</b>
Michelle Dasso ('01)/Becky Varnum ('02)	5th ('00-01)	9th ('01)
Michelle Dasso ('01)/Jennifer Hall ('99)	6th ('98-99)	10th ('99)
Tiffany Gates ('98)/Jennifer Hall ('99)	7th ('96-97)	14th ('98)
Wendy Crabtree ('96)/Holyn Lord ('96)	9th ('95-96)	24th ('95)
Tracy Barton ('91)/CeCe Cahill ('89)	9th ('88-89)	20th ('89)
Wendy Crabtree ('96)/Lisa Tholen ('94)	11th ('93-94)	13th ('94)
Katie Cunha ('03)/Kimberly Guy ('01)	14th ('00-01)	39th ('00)
Christy Faustmann ('94)/Lisa Tholen ('94)	17th ('92-93)	36th ('92)
Tracy Barton ('91)/Christy Faustmann ('94)	21st ('90-91)	24th ('91)
Lindsey Green ('02)/Becky Varnum ('02)	23rd ('01-02)	40th ('02)
Katie Cunha ('03)/Michelle Dasso ('01)	23rd ('99-00)	-
Erin Gowen ('97)/Jennifer Hall ('99)	23rd ('96-97)	23rd ('97)
Katie Cunha ('03)/Kristina Stastny ('06)	27th ('02-03)	43rd ('03)
<b>Brook Buck (Jr.)/Keley Tefft (So.)</b>	<b>29th (3/21/06)</b>	<b>-</b>
Lauren Connelly ('06)/Alicia Salas ('04)	36th ('03-04)	59th ('03)
Nina Vaughan ('02)/Kelly Zalinski ('00)	37th ('98-99)	-
Sarah Jane Connelly ('05)/Kristina Stastny ('06)	43rd ('03-04)	-
Lauren Connelly ('06)/Kristina Stastny ('06)	45th (1/10/06)	-
Sarah Jane Connelly ('05)/Katie Cunha ('03)	53rd ('01-02)	-
Katie Cunha ('03)/Lindsey Green ('02)	54th ('01-02)	-
<b>Brook Buck (Jr.)/Lauren Connelly ('06)</b>	<b>59th (4/19/05)</b>	<b>-</b>

Current players in **bold**.

**Highest singles ranking for a Notre Dame player:** Michelle Dasso, 2nd (2/14/01)

**Highest doubles ranking for a Notre Dame team:** Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson, 1st (2/22/05, 1/10/06)

### SINGLES

#### 2006

30th - Catrina Thompson  
90th - Brook Buck

125th - Christian Thompson

#### 2005

46th - Catrina Thompson  
83rd - Brook Buck

#### 2004

22nd - Alicia Salas

#### 2003

40th - Caylan Leslie  
98th - Alicia Salas

#### 2002

119th - Becky Varnum  
124th - Alicia Salas

#### 2001

5th - Michelle Dasso  
73rd - Becky Varnum  
89th - Nina Vaughan

#### 2000

27th - Michelle Dasso

#### 1999

13th - Michelle Dasso  
76th - Jennifer Hall

#### 1998

28th - Michelle Dasso  
36th - Jennifer Hall  
73rd - Marisa Velasco

#### 1997

35th - Jennifer Hall

#### 1996

9th - Jennifer Hall  
79th - Holyn Lord  
83rd - Wendy Crabtree  
100th - Marisa Velasco

#### 1995

16th - Wendy Crabtree  
73rd - Holyn Lord

#### 1994

15th - Wendy Crabtree  
50th - Holyn Lord

#### 1993

46th - Wendy Crabtree

#### 1992

22nd - Melissa Harris

#### 1991

34th - Tracy Barton  
47th - Melissa Harris

#### 1990

43rd - Tracy Barton

#### 1989

69th - CeCe Cahill

#### 1988

48th - CeCe Cahill

### DOUBLES

#### 2006

10th - Catrina Thompson/  
Christian Thompson

#### 2005

5th - Catrina Thompson/  
Christian Thompson

#### 2004

26th - Catrina Thompson/  
Christian Thompson

#### 2003

43rd - Katie Cunha/  
Kristina Stastny  
59th - Lauren Connelly/  
Alicia Salas

#### 2002

40th - Lindsey Green/  
Becky Varnum

#### 2001

9th - Michelle Dasso/  
Becky Varnum

#### 2000

17th - Michelle Dasso/  
Becky Varnum  
39th - Katie Cunha/  
Kimberly Guy

#### 1999

10th - Michelle Dasso/  
Jennifer Hall

#### 1998

14th - Tiffany Gates/  
Jennifer Hall

#### 1997

23rd - Erin Gowen/  
Jennifer Hall

#### 1996

28th - Wendy Crabtree/  
Holyn Lord

#### 1995

24th - Wendy Crabtree/  
Holyn Lord

#### 1994

13th - Wendy Crabtree/  
Lisa Tholen

#### 1993

23rd - Wendy Crabtree/  
Lisa Tholen

#### 1992

36th - Christy Faustmann/  
Lisa Tholen

#### 1991

24th - Tracy Barton/  
Christy Faustmann

#### 1989

20th - Tracy Barton/  
CeCe Cahill

## Notre Dame Women's Tennis All-Americans

In the 29 years of varsity competition, 10 Irish women's tennis players have been tabbed All-Americans. In 1982, Pam Fischette and Laura Lee became the program's first two All-Americans. To qualify for All-America honors in AIAW Division II (in which Notre Dame competed at the time), a player had to reach the title match at her position in the national championships.

Since becoming a Division I program in 1986, Notre Dame has had eight players earn a total of 17 All-America honors. The All-America teams are selected by the Intercollegiate Tennis Association (ITA) each year, with the governing body of collegiate tennis naming all players who meet at least one of three criteria in singles or doubles. In singles, an individual must 1) finish in the top 20 of the final ITA national singles rankings; 2) earn one of the 16 seeds in the NCAA Singles Championship; or 3) advance to the round of 16 in the NCAA Singles Championship. To earn All-America mention in doubles, a player must 1) finish in the top 10 of the final ITA national doubles rankings; 2) earn one of the eight seeds in the NCAA Doubles Championship; or 3) advance to the quarterfinals in the NCAA Doubles Championship.

The 10 Irish All-Americans are featured below with their qualifying criteria and career stats noted.



**LAURA  
LEE**



**Agoura, CA  
Agoura H.S.**

**Singles All-American - 1982**  
(AIAW national champion, No. 5)

Career Singles Record	
Year	Record
1981-82	28-3
1982-83	15-14
1983-84	27-11
1984-85	0-0
<b>Career</b>	<b>70-28</b>



**WENDY  
CRABTREE**



**Concord, MA  
Concord Carlisle  
H.S.**

**Two-Time Singles All-American - 1994**  
(ranked 15th), 1995 (ranked 16th)  
**Doubles All-American - 1994** (NCAA  
quarterfinals)

Year	Singles			Doubles		
	Dual	Open	Overall	Dual	Open	Overall
1992-93	17-9	8-3	25-12	15-6	7-3	22-9
1993-94	16-9	14-5	30-14	15-1	11-5	26-6
1994-95	16-7	11-7	27-14	12-4	9-6	21-10
1995-96	15-10	0-2	15-12	15-7	3-3	18-10
<b>Career</b>	<b>64-35</b>	<b>33-17</b>	<b>97-52</b>	<b>57-18</b>	<b>30-17</b>	<b>87-35</b>



**LISA  
THOLEN**



**Wichita, KS  
Mt. Carmel H.S.**

**Doubles All-American - 1994** (NCAA quar-  
terfinals)

Year	Career Doubles Record		
	Dual	Open	Overall
1990-91	11-10	11-4	22-14
1991-92	9-8	8-3	17-11
1992-93	13-7	9-3	22-10
1993-94	15-1	11-5	26-6
<b>Career</b>	<b>48-26</b>	<b>39-15</b>	<b>88-41</b>



**JENNIFER  
HALL**



**Oklahoma City, OK  
Putnam City N. H.S.**  
**Two-Time Singles All-  
American - 1996** (ranked  
9th, No. 9-16 seed, NCAA  
round of 16)

**Two-Time Doubles All-American - 1998** (NCAA  
quarterfinals), 1999 (ranked 10th, No. 5-8 seed,  
NCAA quarterfinals)

Year	Singles			Doubles		
	Dual	Open	Overall	Dual	Open	Overall
1995-96	23-6	10-5	33-11	20-4	2-1	22-5
1996-97	17-10	10-6	27-16	16-10	8-3	24-13
1997-98	15-13	12-7	27-20	9-13	9-5	18-18
1998-99	24-5	5-7	29-12	21-7	8-5	29-12
<b>Career</b>	<b>79-34</b>	<b>37-25</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>47-44</b>	<b>27-14</b>	<b>93-48</b>



**MICHELLE  
DASSO**



**Long Grove, IL  
Stevenson H.S.**  
**Two-Time Singles All-  
American - 1999** (ranked  
13th, No. 8 seed), 2001  
(ranked 5th, No. 4 seed,  
NCAA semifinals) **Two-Time Doubles All-  
American - 1999** (ranked 10th, No. 5-8 seed, NCAA  
quarterfinals), 2001 (ranked 9th, No. 5-8 seed)

Year	Singles			Doubles		
	Dual	Open	Overall	Dual	Open	Overall
1997-98	24-3	16-5	40-8	17-8	7-5	24-13
1998-99	23-4	9-6	32-10	21-7	7-3	28-10
1999-2000	24-5	5-3	29-8	16-7	6-3	22-10
2000-01	20-4	19-6	39-10	24-3	11-6	35-9
<b>Career</b>	<b>91-16</b>	<b>49-20</b>	<b>140-36</b>	<b>78-25</b>	<b>31-17</b>	<b>109-42</b>



**BECKY  
VARNUM**



**Colorado Springs, CO  
Cheyenne Mountain H.S.**

**Doubles All-American - 2001** (ranked 9th, No.  
5-8 seed)

Year	Career Doubles Record		
	Dual	Open	Overall
1998-99	17-9	5-5	22-14
1999-2000	16-6	7-3	23-9
2000-01	24-3	13-6	37-9
2001-02	15-13	8-7	23-20
<b>Career</b>	<b>72-31</b>	<b>33-21</b>	<b>105-52</b>



**CATRINA  
THOMPSON**



**Las Vegas, NV  
Bishop Gorman H.S.**

**Doubles All-American - 2005** (ranked 5th, No.  
5-8 seed), 2006 (ranked 10th, No. 3 seed)

Year	Career Doubles Record		
	Dual	Open	Overall
2003-04	12-11	10-6	22-17
2004-05	21-4	9-3	30-7
2005-06	16-5	6-2	22-7
<b>Career</b>	<b>49-20</b>	<b>25-11</b>	<b>74-31</b>

# Career Records



**PAM FISCETTE**



Liverpool, NY  
Liverpool H.S.

**Singles All-American - 1982** (AIAW national runner-up, No. 3)

Career Singles Record	
Year	Record
1980-81	27-6
1981-82	24-6
1982-83	11-8
1983-84	24-5
<b>Career</b>	<b>86-25</b>



**TIFFANY GATES**



Grandville, MI  
Grandville H.S.

**Doubles All-American - 1998** (NCAA quarterfinals)

Career Doubles Record			
Year	Dual	Open	Overall
1993-94 (Minnesota)	4-8	4-7	8-15
1994-95 (Minnesota)	15-6	7-4	22-10
1995-96 (Minnesota)	0-0	5-5	5-5
1996-97	16-11	2-5	18-16
1997-98	9-13	9-5	18-18
<b>Career</b>	<b>44-38</b>	<b>27-26</b>	<b>71-64</b>



**CHRISTIAN THOMPSON**



Las Vegas, NV  
Bishop Gorman H.S.

**Doubles All-American - 2005** (ranked 5th, No. 5-8 seed), **2006** (ranked 10th, No. 3 seed)

Career Doubles Record			
Year	Dual	Open	Overall
2003-04	12-11	10-6	22-17
2004-05	21-4	9-3	30-7
2005-06	16-5	6-2	22-7
<b>Career</b>	<b>49-20</b>	<b>25-11</b>	<b>74-31</b>

## SINGLES WINS

Name	Years	Record
1. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	140-36
2. Kelly Zalinski	1997-2000	122-49
3. Jennifer Hall	1996-99	116-59
4. Mary Colligan	1983-86	107-41
5. Marisa Velasco	1996-99	100-46
6. Holyn Lord	1993-96	99-43
7. Wendy Crabtree	1993-96	97-52
8. Lisa LaFratta	1982-85	96-52
8. Lindsey Green	1999-2002	96-55
10. Melissa Harris	1990-93	95-37
10. Lisa Tholen	1991-94	95-41
10. Alicia Salas	2001-04	95-42
13. Kim Pacella	1988-91	93-52
14. Susie Panther	1983-86	92-33
14. Becky Varnum	1999-2002	92-66
16. Christy Faustmann	1991-94	91-52
17. Pam Fischette	1981-84	86-25
18. Kristina Stastny	2003-06	85-55
19. Nina Vaughan	1999-2002	83-55
20. JoAnne Biafore	1984-86	81-25
20. Laura Schwab	1992-95	81-59
- Catrina Thompson	2003-	73-37

## DOUBLES WINS

Name	Years	Record
1. Lauren Connelly	2003-06	111-38
2. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	109-42
3. Lindsey Green	1999-2002	105-41
3. Becky Varnum	1999-2002	105-52
5. Susie Panther	1983-86	101-25
6. Laura Lee	1982-85	100-39
7. Kristina Stastny	2003-06	98-44
8. Jennifer Hall	1996-99	93-48
9. Kelly Zalinski	1997-2000	91-57
10. Mary Colligan	1983-86	88-35
11. Wendy Crabtree	1993-96	87-35
11. Lisa Tholen	1991-94	87-41
11. Michelle Sadie Dasso	1985-88	87-46
14. Pam Fischette	1981-84	84-34
15. Alicia Salas	2001-04	83-38
15. Katie Cunha	2000-02	83-66
17. Sarah Jane Connelly	2002-05	81-57
18. Holyn Lord	1993-96	79-37
19. Cathy Schnell	1982-85	78-27
20. Catrina Thompson	2004-	76-31
- Christian Thompson	2004-	75-31

## SINGLES DUAL-MATCH WINS

Name	Years	Record
1. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	91-16
2. Kelly Zalinski	1997-2000	80-31
3. Jennifer Hall	1996-99	79-34
4. Marisa Velasco	1996-99	77-36
5. Holyn Lord	1993-96	72-30
6. Lindsey Green	1999-2002	65-34
6. Becky Varnum	1999-2002	65-44
8. Wendy Crabtree	1993-96	64-35
9. Lisa Tholen	1991-94	62-28
9. Kim Pacella	1988-91	62-34

## DOUBLES DUAL-MATCH WINS

Name	Years	Record
1. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	78-25
2. Lauren Connelly	2003-06	75-22
3. Becky Varnum	1999-2002	72-31
4. Lindsey Green	1999-2002	67-25
5. Jennifer Hall	1996-99	66-34
6. Kelly Zalinski	1997-2000	65-34
7. Kristina Stastny	2003-06	62-27
8. Wendy Crabtree	1993-96	57-18
9. Holyn Lord	1993-96	54-25
9. Alicia Salas	2001-04	54-25
11. Katie Cunha	2000-03	53-44
12. Sarah Jane Connelly	2002-05	51-36
- Catrina Thompson	2004-	51-20
- Christina Thompson	2004-	50-20

## DOUBLES WINS (TEAM)

Name	Years	Record
1. Catrina Thompson/ Christian Thompson	2003-	72-31
2. Michelle Dasso/ Becky Varnum	1999-01	54-15
3. Wendy Crabtree/ Holyn Lord	1992-06	44-22
4. Katie Cunha/ Kimberly Guy	1999-01	41-20
4. Lauren Connelly/ Alicia Salas	2002-04	41-16
4. Sarah Jane Connelly/ Kristina Stastny	2002-05	41-24
7. Lindsey Green/ Kelly Zalinski	1998-00	39-14
8. Wendy Crabtree/ Lisa Tholen	1992-94	38-11
9. Lauren Connelly/ Kristina Stastny	2003-06	36-6
10. Tiffany Gates/ Jennifer Hall	1996-98	34-28
10. Brook Buck/ Kelcy Tefft	2005-	34-6

## DOUBLES DUAL-MATCH WINS (TEAM)

Name	Years	Record
1. Catrina Thompson/ Christian Thompson	2003-	47-20
2. Michelle Dasso/ Becky Varnum	1999-01	37-6
3. Lauren Connelly/ Alicia Salas	2002-04	32-12
4. Lindsey Green/ Kelly Zalinski	1998-00	31-9
5. Wendy Crabtree/ Holyn Lord	1992-96	29-13
6. Wendy Crabtree/ Lisa Tholen	1992-94	27-5
7. Sarah Jane Connelly/ Kristina Stastny	2002-05	25-14
7. Lauren Connelly/ Kristina Stastny	2003-06	25-1
9. Tiffany Gates/ Jennifer Hall	1996-98	24-22
9. Brook Buck/ Kelcy Tefft	2005-	24-4
11. Katie Cunha/ Kimberly Guy	1999-01	22-13

## Notre Dame Team Records

- Best NCAA Finish:** 2nd Place (1985, Division II)
- Best NCAA Division I Finish:** Quarterfinals (1996, 2006)
- Best Season Record:** 27-2, .931 (2006)
- Best Division I Season Record:** 27-2, .931 (2006)
- Most Wins (Season):** 28-6 (1985-86)
- Longest Conference Winning Streak:** 27 (9/16/83-4/28/98)
- Longest Home Winning Streak:** 25 (9/24/79-9/25/82)
- Longest Winning Streak (One Season):** 15 (1983-84)
- Longest Winning Streak (One Season, Division I):** 12 (1999)
- Longest Winning Streak (One Season):** 15 (1983-84)



Mary Colligan, the first Irish player to register 100 career singles victories, helped Notre Dame to a pair of third-place finishes in the NCAA Division II Championship before helping the 1984-85 squad to the national title match.

## CAREER RECORDS (CONT.)

### COMBINED WINS

Name	Years	Cmb.	Sgls.	Dbls.
1. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	249-78	140-36	109-42
2. Kelly Zalinski	1997-2000	213-106	122-49	91-57
3. Jennifer Hall	1996-99	209-107	116-59	93-48
4. Lindsey Green	1999-2002	201-98	96-55	105-41
5. Becky Varnum	1999-2002	197-118	92-66	105-52
6. Mary Colligan	1983-86	195-76	107-41	88-35
7. Susie Panther	1983-86	193-58	92-33	101-25
8. Lauren Connelly	2003-06	184-88	74-50	111-38
9. Wendy Crabtree	1993-96	184-87	97-52	87-35
10. Kristina Stastny	2003-06	183-99	85-55	98-44
11. Lisa Tholen	1991-94	182-82	95-41	87-41
12. Holyn Lord	1993-96	178-80	99-43	79-37
12. Alicia Salas	2001-04	178-80	95-42	83-38
14. Pam Fischette	1981-84	170-59	86-25	84-34
14. Laura Lee	1982-85	170-67	70-28	100-39
16. Michelle Sadie Dasso	1985-88	164-103	77-57	87-46
17. Christy Faustmann	1991-94	161-91	91-52	70-39
18. Marisa Velasco	1996-99	159-95	100-46	59-49
19. Sarah Jane Connelly	2002-05	158-109	77-52	81-57
20. Lisa LaFratta	1982-85	150-92	96-52	54-40
20. Nina Vaughan	1999-2002	150-94	83-55	67-39
- Cat. Thompson	2003-	149-68	73-37	76-31
- Chr. Thompson	2003-	135-66	60-35	75-31

### COMBINED DUAL-MATCH WINS

Name	Years	Cmb.	Sgls.	Dbls.
1. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	169-41	91-16	78-25
2. Kelly Zalinski	1997-2000	145-65	80-31	65-34
3. Jennifer Hall	1996-99	144-67	78-33	66-34
4. Becky Varnum	1999-2002	137-75	65-44	72-31
5. Lindsey Green	1999-2002	132-59	65-34	67-25
6. Holyn Lord	1993-96	126-55	72-30	54-25
7. Wendy Crabtree	1993-96	121-53	64-35	57-18
8. Lauren Connelly	2003-06	118-54	43-32	75-22
8. Kristina Stastny	2003-06	118-62	56-35	62-27
10. Lisa Tholen	1991-94	110-54	62-28	48-26
- Cat. Thompson	2003-	98-44	47-24	51-20
- Chr. Thompson	2003-	88-45	38-25	50-20

## SINGLES WINNING PERCENTAGE (MINIMUM 25 MATCHES)

Name	Years	Record	Pct.
1. CeCe Cahill	1988-89	65-11	.855
2. Katie Potts	2006-	29-5	.852
3. Kelcy Tefft	2006-	28-5	.848
4. Mary Legeay	1979-81	38-9	.809
5. Sheila Cronin	1978-81	21-5	.808
6. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	140-36	.795
7. Pam Fischette	1981-84	86-25	.775
8. Jo Anne Biafore	1984-86	81-25	.764
9. Isobel O'Brien	1985-86	53-17	.757
10. Lisa Gleason	1982-84	34-12	.739
11. Susie Panther	1983-86	92-33	.736
12. Mary Colligan	1983-86	107-41	.723

## WINS AT NO. 1 SINGLES

Name	Years at No. 1	Record
1. Michelle Dasso	1999-2001	67-13
2. Wendy Crabtree	1993-96	51-29
3. Jennifer Hall	1996-98	45-28
4. CeCe Cahill	1988-89	35-6
4. Catrina Thompson	2004-	35-14
6. Melissa Harris	1990-92	27-10

## WINS AT NO. 1 DOUBLES (INDIVIDUAL)

Name	Years at No. 1	Record
1. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	62-17
2. Wendy Crabtree	1993-96	54-16
3. Becky Varnum	1999-2002	47-14
4. Jennifer Hall	1997-99	46-30
5. Lisa Tholen	1991-94	41-19

## WINS AT NO. 1 DOUBLES (TEAM)

Name	Years at No. 1	Record
1. Catrina Thompson/ Christian Thompson	2004-06	47-20
2. Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum	2000-01	37-6
3. Wendy Crabtree/Lisa Tholen	1993-94	27-5
4. Wendy Crabtree/Holyn Lord	1993, '95-96	26-11
5. Tiffany Gates/Jennifer Hall	1997-98	24-22
6. Michelle Dasso/Jennifer Hall	1999	21-7

## SINGLES DUAL-MATCH WINNING PERCENTAGE (MINIMUM 20 MATCHES)

Name	Years	Record	Pct.
1. Katie Potts	2006-	23-2	.920
2. CeCe Cahill	1988-89	37-6	.860
3. Michelle Dasso	1998-2001	91-16	.850
4. Kelcy Tefft	2006-	21-4	.840
5. Tiffany Gates	1997-98	36-10	.783
6. Kelly Zalinski	1997-2000	80-31	.721
7. Melissa Harris	1990-92	52-21	.712
8. Holyn Lord	1993-96	72-30	.706
9. Jennifer Hall	1996-99	79-34	.700
10. Lisa Tholen	1991-94	62-28	.689
11. Caylan Leslie	2001-04	33-15	.688
12. Marisa Velasco	1996-99	77-36	.681

## SEASON RECORDS

### SINGLES WINS

Name	Years	Record
1. Michelle Dasso	1998	40-8
2. CeCe Cahill	1988	39-5
3. Michelle Dasso	2001	39-10
4. Becky Varnum	1999	36-11
5. Susie Panther	1984	34-8
5. Kelly Zalinski	1999	34-11
7. Melissa Harris	1991	33-6
7. Jennifer Hall	1996	33-11
7. Kelly Zalinski	1998	33-11
7. Melissa Harris	1992	33-11

## DOUBLES WINS (INDIVIDUAL)

Name	Years	Record
1. Becky Varnum	2001	37-9
1. Lauren Connelly	2006	37-6
1. Kristina Stastny	2006	37-6
4. Susie Panther	1985	36-7
5. Michelle Dasso	2001	35-9
6. Brook Buck	2006	34-6
6. Kelcy Tefft	2006	34-6
8. Pam Fischette	1981	32-9
9. Cathy Schnell	1985	30-6
10. Catrina Thompson	2005	30-7
11. Jennifer Hall	1999	29-12
12. Christian Thompson	2005	28-7
12. Michelle Dasso	1999	28-10
12. Laura Lee	1985	28-11

## DOUBLES WINS (TEAM)

Name	Years	Record
1. Lauren Connelly/ Kristina Stastny	2006	36-6
2. Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum	2001	35-9
3. Brook Buck/ Kelcy Tefft	2006	34-6
4. Catrina Thompson/ Christian Thompson	2005	28-7
5. Brook Buck/Lauren Connelly	2005	27-12
6. Wendy Crabtree/Lisa Tholen	1994	26-6
6. Michelle Dasso/Jennifer Hall	1999	26-9
6. Lindsey Green/Kelly Zalinski	2000	26-10
9. Lauren Connelly/Alicia Salas	2004	24-7
9. Sarah Jane Connelly/ Kristina Stastny	2005	24-10
9. Katie Cunha/Kimberly Guy	2001	24-15
12. Michelle Dasso/Marisa Velasco	1998	22-12

## SINGLES DUAL-MATCH WINS

Name	Years	Record
1. Alicia Salas	2002	24-3
1. Michelle Dasso	1998	24-3
1. Marisa Velasco	1996	24-4
1. Michelle Dasso	2000	24-5
1. Jennifer Hall	1999	24-5
6. Katie Potts	2006	23-2
6. Michelle Dasso	1999	23-4
6. Becky Varnum	1999	23-6
6. Jennifer Hall	1996	23-6
10. Holyn Lord	1993	22-3
10. Melissa Harris	1991	22-5
10. Kelly Zalinski	1999	22-6
10. Lindsey Green	2000	22-8

## DOUBLES DUAL-MATCH WINS (INDIVIDUAL)

Name	Years	Record
1. Lauren Connelly	2006	26-1
1. Kristina Stastny	2006	26-1
3. Brook Buck	2006	24-4
3. Kelcy Tefft	2006	24-4
5. Michelle Dasso	2001	24-3
5. Becky Varnum	2001	24-3
6. Catrina Thompson	2005	21-4
6. Michelle Dasso	1999	21-7
6. Jennifer Hall	1999	21-7
9. Nina Vaughan	2001	20-4
9. Jennifer Hall	1996	20-4
11. Christian Thompson	2005	19-4
11. Kelly Zalinski	2000	19-5
11. Lindsey Green	2000	19-5
11. Alicia Salas	2002	19-9

## DOUBLES DUAL-MATCH WINS (TEAM)

Names	Year	Record
1. Lauren Connelly/ Kristina Stastny	2006	25-1
2. Brook Buck/Kelcy Tefft	2006	24-4
3. Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum	2001	24-3
4. Michelle Dasso/Jennifer Hall	1999	21-7
5. Catrina Thompson/ Christian Thompson	2005	19-4
5. Erin Gowen/Jennifer Hall	1996	19-4
7. Lauren Connelly/Alicia Salas	2004	18-5
7. Lindsey Green/Kelly Zalinski	2000	18-5
9. Lindsey Green/Nina Vaughan	2001	17-4
9. Kelley Olson/Kelly Zalinski	1998	17-6
9. Michelle Dasso/Marisa Velasco	1998	17-8
10. Brook Buck/ Lauren Connelly	2005	16-9

### SINGLES WINNING PERCENTAGE (MINIMUM 15 MATCHES)

Name	Years	Record	Pct.
1. Laura Lee	1981-82	28-3	.903
2. Marisa Velasco	1995-96	32-4	.889
3. CeCe Cahill	1987-88	39-5	.886
4. Linda Hoyer	1979-80	21-3	.875
5. Kelly Nelson	2005-06	13-2	.867
6. Carol Shukis	1979-80	19-3	.864
7. Katie Potts	2005-06	29-5	.853
8. Kelcy Tefft	2005-06	28-5	.848
9. Melissa Harris	1990-91	33-6	.846
10. Holyn Lord	1992-93	27-5	.844
11. JoAnne Btafoere	1983-84	32-6	.842
12. Lisa Tholen	1991-92	26-5	.839
13. Alicia Salas	2001-02	31-6	.838

### SINGLES DUAL-MATCH WINNING PERCENTAGE (MINIMUM 10 MATCHES)

Name	Years	Record	Pct.
1. Lisa Tholen	1992	19-1	.950
2. Katie Potts	2006	23-2	.920
3. Ann Bradshaw	1990	10-1	.909
4. Alicia Salas	2002	24-3	.889
4. Michelle Dasso	1998	24-3	.889
6. Holyn Lord	1993	22-3	.880
7. Kristina Stastny	2006	20-3	.870
8. Marisa Velasco	1996	24-4	.857
9. Michelle Dasso	1999	23-4	.852
10. Kim Pacella	1990	21-4	.840
11. Michelle Dasso	2001	20-4	.833
11. Becky Varnum	2001	20-4	.833
11. Katie Cunha	2000	15-3	.833

### DOUBLES WINNING PERCENTAGE (TEAM) (MINIMUM 15 MATCHES)

Name	Year	Record	Pct.
1. Lauren Connelly/Kristina Stastny	2005-06	36-6	.857
2. Brook Buck/Kelcy Tefft	2005-06	34-6	.850
3. Wendy Crabtree/Lisa Tholen	1993-94	26-6	.813
4. Erin Gowen/Jennifer Hall	1995-96	21-5	.808
5. Catrina/Christian Thompson	2004-05	28-7	.800
6. Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum	2000-01	35-9	.795
7. Lindsey Green/Nina Vaughan	2000-01	18-5	.783
8. Lauren Connelly/Alicia Salas	2003-04	24-7	.774
9. Katie Cunha/Kimberly Guy	1999-00	17-5	.773
10. Lindsey Green/Kelly Zalinski	1998-99	13-4	.765
10. Sherri Vitale/Holyn Lord	1993-94	13-4	.765
12. Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum	1999-00	19-6	.760

### DOUBLES DUAL-MATCH WINNING PERCENTAGE (TEAM) (MINIMUM 10 MATCHES)

Name	Year	Record	Pct.
1. Lauren Connelly/Kristina Stastny	2006	25-1	.963
2. Wendy Crabtree/ Lisa Tholen	1994	15-1	.938
3. Michelle Dasso/ Becky Varnum	2001	24-3	.889
4. Brook Buck/Kelcy Tefft	2006	24-4	.857
5. Erin Gowen/ Jennifer Hall	1996	19-4	.826
5. Catrina/ Christian Thompson	2005	19-4	.826
7. Michelle Dasso/ Becky Varnum	2000	13-3	.813
8. Lindsey Green/ Nina Vaughan	2001	17-4	.810
9. Katie Cunha/ Kimberly Guy	2000	8-2	.800
10. Lauren Connelly/ Alicia Salas	2004	18-5	.783
10. Lindsey Green/ Kelly Zalinski	2000	18-5	.783
12. Lindsey Green/ Kelly Zalinski	1999	13-4	.765
13. Michelle Dasso/ Jennifer Hall	1999	21-7	.750

### COMBINED WINS

Name	Years	Cmb.	Sgls.	Dbls.
1. Michelle Dasso	2001	74-19	39-10	35-9
2. Kristina Stastny	2006	66-13	29-7	37-6
3. Michelle Dasso	1998	64-21	40-8	24-13
4. Kelcy Tefft	2006	62-11	28-5	34-6
5. Michelle Dasso	1999	60-20	32-10	28-10
5. Kelly Zalinski	1999	60-24	34-11	26-13
7. Pam Fischette	1981	59-15	27-6	32-9
7. Nina Vaughan	2001	59-20	32-12	27-8
9. Susie Panther	1984	58-16	34-8	24-8
9. Kimberly Guy	2001	58-23	32-10	26-13
9. Jennifer Hall	1999	58-24	29-12	29-12
9. Becky Varnum	1999	58-25	36-11	22-14
9. Brook Buck	2006	58-16	24-10	34-6

### COMBINED DUAL-MATCH WINS

Name	Years	Cmb.	Sgls.	Dbls.
1. Kristina Stastny	2006	46-4	20-3	26-1
2. Jennifer Hall	1999	45-12	24-5	21-7
3. Kelcy Tefft	2006	44-8	20-4	24-4
4. Becky Varnum	2001	44-7	20-4	24-3
4. Michelle Dasso	2001	44-7	20-4	24-3
4. Michelle Dasso	1999	44-11	23-4	21-7
7. Jennifer Hall	1996	43-10	23-6	20-4
7. Alicia Salas	2002	43-12	24-3	19-9
9. Brook Buck	2006	42-11	18-7	24-4
10. Nina Vaughan	2001	41-10	21-6	20-4
10. Lindsey Green	2000	41-13	22-8	19-5
12. Michelle Dasso	2000	40-13	24-5	16-7
12. Becky Varnum	1999	40-15	23-6	17-9

### WINS AT NO. 1 SINGLES

Name	Years	Record
1. Michelle Dasso	2000	24-5
2. Michelle Dasso	1999	23-4
3. Michelle Dasso	2001	20-4
4. CeCe Cahill	1988	18-4
5. Catrina Thompson	2006	18-6
6. Catrina Thompson	2005	17-8
6. Jennifer Hall	1997	17-10

### WINS AT NO. 1 DOUBLES (INDIVIDUAL)

Name	Years	Record
1. Michelle Dasso	2001	24-3
1. Becky Varnum	2001	24-3
3. Catrina Thompson	2005	21-4
3. Michelle Dasso	1999	21-7
3. Jennifer Hall	1999	21-7
6. Christian Thompson	2005	19-4
7. Catrina Thompson	2006	16-5
7. Christian Thompson	2006	16-5
7. Holyn Lord	1996	16-7
7. Jennifer Hall	1997	16-10

### WINS AT NO. 1 DOUBLES (TEAM)

Name	Years	Record
1. Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum	2001	24-3
2. Michelle Dasso/Jennifer Hall	1999	21-7
3. Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson	2005	19-4
4. Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson	2006	16-5
5. Wendy Crabtree/Lisa Tholen	1994	15-1
5. Wendy Crabtree/Holyn Lord	1996	15-7
5. Tiffany Gates/Jennifer Hall	1997	15-9

### MATCH-CLINCHING WINS

Name	Year	S	D	Total
1. Becky Varnum	2001	8	0	8
1. Jennifer Hall	1999	6	2	8
3. Lindsey Green	2000	4	3	7
3. Lindsey Green	1999	3	4	7
3. Kelly Zalinski	1999	3	4	7
3. Brook Buck	2006	7	0	7

### MATCH-CLINCHING WINS (SINCE 2001)

Name	Year	Total
1. Becky Varnum	2001	8
2. Brook Buck	2006	7
3. Katie Cunha	2002	6
3. Nina Vaughan	2001	6
5. Lauren Connelly	2003	5
5. Kristina Stastny	2005	5
6. Five tied with		4



Susie Panther graduated in 1986 as the Irish record holder in both season singles victories (34-8 in 1983-84) and doubles wins in a campaign (36-7 in 1984-85).

### DOUBLES-POINT CLINCHING WINS, INDIVIDUAL (SINCE 2001)

Name	Year	Total
1. Brook Buck	2006	12
1. Kelcy Tefft	2006	12
3. Lauren Connelly	2006	11
3. Kristina Stastny	2006	11
5. Michelle Dasso	2001	10
5. Becky Varnum	2001	10
7. Lindsey Green	2001	9
7. Nina Vaughan	2001	9
9. Alicia Salas	2002	7
9. Catrina Thompson	2005	7
9. Christian Thompson	2005	7

### DOUBLES-POINT CLINCHING WINS, TEAM (SINCE 2001)

Name	Year	Total
1. Brook Buck/Kelcy Tefft	2006	12
2. Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum	2001	10
2. Lauren Connelly/Kristina Stastny	2006	10
4. Lindsey Green/Nina Vaughan	2001	9
5. Catrina/Christian Thompson	2005	7
6. Brook Buck/Lauren Connelly	2005	6
6. Sarah Jane Connelly/Kristina Stastny	2005	6
8. Lauren Connelly/Alicia Salas	2003	5
8. Sarah Jane Connelly/Alicia Salas	2002	5
10. Four tied with		4

### COMBINED CLINCHING WINS (SINCE 2001)

Name	Year	S	D	Total
1. Brook Buck	2006	7	12	19
2. Becky Varnum	2001	8	10	18
3. Kristina Stastny	2006	5	11	16
4. Kelcy Tefft	2006	3	12	15
5. Nina Vaughan	2001	6	9	15
6. Lauren Connelly	2006	3	11	14
7. Katie Cunha	2002	6	6	12
7. Lindsey Green	2001	3	9	12
9. Lauren Connelly	2003	5	6	11
9. Michelle Dasso	2001	1	10	11
9. Kristina Stastny	2005	5	6	11

**Note:** Beginning with the 2001 season, the doubles matches were worth one point, so a clinching victory was awarded for clinching that point. Prior to '01, the only clinching wins were ones that determined the winner of the match. Clinching wins first kept in 1999.



Current Illinois head coach and former Irish assistant Michelle Dasso was the 2001 Intercollegiate Tennis Association National Senior Player of the Year and also won the Gladys Heldman Award, which is presented to the nation's top senior women's tennis player based on athletic, academic, sportsmanship, and community service accomplishments.

## Team Awards

### BIG EAST Conference Champion (7)

1996, '97, '99, 2001, '03, '05, '06

### Midwestern Collegiate Conference Champion (7)

1988, '89, '90, '91, '92, '93, '94

### North Star Conference Champion (5)

1983, '84, '85, '86, '87

### ITA All-Academic Team (10)

1996, '97, '98, 2000, '01, '02, '03, '04, '05, '06

## Coaching Awards

### ITA National Coach of the Year

2006 Jay Louderback

### Division II National Coach of the Year

1985 Sharon Petro

### BIG EAST Coach of the Year

1996 Jay Louderback

1997 Jay Louderback

1999 Jay Louderback

2000 Jay Louderback

2001 Jay Louderback

2006 Jay Louderback

### Midwestern Collegiate Conference Coach of the Year

1988 Michele Gelfman

1989 Jay Louderback

1990 Jay Louderback

1993 Jay Louderback

### North Star Conference Coach of the Year

1984 Sharon Petro

1985 Michele Gelfman

1986 Michele Gelfman

1987 Michele Gelfman

### ITA Midwest Region Coach of the Year

1995 Jay Louderback

1998 Jay Louderback

2000 Jay Louderback

2006 Jay Louderback

### ITA National Assistant Coach of the Year

2006 Michelle Dasso

### ITA Midwest Region

#### Assistant Coach of the Year

2000 Liz Barker

2006 Michelle Dasso

## Individual Awards

### AIAW Division II National Singles Champion

1982 Laura Lee (No. 5)

### Division I All-Americans

1994 Wendy Crabtree, singles/doubles

1994 Lisa Tholen, doubles

1995 Wendy Crabtree, singles

1996 Jennifer Hall, singles

1998 Tiffany Gates, doubles

1998 Jennifer Hall, doubles

1999 Michelle Dasso, singles/doubles

1999 Jennifer Hall, doubles

2001 Michelle Dasso, singles/doubles

2001 Becky Varnum, doubles

2005 Catrina Thompson, doubles

2005 Christian Thompson, doubles

2006 Catrina Thompson, doubles

2006 Christian Thompson, doubles

### AIAW Division II All-Americans

1982 Laura Lee, No. 5 singles

1982 Pam Fischette, No. 3 singles

### ITA National Senior Player of the Year

2001 Michelle Dasso

### CoSIDA Academic All-Americans

1996 Wendy Crabtree (third team at-large)

1999 Jennifer Hall (third team at-large)

### ITA/Cissie Leary National

#### Sportsmanship Award

2004 Alicia Salas

**Gladys Heldman Award** (awarded to nation's top senior based on athletic, academic, sportsmanship and community service accomplishments)

2001 Michelle Dasso

### Penn National Player to Watch

1996 Jennifer Hall

### BIG EAST Championship Most Outstanding Player

1996 Jennifer Hall, Fr.

2000 Michelle Dasso, Jr.

2001 Michelle Dasso, Sr.

2005 Catrina Thompson, So.

2006 Catrina Thompson, Jr.

### BIG EAST All-Tournament Team

#### Singles

2003 Sarah Jane Connelly

2003 Alicia Salas

2003 Caylan Leslie

2004 Alicia Salas

2004 Christian Thompson

2005 Catrina Thompson

2005 Brook Buck

2005 Christian Thompson

2005 Sarah Jane Connelly

2006 Catrina Thompson

2006 Brook Buck

2006 Kelcy Tefft

2006 Kristina Stastny

#### Doubles

2003 Lauren Connelly/Alicia Salas

2003 Sarah Jane Connelly/Kristina Stastny

2004 Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson

2004 Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson

2005 Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson

2005 Brook Buck/Lauren Connelly

2006 Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson

2006 Brook Buck/Kelcy Tefft

### ITA Midwest Region Senior

#### Player of the Year

1996 Wendy Crabtree

2001 Michelle Dasso

2004 Alicia Salas

### ITA Midwest Region Rookie of the Year

1991 Christy Faustmann

1993 Wendy Crabtree

1996 Jennifer Hall

1998 Michelle Dasso

### Midwest Region Tennis Magazine/ITA Arthur Ashe Award for Leadership and Scholarship

1995 Wendy Crabtree

1999 Jennifer Hall

2003 Katie Cunha

### Penn Midwest Region Player to Watch

1996 Jennifer Hall

2001 Becky Varnum

### ITA Midwest Region Cissie Leary

#### Sportsmanship Award

2000 Kelly Zalinski

2004 Alicia Salas

### USA Tennis Summer Collegiate Team

1996 Jennifer Hall

1999 Michelle Dasso

2001 Michelle Dasso

### ITA Collegiate All-Star Team

2004 Alicia Salas (traveled to China)

### World University Games Team

2005 Catrina Thompson, doubles

2005 Christian Thompson, doubles

### ITA Scholar-Athlete Award

1992 Katie Clark

1996 Wendy Crabtree

1996 Erin Gowen

1998 Courtney Haskell

1998 Darcie Sweet

2001 Nina Vaughan

2002 Nina Vaughan

2003 Lauren Connelly

2003 Katie Cunha

2003 Liz Donohue

2003 Kelly Nelson

2003 Alicia Salas

2003 Jennifer Smith

2003 Kristina Stastny

2004 Lauren Connelly

2004 Emily Neighbour

2004 Alicia Salas

2005 Lauren Connelly

2005 Sarah Jane Connelly

2005 Jennifer Smith

### BIG EAST Academic All-Stars

Brook Buck 2005

Lauren Connelly 2003-05

Sarah Jane Connelly 2002-05

Wendy Crabtree 1996

Katie Cunha 2000-03

Michelle Dasso 1998-2001

Liz Donohue 2003-05

Maggie Donohue 2003

Tiffany Gates 1997

Molly Gavin 1996

Erin Gowen 1996-97

Lindsey Green 2000-02

Kimberly Guy 1999-2001

Jennifer Hall 1996-99

Courtney Haskell 1996-98

Caylan Leslie 2003

Holyn Lord 1996

Emily Neighbour 2003-04

Kelly Nelson 2003-04

Kelley Olson 1998

Alicia Salas 2001-04

Sarah Scaringe 2000

Meredith Siegfried 1996

Jennifer Smith 2003

Kristina Stastny 2003-05

Darcie Sweet 1996-98

Catrina Thompson 2004

Christian Thompson 2004-05

Becky Varnum 2001-02

Nina Vaughan 1999-2002

Marisa Velasco 1999

Sherri Vitale 1996

Kelly Zalinski 1998-2000

# Irish Honors



Alicia Salas was the recipient of the Byron V. Kanaley Award, the Notre Dame Club of St. Joseph Valley Rockne Student-Athlete, and the Notre Dame Monogram Club MVP award in 2003-04, becoming the first Irish women's tennis player to win both of the latter two on multiple occasions.

## Notre Dame Club of St. Joseph Valley Rockne Student-Athlete Award

1990-91	.....Kim Pacella
1991-92	.....Ann Bradshaw
1992-93	.....Lisa Tholen
1993-94	.....Terri Vitale
1994-95	.....Erin Gowen
1995-96	.....Erin Gowen
1996-97	.....Courtney Haskell
1997-98	.....Jennifer Hall
1998-99	.....Jennifer Hall
1999-2000	.....Nina Vaughan
2000-01	.....Nina Vaughan

## Francis Patrick O'Connor Award

First presented in 1993, the Francis Patrick O'Connor Award is named in honor of a former Irish wrestler who died in 1973 following his freshman year at Notre Dame. The award is presented upon nomination of head coaches and is given to one male and one female student-athlete who best display the total embodiment of the true spirit of Notre Dame as exemplified by their contribution and inspiration to their teams and possess such characteristics as caring, courage, confidence, encouragement, humility, honesty, humor, kindness, and patience. More women's tennis players have won the Francis Patrick O'Connor Award than student-athletes from any other sport, including four recipients since 2000.



Christy Faustmann  
1994



Holyn Lord  
1996



Kelly Zalinski  
2000



Michelle Dasso  
2001



Katie Cunha  
2003



Sarah Jane Connelly  
2005

2001-02	.....Nina Vaughan
2002-03	.....Alicia Salas
2003-04	.....Alicia Salas
2004-05	.....Catrina Thompson
2005-06	.....Lauren Connelly

## Most Improved Player

1990-91	.....Melissa Harris
1991-92	.....Lisa Tholen, Catherine McGinley
1992-93	.....Christy Faustmann
1993-94	.....Meredith Siegfried
1994-95	.....Erin Gowen
1995-96	.....Kelley Olson
1996-97	.....Courtney Haskell
1997-2006	.....not awarded

## Notre Dame Academic Honors Program For Student-Athletes

Jennifer Hall ('99)	.....Accounting
Nina Vaughan ('02)	.....Accounting
Katie Cunha ('03)	.....Marketing
Alicia Salas ('04)	.....ALPP/Anthropology

Sarah Jane Connelly ('05)	.....Marketing
Lauren Connelly ('06)	.....Business
Kristina Stastny ('06)	.....Business

## Notre Dame Monogram Club Most Valuable Player

1990-91	.....Melissa Harris
1991-92	.....Lisa Tholen
1992-93	.....Wendy Crabtree, Holyn Lord
1993-94	.....Wendy Crabtree
1994-95	.....Wendy Crabtree
1995-96	.....Jennifer Hall
1996-97	.....Kelly Zalinski
1997-98	.....Michelle Dasso
1998-99	.....Michelle Dasso
1999-2000	.....Michelle Dasso
2000-01	.....Michelle Dasso
2001-02	.....Alicia Salas
2002-03	.....Caylan Leslie
2003-04	.....Alicia Salas
2004-05	.....Lauren Connelly
2005-06	.....Kristina Stastny

## The Kanaley Award

The most prestigious honor awarded to a Notre Dame student-athlete, the Byron V. Kanaley Award has been presented each year since 1927 to senior monogram athletes who have been exemplary as students and leaders.

The awards, presented by the Faculty Board on Athletics, are named in honor of a 1904 Notre Dame graduate who was a member of the Irish baseball team as an undergraduate. Kanaley went on to a successful banking career in Chicago and served the University as a lay trustee from 1915 until his death in 1960. Seven members of the Notre Dame women's tennis team have received the award since 1990, the most of any sport during that span.



Alice Lohrer  
1990



Kim Pacella  
1991



Wendy Crabtree  
1996



Jennifer Hall  
1999



Nina Vaughan  
2002



Alicia Salas  
2004



Lauren Connelly  
2006

## 2006 Quarterfinals

### NCAA First Round

#### South Bend, Ind., May 12

##### #2 Notre Dame 5, [49-64] Valparaiso 0

**Singles:** Catrina Thompson (ND) led Rachel Janssen (V) 6-1, 5-0, aban.; Christian Thompson (ND) def. Jill Dierberg (V) 6-0, 6-1; Brook Buck (ND) def. Whitney Chada (V) 6-0, 6-0; Kelcy Tefft (ND) def. Kate Evangelist (V) 6-0, 6-0; Kristina Stastny (ND) led Charmaine Stanislaw (V) 6-0, 4-1, aban.; Katie Potts (ND) def. Kim Sajevic (V) 6-0, 6-0. **Doubles:** Thompson/Thompson (ND) led Janssen/Jenny Schwartz (V) 6-1, aban.; Buck/Tefft (ND) def. Chada/Evangelist (V) 8-0; Connelly/Stastny (ND) def. Dierberg/Stanislaw (V) 8-0.

### NCAA Second Round

#### South Bend, Ind., May 13

##### #2 Notre Dame 4, [17-32] Michigan 0

**Singles:** Catrina Thompson (ND) def. Kara Delicata (M) 6-0, 6-2; Christian Thompson (ND) led Elizabeth Exon (M) 6-1, 5-1, aban.; Brook Buck (ND) def. Nina Yaftali (M) 6-1, 6-2; Kelcy Tefft (ND) led Debra Streifler (M) 6-1, 5-2, abandoned; Kristina Stastny (ND) vs. Chisako Sugiyama (M) 6-6 (0-0), aban.; Katie Potts (ND) def. Lindsey Howard (M) 6-1, 6-2. **Doubles:** Delicata/Streifler (M) def. Thompson/Thompson (ND) 8-4; Buck/Tefft (ND) def. Allie Shafner/Sugiyama (M) 8-4; Lauren Connelly/Stastny (ND) def. Howard/Yaftali (M) 8-5.

### NCAA Round of 16

#### Stanford, California, May 18

##### #2 Notre Dame 4, #20 Kentucky 0

**Singles:** Kim Coventry (K) led Catrina Thompson (ND) 7-6 (8-6), 3-2, aban.; Christian Thompson (ND) def. Lara Maurer (K) 6-3, 6-1; Brook Buck (ND) led Joelle Schwenk (K) 6-4, 2-0, aban.; Kelcy Tefft (ND) def. Danielle Petrisko (K) 6-1, 6-2; Carolina Escamilla (K) led Kristina Stastny (ND) 6-2, 5-5, abandoned; Katie Potts (ND) def. Jessica Giuggioli (K) 6-3, 6-2. **Doubles:** Thompson/Thompson (ND) led Coventry/Escamilla (K) 8-7, aban.; Buck/Tefft (ND) def. Maurer/Schwenk (K) 8-6; Lauren Connelly/Stastny (ND) def. Petrisko/Caroline Winebrenner (K) 8-5.

### NCAA Quarterfinals

#### Stanford, California, May 19

##### #7 Miami 4, #2 Notre Dame 0

**Singles:** Audra Cohen (M) def. Catrina Thompson (ND) 6-2, 6-1; Melissa Applebaum (M) def. Christian Thompson (ND) 6-3, 6-2; Monika Dancevic (M) def. Brook Buck (ND) 7-5, 6-3; Audrey Banada (M) led Kelcy Tefft (ND) 6-2, aban.; Patricia Starzyk (M) led Kristina Stastny (ND) 6-2, 2-0, aban.; Katie Potts (ND) led Caren Seenauth (M) 6-0, 2-1, aban. **Doubles:** Applebaum/Cohen (M) def. Thompson/Thompson (ND) 8-6; Banada/Dancevic (M) def. Buck/Tefft (ND) 8-2; Lauren Connelly/Stastny (ND) def. Seenauth/Starzyk (M) 8-1.

## 2005 Second Round

### NCAA First Round

#### Evanston, Ill., May 13

##### #23 Notre Dame 4, #46 Iowa 1

**Singles:** Catrina Thompson (ND) def. Meg Racette (I) 6-1, 6-2; Brook Buck (ND) led Hillary Mintz (I) 6-2, 3-6, 4-2, abandoned; Christian Thompson (ND) def. Anastasia Zhukova (I) 7-5, 6-3; Milica Veselinovic (I) def. Lauren Connelly (ND) 6-2, 6-1; Jacqueline Lee (I) led Kristina Stastny (ND) 7-6 (7-5), 2-5, abandoned; Sarah Jane Connelly (ND) def. Hilary Tyler (I) 6-2, 6-2. **Doubles:** Thompson/Thompson (ND) def. Racette/Veselinovic (I) 8-1; Buck/L. Connelly (ND) def. Tyler/Zhukova (I) 8-4; S.J. Connelly/Stastny (ND) led Lee/Mintz (I) 7-5, abandoned.

### NCAA Second Round

#### Evanston, Ill., May 14

##### #6 Northwestern 4, #23 Notre Dame 0

**Singles:** Audra Cohen (NU) def. Catrina Thompson (ND) 6-0, 6-3; Brook Buck (ND) vs. Cristelle Grier (NU) 6-4, 2-6, abandoned; Alexis Prousis (NU) def. Christian Thompson (ND) 6-2, 6-4; Valeria Vladea (NU) def. Lauren Connelly (ND) 6-3, 6-2; Andrea Yung (NU) led Kristina Stastny (ND) 6-4, 1-4, abandoned; Sarah Jane Connelly (ND) led Jamie

Peisel (NU) 6-1, 5-5, abandoned. **Doubles:** Thompson/Thompson (ND) def. Cohen/Grier (NU) 8-3; Prousis/Kristi Roemer (NU) def. Buck/L. Connelly (ND) 9-8 (7-4); Ferial Esseghir/Vladea (NU) def. S.J. Connelly/Stastny (ND) 8-4.

## 2004 Second Round

### NCAA First Round

#### Evanston, Ill., May 15

##### #29 Notre Dame 4, #38 Iowa 1

**Singles:** Alicia Salas (ND) def. Meg Racette (I) 7-6 (7-4), 6-4; Christian Thompson (ND) def. Hillary Mintz (I) 6-3, 6-4; Catrina Thompson (ND) def. Chelsea Glynn (I) 6-4, 6-0; Anastasia Zhukova (I) led Lauren Connelly (ND) 6-3, 5-5, abandoned; Deni Alexandrova (I) def. Kristina Stastny (ND) 6-2, 6-2; Sarah Jane Connelly (ND) led Hilary Tyler (I) 3-6, 6-4, 3-2, abandoned. **Doubles:** Thompson/Thompson (ND) led Mintz/Racette (I) 6-4, abandoned; L. Connelly/Salas (ND) def. Alexandrova/Zhukova (I) 8-5; S.J. Connelly/Emily Neighbours (ND) def. Glynn/Tyler (I) 8-3.

### NCAA Second Round

#### Evanston, Ill., May 16

##### #9 Northwestern 4, #29 Notre Dame 1

**Singles:** Cristelle Grier (NU) def. Alicia Salas (ND) 6-1, 6-1; Christian Thompson (ND) led Jessica Rush (NU) 6-2, 3-6, 2-1, abandoned; Alexis Prousis (NU) def. Catrina Thompson (ND) 7-5, 6-1; Jamie Peisel (NU) def. Lauren Connelly (ND) 6-3, 7-5; Kristina Stastny (ND) def. Andrea Yung (ND) 6-3, 6-2; Connie Chiang (NU) led Sarah Jane Connelly (ND) 7-5, 4-3, abandoned. **Doubles:** Grier/Rush (NU) def. Thompson/Thompson (ND) 9-7; L. Connelly/Salas (ND) def. Peisel/Prousis (NDU) 8-3; Ruth Barnes/Yung (NU) def. S.J. Connelly/Emily Neighbours (ND) 9-8 (7-5).

## 2003 Second Round

### NCAA First Round

#### Nashville, Tenn., May 9

##### #21 Notre Dame 4, #38 Missouri 1

**Singles:** Urska Juric (M) def. Caylan Leslie (ND) 6-4, 6-2; Alicia Salas (ND) def. Katka Sevikova (M) 6-3, 6-2; Kristina Stastny (ND) led Han Kraftov (M) 7-5, 3-2, abandoned; Sarah Jane Connelly (ND) def. Kristina Olshanskaya (M) 6-0, 6-1; Lucie Ruskova (M) led Lauren Connelly (ND) 6-3, 2-5, abandoned; Jennifer Smith (ND) def. Mary Berry (M) 7-5, 6-1. **Doubles:** L. Connelly/Salas (ND) def. Juric/Sevikova (M) 8-5; S.J. Connelly/Stastny (ND) def. Barry/Olshanskaya (M) 8-3; Kraftova/Ruskova (M) def. Leslie/Smith (ND) 8-5.

### NCAA Second Round

#### Nashville, Tenn., May 10

##### #15 Vanderbilt 4, #21 Notre Dame 0

**Singles:** Caylan Leslie (ND) led Sarah Risko (V) 7-6 (7-5), 0-3, abandoned; Aleke Tsoubanos (V) led Alicia Salas (ND) 6-2, 3-5, abandoned; Kelly Schmandt (V) led Kristina Stastny (ND) 7-5, 2-1, abandoned; Audra Falk (V) def. Sarah Jane Connelly (ND) 6-2, 6-2; Ashley Schellhas (V) def. Lauren Connelly (ND) 6-3, 6-3; Annie Menees (V) def. Jennifer Smith (ND) 6-3, 6-1. **Doubles:** L. Connelly/Salas (ND) def. Risko/Tsoubanos (V) 8-4; Falk/Schmandt (V) def. S.J. Connelly/Stastny (ND) 8-2; Menees/Scott (V) def. Leslie/Smith (ND) 8-5.

## 2002 First Round

### NCAA First Round

#### Evanston, Ill., May 11

##### #30 Wisconsin 4, #21 Notre Dame 2

**Singles:** Vanessa Rauh (W) def. Becky Varnum (ND) 7-6 (8-6), 7-6 (7-4); Linde Mues (W) def. Lindsey Green (ND) 6-2, 6-2; Shana McElroy (W) def. Nina Vaughan (ND) 6-2, 6-2;

Katie McGaffigan (W) def. Alicia Salas (ND) 6-4, 2-6, 6-2; Katie Cunha (ND) def. Katie Dougherty (W) 6-2, 6-0; Sarah Jane Connelly (ND) led Lindsay Martin (W) 2-6, 7-6 (7-2), 4-2, abandoned. **Doubles:** Cunha/Green (ND) def. Mues/Lara Vojnov (W) 9-8 (7-3); Varnum/Vaughan (ND) def. Dougherty/Teresa Gonzaga (W) 8-6; McGaffigan/Martin (W) def. Connelly/Salas (ND) 8-5.

## 2001 Round of 16

### NCAA First Round

#### Notre Dame, Ind., May 12

##### #8 Notre Dame 4, Eastern Michigan 0

**Singles:** Michelle Dasso (ND) led Rebecca Hawkins (EMU) 6-3, 4-0, abandoned; Simone Duhme (EMU) led Becky Varnum (ND) 6-1, 2-2, abandoned; Nina Vaughan (ND) led Lisa D'Amelio (EMU) 6-2, 2-2, abandoned; Caylan Leslie (ND) def. Amalia Lincaru (EMU) 6-4, 6-1; Lindsey Green (ND) def. Shari Gamarnik (EMU) 6-1, 6-1; Kimberly Guy (ND) def. Kendra Clark (EMU) 6-1, 6-0. **Doubles:** Dasso/Varnum (ND) def. D'Amelio/Hawkins (EMU) 8-1; Katie Cunha/Guy (ND) vs. Duhme/Gamarnik (EMU) 6-2, abandoned; Green/Vaughan (ND) def. Clark/Lincaru (EMU) 8-2.

### NCAA Second Round

#### Notre Dame, Ind., May 13

##### #8 Notre Dame 4, #51 Tulane 0

**Singles:** Michelle Dasso (ND) led Anna Monhartova (T) 6-2, 3-2, abandoned; Becky Varnum (ND) led Julie Morris (T) 6-2, 2-6, abandoned; Nina Vaughan (ND) def. Joyce Bergman (T) 6-0, 6-3; Caylan Leslie (ND) vs. Nancy Kockott (T) 5-7, 4-1, abandoned; Lindsey Green (ND) def. Maiko Cook (T) 6-1, 6-2; Kimberly Guy (ND) def. Anneli Axsater (T) 6-0, 6-1. **Doubles:** Dasso/Varnum (ND) def. Bergman/Morris (T) 8-1; Katie Cunha/Guy (ND) vs. Axsater/Monhartova (T) 7-7, abandoned; Green/Vaughan (ND) def. Cook/Kockott (T) 9-7.

### NCAA Round of 16

#### Stone Mountain, Ga., May 17

##### #4 Florida 4, #8 Notre Dame 1

**Singles:** Whitney Laiho (F) def. Michelle Dasso (ND) 7-5, 4-6, 6-3; Becky Varnum (ND) vs. Jessica Lehnoff (F) 6-3, 2-6, 3-5, abandoned; Lindsay Dawaf (F) def. Nina Vaughan (ND) 6-3, 6-1; Stephanie Hazlett (F) def. Caylan Leslie (ND) 6-3, 7-5; Lindsey Green (ND) def. Julia Scaringe (F) 6-3, 2-6, 7-5; Kimberly Guy (ND) vs. Annika Bengtsson (F) 6-3, 6-7 (4), 2-3, abandoned. **Doubles:** Laiho/Lehnoff (F) def. Dasso/Varnum (ND) 8-6; Hazlett/Scaringe (F) def. Katie Cunha/Guy (ND) 8-2; Green/Vaughan (ND) vs. Bengtsson/Dawaf (F) 6-6, abandoned.

## 2000 Round of 16

### NCAA First Round

#### Notre Dame, Ind., May 13

##### #13 Notre Dame 5, UIC 0

**Singles:** Michelle Dasso (ND) def. Jacki Farr (UIC) 6-1, 6-2; Becky Varnum (ND) def. Emina Curic (UIC) 6-0, 6-1; Kelly Zalinski (ND) vs. Nicole Derouin (UIC) 5-7, 6-1, 7-6 (4); Nina Vaughan (ND) def. Zorica Malesevic (UIC) 6-2, 6-2; Lindsey Green (ND) def. Zvezdana Malesevic (UIC) 6-1, 6-2; Katie Cunha (ND) def. Alyson Stalzer (UIC) 6-1, 6-0. **Doubles:** Dasso/Varnum (ND) vs. Derouin/Farr (UIC) 8-5; Cunha/Kimberly Guy (ND) vs. Curic/Zorica Malesevic (UIC) 8-3; Green/Zalinski (ND) vs. Kim Harris/Stalzer (UIC) 8-2.

### NCAA Second Round

#### Notre Dame, Ind., May 14

##### #13 Notre Dame 5, #20 South Carolina 1

**Singles:** Michelle Dasso (ND) def. Katarina Markovski (SC) 6-3, 6-4; Becky Varnum (ND) def. Jennifer Radman (SC) 6-1, 6-1; Kelly Zalinski (ND) def. Leigh Eichelberger

## Notre Dame in the NCAA Tournament

The Notre Dame women's tennis team has a long tradition of postseason play, especially since the move to NCAA Division I in 1985-86. The Irish have advanced to the team portion of the NCAA Championships in 13 of the past 14 seasons, including 11 in a row. Notre Dame has advanced to the round of 16 on six occasions, including a pair of appearances in the national quarterfinals in 1996 and 2006. Only once have the Irish failed to win a match in the NCAA tournament.

In its four seasons on the Division II level (1981-82 to 1984-85), Notre Dame was a national power, finishing among the top six in the nation in each campaign. In the final year of AIAW play, the Irish tied for sixth in the national championship in 1982. The following season saw Notre Dame lose to UC Davis in the national semifinals, but rebound to beat Northern Colorado for third place. In 1984, the Irish fell to Tennessee-Chattanooga in the semis, but gained revenge on UC Davis to again claim third place. Notre Dame's final season in Division II saw it reach the title match before losing to Tennessee-Chattanooga.

In their first national tournament experience, the Irish were 22nd in the 1979 AIAW Division III National Championship (played in the fall) before taking 20th in the following season.

(SC) 6-2, 6-1; Nina Vaughan (ND) def. Kathy Boyanovich (SC) 7-5, 7-6 (7-3); Tamara Sutton (SC) def. Lindsey Green (ND) 3-6, 6-1, 6-3; Katie Cunha (ND) led Lynn-Yin Tan (SC) 7-6 (8-6), 5-7, 3-5, abandoned. **Doubles:** Dasso/Varnum (ND) vs. Eichelberger/Tan (SC) did not play; Cunha/Kimberly Guy (ND) vs. Boyanovich/Radman (SC) did not play; Green/Zalinski (ND) def. Markovski/Sutton (SC) 8-2.

#### NCAA Round of 16

##### Malibu, Calif., May 18

#### #4 Florida 5, #13 Notre Dame 0

**Singles:** Michelle Dasso (ND) led Whitney Laiho (F) 6-3, 2-6, 2-1, abandoned; Jessica Lehnoff (F) def. Becky Varnum (ND) 6-2, 6-3; Stephanie Hazlett (F) def. Kelly Zalinski (ND) 6-3, 6-2; Baili Camino (F) def. Nina Vaughan (ND) 6-2, 6-2; Traci Green (F) def. Lindsey Green (ND) 6-4, 6-3; Julia Scaringe (F) def. Katie Cunha (ND) 6-0, 6-3. **Doubles:** Not Played.

### 1999 Second Round

#### NCAA First Round

##### Notre Dame, Ind., May 15

#### #12 Notre Dame 9, UIC 0

**Singles:** Michelle Dasso (ND) def. Sara Jackson (UIC) 6-0, 6-3; Jennifer Hall (ND) def. Serena Xie (UIC) 6-4, 6-1; Marisa Velasco (ND) def. Emina Curic (UIC) 6-0, 6-2; Becky Varnum (ND) def. Jacki Farr (UIC) 6-2, 6-0; Kelly Zalinski (ND) def. Karen Liwanpo (UIC) 6-0, 6-0; Lindsey Green (ND) def. Alyson Stalzer (UIC) 6-1, 6-3. **Doubles:** Dasso/Hall (ND) def. Curic/Jackson (UIC) 8-2; Varnum/Velasco (ND) def. Farr/Xie (UIC) 8-3; Green/Zalinski (ND) def. Kim Harris/Liwanpo (UIC) 8-2.

#### NCAA Second Round

##### Notre Dame, Ind., May 16

#### #38 Iowa 5, #12 Notre Dame 4

**Singles:** Michelle Dasso (ND) def. Toni Neykova (I) 6-4, 6-0; Shera Wiegler (I) def. Jennifer Hall (ND) 7-6 (7-5), 2-6, 6-2; Natalya Dawaf (I) def. Marisa Velasco (ND) 1-6, 6-4, 6-4; Becky Varnum (ND) def. Emily Bampton (I) 7-6 (7-3), 6-2; Kelly Zalinski (ND) def. Erica Johnson (I) 6-2, 6-4; Erin Wolverton (I) def. Lindsey Green (ND) 6-2, 0-6, 6-4. **Doubles:** Neykova/Wiegler (I) def. Dasso/Hall (ND) 8-5; Bampton/Dawaf (I) def. Green/Zalinski (ND) 8-6; Kim Guy/Varnum (ND) def. Johnson/Wolverton (I) 8-5.

### NCAA Division I Team Championship Individual Records

Team Record: 17-13 (8-2 home, 0-3 away, 9-8 neutral)

Name	Singles	Doubles	Total
Michelle Dasso	6-2-3	4-2-1	10-4-4
Lindsey Green	5-4	5-1-2	10-5-2
Marisa Velasco	6-2-1	3-0-1	9-2-2
Becky Varnum	4-2-3	5-1-1	9-3-4
Kelly Zalinski	6-3-1	3-2-3	9-5-4
Nina Vaughan	3-3-1	3-0-1	6-3-2
Alicia Salas	2-2-1	4-1	6-3-1
Kimberly Guy	4-1-1	1-1-3	5-2-4
Wendy Crabtree	4-2	1-0	5-2
Lauren Connelly	0-4-2	9-1	9-5-2
<b>Christian Thompson</b>	<b>4-2-2</b>	<b>2-3-3</b>	<b>6-5-5</b>
<b>Katie Potts</b>	<b>3-0-1</b>	<b>0-0-0</b>	<b>3-0-1</b>
Holyn Lord	3-2-1	1-0	4-2-1
Tiffany Gates	4-1	0-1	4-2
Sarah Jane Connelly	2-1-4	2-4-1	4-5-5
Jennifer Hall	3-6	1-1	4-7
Katie Cunha	2-1-1	1-1-3	3-2-4
Lisa Tholen	2-2	1-0	3-2
<b>Catrina Thompson</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>2-3-3</b>	<b>4-6-3</b>
Kristina Stastny	1-1-8	5-2-1	6-3-9
Christy Faustmann	1-3	1-0	2-3
<b>Brook Buck</b>	<b>2-1-3</b>	<b>4-2-1</b>	<b>6-3-3</b>
<b>Keley Tefft</b>	<b>2-0-2</b>	<b>3-1-0</b>	<b>5-1-2</b>
Molly Gavin	1-1	-	1-1
Erin Gowen	1-1	-	1-1
Emily Neighbours	-	1-1	1-1
Sherri Vitale	1-2-1	0-0-1	1-2-2
Laura Schwab	1-3	0-0-1	1-3-1
Jennifer Smith	1-1	0-2	1-3
Caylan Leslie	1-2-2	0-2	1-4-2
Courtney Haskell	-	0-1-1	0-1-1
Sarah Scaringe	-	0-1	0-1
Darcie Sweet	0-2	-	0-2
Kelley Olson	0-2	0-2-2	0-4-2

Note: Records are wins-losses-matches abandoned. Current players in bold.

### 1998 Regional Final

#### NCAA Midwest Regional First Round

##### Champaign, Ill., May 15

#### #19 Notre Dame 6, #43 Northwestern 2

**Singles:** Katherine Nasser (NU) def. Jennifer Hall (ND) 4-6, 7-6 (2) 6-4; Michelle Dasso (ND) def. Shannon Duffy (NU) 6-1, 6-0; Marisa Velasco (ND) def. Colleen Chang (NU) 6-2, 6-4; Tiffany Gates (ND) def. Laura Guignon (NU) 6-1, 6-1; Kelly Zalinski (ND) def. Robyn Porter (NU) 6-4, 6-2; Kim Guy (ND) def. Leigh Weinraub (NU) 7-5, 6-1. **Doubles:** Gates/Hall (ND) vs. Nasser/Chang (NU) did not play; Dasso/Velasco (ND) def. Duffy/Weinraub (NU) 8-2; Porter/Guignon (NU) def. Kelley Olson/Zalinski (ND) 8-3.

#### NCAA Midwest Regional Semifinals

##### Champaign, Ill., May 16

#### #19 Notre Dame 5, #25 Wisconsin 1

**Singles:** Barbara Urbanska (UW) def. Jennifer Hall (ND) 6-0, 5-7, 6-1; Michelle Dasso (ND) def. Andrea Nathan (UW) 6-3, 5-7, 6-3; Marisa Velasco (ND) def. Tracy Zobrist (UW) 6-3, 3-6, 6-2; Tiffany Gates (ND) def. Marjon Copier (UW) 1-6, 6-3, 6-1; Kelly Zalinski (ND) def. Roz Sweeney (UW) 6-4, 6-3; Kim Guy (ND) def. Dena Baritot (UW) 7-5, 6-2. **Doubles:** Gates/Hall (ND) vs. Urbanska/Copier (UW) did not play; Dasso/Velasco (ND) vs. Zobrist/Nathan (UW) did not play; Kelley Olson/Zalinski (ND) vs. Baritot/April Gabler (NU) abandoned, 4-4.

#### NCAA Midwest Regional Final

##### Champaign, Ill., May 17

#### #14 UCLA 5, #19 Notre Dame 1

**Singles:** Annica Cooper (UCLA) def. Jennifer Hall (ND) 4-6, 6-4, 6-2; Cristina Popescu (UCLA) def. Michelle Dasso (ND) 6-4, 6-1; Marisa Velasco (ND) def. Elizabeth Schmidt (UCLA) 7-6 (2), 6-4; Katie Kocsis (UCLA) def. Tiffany Gates (ND) 6-1, 6-3; Kelly Rudolph (UCLA) def. Kelly Zalinski (ND) 3-6, 6-4, 6-4; Brandi Freudenberg (UCLA) def. Kim Guy (ND) 4-6, 6-1, 6-3. **Doubles:** Not played.

### 1997 Regional Semifinals

#### NCAA Midwest Regional First Round

##### Notre Dame, Ind., May 9

#### #19 Notre Dame 5, #56 Illinois 3

**Singles:** Jennifer Hall (ND) def. Susanne Land (UI) 6-2, 6-1; Marisa Velasco (ND) def. Stacy Schapiro (UI) 6-2, 3-6, 6-4; Tiffany Gates (ND) def. Kara Loffelmacher (UI) 6-2, 3-6, 6-2; Kelly Zalinski (ND) def. Allison Gottlieb (UI) 6-0, 6-1; Jessica Klapper (UI) def. Kelley Olson (ND) 7-5, 4-6, 6-2; Lindsey Bruce (UI) def. Darcie Sweet (ND) 6-3, 0-6, 7-5. **Doubles:** Klapper/Land (UI) def. Gates/Sarah Scaringe (ND); Velasco/Zalinski (ND) def. Bruce/Gottlieb (UI) 8-3; Courtney Haskell/Olson (ND) vs. Schapiro/Loffelmacher (UI) abandoned.

#### NCAA Midwest Regional Semifinals

##### Notre Dame, Ind., May 10

#### #21 Wisconsin 5, #19 Notre Dame 2

**Singles:** Melissa Zimpfer (UW) def. Jennifer Hall (ND) (UI) 6-2, 6-1; Marisa Velasco (ND) def. Barbara Urbanska (UW) 6-3, 6-4; Tiffany Gates (ND) def. Colleen Lucey (UW) 6-4, 5-7, 6-1; Tracy Zobrist (UW) def. Kelly Zalinski (ND) 6-4, 7-5; Andrea Nathan (UW) def. Kelley Olson (ND) 6-1, 6-3; Ros Sweeney (UW) def. Darcie Sweet (ND) 6-2, 6-4. **Doubles:** Gates/Sarah Scaringe (ND) vs. Lucey/Zimpfer (UW) did not play; Velasco/Zalinski (ND) vs. Nathan/Zobrist (UW) abandoned; Urbanska/Woods (UW) def. Courtney Haskell/Olson (ND) 8-1.

### 1996 Quarterfinals

#### NCAA Round of 16

##### Tallahassee, Fla., May 18

#### #10 Notre Dame 5, #9 BYU 0

**Singles:** Jennifer Hall (ND) def. Eline Chiew (BYU) 6-4, 6-2; Holyn Lord (ND) def. Jennifer Saret (BYU) 6-0, 6-3; Wendy Crabtree (ND) def. Angela Jewell (BYU) 6-1, 6-2; Marisa Velasco (ND) vs. Adrien Alder (BYU) abandoned; Erin Gowen (ND) def. Anna Beck (BYU) 6-2, 6-2; Molly Gavin (ND) def. Michelle Domanico (BYU) 6-3, 6-0. **Doubles:** Not played.

#### NCAA Quarterfinals

##### Tallahassee, Fla., May 19

#### #2 Stanford 5, #10 Notre Dame 1

**Singles:** Ania Bleszynski (SU) def. Jennifer Hall (ND) 6-3, 7-5; Holyn Lord (ND) def. Katie Schlukibir (SU) 6-3, 6-4; Sandra DeSilva (SU) def. Wendy Crabtree (ND) 6-4, 6-0; Kim Shasby (SU) def. Marisa Velasco (ND) 6-4, 6-4; Julie



Holyn Lord played No. 2 singles in helping the 1996 Irish to the national quarterfinals – the best result since becoming a Division I program

Scott (SU) def. Erin Gowen (ND) 6-2, 6-2; Amy Chiminello (SU) def. Molly Gavin (ND) 6-3, 6-0. **Doubles:** Not played.

### 1994 Round of 16

#### NCAA First Round

##### Athens, Ga., May 13

#### #20 Notre Dame 5, #16 UC Santa Barbara 3

**Singles:** Wendy Crabtree (ND) def. Jean Okada (UCSB) 0-6, 6-4, 6-4; Lynn Coakley (UCSB) def. Holyn Lord (ND) 4-6, 7-6 (5), 6-0; Laura Rutledge (UCSB) def. Laura Schwab (ND) 7-6 (5), 7-6 (4); Sherri Vitale (ND) def. Kathy Peterson (UCSB) 6-1, 6-1; Amelia White (UCSB) def. Christy Faustmann (ND) 6-0, 6-1; Lisa Tholen (ND) def. Kelly Spencer (UCSB) 6-3, 4-6, 6-3. **Doubles:** Crabtree/Tholen (ND) def. Okada/Peterson (UCSB) 6-4, 6-4; Faustmann/Lord (ND) def. Spencer/White (UCSB) 6-2, 7-6 (4); Schwab/Vitale (ND) vs. Coakley/Rutledge (UCSB) abandoned.

#### NCAA Round of 16

##### Athens, Ga., May 14

#### #4 Stanford 5, #20 Notre Dame 1

**Singles:** Wendy Crabtree (ND) def. Laxmi Poruri (SU) 1-6, 6-4, 6-3; Kristin Kurth (SU) def. Holyn Lord (ND) 6-2, 6-2; Katie Schlukibir (SU) def. Laura Schwab (ND) 6-1, 6-4; Sandra DeSilva (SU) def. Sherri Vitale (ND) 6-0, 6-2; Kim Shasby (SU) def. Christy Faustmann (ND) 6-2, 6-2; Wendy Sacks (SU) def. Lisa Tholen (ND) 6-4, 6-0. **Doubles:** Not played.

### 1993 Round of 16

#### NCAA First Round

##### Gainesville, Fla., May 12

#### #19 Notre Dame 5, #19 Alabama 0

**Singles:** Wendy Crabtree (ND) def. Jenny Whalen (A) 7-5, 6-1; Sherri Vitale (ND) vs. Titia Wilmink (A) abandoned; Christy Faustmann (ND) def. Lori Smith (A) 6-4, 6-2; Lisa Tholen (ND) def. Marouschka Van Dijk (A) 6-4, 6-0; Holyn Lord (ND) def. Amy Mascotti (A) 6-0, 6-2; Laura Schwab (ND) def. Chrissie Carter (A) 6-4, 6-2. **Doubles:** Not played.

#### NCAA Second Round

##### Gainesville, Fla., May 13

#### #2 Stanford 5, #19 Notre Dame 0

**Singles:** Laxmi Poruri (SU) def. Wendy Crabtree (ND) 6-3, 7-5; Heather Willens (SU) def. Sherri Vitale (ND) 6-2, 6-1; Kim Shasby (SU) def. Christy Faustmann (ND) 6-2, 6-4; Kristine Kurth (SU) def. Lisa Tholen (ND) 6-1, 7-5; Holyn Lord (ND) def. Beth Burris (SU) abandoned; Amy Chiminello (SU) def. Laura Schwab (ND) 6-4, 6-3. **Doubles:** Not played.

### 2006

#### **Catrina Thompson (second round)**

1st: d. Margarita Karnaukhova (Sacramento State) 2-6, 6-1, 6-2  
2nd: l. Zuzana Zemenova (Baylor) 6-3, 6-2

### 2005

#### **Catrina Thompson (second round)**

1st: d. Sophia Capannolo (Arizona State) 6-0, 6-2  
2nd: l. Chloe Carlotti (Mississippi) 6-2, 6-7 (5-7), 6-2

### 2004

#### **Alicia Salas (withdrew)**

### 2003

#### **Caylan Leslie (first round)**

1st: l. Candice Fuchs (William & Mary) 6-4, 1-6, 6-0

#### **Alicia Salas (first round)**

1st: l. Cristelle Grier (Northwestern) 7-5, 6-0

### 2001

#### **Michelle Dasso [4] (semifinals)**

1st: d. Marlene Mejia (North Carolina) 6-2, 6-1  
2nd: d. Lenka Zacharova (Weber State) 5-7, 6-3, 6-0  
Rd. of 16: d. [9-16] Kristina Kraszewski (Washington) 6-7 (3-7), 7-6 (7-1), 6-4  
Quarters: d. Kristy Dascoli (Ohio State) 6-3, 3-6, 7-5  
Semis: l. [1] Laura Granville (Stanford) 6-2, 6-3

### 2000

#### **Michelle Dasso (first round)**

1st: l. [9-16] Jewel Peterson (USC) 1-6, 7-6 (7-2), 6-3

### 1999

#### **Michelle Dasso [8] (first round)**

1st: l. Katarina Valkyova (San Diego) 0-6, 7-5, 6-4

#### **Jennifer Hall (first round)**

1st: l. Francesca La'O (California) 6-2, 6-2

### 1998

#### **Michelle Dasso (first round)**

1st: l. Michelle O (William & Mary) 4-6, 6-4, 6-4

#### **Jennifer Hall (first round)**

1st: l. Barbara Urbanska (Wisconsin) 6-3, 6-3

### 1997

#### **Jennifer Hall (second round)**

1st: d. Lauren Nikolaus (William & Mary) 6-7 (1-7), 6-3, 7-6 (7-5)  
2nd: l. M.C. White (Florida) 6-2, 6-2

### 1996

#### **Jennifer Hall [9-16] (round of 16)**

1st: d. Karen Goldstein (Arizona State) 7-5, 6-3  
2nd: d. Michelle Anderson (Georgia) 6-4, 6-4  
Rd. of 16: l. [4] Jill Craybas (Florida) 6-1, 6-1

### 1995

#### **Wendy Crabtree (second round)**

1st: d. Nora Koves (Kansas) 4-6, 7-5, 7-5  
2nd: l. [7] Kori Davidson (Arizona State) 6-3, 6-4

### 1994

#### **Holyn Lord (second round)**

1st: d. Jean Okada (UC Santa Barbara) 2-6, 6-4, 7-6 (7-5)  
2nd: l. Jana Strnadova (Syracuse) 6-3, 6-3

#### **Wendy Crabtree (first round)**

1st: l. Keri Phebus (UCLA) 6-3, 6-1

### 1993

#### **Wendy Crabtree (second round)**

1st: d. [9-16] Kim Shasby (Stanford) 6-7 (4-7), 7-6 (7-5), 6-4  
2nd: l. Jackie Moe (Texas) 7-6 (7-5), 6-1

### 1992

#### **Melissa Harris (first round)**

1st: l. [4] Erica de Lone (Harvard) 6-4, 6-4

### 1991

#### **Melissa Harris (second round)**

1st: d. Lindsay Matthews (Northwestern) 6-3, 4-6, 6-2  
2nd: l. [9-16] Andrea Farley (Florida) 6-0, 6-1

#### **Tracy Barton (first round)**

1st: l. [2] Debbie Graham (Stanford) 6-3, 6-2

### 1990

#### **Tracy Barton (first round)**

1st: l. Mariette Verbruggen (Miami, Fla.) 1-6, 7-5, 6-3

### 1988

#### **CeCe Cahill (first round)**

1st: l. Katy Tittle (Stanford) 7-6 (7-3), 6-3

Notre Dame players have been regular participants in the NCAA Singles and Doubles Championships since moving to the Division I level. The Irish have had at least one player earn a berth in the NCAA singles tournament in 17 of the last 19 seasons. On five occasions, a pair of Irish competitors earned invitations to the event. In 1992, Melissa Harris became the first Notre Dame player to win a match in the NCAA. In her fourth consecutive singles appearance in 2001, former Notre Dame assistant coach Michelle Dasso

reached the semifinals, marking the best finish ever for an Irish player.

In doubles play, Wendy Crabtree and Lisa Tholen made history when they became the first Irish duo to play in the NAAs, in 1993. In '94, they advanced to the final eight to earn All-America honors. Jennifer Hall and Tiffany Gates matched Crabtree and Tholen with their '98 quarterfinal appearance, with Hall and Dasso also reaching the quarters in '99. Dasso made return trips to the tournament in 2000

and '01 with Becky Varnum. The Irish have had at least one entrant in each of the NCAA Doubles Championship in 13 of the last 14 years. The Thompson twins, Christian and Catrina, became the first Irish duo to reach the tournament three times.

In the early days of the program, the Irish excelled in the AIAW national championships. Laura Lee, just a freshman at the time, won the national title at No. 5 singles in 1982, while Pam Fischette was the runner-up at No. 3 singles the same year.

## Irish in the NCAA Division I Doubles Championship

### 2006

#### **Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson (first round)**

1st: l. Luana Magnani/Lindsey Nelson (USC) 6-3, 6-7 (4), 7-6 (2)

### 2005

#### **Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson (round of 16)**

1st: d. Zsuzsanna Fodor/Anastasia Kugakolova (Mississippi State) 6-3, 6-1  
Rd. of 16: l. Ana Cetnik/Story Tweedie-Yates (TCU) 6-1, 6-2

### 2004

#### **Catrina Thompson/Christian Thompson (round of 16)**

1st: d. Cynthia Goulet/Jennifer McGaffigan (Illinois) 2-6, 6-2, 6-2  
Rd. of 16: l. Megan Muth/Amy Wei (William & Mary) 7-5, 4-6, 6-2

### 2002

#### **Katie Cunha/Lindsey Green (first round)**

1st: l. [2] Janet Bergman/Bea Bielak (Wake Forest) 6-3, 6-2

### 2001

#### **Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum [5-8] (round of 16)**

1st: d. Nataly Cahana/Ana Radeljevic (Old Dominion) 6-0, 7-5  
Rd. of 16: l. Kristy Dascoli/Monica Rincon (Ohio State) 6-0, 6-4

### 2000

#### **Michelle Dasso/Becky Varnum (round of 16)**

1st: d. Viviana Mrcanova/Angela Stroup (Oklahoma) 6-1, 5-7, 7-6 (7-3)  
Rd. of 16: l. Paola Palencia/Ipek Senoglu (Pepperdine) 6-3, 6-4

### 1999

#### **Michelle Dasso/Jennifer Hall [5-8] (quarterfinals)**

1st: d. Katarina Markovski/Celine Regnier (South Carolina) 6-1, 6-0  
Rd. of 16: d. Kaysie Smashey/Sandy Sureephong (Texas) 7-5, 6-4  
Quarters: l. [1] Vanessa Castellano/Marissa Catlin (Georgia) 6-3, 6-4

### 1998

#### **Tiffany Gates/Jennifer Hall (quarterfinals)**

1st: d. Alison Nash/Celene McCoury (Arizona State) 3-6, 6-3, 6-3  
Rd. of 16: d. Jennifer Embry/Mary Beth Maggart (Purdue) 4-6, 6-4, 6-3  
Quarters: l. [2] Vanessa Webb/Karen Goldstein (Duke) 6-1, 6-2

### 1997

#### **Tiffany Gates/Jennifer Hall (round of 16)**

1st: d. Kim Schiff/Anne Plessingler (Vanderbilt) 6-1, 0-6, 6-4  
Rd. of 16: l. [5-8] Courtney Chapman/Agnes Muzamel (Mississippi State) 4-6, 6-2, 6-2

### 1996

#### **Wendy Crabtree/Holyn Lord (first round)**

1st: l. [1] Dawn Buth/Stephanie Nickitas (Florida) 6-1, 6-2

### 1995

#### **Wendy Crabtree/Holyn Lord (round of 16)**

1st: d. Alison Cohen/Jens Fiers (Virginia) 7-5, 6-4  
Rd. of 16: l. [1] Keri Phebus/Susie Starrett (UCLA) 6-4, 6-3

### 1994

#### **Wendy Crabtree/Lisa Tholen (quarterfinals)**

1st: d. [8] Michelle Oldham/Celine Verdier (Arizona) 6-3, 6-4  
Rd. of 16: d. Jane Chi/Jenny Hilt (UCLA) 6-4, 2-6, 7-6 (7-5)  
Quarters: l. Marie-Laure Bougnol/Pascale Piquemal (Mississippi) 6-2, 6-3

### 1993

#### **Wendy Crabtree/Lisa Tholen (first round)**

1st: l. Marie-Laure Bougnol/Pascale Piquemal (Mississippi) 4-6, 6-1, 7-5