

## **2011 Rice Volleyball Quick Facts**

### **University Information**

**Location:** Houston, Texas

**Founded:** 1891

**Enrollment:** 5,760

**Nickname:** Owls

**Mascot:** Sammy the Owl

**Colors:** Blue (Pantone 281c) and Gray (Pantone 428c)

**Conference:** Conference USA

**Facility:** Tudor Fieldhouse (5,750)

**University Area Code:** 713

### **University Personnel**

**President:** David W. Leebron (Harvard, 1976)

**Faculty Representative:** tba

**Athletics Director:** Rick Greenspan (Maryland, 1975)

**Athletics Phone Number:** 348-6920

**Ticket Office Phone Number:** 522-OWLS (6957)

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### **Volleyball Information**

**2010 Record:** 16-16

**2010 Conference USA Record/Place:** 11-9/5th

**2010 Post-season:** n/a

**Starters R/L:** 4/2

**Letterwinners R/L:** 10/4

**Newcomers:** 5

### **Conference Affiliations:**

Conference USA (2005-present)

Western Athletic Conference (1996-2004)

Southwest Conference (1982-1995)

**All-Time Record:** 558-526 (31 years)

**All-Time C-USA Record:** 54-45 (6 years)

**All-Time C-USA Championship Record:** 5-4

**C-USA Championships:** 1 (2009)

**All-Time WAC Record:** 69-57 (1996-2004)

**All-Time WAC Championship Record:** 3-6 (6 appearances)

**All-Time SWC Record:** 33-104 (14 years)

**All-Time SWC Championship Record:** 0-4 (4 appearances)

**NCAA Championship Appearances:** 2009 (0-1); 2008 (0-1); 2004 (0-1)

**Coaching Staff**

**Head Coach:** Genny Volpe (Texas A&M, 1995)

**School Record:** 129-86, seven years

**Overall Record:** same

**Office Phone:** 348-8884

**Assistant:** Melissa Ferris (Arizona, 1996; seventh season)

**Office Phone:** 348-8883

**Assistant Coach:** Russell Brock (Southern Cal, 1996; sixth season)

**Office Phone:** 348-4795

**Athletic Trainer:** Mary Bruckner (Texas, 2009; third season)

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