

2013 SETON HALL MEN'S SOCCER QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	South Orange, NJ 07079
Founded	1856
Enrollment	9,700
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	BIG EAST
Nickname	Pirates
Colors	Blue and White
Home Field (Capacity)	Owen T. Carroll Field (1,800)
President	Dr. A. Gabriel Esteban
Director of Athletics	Patrick Lyons
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MEN'S SOCCER COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Gerson Echeverry
Alma Mater/Year	Seton Hall/1994
Record at Seton Hall/Years	6-12/Second Season
Career Record/Years	6-12/1
Assistant Coaches	Vincent Marcotrigiano (George Mason '97) Kobie Johnson (Seton Hall '99) Mark Williams (Montclair State '94)
Director of Operations	Jason Israel (Connecticut '12)
Office Phone	(973) 761-9693

TEAM INFORMATION

2012 Record	6-12-0
BIG EAST Record/Finish	2-6/5th Blue Division
Postseason	BIG EAST 1st Round
Players Returning/Lost	20/5
Starters Returning/Lost	10/1
Newcomers	5
Key Offensive Returners	Max Garcia (Sr., F, 7G, 3A, 17 Pts) George Velasquez (Sr., F, 4G, 3A, 11 Pts) Christian Battistesa (Jr., M/D, 2G, 1A, 5 Pts) Konrad Plewa (Jr., M, 5A, 5 Pts)
Key Defensive Returners	Mateusz Breła (Jr., D, 18GP, 1591 Min.) Julian Kennedy (So., D, 18GP, 1621 Min.)
Starters Lost	Michael Kuzan (Sr., GK, 11 GP, 1.81 GAA, .762 SV%)

PROGRAM HISTORY

All-Time Record	451-466-97
All-Time BIG EAST Record	116-99-24
BIG EAST Tournament Appearances (Last)	21 (2012)
BIG EAST Championships	4 (1986, 1987, 1988, 1991)
All-Time BIG EAST Tournament Record	14-13-6
NCAA Tournament Appearances (Last)	11 (2005)
All-Time NCAA Tournament Record	5-11-1

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2013 SETON HALL UNIVERSITY MEN'S SOCCER NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown (High School)
0	Julian Spindler	GK	6-4	190	Fr.	Weiersbach, Germany (Heinrich-Heine Gymnasium)
00	Mario DeClerico	GK	5-10	170	Jr.	Maple Shade, N.J. (Holy Cross)
1	Kevin Bonder	GK	5-11	187	Sr.	Whippany, N.J. (Whippany Park)
2	Shawn Morrison	M	5-10	160	Fr.	York, Pa. (Central York)
3	Mateusz Brela	D	6-1	170	Jr.	Kielce, Poland (St. Peter's Prep)
4	Konrad Plewa	M	6-3	169	Jr.	Maniowy, Poland (Wallington)
5	Bolu Akinyode	M	6-0	181	Jr.	Lagos, Nigeria (Red Bulls U18)
6	Samuel Geiler	M	6-0	165	Fr.	Offenberg, Germany (Heinrich-Heine Gymnasium)
7	Danny Bartok	F	6-1	175	RS-Fr.	Union, N.J. (Union)
8	Kai Greene	M	5-8	154	Jr.	South Orange, N.J. (Columbia)
9	George Velasquez	F	5-9	170	Sr.	Union City, N.J. (Don Bosco Prep)
10	Victor Manosalvas	M	5-7	141	RS-Jr.	Clifton, N.J. (Clifton)
11	Max Garcia	F	5-9	163	Sr.	Jersey City, N.J. (Dickinson)
12	Lucas Della Ventura	M	6-0	162	So.	Brookline, Mass. (Brookline)
13	Max Moog	M	5-10	160	So.	Newfoundland, N.J. (Morristown Beard)
14	Chris Garcia	D	5-9	145	Sr.	Rutherford, N.J. (St. Benedict's)
15	Eric Lagg	M	5-10	170	So.	Lafayette, N.J. (Pope John XXIII)
16	Alex Megna	M	5-10	160	Jr.	Hales Corners, Wis. (Marquette University High)
17	Jason Wellington	D	5-10	159	Jr.	West Palm Beach, Fla. (American Heritage School-Boca)
18	Andrew LoManto	M	5-10	159	Jr.	Massepequa Park, N.Y. (St. Anthony's)
19	Julian Kennedy	D	6-4	200	So.	Nindorf, Germany (International School)
20	John Gurel	F	6-0	170	Sr.	Istanbul, Turkey (New Dorp)
23	Jeremy Witherspoon	F	6-1	205	Jr.	South Orange, N.J. (Columbia)
24	Christian Battistesa	D	5-9	154	Sr.	South Bound Brook, N.J. (Red Bulls U18)
25	Kevin Matthews	M	5-6	130	Sr.	Ambler, Pa. (Wissahickon)
28	Brandon Barnes	GK	6-2	185	Fr.	Cary, Ill. (Prairie Ridge)

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17	Jason Wellington	D	5-10	159	Jr.	West Palm Beach, Fla. (American Heritage School-Boca)
23	Jeremy Witherspoon	F	6-1	205	Jr.	South Orange, N.J. (Columbia)

2013 SETON HALL PIRATES MEN'S SOCCER



2013-14 SETON HALL MEN'S SOCCER

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
Friday, Aug. 23	COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY (Exhibition)	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	3:00 PM
Tuesday, Aug. 27	BLOOMFIELD COLLEGE (Exhibition)	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	7:00 PM
Friday, Aug. 30	UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	7:00 PM
Sunday, Sept. 1	DREXEL UNIVERSITY	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	1:00 PM
Friday, Sept 6	at Monmouth University	West Long Branch, N.J.	7:00 PM
Tuesday, Sept. 10	UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	7:00 PM
Friday, Sept. 13	at George Mason University	Fairfax, Va.	7:00 PM
Sunday, Sept. 15	at Princeton University	Princeton, N.J.	2:00 PM
Saturday, Sept. 21	BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	1:00 PM
Saturday, Sept. 28	at Providence College*	Providence, R.I.	1:00 PM
Wednesday, Oct. 2	at Rider University	Lawrenceville, N.J.	7:00 PM
Saturday, Oct. 5	at Georgetown University*	Washington, D.C.	1:00 PM
Wednesday, Oct. 9	VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY*	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	7:00 PM
Saturday, Oct. 12	BUTLER UNIVERSITY*	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	1:00 PM
Wednesday, Oct. 16	NEW JERSEY INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	7:00 PM
Saturday, Oct. 19	DEPAUL UNIVERSITY*	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	1:00 PM
Wednesday, Oct. 23	at Xavier University	Cincinnati, Ohio	7:00 PM
Saturday, Oct. 26	CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY*	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	1:00 PM
Saturday, Nov. 2	at Marquette University*	Milwaukee, Wis.	7:00 PM
Friday, Nov. 8	ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY*	SOUTH ORANGE, N.J.	3:00 PM
	BIG EAST Quarterfinals		
Tuesday, Nov. 12	TBA	Site: Higher Seed Campus	TBA
	BIG EAST Semifinals		
Friday, Nov. 15	TBA	TBA	TBA
	BIG EAST Finals		
Sunday, Nov. 17	TBA	TBA	TBA

* BIG EAST Game

All home games in **BOLD CAPS** at Owen T. Carroll Field.

All dates and times are subject to change.



HEAD COACH GERSON ECHEVERRY

Second Season • Seton Hall '94

Gerson Echeverry begins his second season as the head men's soccer coach at Seton Hall University and his impact guiding the Pirates has already begun to take shape.

Echeverry was a standout former student-athlete at Seton Hall from 1990-93 and assistant coach for five seasons under longtime Pirate head coach Manfred Schellscheidt (2002-06).

In just his first season as head coach at Seton Hall Echeverry led the Pirates to a berth in the BIG EAST Tournament for the first time since 2007, and during the regular season the Hall picked up an upset victory over No. 19 Monmouth.

Echeverry returned to Seton Hall after spending three years as an assistant coach for the United States Soccer Federation Under-17 men's national team and residency program in Bradenton, Fla. His credentials include success as a coach and player at collegiate, professional and international levels.

With the U.S. Under-17 national team, Echeverry planned and implemented training sessions for midfielders and forwards, evaluated future prospects for the residency team and U-17 men's national team, and served as the head coach for the U-16 men's national team in the Mondial Minimes International Tournament in Montague, France.

For five years, Echeverry served as the top assistant coach for the Seton Hall men's soccer program posting an overall record of 47-38-12 during his tenure. Seton Hall advanced to the BIG EAST Championship game in 2004 and earned three-straight NCAA Tournament berths from 2003-05.

As a player Echeverry stands as one of the finest to ever wear a Seton Hall uniform. He ranks fourth in school history with 114 points, third with 32 assists and sixth with 41 goals.

Echeverry's 1991 campaign still ranks as one of the best single-season performances in program history. That year, he finished the season third in the nation with 52 points while leading the Pirates to the BIG EAST Championship. For his efforts, Echeverry was named the Most Outstanding Player of the BIG EAST Championship, BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Year and a Third-Team All-American.

Following his collegiate career, Echeverry played professionally in Colombia as well as with the NY/NJ Metro Stars and D.C. United of Major League Soccer. He holds a professional U.S. Soccer Federation "A" license.

Echeverry and his wife, Sheila, have two children, their daughter Amelia Rose and son Santiago.



Seton Hall Combined Team Statistics (as of Dec 04, 2012)

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All Games	6 - 12 - 0	5 - 4 - 0	1 - 7 - 0	0 - 1 - 0
Conference	2 - 6 - 0	2 - 2 - 0	0 - 4 - 0	0 - 0 - 0
Non-conference	4 - 6 - 0	3 - 2 - 0	1 - 3 - 0	0 - 1 - 0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	##	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gwg	pk-att
08/24/12	SAINT PETER'S COLLEGE	L 1-3	1800	11	Max Garcia	18	7	3	17	62	.113	25	.403	2	2-2
08/27/12	ARMY	W 2-0	1013	9	George Velasquez	18	4	3	11	22	.182	12	.545	2	0-0
08/31/12	PRINCETON	L 1-2	1123	24	Christian Battistesa	18	2	1	5	11	.182	5	.455	0	0-0
09/03/12	RIDER UNIVERSITY	Wot 2-1	468	4	Konrad Plewa	14	0	5	5	10	.000	6	.600	0	0-0
09/07/12	at Old Dominion	L 0-6	1097	10	Adriano Gabriele	6	1	0	2	4	.250	3	.750	1	1-1
09/09/12	vs Virginia Commonwealth	L 1-5	119	18	Andrew LoManto	14	1	0	2	3	.333	2	.667	1	0-0
09/14/12	MONMOUTH (NJ)	W 1-0	421	20	John Gurel	18	1	0	2	25	.040	11	.440	0	0-0
09/19/12	at Delaware	W 2-1	300	15	Eric Lagg	18	1	0	2	7	.143	4	.571	0	0-0
09/22/12	at Syracuse	L 0-1	1200	8	Kai Greene	16	1	0	2	11	.091	5	.455	0	0-0
10/03/12	PROVIDENCE	W 2-1	419	14	Chris Garcia	17	0	1	1	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10/06/12	PITTSBURGH	W 4-1	328	12	Lucas Della Ventura	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10/09/12	at NJIT	L 0-1	323	0	Michael Kuzan	11	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10/13/12	NOTRE DAME	L 1-6	579	17	Jason Wellington	17	0	0	0	5	.000	1	.200	0	0-0
10/17/12	at Connecticut	L 0-4	2926	16	Pasquale Suriano	1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10/20/12	at Marquette	L 0-2	317	23	Jeremy Witherspoon	4	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10/24/12	GEORGETOWN	L 0-2	203	13	Damian Bziukiewicz	3	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
10/27/12	at Georgetown	L 0-1	529	25	Kevin Matthews	13	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
11/01/12	at Villanova	L 1-3	348	3	Mateusz Brela	18	0	0	0	4	.000	2	.500	0	0-0

TEAM STATISTICS **SHU** **Opponents**

SHOT STATISTICS	SHU	Opponents
Goals-shot attempts	18-191	40-273
Goals score per game	1.00	2.22
Shot pct.	.094	.147
Shots on goal-attempts	88-191	132-273
SOG pct.	.461	.484
Shots/game	10.61	15.17
Assists	13	39

GOAL BREAKDOWN	SHU	Opponents
Total goals	18	40
Penalties	3	0
Unassisted	6	7
Overtime	1	0
Goals scored average	1.00	2.22

CORNER KICKS	74	112
OFFSIDES	33	47
PENALTY KICKS	3-3	0-2
Yellow cards	20	13
Red cards	0	0

ATTENDANCE	SHU	Opponents
Total	6354	7040
Dates/Avg Per Date	9/706	8/880
Neutral Site #/Avg	1/119	

Seton Hall	18	18	13	49	191	.094	88	.461	6	3-3
Opponents	18	40	39	119	273	.147	132	.484	12	0-2

## Goalie	gp	min	ga	gaavg	saves	%	w	l	t	sho	Ssho
0 Michael Kuzan	11	990	20	1.82	64	.762	3	8	0	1	0
1 Kevin Bonder	7	630	20	2.86	25	.556	3	4	0	1	0
Total	18	1620	40	2.22	92	.697	6	12	0	2	0
Opponents	18	1620	18	1.00	70	.795	12	6	0	7	1

Goals By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	13	4	1		18
Opponents	15	25	0		40

Shots By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	103	86	2		191
Opponents	118	155	0		273

Saves By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	37	55	0		92
Opponents	31	38	1		70

Corners By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	34	40	0		74
Opponents	48	64	0		112

Fouls By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	101	101	0		202

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Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All Games	2 - 6 - 0	2 - 2 - 0	0 - 4 - 0	0 - 0 - 0
Conference	2 - 6 - 0	2 - 2 - 0	0 - 4 - 0	0 - 0 - 0
Non-conference	0 - 0 - 0	0 - 0 - 0	0 - 0 - 0	0 - 0 - 0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	##	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gwg	pk-att
09/22/12	at Syracuse	L 0-1	1200	9	George Velasquez	8	4	2	10	13	.308	8	.615	2	0-0
10/03/12	PROVIDENCE	W 2-1	419	11	Max Garcia	8	1	2	4	24	.042	8	.333	0	0-0
10/06/12	PITTSBURGH	W 4-1	328	24	Christian Battistesa	8	1	1	3	7	.143	2	.286	0	0-0
10/13/12	NOTRE DAME	L 1-6	579	20	John Gurel	8	1	0	2	7	.143	5	.714	0	0-0
10/17/12	at Connecticut	L 0-4	2926	4	Konrad Plewa	8	0	2	2	2	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10/20/12	at Marquette	L 0-2	317	14	Chris Garcia	8	0	1	1	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10/24/12	GEORGETOWN	L 0-2	203	25	Kevin Matthews	6	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10/27/12	at Georgetown	L 0-1	529	19	Julian Kennedy	8	0	0	0	2	.000	2	1.000	0	0-0

TEAM STATISTICS

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SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-shot attempts	7-73	18-129
Goals score per game	.88	2.25
Shot pct.	.096	.140
Shots on goal-attempts	32-73	60-129
SOG pct.	.438	.465
Shots/game	9.13	16.13
Assists	8	21

GOAL BREAKDOWN

Total goals	7	18
Penalties	0	0
Unassisted	0	1
Overtime	0	0
Goals scored average	.88	2.25

CORNER KICKS

CORNER KICKS	28	58
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OFFSIDES

OFFSIDES	14	24
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PENALTY KICKS

PENALTY KICKS	0-0	0-2
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Yellow cards	7	3
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Red cards	0	0
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ATTENDANCE

Total	1529	4972
Dates/Avg Per Date	4/382	4/1243
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

0	Michael Kuzan	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
23	Jeremy Witherspoon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
15	Eric Lagg	8	0	0	0	5	0	0	5	.000	2	.400	0	0-0
18	Andrew LoManto	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
3	Mateusz Brela	8	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	.000	1	.333	0	0-0
17	Jason Wellington	7	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
5	Bolu Akinyode	8	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	.000	2	.667	0	0-0
8	Kai Greene	8	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	.000	2	.500	0	0-0
1	Kevin Bonder	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
Seton Hall		8	7	8	22	73	.096	32	.438	2	0-0			
Opponents		8	18	21	57	129	.140	60	.465	6	0-2			

##	Goalie	gp	min	ga	gaavg	saves	%	w	l	t	sho	Ssho
0	Michael Kuzan	4	360	6	1.50	28	.824	0	4	0	0	0
1	Kevin Bonder	4	360	12	3.00	13	.520	2	2	0	0	0
Total		8	720	18	2.25	42	.700	2	6	0	0	0
Opponents		8	720	7	.88	25	.781	6	2	0	5	0

Goals By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	6	1			7
Opponents	7	11			18

Shots By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	42	31			73
Opponents	61	68			129

Saves By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	18	24			42
Opponents	8	17			25

Corners By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	11	17			28
Opponents	22	36			58

Fouls By Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Seton Hall	42	38			80
Opponents	25	46			71