

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA

# VOLLEYBALL

2010



*Screaming*  
**EAGLES**  
University of Southern Indiana

## 2010 Schedule

DATE	OPPONENTS	TIME
	<b>UWF Comfort Inn-vitational</b> Pensacola, FL	
Fri., Sept. 3	Friday, September 3 — Saturday, September 4 at West Florida	11:30 a.m.
	Wilmington (Del.)	4:30 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 4	Puerto Rico-Rio Piedras	9:30 a.m.
	Alabama-Huntsville	3:30 p.m.
	<b>UMSL Triton Classic</b> St. Louis, MO	
Fri., Sept. 10	Friday, September 10 — Saturday, September 11 Truman State	10 a.m.
	Minnesota-Crookston	3 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 11	Washburn	11:30 a.m.
	Harding	4:30 p.m.
<b>Tue., Sept. 14</b>	<b>Kentucky State</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
<b>Fri., Sept. 17</b>	<b>Northern Kentucky*</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat., Sept. 18</b>	<b>Bellarmine*</b>	<b>3 p.m.</b>
Fri., Sept. 24	at Rockhurst*	7 p.m.
Sat., Sept. 25	at Drury*	3 p.m.
<b>Tue., Sept. 28</b>	<b>Kentucky Wesleyan*</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
<b>Fri., Oct. 1</b>	<b>Maryville*</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
Sun., Oct. 3	at North Alabama	1 p.m.
Fri., Oct. 8	at Saint Joseph's*	7 p.m.
Sat., Oct. 9	at Indianapolis*	2 p.m.
<b>Tue., Oct. 12</b>	<b>Oakland City</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
	<b>GLVC/GLIAC Crossover</b> Aurora, IL	
	Friday, October 15 — Saturday, October 16	
<b>Fri., Oct. 22</b>	<b>Wisconsin-Parkside*</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat., Oct. 23</b>	<b>Lewis*</b>	<b>3 p.m.</b>
Fri., Oct. 29	at Missouri S&T*	7 p.m.
Sat., Oct. 30	at Missouri-St. Louis*	3 p.m.
<b>Fri., Nov. 5</b>	<b>Quincy*</b>	<b>7 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat., Nov. 6</b>	<b>Illinois-Springfield*</b>	<b>3 p.m.</b>
	<b>Great Lakes Valley Conference Tournament</b> Friday, November 12 — Sunday, November 14 Site to be Determined (hosted by top seed)	
	<b>NCAA II Midwest Regional Tournament</b> Thursday, November 18 — Sunday, November 21 Site to be determined (hosted by top seed)	
	<b>NCAA II Elite Eight</b> Thursday, December 2 — Saturday, December 4 Louisville, KY (NCAA II Fall Sports Festival)	

All times are Central. **Home Matches in BOLD**; \*Denotes GLVC Match.

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• 2010 VOLLEYBALL QUICK FACTS •

**USI Screaming Eagles Quick Facts**

Name of School: University of Southern Indiana  
 Location: Evansville, IN (population 280,000–metro area)  
 Founded: 1965  
 Enrollment: 10,516 (Fall 2009)  
 Nickname: Screaming Eagles  
 School Colors: Red, White, and Blue  
 Home Arena/capacity: Physical Activities Center/2,278  
 Conference: Great Lakes Valley  
 Affiliation: NCAA II  
 President: Dr. Linda L.M. Bennett  
 Alma mater, yr.: Cincinnati, '74  
 Director of Athletics: Jon Mark Hall  
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 Web site: www.gousieagles.com

**USI Volleyball History**

First year of volleyball: 1980  
 Overall All-Time record: 511-425 (.546)  
 Years in NCAA II Tournament/last: 2/2004  
 NCAA Tournament Record: 2-2  
 Last post-season opponent: Northwood  
 Result: L 0-3

**Coaching Staff**

Head Coach: Leah Mercer  
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 E-mail: lamercer@usi.edu  
 Best time to reach Coach Mercer: Mornings  
 Record at USI: 87-67 (5 years)  
 GLVC Record: 47-35 (5 years)  
 Assistant Coach: Rashinda Reed  
 Alma mater, yr.: Georgia, '05  
 Phone: 812/464-1789  
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**Team Information**

2009 Overall Record: 18-14  
 Home/Road/Neutral Record: 3-3/8-3/7-8  
 GLVC Record (Finish): 9-5 (6th)  
 GLVC Tournament Finish: t-3rd  
 Starters returning/lost: 2+libero/4  
 Letterwinners returning/lost: 9/6

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**Eagle Athletics**

## Jon Mark Hall, Director of Athletics



Jon Mark Hall was appointed to the position of director of Athletics in January 2002, after seven years as the assistant director.

Under his direction, USI was the 2003-04 GLVC All-Sports and Commissioner's Cup winner and host of the 2004 and 2009 NCAA Division II Cross Country National Championships.

In addition to his duties as director of Athletics, Hall also is the chair of the NCAA Division II men's and women's tennis committee. He has served on the Great Lakes Valley Conference Executive Committee and the NCAA II Great Lakes Regional women's basketball committee.

Hall joined the USI Athletic Department in 1995 as an assistant athletic director and men's tennis coach.

As the men's tennis coach, Hall was named the GLVC Coach of the Year five times, directed the Screaming Eagles to four GLVC regular-season titles and GLVC Tournament crowns, and had a 123-47 record (.724).

During his final season as head coach, Hall led the Eagles to their third straight appearance in the NCAA II Tournament and their first victory

in the post-season. In 2000 and 2001, Hall put the Eagles on the national map with their first two invitations to the NCAA II Tournament in the 27-year history of the program.

Hall came to USI after his appointment at the University of South Carolina-Spartanburg as an assistant athletic director, where he was the NCAA compliance coordinator, oversaw the academic support service program for student athletes, and coordinated the Athletes Can Educate (ACE) program. He also assisted in fundraising and promotional activities.

The native of Murray, Kentucky, is a 1990 *cum laude* graduate of Murray State University, with a bachelor's degree in business administration. While at MSU, Hall was on the tennis team for two seasons, earning Academic All-Ohio Valley Conference honors in 1987. Hall received his master's degree in sports administration from Ohio State University in 1992.

In 1998-99, he completed the Sports Management Institute Executive Program at the University of South Carolina and the University of Notre Dame.

Hall and his wife, Patti, reside in Evansville and have four sons, Nathan, Garland, Ty, and Owen, and daughter Mary Claire.

## USI Athletic Support Staff



**Crystal Arnwine**  
Administrative Assistant



**Brody Broshears**  
Faculty Athletic Representative



**Randa Dallas**  
Senior Women's Administrator



**Kelsey Emig**  
Graduate Asst. Athletic Trainer



**Mandi Fulton**  
Coordinator of Athletic Outreach



**David Maldonado**  
Athletic Trainer



**Dan McDonnell**  
Asst. Sports Info. Director



**Becky McGinnis**  
Asst. Athletic Trainer



**Jay Newton**  
Associate A.D./ Compliance Coordinator



**Kim Reddington**  
Senior Administrative Assistant



**Ray Simmons**  
Sports Information Director



**Bruce Smith**  
Athletic Equipment Manager

## ...a modern, technology-enhanced ENVIRONMENT

USI is a vibrant campus with modern facilities and an enviable pace of growth. A water display and fountain are in the entrance roundabout. The Business and Engineering Center opened this fall and the University Center renovation will open in the spring of 2011. USI provides the most up-to-date facilities for academics, housing, and student life.

### Computer Services

Computer labs are located throughout campus and in the housing areas. A wireless service is available in all main buildings and the surrounding courtyards.

All residence life areas are equipped with network jacks for Internet access. A wireless network also is available throughout the housing areas.

### Eagle Access Card

Students use the Eagle Access Card as an identification card and as an all-in-one card for student services such as library privileges, meal plans, vending and copy machines, and access to the Recreation, Fitness, and Wellness Center.

### MyUSI

MyUSI is a portal to web services. Students check email, register online, view their grades, and access other services through this secure web site.



### Facility Development (1995-2011)

- Health Professions Center (1995)
- Liberal Arts Center (1999)
- Art Studio (1999)
- Newman Hall (1999)
- Governors Hall (2000)
- O'Bannon Hall (2001)
- Recreation, Fitness, and Wellness Center (2001), addition (2009)
- Ruston Hall (2004)
- Education Center and Torrington Wing of the Science Center (2004)
- David L. Rice Library (2006)
- Business and Engineering Center (2010)
- University Center renovation (2011)

### USI at a GLANCE

- A comprehensive, public university in Evansville, Indiana, founded in 1965 and established as a separate university in 1985
- 10,516 students from 91 Indiana counties, 41 states, and 63 nations (2009-10)
- Student/faculty ratio of 22:1
- 1,400-acre suburban campus with 12 modern academic buildings
- Apartments and suite-style residence halls for approximately 2,800 students
- Six academic units: Business, Education and Human Services, Liberal Arts, Nursing and Health Professions, Science and Engineering, and University Division



**Location**

The University of Southern Indiana was founded in Evansville in 1965. USI is a comfortable drive from the major metropolitan centers of Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Louisville, Nashville, and St. Louis.

**The Campus**

The Health Professions Center, Science Center, Wright Administration Building, Education Center, and Orr Center are located on the north side of campus. Rice Library, University Center, Liberal Arts Center, Technology Center, and Business and Engineering Center form the quadrangle in the center of campus. The Physical Activities Center and the Recreation, Fitness, and Wellness Center are located east of University Boulevard, a major thoroughfare through campus. Apartment buildings and residence halls are home to 2,800 students who live on campus.



**Academic Life**

The University enrolls 10,516 students and offers undergraduate majors in 70 areas of study. An ever-increasing number of post-graduate programs also are available to students who wish to continue their education, including a Doctor of Nursing Practice degree. Opportunities are available for service learning, study abroad, and internships.

**Campus Life**

Outside the classroom, students have opportunities to participate in more than 90 organizations offering co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. Special interest clubs, student government, sororities and fraternities, music and drama groups, and other organizations enable the students to enjoy and contribute to campus life.

**Residence Life**

Students living on campus have their choice of two types of housing. Students can live in standard apartments or in residence halls which have amenities such as Internet connections, wireless Internet, and cable television. Computer labs, laundromats, a convenience store, outdoor and indoor recreation areas, and student lounges contribute to an efficient living environment that has proven to be overwhelmingly popular with students. Meal plans also are available at the University Center, which is located in the center of campus.

**Financial Assistance**

USI provides families with an affordable way to a higher education. While some families find that they can handle the cost of a USI education without financial assistance, others qualify for need-based financial packages, including grants, loans, and on-campus jobs.





## Degrees offered at USI

### Undergraduate Degree Programs

The University of Southern Indiana confers 10 undergraduate degrees: Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Science in Engineering, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Bachelor of General Studies, Bachelor of Social Work, Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, and Associate of Science in Occupational Therapy Assisting.

### Baccalaureate Degree Programs

#### College of Business

- Accounting • Accounting and Professional Services • Computer Science • Business Administration (students may concentrate in the following areas of interest: Entrepreneurship/Small Business, International Trade and Business, or General Business) • Business Education • Computer Information Systems • Economics • Finance • Management • Marketing

#### Bower-Suhrheinrich College of Education and Human Services

- Early Childhood Education • Elementary Education (includes Computer Education Emphasis and Junior High/Middle School endorsement) • Exercise Science • Kinesiology • Physical Education • Senior High/Junior High/Middle School Education (grades 5-12)—certification is available for most majors • Social Work • Special Education

#### Division of Extended Services

- General Studies

#### College of Liberal Arts

- Advertising/Public Relations • Art • Communication Studies • Criminal Justice Studies • English • French • German • History • Interpersonal-Organizational Communications • Philosophy • Political Science • Psychology • Radio-Television • Sociology (concentration in Gerontology is available) • Spanish • Theatre Arts

#### College of Nursing and Health Professions

- Dental Hygiene • Food and Nutrition • Health Services • Nursing • Occupational Therapy • Radiologic and Imaging Sciences

#### Pott College of Science and Engineering

- Advanced Manufacturing • Biology • Biophysics • Chemistry • Engineering • Geology • Industrial Supervision • Mathematics • Mathematics Teaching • Science Teaching

### Post-Baccalaureate Certificates

- Computer Information Systems • Professional Accountancy

### Associate Degree Programs

#### College of Business

- Business

#### Bower-Suhrheinrich College of Education and Human Services

- Early Childhood Education

#### College of Liberal Arts

- Social Science

#### College of Nursing and Health Professions

- Dental Assisting • Dental Hygiene • Occupational Therapy Assistant • Radiologic Technology • Respiratory Therapy

#### Pre-Professional Curricula

- Pre-Chiropractic • Pre-Dentistry • Pre-Ecology Pre-Forestry • Pre-Law • Pre-Medical Technology • Pre-Medicine • Pre-Optometry • Pre-Osteopathy • Pre-Pharmacy • Pre-Physician Assistant • Pre-Physical Therapy • Pre-Podiatry • Pre-Science Teaching • Pre-Veterinary • Pre-Wildlife Biology • Pre-Zoology

### Graduate Programs

- Master of Arts in Communication • Master of Arts in Liberal Studies • Master of Business Administration • Master of Health Administration • Master of Public Administration • Master of Science in Education • Master of Science in Industrial Management • Master of Science in Nursing • Master of Science in Occupational Therapy • Master of Social Work • Doctor of Nursing Practice



• ABOUT USI •



“ I love that USI is expanding, but its still small enough that I’m not just another number. Everyone is so friendly. I love everything about it.”

— **Stephanie Berg,**  
**Junior**



“ I like how one can truly get to know your professors. USI is personal unlike most universities.”

— **Janae Curnutt,**  
**Senior**



“ USI has a nice campus, excellent nursing program, and friendly volleyball players.”

— **Kayla Heldman,**  
**Freshman**



“ The campus is a perfect fit and I have a lot of fun here. The people and the atmosphere are great.”

— **Ashley King,**  
**Sophomore**



“ I love my teammates and the campus. The professors, coaches, and staff will help you with anything.”

— **Emily Meyer,**  
**Sophomore**



“ I fell in love with the school. I love the campus, the volleyball girls, and the coaching staff.”

— **Brittani Oliver,**  
**Senior**



## EVANSVILLE, Indiana

**...A CITY with urban attractions and hometown friendliness**

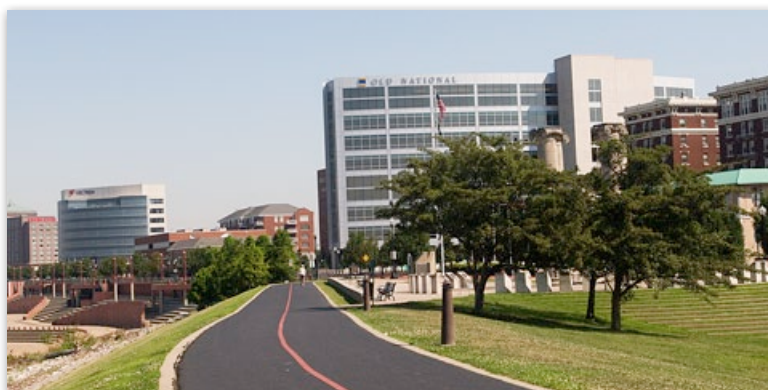
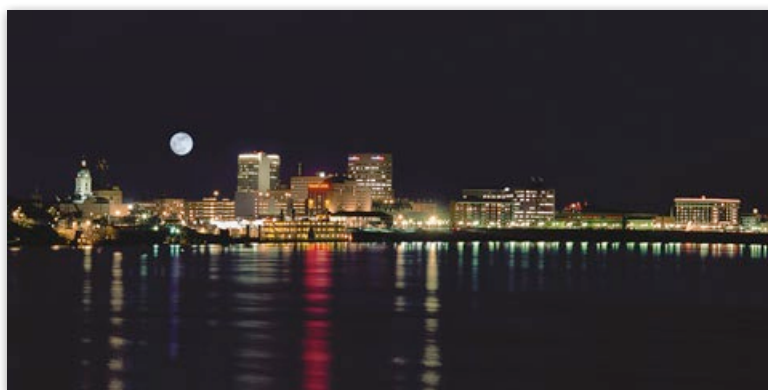


Situated on the banks of the Ohio River, Evansville is a mid-sized city that welcomes USI students and offers them plenty of things to do. Roberts Stadium and the Victory Theatre attract students to concerts by entertainers like Nelly, Aerosmith, Kenny Chesney, Kid Rock, and Josh Groban. Traveling Broadway shows and feature performances come to The Centre. For a relaxing walk or invigorating run, the downtown riverfront features a greenway with a wonderful view of the changing river traffic and the Evansville skyline. Movie theatres (including an IMAX) and Swonder Ice Arena draw students together for fun, activity, and fellowship. Evansville's coffee shops, restaurants, and shopping areas also are places where students like to spend time. Less than three miles from campus, shopping centers and restaurants are plentiful. Eastland Mall on Green River Road and the commercial centers off Burkhardt Road offer more restaurants and terrific shopping. USI's suburban location in the rolling hills of western Vanderburgh County is just minutes away from all that Evansville has to offer.

[www.evansvillecvb.org](http://www.evansvillecvb.org)

### Evansville FAST FACTS

- Indiana's third-largest city (population of 126,000 persons and a metropolitan area of 280,000 residents)
- Evansville Museum of Arts, History and Science
- An activity-filled riverfront that includes Casino Aztar and the LST 325, a World War II ship
- Mesker Park Zoo & Botanic Garden
- Evansville Philharmonic Orchestra
- Evansville Otters (Frontier League baseball team)
- Westside Nut Club Fall Festival
- Entertainment venues: Roberts Stadium, Victory Theatre, The Centre
- Hundreds of restaurants





## Physical Activities Center

The Physical Activities Center (PAC) has been the home of the Screaming Eagles for the past 30 years. Opened in 1980, the PAC accommodates physical education classes, intramural activities, and is the arena for the USI basketball and volleyball teams.

The center court of the PAC has been the setting for many games of regional and national interest during the past 17 years. USI has hosted the 1993, 1994, and 1996 men's NCAA II Great Lakes Regionals; the 2009 men's GLVC Tournament; the 1998 women's GLVC Tournament; the 1998 and 2001 women's NCAA II Great Lakes Regionals; and the 2000 and 2004 GLVC Volleyball Tournaments.

A true home court, the USI volleyball team has a 73-24 home record since 2000, a .753 winning percentage.

With padded chairback seats, back-supported bleacher seats, and a top-of-the-line scoreboard and video board, the Physical Activities Center is one of the top Division II athletic venues in the region.

• EAGLES in the COMMUNITY •



(Above) Junior **Stephanie Berg** (left) and former USI standout **Kathi Hindman** (right) teach the fundamentals of the under-hand serve.

(Bottom Left) Senior **Janae Curmutt** instructs elementary students how to serve over-hand.

(Bottom Right) The Eagles teach students at Harper Elementary School how to warm-up prior to their after-school camp.

University of Southern Indiana's Department of Athletics is in the national spotlight for its athletic accomplishments in the NCAA Division II and in the Evansville-area spotlight as partners in the community.

USI student athletes are among the many volunteers contributing to the success of the Komen Race for the Cure, while the coaching staff is present to help staff the telephones for the MDA Telethon.

The volleyball team also conducts numerous camps and clinics and participates in several volunteer reading programs.

In addition to the national charities, the Department of Athletics sponsors Eagle Math, a nationally recognized program to encourage young students to improve their math skills. The program is designed around the Eagle Math booklets printed in the first quarter, second quarter, third quarter, and fourth quarter sequence to carry out the sports theme.

As student athletes practice to get better, math students are encouraged to practice math to excel in the classroom.



• ABOUT the GREAT LAKES VALLEY CONFERENCE •

Established in 1978 with a commitment to the purposes, fundamental policies and basic principles of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, the Great Lakes Valley Conference (GLVC) has grown to embody the vision established by the founders of the organization and has melded athletic and academic excellence for 32 years.

The GLVC, which over the past decade has grown to 16 members, has fully embraced NCAA Division II and is now one of the largest conferences in the division. Although formed and developed as one of the nation's premier basketball conferences, the GLVC has nurtured 17 championship sports and can now claim itself as one of the nation's top NCAA Division II conferences.

The formation of the GLVC can be traced as far back as 1972 when the athletic directors of three member schools - Kentucky Wesleyan, Bellarmine and Indiana State University at Evansville (now the University of Southern Indiana) - began preliminary discussions about forming a basketball conference. Four years later, the University of Indianapolis and Saint Joseph's College expressed interest. On July 7, 1978, those schools - along with Ashland University - united to become the GLVC.

Since its inception, 14 different institutions have joined the league. Those members include: Lewis University (1980), Indiana-Purdue at Fort Wayne (1984), Northern Kentucky University (1985), Kentucky State University (1989), Quincy University (1994), Southern Illinois University Edwardsville (1994), University of Wisconsin-Parkside (1994), University of Missouri-St. Louis (1995), Drury (2005), Missouri S&T (2005), Rockhurst (2005), University of Illinois-Springfield (2008), Maryville University (2008) and William Jewell College (2009).

Ashland and Kentucky State left the conference after the 1994 season, IPFW left the league following the 2000-01 academic year and SIU Edwardsville exited the league following the 2007-08 academic year. These departures opened the door for the six-team expansion over the past decade, allowing the league to grow to its current membership of 16 institutions.

The conference headquarters are located in downtown Indianapolis, one of the many Midwest major media markets in which the league maintains a presence. The GLVC has schools in Milwaukee/Northern Illinois (UW-Parkside), Chicago (Lewis), Indianapolis (Indianapolis), Cincinnati (Northern Kentucky), Louisville (Bellarmine), Evansville (Southern Indiana), Springfield, Ill. (UIS), Springfield, Mo. (Drury), Owensboro (Kentucky Wesleyan), Kansas City (Rockhurst, William Jewell) and St. Louis (Maryville, UM-St. Louis).

The conference sponsors 17 championships in baseball, basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, indoor and outdoor track and field, and tennis for men and basketball, cross country, softball, soccer, tennis, indoor and outdoor track and field, golf, and volleyball for women. In addition, the GLVC has also recently announced a timeline for sponsoring football in the conference with a goal of beginning play in 2012.

GLVC institutions have won 11 national championships in basketball. Kentucky Wesleyan leads all Division II institutions with eight men's basketball titles, while Southern Indiana won the men's crown in 1995. Northern Kentucky's women won the school's first-ever basketball national championship in 2000 and followed that with a national title in 2008. In addition, SIU Edwardsville became the first GLVC member to win a national championship in softball in 2007 and Southern Indiana staked claim to the school and GLVC's first national championship in baseball in 2010.

The league also takes pride in recognizing the many academic and athletic accomplishments achieved by its student-athletes, coaches and administrators. In 2001, the league announced the creation of the GLVC Hall of Fame, with the first class being inducted in 2002. The GLVC annually presents the Richard F. Scharf Paragon Award to the top male and female student-athlete in the league, and the Dr. Charles Bertram Alumni Award of Distinction to alumni who both succeeded while a GLVC student-athlete and excelled in accomplishments after graduation.

The GLVC strives to adhere to the NCAA Division II Strategic Platform and has introduced several initiatives in recent years including the GLVC Sportsmanship Award which acknowledges the institution that exemplifies sportsmanship in the view of its peers.

The league continually maintains an effort to combine academic and athletic excellence and the hard work put forth by the student-athletes has been evident on the playing fields and in the classrooms.



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Established: 1978

Member Institutions (16): Bellarmine University, Drury University, Kentucky Wesleyan College, Lewis University, Maryville University, Missouri University of Science & Technology, Northern Kentucky University, Quincy University, Rockhurst University, Saint Joseph's College, University of Illinois at Springfield, University of Indianapolis, University of Missouri-St. Louis, University of Southern Indiana, University of Wisconsin-Parkside, William Jewell College

Championships Sponsored (17): Baseball, Men's Basketball and Women's Basketball; Men's and Women's Cross Country; Men's and Women's Golf; Men's and Women's Soccer; Softball; Men's and Women's Tennis; Men's and Women's Indoor Track and Field; Men's and Women's Outdoor Track and Field; Women's Volleyball

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## Eagles looking for NCAA II Tourney bid in 2010



**Back Row (L-R):** Head Coach Leah Mercer, Brittani Oliver, Jorae Bradbury, Kristy Gerardot, Emily Diedrich, Danielle LaGrange, Katie Knott, Emily Meyer, Ashley King, and Assistant Coach Rashinda Reed.

**Front Row (L-R):** Kayla Heldman, Krista Coccoaro, Janae Curnutt, Abbi Williams, and Stephanie Berg.

The University of Southern Indiana volleyball team enters the 2010 campaign with the expectation of competing for a Great Lakes Valley Conference title and a berth in the NCAA Division II Tournament.

Sixth-year Head Coach **Leah Mercer** '02, who needs just 13 wins to become the second coach in the program's history to reach 100, returns nine players from a squad that qualified for the GLVC Tournament semifinals for the second straight season and the seventh time in the last 10 years.

Mercer's group is led by three seniors, including two-time All-GLVC outside hitter **Brittani Oliver** and defensive specialist **Janae Curnutt**.

Oliver, who needs just 86 kills to become the 10th player in school history to reach 1,000, averaged a team-high 2.93 kills per set in 2009, ranking her 11th in the GLVC. Oliver, who was named to the Ferris State Bulldog Classic All-Tournament team after averaging 4.07 kills per set during the 2009

season-opening tournament, had 13 kills and hit .290 against eventual NCAA II Midwest Region champion Indianapolis in the GLVC Tournament.

Curnutt saw her dig numbers fall a touch in 2009 after moving from libero to become more of an attacking back row threat. Needing just 151 digs to become the eighth Screaming Eagle in school history to eclipse 1,000 in her career, Curnutt enters the 2010 season having averaged nearly three digs per set during her first three collegiate seasons.

Middle blocker **Katie Knott** rounds out USI's senior class. Knott averaged 1.64 kills and 0.82 blocks while attacking at a .350 clip in six matches.

Junior middle blocker **Danielle LaGrange** may be the Eagles biggest offensive weapon entering 2010 after a sensational sophomore campaign. LaGrange, who racked up a career-high 27 kills against Indianapolis in the GLVC Tournament, was second on the team and 12th in the GLVC with 2.83

kills per set. She also was 10th in the league with a team-best .304 attacking percentage.

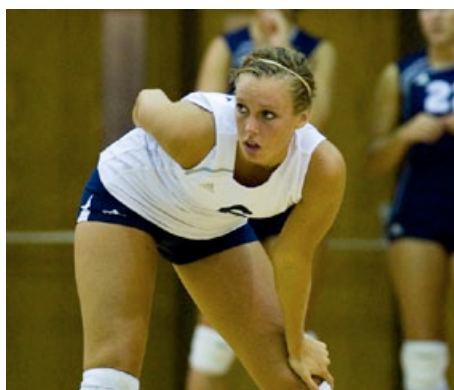
LaGrange is on a list of three juniors that includes defensive specialists **Krista Coccoaro** and **Stephanie Berg**. Coccoaro averaged 3.16 digs per set as USI's starting libero during her sophomore season, while Berg averaged 1.57 digs per set in 18 matches a year ago.

The Eagles' sophomore class includes outside hitter **Abbi Williams**, setter **Ashley King**, and right side hitter **Emily Meyer**.

Williams started 14 matches during her first year at USI, averaging 1.62 kills per set, while King averaged 9.67 assists and 1.17 digs in six matches and 12 sets during her first season. Meyer played in seven matches and 12 sets in her first year, averaging 1.00 kills per set.

USI has four freshmen on its 2010 roster, including middle blocker **Emily Diedrich**,

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The Screaming Eagles 2010 roster features three seniors—outside hitter Brittani Oliver (left), defensive specialist Janae Curnutt (middle), and middle blocker Katie Knott (right). Oliver enters the season in need of just 86 kills to become the 10th player in school history to reach 1,000 in her career, while Curnutt is 151 digs shy of becoming the eighth player in school history to reach 1,000. Knott averaged 0.82 blocks per set in her first year at USI in 2009.

outside hitter **Kristy Gerardot**, setter/right side hitter **Jorae Bradbury**, and defensive specialist **Kayla Heldman**.

Diedrich was a three-time All-Conference performer at Castle High School (Newburgh, Indiana) and was selected to the Indiana South All-Star team in 2009. The All-Metro performer was a member of four sectional championship squads at CHS and also competed in track and basketball, finishing sixth in the shot put at the IHSA State Track and Field Championships as a senior.

Gerardot was a three-time All-Conference and two-time All-Area player at Bishop Luers High School (Ft. Wayne, Indiana). The multi-sport star helped BLHS to sectional titles in volleyball, basketball, and softball and also played a big role in the N3 Volleyball Club's seventh-place finish at the Junior Olympic Nationals in 2009.

Bradbury earned All-State honors as a senior in 2009 and was a four-time All-Conference performer as well as a two-time All-Area honoree at Concordia Lutheran High School (Ft. Wayne, Indiana). Bradbury, who finished her career with 1,579 assists, 762 kills, 893 digs, 197 blocks, and 252 aces, was named to the Indiana North All-Star team in 2009.

Heldman earned first-team Academic All-State honors in 2009 after helping Center Grove High School (Greenwood, Indiana) to the 2009 regional title. A multi-sport performer, Heldman helped lead CGHS to four Johnson County championships and three sectional titles during her prep career.

The 2010 campaign begins in Pensacola, Florida, where the Eagles will compete in the West Florida Comfort Inn-vitational. USI will be tested early, especially in its second weekend of the season when it faces national powers Truman State and Washburn.

In addition to its first two tournaments, the Eagles' non-conference schedule includes a road trip to North Alabama as well as home matches with Kentucky State and Oakland City. The GLVC/GLIAC Crossover also will give the Eagles' three non-conference matches in October.

USI's home schedule includes 10 games, eight against GLVC foes, and begins with Kentucky State September 14. The Eagles host Northern Kentucky, Bellarmine, Kentucky Wesleyan, Maryville, Wisconsin-Parkside, Lewis, Quincy, and Illinois-Springfield.

Road trips to Rockhurst, Drury, Saint Joseph's, Indianapolis, Missouri S&T, and Missouri-St. Louis round out the Eagles' conference slate.

2010 GLVC Preseason Poll	
<i>*first-place votes in parenthesis</i>	
Team	Points
1. Indianapolis	193 (11)
2. Lewis	179 (2)
3. Missouri-St. Louis	163 (1)
4. Northern Kentucky	158
5. Rockhurst	143 (1)
6. Southern Indiana	130
7. Drury	113
8. Bellarmine	97
9. Wisconsin-Parkside	96
10. Saint Joseph's	81
11. Missouri S&T	74
12. Quincy	65
13. Illinois-Springfield	36
14. Maryville	31
15. Kentucky Wesleyan	16

## Head Coach Leah Mercer



Head Coach **Leah Mercer '02** enters her sixth season as the head coach of the USI volleyball program after leading the Screaming Eagles to the GLVC Tournament semifinals for the second straight season and the seventh time in 10 years.

Mercer, who ranks second all-time with 87 career victories at the helm of the USI volleyball program, led her squad to an 18-14 overall mark, 9-5 in the GLVC, and a sixth-place finish in the GLVC regular season.

Two years ago, Mercer brought the Eagles back to the GLVC Championship for the first time in four years and the sixth time since 2000. Her squad was 18-15 overall, 9-8 in the GLVC, and finished third in the GLVC West Division. The Eagles won six of their final eight matches, including upset wins over nationally ranked Northern Kentucky University and the University of Missouri-St. Louis.

Throughout Mercer's career with the Eagles', USI has been among the GLVC's best teams at the net. Her squad led the GLVC and was eighth in the nation with 2.43 blocks per set in 2008.

The Eagles' 454 block assists in 2008 eclipsed the program's all-time record, which was set the previous year when USI amassed 450 block assists.

In 2007, Mercer's squad finished 15-14 overall and was fourth in the GLVC West Division with a 9-10 conference mark. The 2007 Eagles set season records for digs (2,147) and block assists.

Mercer led the Eagles to a sixth-place finish in the GLVC regular-season standings with a 17-11 overall mark, 9-7 GLVC, in 2006. In the Great Lakes Region, the Eagles knocked off eventual region champion Ashland early in the season.

In 2005, Mercer led her squad to a 19-13 overall record and an 11-5 mark in the GLVC. Her squad also posted wins over fifth-ranked North Alabama and 11th-ranked Northern Michigan.

A native of Evansville and a 2002 graduate of USI, Mercer served Loyola University (Chicago) as the top assistant coach in 2004. She helped guide the Ramblers to a 22-9 overall record and a 10-4 mark in the Horizon League. Loyola won the Horizon League Tournament championship and qualified for the NCAA Division I Tournament before falling to the University of Wisconsin in the first round.

Prior to her one-year stint at Loyola, Mercer spent a year as a graduate assistant coach at Ohio University in Athens, Ohio. She helped lead the Bobcats to a 28-5 overall record, the Mid-American Conference regular-season and tournament titles, and the program's first-ever berth in the NCAA I Tournament.

Mercer, who started her coaching career as a volunteer assistant at Purdue University in 2002, was a two-time All-GLVC performer and helped lead the Eagles to a three-year record of 61-27, including a 49-14 mark as a junior and senior. She averaged 3.1 kills per game during her three seasons of collegiate volleyball. Mercer also averaged 5.9 points and 3.6 rebounds in two seasons with USI's women's basketball program.

Mercer, who has a bachelor's degree in physical education (teaching K-12) and a master's degree in recreation and sports science (coaching education), is the Screaming Eagles' 11th head coach in the history of the program.



## MERCER IN THE COLLEGIATE RANKS

### As a Player at USI

1999 12-13 (5-11 GLVC)  
 2000 27-4 (14-2 GLVC)\*  
 2001 22-10 (11-4 GLVC)\*  
 \*GLVC Green Division champions

### As an Assistant at OHIO

2003 28-5 (15-1 MAC)\*  
 \*MAC champions

### As an Assistant at LOYOLA (Chicago)

2004 22-9 (10-4 Horizon)\*  
 \*Horizon League champions

### As a Head Coach at USI

2005 19-13 (11-5 GLVC)  
 2006 17-11 (9-7 GLVC)  
 2007 15-14 (9-10 GLVC)  
 2008 18-15 (9-8 GLVC)  
 2009 18-14 (9-5 GLVC)

## Assistant Coach Rashinda Reed



Assistant Coach **Rashinda Reed** enters her second season with the University of Southern Indiana volleyball program. Reed assists Head Coach **Leah Mercer** in all aspects of the USI volleyball program.

In addition to her coaching duties, Reed also teaches in the USI Physical Education Department.

A native of Fairbanks, Alaska, Reed played collegiately at the University of Georgia (Athens, Georgia) from 2002 to 2003 after beginning her collegiate career at Southwestern Oregon Community College (Coos Bay, Oregon).

Following her collegiate career, Reed went on to play professionally in Europe. She began her professional career in 2005 with the VC Tirol Volleyball Club in Innsbruck, Austria. Reed also played for the El Algar Volleyball Club in Cartagena, Spain, as well as the Plantina Longa Volleyball Club in Lichtenvoorde, Netherlands.

Most recently, Reed spent a season with the Pislaploki Volleyball Club in Pihtipudas, Finland.

In addition to her playing career, Reed was the co-owner and operator of Elite Sports Network youth athletic camps. She has more than nine years of coaching experience with clubs, high schools, satellite camps, and international teams.

Reed, who is working on her master's degree in education at USI, graduated from Georgia in 2005 with a degree in psychology.





## 2010 Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
1	Brittani Oliver	OH	5'9"	Sr.	Indianapolis, IN
2	Emily Diedrich	MB	6'0"	Fr.	Newburgh, IN
3	Stephanie Berg	DS	5'6"	Jr.	Waterloo, IL
4	Kristy Gerardot	OH	5'10"	Fr.	Monroeville, IN
5	Ashley King	S	5'8"	So.	Columbus, IN
6	Janae Curnutt	DS	5'9"	Sr.	Arcadia, IN
7	Jorae Bradbury	S/RS	5'10"	Fr.	Decatur, IN
8	Abbi Williams	OH	5'7"	So.	Louisville, KY
10	Katie Knott	MB	5'10"	Sr.	New Albany, IN
12	Kayla Heldman	DS	5'7"	Fr.	Greenwood, IN
13	Danielle LaGrange	MB	6'0"	Jr.	Santa Claus, IN
15	Emily Meyer	RS	5'10"	So.	Louisville, KY
16	Krista Coccaro	DS	5'8"	Jr.	Carmel, IN

**HEAD COACH:** Leah Mercer (6th year)

**ASSISTANT COACH:** Rashinda Reed (2nd year)



Junior middle blocker **Danielle LaGrange** racked up 27 kills against NCAA II Midwest Region champion Indianapolis in the semifinals of the GLVC Tournament a year ago.

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### USI Coaching Staff

Head Coach: Leah Mercer (6th year)

Assistant Coach: Rashinda Reed (2nd year)

Name	No.	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown
Stephanie Berg	3	DS	5'6"	Jr.	Waterloo, IL
Jorae Bradbury	7	S/RS	5'10"	Fr.	Decatur, IN
Krista Coccaro	16	DS	5'8"	Jr.	Carmel, IN
Janae Curnutt	6	DS/L	5'9"	Sr.	Arcadia, IN
Emily Diedrich	2	MB	6'0"	Fr.	Newburgh, IN
Kristy Gerardot	4	OH	5'10"	Fr.	Monroeville, IN
Kayla Heldman	12	DS	5'7"	Fr.	Greenwood, IN
Ashley King	5	S	5'8"	So.	Columbus, IN
Katie Knott	10	MB	5'10"	Sr.	New Albany, IN
Danielle LaGrange	13	MB	6'0"	Jr.	Santa Claus, IN
Emily Meyer	15	RS	5'10"	So.	Louisville, KY
Brittani Oliver	1	OH	5'9"	Sr.	Indianapolis, IN
Abbi Williams	8	OH	5'7"	So.	Louisville, KY

## 2010 Radio/Television Roster



#1  
Brittani  
Oliver



#2  
Emily  
Diedrich  
(DEE-drick)



#3  
Stephanie  
Berg



#4  
Kristy  
Gerardot  
(Jur-rar-DOE)



#5  
Ashley  
King



#6  
Janae  
Curnutt



#7  
Jorae  
Bradbury  
(Jor-EE)



#8  
Abbi  
Williams



#10  
Katie  
Knott



#12  
Kayla  
Heldman



#13  
Danielle  
LaGrange



#15  
Emily  
Meyer



#16  
Krista  
Cocco  
(co-care-oh)



Head Coach  
Leah  
Mercer



Assistant Coach  
Rashinda  
Reed  
(Ruh-shin-duh)

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# Brittani Oliver #1

5'9" ...Senior...Outside Hitter

Hometown: Indianapolis, IN

High School: Warren Central

Birthday: Born December 16, 1988

Major: Psychology/English (Rhetoric and Writing)

Honors: Two-time All-GLVC performer; ranks 12th all-time at USI in career kills, needing just 86 to become the 10th player in school history to reach 1,000.

## Career Highlights

## Q & A with Brittani Oliver

**Kills: 24**

**Against:** Minnesota-Crookston  
**When:** August 28, 2009

**Assists: 2 (Four times)**

**Last Against:** Findlay  
**When:** September 5, 2009

**Service Aces: 3**

**Against:** West Virginia State  
**When:** September 14, 2007

**Digs: 22**

**Against:** Missouri-St. Louis  
**When:** November 3, 2007

**Blocks: 5 (Three times)**

**Last Against:** Northern Kentucky  
**When:** September 19, 2009

**Q:** What is your favorite book?

**A:** *The Shack*

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?

**A:** *Nightmare before Christmas*

**Q:** What is your favorite food?

**A:** *Chicken Fettuccine Alfredo*

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?

**A:** *Serena Williams*

**Q:** If you could go anywhere, where would you go?

**A:** *Backpack through Europe*

**Q:** If you could live anywhere, where would it be?

**A:** *Kansas City*

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?

**A:** *Buckle*



## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2007	107-29	286	116	870	.195	7	8	25	5	162	9	38	4	5
2008	104-29	294	135	822	.193	13	5	12	18	298	9	35	2	5
2009	114-32	334	123	916	.230	11	13	12	24	200	8	36	3	4
<b>Tot.</b>	<b>325-90</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>2,608</b>	<b>.207</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14</b>

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# Janae Curnutt #6

5'9" ...Senior...Defensive Specialist

Hometown: Arcadia, IN

High School: Hamilton Heights

Birthday: April 27, 1989

Major: Physical Education (Teaching)

Honors: Three-time Academic All-GLVC performer



## Career Highs

**Kills: 4 (Twice)**  
**Last against:** Bellarmine  
**When:** September 18, 2009

**Assists: 5**  
**Against:** Missouri Western State  
**When:** August 29, 2008

**Service Aces: 4 (Four times)**  
**Last against:** Missouri S&T  
**When:** October 31, 2009

**Digs: 28**  
**Against:** Rockhurst  
**When:** October 24, 2008

## Q & A with Janae Curnutt

**Q:** What type of music do you like?  
**A:** Contemporary Christian

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?  
**A:** The Blind Side

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?  
**A:** Sandra Bullock

**Q:** What is your favorite food?  
**A:** Strawberries

**Q:** What is a random fact about you others may not know?  
**A:** I'm a black belt

**Q:** If you could go anywhere, where would you go?  
**A:** Australia

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?  
**A:** Dick's Sporting Goods

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2007	60-22	5	13	68	-.118	14	9	11	16	133	0	0	0	0
2008	120-33	2	7	48	-.104	40	35	47	49	470	0	0	0	3
2009	115-32	35	40	190	-.026	24	33	51	24	246	0	0	0	3
<b>Tot.</b>	<b>295-87</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>-.059</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>849</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>

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# Katie Knott #10

5'10" ...Senior...Middle Blocker

Hometown: New Albany, IN

High School/Previous School: Providence/Parkland

Birthday: March 21, 1989

Major: Radiologic & Imaging Sciences (Sonography/Vascular)

## Career Highs

**Kills: 7**  
**Against:** Saint Joseph's  
**When:** October 10, 2009

**Digs: 3**  
**Against:** Saint Joseph's  
**When:** October 10, 2009

**Blocks: 6**  
**Against:** Maryville  
**When:** October 3, 2009

## Q&A with Katie Knott

**Q:** What is your favorite food?  
**A:** Pickles

**Q:** What is your favorite book?  
**A:** *A Thousand Splendid Suns*

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?  
**A:** *Cars*

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?  
**A:** *Megan Fox*

**Q:** If you could go anywhere, where would you go?  
**A:** *Paris*

**Q:** If you could live anywhere, where would it be?  
**A:** *New York City*

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?  
**A:** *Guess*



## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2009	11-6	18	4	40	.350	0	0	1	0	5	0	9	1	0

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# Stephanie Berg #3

5'6" ...Junior...Defensive Specialist

Hometown: Waterloo, IL

High School: Gibault Catholic

Birthday: April 11, 1990

Major: Marketing (Accounting)

Honors: Two-time Academic All-GLVC



## Career Highs

**Kills: 1 (Twice)**  
**Last against:** Illinois-Springfield  
**When:** November 6, 2009

**Assists: 2 (Three times)**  
**Last against:** Missouri-St. Louis  
**When:** November 13, 2009

**Service Aces: 2**  
**Against:** Northwood (MI)  
**When:** October 16, 2009

**Digs: 10**  
**Against:** Oakland City  
**When:** October 20, 2009

## Q & A with Stephanie Berg

**Q:** What is your favorite food?  
**A:** Crab legs

**Q:** What is your favorite TV Show?  
**A:** Hannah Montana

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?  
**A:** Transformers

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?  
**A:** Misty May Treanor

**Q:** What is a random fact about you others may not know?  
**A:** My thumb is double-jointed

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?  
**A:** Buckle

**Q:** If you could go anywhere, where would you go?  
**A:** Australia

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2008	32-15	0	2	7	-.286	6	0	1	5	46	0	0	0	0
2009	53-18	2	7	18	-.278	8	8	11	9	83	0	0	0	0
<b>Tot.</b>	<b>85-33</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>-.280</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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# Danielle LaGrange #13

6'0" ...Junior...Middle Blocker

Hometown: Santa Claus, IN

High School/Previous School: Heritage Hills/Indiana

Birthday: March 19, 1990

Major: Exercise Science

Honors: Academic All-GLVC...All-Tournament at the Findlay TownePlace Suites Classic

## Career Highs

**Kills: 27**

**Against:** Indianapolis

**When:** November 14, 2009

**Assists: 2 (Three times)**

**Last against:** Missouri-St. Louis

**When:** November 13, 2009

**Service Aces: 4**

**Against:** West Liberty State

**When:** August 29, 2009

**Digs: 9**

**Against:** Findlay

**When:** September 5, 2009

**Blocks: 9**

**Against:** Angelo State

**When:** September 12, 2009

## Q&A with Danielle LaGrange

**Q:** What is your favorite food?

**A:** Italian

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?

**A:** Twilight

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?

**A:** Angelina Jolie

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?

**A:** Jay Cutler

**Q:** If you could go anywhere, where would you go?

**A:** France

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?

**A:** Wal-Mart



## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2009	116-32	328	107	728	.304	12	25	31	2	102	8	88	9	3

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# Krista Coccoaro #16

5'8" ...Junior...Defensive Specialist

Hometown: Carmel, IN

High School: Carmel

Birthday: November 8, 1989

Major: Pre-Nursing (Nutrition)

Honors: Two-time Academic All-GLVC



### Career Highs

**Kills: 1 (Three times)**  
**Last against:** Oakland City  
**When:** October 20, 2009

**Assists: 4**  
**Against:** Findlay  
**When:** September 5, 2009

**Service Aces: 2 (Twice)**  
**Last against:** Saint Joseph's  
**When:** October 10, 2009

**Digs: 26**  
**Against:** Findlay  
**When:** September 5, 2009

### Q&A with Krista Coccoaro

**Q:** What is your favorite food?  
**A:** Italian

**Q:** What is your favorite book?  
**A:** Twilight

**Q:** What is your favorite TV shows?  
**A:** Law & Order and House

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?  
**A:** Sandra Bullock

**Q:** If you could go anywhere, where would you go?  
**A:** Italy

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?  
**A:** Express

**Q:** What is a random fact about you others may not know?  
**A:** I have five screws in my jaw

### CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2008	75-24	0	0	2	.000	3	9	9	1	40	0	0	0	0
2009	115-32	3	4	46	-.022	26	15	17	56	363	0	0	0	0
<b>Tot.</b>	<b>190-56</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>-.021</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>



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# Ashley King #5

5'8" ...Sophomore...Setter

Hometown: Columbus, IN

High School: Columbus North

Birthday: December 6, 1990

Major: Undecided



## Career Highs

**Kills: 2 (Twice)**  
**Last against:** Indianapolis  
**When:** October 9, 2009

**Assists: 49**  
**Against:** Saint Joseph's  
**When:** October 10, 2009

**Service Aces: 2 (Twice)**  
**Last against:** Saint Joseph's  
**When:** October 10, 2009

**Digs: 5 (Twice)**  
**Last against:** Saint Joseph's  
**When:** October 10, 2009

**Blocks: 2**  
**Against:** Saint Joseph's  
**When:** October 10, 2009

## Q&A with Ashley King

**Q:** What is your favorite food?  
**A:** Crab legs

**Q:** What is your favorite TV show?  
**A:** Grey's Anatomy

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?  
**A:** Katherine Heigl

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?  
**A:** Peyton Manning

**Q:** If you were stranded on a deserted island with three people, who would you like them to be?  
**A:** Dane Cook, my best friend Kellie, and Bear Grylls (Man vs. Wild)

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?  
**A:** Target

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2009	12-6	6	3	23	.130	116	4	6	0	14	0	4	4	7

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# Abbi Williams #8

5'7" ...Sophomore...Outside Hitter

Hometown: Louisville, KY

High School: Sacred Heart Academy

Birthday: August 5, 1990

Major: Pre-Nursing

Honors: Academic All-GLVC



## Career Highs

**Kills: 9 (Twice)**  
**Last against:** Saginaw Valley State  
**When:** August 29, 2009

**Assists: 1**  
**Against:** West Virginia State  
**When:** August 29, 2009

**Service Aces: 1 (Three times)**  
**Last against:** Northern Kentucky  
**When:** September 19, 2009

**Digs: 5 (Twice)**  
**Last against:** Maryville  
**When:** October 3, 2009

**Blocks: 3**  
**Against:** Saginaw Valley State  
**When:** August 29, 2009

## Q&A with Abbi Williams

**Q:** What is your favorite food?  
**A:** Cheesecake

**Q:** What is your favorite TV show?  
**A:** Grey's Anatomy

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?  
**A:** Remember the Titans

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?  
**A:** Peyton Manning

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, what store would it be?  
**A:** Express

**Q:** What is a random fact about you others may not know?  
**A:** I hate feet

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2009	53-20	86	55	277	.112	1	3	12	7	41	1	13	3	0

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# Emily Meyer #15

5'10" ...Sophomore...Right Side Hitter

Hometown: Louisville, KY

High School: Mercy Academy

Birthday: August 16, 1991

Major: Business Administration (International Business)/  
Political Science

Honors: Academic All-GLVC



### Career Highs

**Kills: 3 (Twice)**  
Last against: Kentucky Wesleyan  
When: September 29, 2009

**Assists: 1**  
Against: Kentucky Wesleyan  
When: September 29, 2009

**Digs: 3**  
Against: Lake Superior State  
When: September 4, 2009

**Blocks: 2**  
Against: Cameron  
When: September 11, 2009

### Q&A with Emily Meyer

**Q:** What is your favorite food?  
**A:** Peanut butter

**Q:** What is your favorite restaurant?  
**A:** Joe's Crab Shack

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?  
**A:** Tom Brady

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?  
**A:** Dirty Dancing

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?  
**A:** Alexis Bledel

**Q:** If you could live anywhere, where would it be?  
**A:** Somewhere on the East Coast

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?  
**A:** Francesca's

### CAREER STATISTICS

Year	SP-MP	K	E	TA	Pct.	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2009	12-7	12	4	36	.222	1	0	1	0	4	0	4	0	2

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## Emily Diedrich #2

6'0" ...Freshman...Middle Blocker

Hometown: Newburgh, IN

High School: Castle

Birthday: September 13, 1991

Major: Pre-Elementary Education

Honors: Three-time All-Conference; All-Metro; Indiana South All-Star; All-Conference & All-State in track



### Meet Emily Diedrich

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Was a member of four sectional championships at CHS...earned All-Conference honors three times and All-Metro honors once...was selected to the Indiana South All-Star team this past fall...also earned All-Conference and All-State honors on the track and competed in basketball as well. ...finished sixth in the shot put at the 2010 IHSAA State Track & Field Championships...won a sectional championship in the shot put as a senior and finished second at the regional meet.

#### CLUB VOLLEYBALL

Played a significant part on the Hoosierland Volleyball Club top 18's...helped lead her club team to a regional championship in 2008 and helped it qualify for the Junior Olympic Nationals in 2007 and 2008.

#### PERSONAL

Daughter of Doug and Karla Diedrich.

### Q&A with Emily Diedrich

**Q:** What is your favorite food?

**A:** Pasta

**Q:** What is your favorite restaurant?

**A:** Chick-fil-A

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?

**A:** Skip Schumaker

**Q:** What is your favorite TV show?

**A:** The Secret Life of an American Teenager

**Q:** What is your favorite book?

**A:** My Sister's Keeper

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?

**A:** The Notebook or The Hangover

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?

**A:** Sandra Bullock

**Q:** If you could live anywhere, where would it be?

**A:** Hawaii

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?

**A:** American Eagle or Buckle

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## Kristy Gerardot #4

5'10" ...Freshman...Outside Hitter

Hometown: Monroeville, IN

High School: Bishop Luers

Birthday: October 6, 1991

Major: Pre-Nursing

Honors: Three-time All-Conference; two-time All-Area; two-time All-Conference in softball



### Meet Kristy Gerardot

#### HIGH SCHOOL

Earned three All-Conference honors as well as two All-Area accolades on the volleyball court at BLHS...played basketball and softball, earning All-Conference honors in softball twice and helping BLHS to sectional championships in volleyball, basketball, and softball.

#### CLUB VOLLEYBALL

Played a big role in the N3 Volleyball Club's seventh-place finish at the Junior Olympic Nationals in 2009.

#### PERSONAL

Daughter of Roger and Laure Gerardot.

### Q&A with Kristy Gerardot

**Q:** What is your favorite food?

**A:** Pizza

**Q:** What is your favorite restaurant?

**A:** Olive Garden

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?

**A:** Misty May-Treanor

**Q:** What is your favorite TV show?

**A:** Desperate Housewives

**Q:** What is your favorite book?

**A:** My Sister's Keeper

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?

**A:** Love & Basketball

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?

**A:** Kristen Stewart

**Q:** If you could go anywhere, where would you go?

**A:** Greece

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?

**A:** Forever 21



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## Jorae Bradbury #7

5'10" ...Freshman...Setter/Right Side Hitter

Hometown: Decatur, IN

High School: Concordia Lutheran

Birthday: August 16, 1991

Major: Chemistry (Pre-Dentistry)

Honors: All-State; four-time All-Conference; two-time All-Area; Indiana North All-Star



### Meet Jorae Bradbury

#### HIGH SCHOOL

**Against:** Helped lead CLHS to a 3A sectional championship and a second-place finish at the region tournament in 2009... also helped lead CLHS to a 3A sectional title and a second-place finish at the region tournament in 2007 as well as a conference championship as a junior in 2008... earned All-State honors as a senior... earned first-team All-Conference honors in 2007, 2008, and 2009, and was a second-team All-Conference honoree as a freshman in 2006...garnered All-Area honors twice and was named to the Indiana North All Star team in 2009...finished her career with 1,579 career assists, 762 kills, 893 digs, 197 blocks, and 252 aces... earned Academic Honors as a senior and is a member of the National Honor Society.

#### CLUB VOLLEYBALL

Played club volleyball for the Ft. Wayne Volleyball Club.

#### PERSONAL

Daughter of Royce and Machelle Bradbury.

### Q&A with Jorae Bradbury

**Q:** What is your favorite food?

**A:** *Pizza*

**Q:** What is your favorite restaurant?

**A:** *Cork 'n Cleaver*

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?

**A:** *Misty May-Treanor*

**Q:** What is your favorite TV show?

**A:** *The Bachelor*

**Q:** What is your favorite book?

**A:** *The Notebook*

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?

**A:** *The Guardian*

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?

**A:** *Sandra Bullock*

**Q:** Big city or small town?

**A:** *Small town*

**Q:** What is a random fact about you others may not know?

**A:** *I don't eat red meat*

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# Kayla Heldman #12

5'7" ...Freshman...Defensive Specialist

Hometown: Greenwood, IN

High School: Center Grove

Birthday: June 16, 1991

Major: Pre-Nursing

Honors: First-team Academic All-State



## Meet Kayla Heldman

### HIGH SCHOOL

Earned varsity letters in volleyball and basketball at CGHS...earned first-team Academic All-State honors in 2009... helped lead CGHS to four Johnson County championships, three sectional championships, and the 2009 regional title.

### PERSONAL

Daughter of Gregory and Elizabeth Heldman.

## Q&A with Kayla Heldman

**Q:** What is your favorite food?

**A:** Pizza

**Q:** What is your favorite restaurant?

**A:** Stir Crazy Fresh Asian Grill

**Q:** Who is your favorite professional athlete?

**A:** Misty May-Treanor

**Q:** What is your favorite TV show?

**A:** Royal Pains

**Q:** What is your favorite book?

**A:** My Sister's Keeper

**Q:** What is your favorite movie?

**A:** How to Lose a Guy in 10 Days

**Q:** Who would you want to play you in a movie?

**A:** Reese Witherspoon

**Q:** If you could go anywhere, where would you go?

**A:** Australia

**Q:** If you had a \$5,000 gift card, at what store would you like it to be?

**A:** Buckle





## NATIONAL RECOGNITION

Our student-athletes have received the NCAA's highest individual honors including winning the Walter Byers Scholarship Award (the NCAA's top student-athlete) and the NCAA Woman of the Year Award.

## COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

We have initiated national community partnerships with the Make-A-Wish Foundation and Habitat for Humanity.

## UNIQUE FISCAL MODEL

We offer a unique fiscal model for intercollegiate athletics that redefine the institutional value for sponsoring sports and offering athletics scholarships.



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Division II



• 2009 VOLLEYBALL STATISTICS •

Record: 18-14 Home: 3-3 Away: 8-3 Neutral: 7-8 GLVC: 9-5

Results

Date	Opponent	Result	Score
'8/28	Minn.-Crookston	W	3-1
'8/28	Northwood (MI)	W	3-0
'8/29	West Virginia State	W	3-1
'8/29	Saginaw Valley State	L	1-3
'9/4	Wayne State (MI)	L	0-3
'9/4	Lake Superior State	W	3-0
'9/5	Hillsdale	L	0-3
'9/5	at Findlay	W	3-2
'9/11	at Nebraska-Omaha	L	0-3
'9/11	Cameron	L	0-3
'9/12	Minn. St.-Moorhead	L	0-3
'9/12	vs Angelo State	W	3-2
'9/18	at Bellarmine	W	3-0
'9/19	at Northern Kentucky	L	1-3
<b>'9/25</b>	<b>Drury</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>3-2</b>
<b>'9/26</b>	<b>Rockhurst</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>0-3</b>
'9/29	at Kentucky Wesleyan	W	3-0
*10/3	at Maryville	W	3-0
<b>*10/9</b>	<b>Indianapolis</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>0-3</b>
<b>*10/10</b>	<b>Saint Joseph's</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>2-3</b>
'10/16	Ferris State	L	0-3
'10/16	Northwood (MI)	W	3-2
'10/17	Michigan Tech	L	0-3
10/20	at Oakland City	W	3-0
*10/23	at Lewis	L	0-3
*10/24	at UW-Parkside	W	3-2
<b>*10/30</b>	<b>Missouri-St. Louis</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>3-1</b>
<b>*10/31</b>	<b>Missouri S&amp;T</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>3-0</b>
*11/6	at Illinois-Springfield	W	3-1
*11/7	at Quincy	W	3-0
'11/13	Missouri-St. Louis	W	3-1
'11/14	Indianapolis	L	1-3

'FSU Bulldog Classic (Big Rapids, MI);  
'TownePlace Suites Classic (Findlay, OH);  
'UNO Volleyball Classic (Omaha, NE);  
'GLVC/GLIAC Crossover (Lansing, MI);  
'GLVC Tournament (Romeoville, IL);  
\*GLVC contest; **Home matches in bold.**

Offensive Statistics

##	Player	SP	MP	MS	ATTACK					SET		SERVE		
					K	K/S	E	TA	Pct.	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE
9	Katie Knott	11	6	0	18	1.64	4	40	.350	0	0.00	0	0.00	1
13	Danielle LaGrange	116	32	32	328	2.83	107	728	.304	12	0.10	25	0.22	31
2	Ashley Henricks	109	32	32	186	1.71	64	429	.284	11	0.10	0	0.00	0
11	Melanie Pund	105	31	30	66	0.63	20	187	.246	956	9.10	36	0.34	31
1	Brittani Oliver	114	32	31	334	2.93	123	916	.230	11	0.10	13	0.11	12
15	Emily Meyer	12	7	1	12	1.00	4	36	.222	1	0.08	0	0.00	1
7	Courtney Bealor	114	32	19	189	1.66	100	569	.156	22	0.19	10	0.09	8
5	Ashley King	12	6	2	6	0.50	3	23	.130	116	9.67	4	0.33	6
4	Kathi Hindman	51	17	10	57	1.12	34	198	.116	27	0.53	1	0.02	2
14	Jaclyn Johnson	57	21	13	34	0.60	20	125	.112	16	0.28	0	0.00	1
8	Abbi Williams	53	20	14	86	1.62	55	277	.112	1	0.02	3	0.06	12
16	Krista Coccaro	115	32	0	3	0.03	4	46	-.022	26	0.23	15	0.13	17
6	Janae Curnutt	115	32	8	35	0.30	40	190	-.026	24	0.21	33	0.29	51
22	Kristi DeWulf	5	5	0	1	0.20	2	11	-.091	2	0.40	0	0.00	1
3	Stephanie Berg	53	18	0	2	0.04	7	18	-.278	8	0.15	8	0.15	11
USI Totals		116	32	32	1357	11.70	587	3793	.203	1233	10.63	148	1.28	185
Opponents		116	32	32	1430	12.33	678	4065	.185	1321	11.39	161	1.39	206

Defensive Statistics

##	Player	SP	RE	DIG		BLOCKING						BHE	Points	Pts/S
				D	D/S	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE				
9	Katie Knott	11	0	5	0.45	0	9	9	0.82	1	0	22.5	2.05	
13	Danielle LaGrange	116	2	102	0.88	8	88	96	0.83	9	3	405.0	3.49	
2	Ashley Henricks	109	0	18	0.17	12	91	103	0.94	5	1	243.5	2.23	
11	Melanie Pund	105	1	273	2.60	5	65	70	0.67	3	18	139.5	1.33	
1	Brittani Oliver	114	24	200	1.75	8	36	44	0.39	3	4	373.0	3.27	
15	Emily Meyer	12	0	4	0.33	0	4	4	0.33	0	2	14.0	1.17	
7	Courtney Bealor	114	35	242	2.12	2	23	25	0.22	3	3	212.5	1.86	
5	Ashley King	12	0	14	1.17	0	4	4	0.33	4	7	12.0	1.00	
4	Kathi Hindman	51	0	24	0.47	0	23	23	0.45	2	3	69.5	1.36	
14	Jaclyn Johnson	57	1	17	0.30	1	27	28	0.49	0	11	48.5	0.85	
8	Abbi Williams	53	7	41	0.77	1	13	14	0.26	3	0	96.5	1.82	
16	Krista Coccaro	115	56	363	3.16	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	18.0	0.16	
6	Janae Curnutt	115	24	246	2.14	0	0	0	0.00	0	3	68.0	0.59	
22	Kristi DeWulf	5	0	3	0.60	1	0	1	0.20	1	0	2.0	0.40	
3	Stephanie Berg	53	9	83	1.57	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	10.0	0.19	
TEAM					2									
USI Totals		116	161	1635	14.09	38	383	229.5	1.98	34	55	1734.5	14.95	
Opponents		116	148	1589	13.70	37	368	221.0	1.91	36	42	1812.0	15.62	

CATEGORY LEADERS

ATTACKING PERCENTAGE (Min. 1 kps)

Player	Pct	(Kills-Err.-Att.)
1. Katie Knott	.350	(18-4-40)
2. Danielle LaGrange	.304	(328-107-728)
3. Ashley Henricks	.284	(186-64-429)
4. Brittani Oliver	.230	(334-123-916)
5. Emily Meyer	.222	(12-4-36)

ASSISTS

Player	Assists	(A/S)
1. Melanie Pund	956	(9.10)
2. Ashley King	116	(9.67)
3. Kathi Hindman	27	(0.53)
4. Krista Coccaro	26	(0.23)
5. Janae Curnutt	24	(0.21)

SERVING

Player	SA-SE	(SA/S)
1. Melanie Pund	36-31	(0.34)
2. Janae Curnutt	33-51	(0.29)
3. Danielle LaGrange	25-31	(0.22)
4. Krista Coccaro	15-17	(0.13)
5. Brittani Oliver	13-12	(0.11)

KILLS

Player	Kills	(K/S)
1. Brittani Oliver	334	(2.93)
2. Danielle LaGrange	328	(2.83)
3. Courtney Bealor	189	(1.66)
4. Ashley Henricks	186	(1.71)
5. Abbi Williams	86	(1.62)

BLOCKS

Player	BS-BA-TB	(B/S)
1. Ashley Henricks	12-91-103	(0.94)
2. Danielle LaGrange	8-88-96	(0.83)
3. Melanie Pund	5-65-70	(0.67)
4. Brittani Oliver	8-36-44	(0.39)
5. Jaclyn Johnson	1-27-28	(0.49)

DIGS

Player	Digs	(D/S)
1. Krista Coccaro	363	(3.16)
2. Melanie Pund	273	(2.60)
3. Janae Curnutt	246	(2.14)
4. Courtney Bealor	242	(2.12)
5. Brittani Oliver	200	(1.75)

• 2009 GLVC RESULTS & AWARDS •

GLVC 2009 FINAL Volleyball Standings

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Post-Season Recap

2009 GLVC Tournament at Romeoville, IL

**First Round (Nov. 13)**  
#6 Southern Indiana 3, #3 Missouri-St. Louis 1  
#2 Indianapolis 3, #7 Drury 0  
#5 Rockhurst 3, #4 Northern Kentucky 1  
#1 Lewis 3, #8 Saint Joseph's 0

**Semifinals (Nov. 14)**  
Indianapolis 3, Southern Indiana 1

Lewis 3, Rockhurst 0

**Championship (Nov. 15)**  
Indianapolis 3, Lewis 1

2009 NCAA II Midwest Region Tournament at Indianapolis, IN

**First Round (Nov. 19)**  
#3 Saginaw Valley State 3, #6 Grand Valley State 1  
#2 Lewis 3, #7 Ferris State 0  
#5 Hillsdale 3, #4 Northern Michigan 2  
#1 Indianapolis 3, #8 Michigan Tech 0

**Semifinals (Nov. 20)**  
Lewis 3, Saginaw Valley State 0  
Indianapolis 3, Hillsdale 2

**Championship (Nov. 21)**  
Indianapolis 3, Lewis 0

2009 NCAA II Elite Eight at St. Paul, MN

**Quarterfinals (Dec. 3)**  
Flagler 3, Dowling 0  
West Texas A&M 3, California-Pennsylvania 1  
Calif. State San B'dino 3, Tampa 1

Concordia-St. Paul 3, Indianapolis 0

**Semifinals (Dec. 4)**  
West Texas A&M 3, Flagler 1

Concordia-St. Paul 3, Calif. State San B'dino 1

**National Championship (Dec. 5)**  
Concordia-St. Paul 3, West Texas A&M 0

Team	GLVC			OVERALL			Streak
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	
<sup>12</sup> Lewis	14	0	1.000	32	5	.865	L1
<sup>123</sup> Indianapolis	13	1	.929	38	2	.950	L1
<sup>1</sup> Missouri-St. Louis	11	3	.786	21	11	.656	L1
<sup>1</sup> Northern Kentucky	10	4	.714	20	12	.625	L2
<sup>1</sup> Rockhurst	9	5	.643	21	14	.600	L1
<sup>1</sup> <b>Southern Indiana</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>.643</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>.562</b>	<b>L1</b>
<sup>1</sup> Drury	8	6	.571	16	14	.533	L1
Bellarmine	7	7	.500	14	9	.609	W1
<sup>1</sup> Saint Joseph's	7	7	.500	13	19	.406	L1
UW-Parkside	5	9	.357	21	12	.636	L2
Missouri S&T	5	9	.357	10	27	.270	L4
Quincy	4	10	.286	7	21	.250	L1
Illinois-Springfield	2	12	.143	11	20	.355	W1
Maryville	1	13	.071	4	24	.143	L5
Kentucky Wesleyan	0	14	.000	2	31	.061	W1

<sup>1</sup>GLVC Tournament Participant

<sup>2</sup>NCAA II Tournament Participant

<sup>3</sup>NCAA II Elite Eight Participant

Post-Season Awards

All-GLVC

**Player of the Year:** Stephanie Sagat, LU

**Freshman of the Year:** Kristina Kerrigan, UI

**Coach of the Year:** Lorelee Smith, LU

First Team

OH: Lyndsay Callahan, Jr., UI  
OH: Maggie McGovern, So., RU  
OH: Stephanie Sagat, Sr., LU  
MH: Weslie Gaff, So., UMSL  
MH: Kim Nemcek, Jr., NKU  
S: Cheneta Morrison, Jr., UI  
S: Rachel Ruedi, Jr., LU  
RS: Erin Higgins, So., UMSL  
L/DS: Kyleigh Turner, Sr., UI

Second Team

OH: Liz Cook, Jr., UMSL  
OH: Julie Meyer, So., MST  
OH: Noelle Peterson, So., NKU  
MH: Kyrie Hopkins, Jr., DU  
MH: Emily Levy, Jr., RU  
S: Jenna Schreiber, Fr., NKU  
S: Austin Warren, Jr., DU  
RS: Addie Kramer, So., UWP  
L/DS: Carolyn Holstein, Jr., UMSL

All-GLVC

Third Team

OH: Emily Beckman, Jr., BU  
OH: Kristina Kerrigan, Fr., UI  
**OH: Brittani Oliver, Jr., USI**  
MH: Sara deBuhr, Sr., LU  
MH: Tami Gleason, Jr., UWP  
S: Lyndsay Kooi, Fr., QU  
**Melanie Pund, Sr., USI**  
RS: Kourtney Crawford, Fr., UI  
L/DS: Ashlee Lindish, Sr., LU

USI All-GLVC History

The University of Southern Indiana volleyball program has had a player named All-Conference 27 times since 2000.

USI All-Region History

The USI volleyball program has seen its athletes garner a total of 16 All-Region honors since 2000 through the AVCA and Daktronics, Inc.

USI Post-Season Honors

All-GLVC

Brittani Oliver (3rd Team)  
Melanie Pund (3rd Team)

Academic All-GLVC

Courtney Bealar  
Ashley Henricks  
Janae Curnutt  
Jaclyn Johnson  
Melanie Pund  
Stephanie Berg  
Krista Cocco  
Kristi DeWulf  
Danielle LaGrange  
Emily Meyer  
Abbi Williams

# USI VOLLEYBALL ALL-TIME RECORDS



## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

### Kills

**Match:**  
Sheri Kaiser vs. IUPU-Ft. Wayne,  
October 23, 1992 ..... 33

**Season:**  
Sheri Kaiser (1993) ..... 577

**Career:**

1. Shannon Wells (1999-2002) ..... 1,866
2. Leeanne Gross (2001-04) ..... 1,513
3. Sheri Kaiser (1990-93) ..... 1,479
4. Jamie Roth (1994-97) ..... 1,295
5. Emily Ryan (2003-06) ..... 1,191
6. Laura Ellerbusch (2002-05) ..... 1,149
7. Danielle Peter (1996-99) ..... 1,103
8. Chelse Doubler (2003-06) ..... 1,099
9. Rebecca Tillema (1994-97) ..... 1,022
10. Leah Mercer (1999-2002) ..... 927

### Attacking Percentage

**Season (Min. 200 attacks):**  
Sheri Kaiser (1993) ..... .391

**Career:**

1. Laura Ellerbusch (2002-05) ..... .325
2. Sheri Kaiser (1990-93) ..... .323
3. Leeanne Gross (2001-04) ..... .301
4. Shannon Wells (1999-2002) ..... .285
5. Molly Rahman (2004-07) ..... .279

*Shannon Wells '05 ended her career as USI's all-time leader in kills (1,866), service aces (319), and digs (1,353). Wells was the GLVC Player of the Year in 2002, helping the Eagles to their first-ever GLVC Tournament crown.*

### Assists

**Match:**  
Stephanie Wilson vs. Hillsdale,  
September 10, 2004 ..... 76

**Season:**  
Kim Boehmer (2002) ..... 1,491

**Career:**

1. Kim Boehmer (2000-03) ..... 5,344\*
2. Stephanie Wilson (2004-07) ..... 4,602
3. Carly Messman (1997-99) ..... 2,669
4. Melanie Pund (2007-09) ..... 2,521
5. Michelle Weesies (1991-93) ..... 2,152

\*Finished her career ranked third in GLVC history

### Service Aces

**Match:**  
Heidi Bullock vs. Principia,  
September 11, 1993 ..... 12

**Season:**  
Shannon Wells (2002) ..... 125

**Career:**

1. Shannon Wells (1999-2002) ..... 319
2. Mandy Probst (2003-06) ..... 179
3. Leeanne Gross (2001-04) ..... 165
4. Jamie Roth (1994-97) ..... 164
5. Chelse Doubler (2003-06) ..... 156

### Digs

**Match:**  
Amber Gogel vs. Quincy,  
September 7, 2007 ..... 37

**Season:**  
Mandy Probst (2004) ..... 475

**Career:**

1. Mandy Probst (2003-06) ..... 1,490
2. Shannon Wells (1999-2002) ..... 1,353
3. Jamie Roth (1994-97) ..... 1,261
4. Danielle Peter (1996-99) ..... 1,183
5. Michelle Welp (1992-95) ..... 1,157
6. Kristi Kavanaugh (1999-2002) ..... 1,153
7. Leeanne Gross (2001-04) ..... 1,063
8. Kim Boehmer (2000-03) ..... 971
9. Stephanie Wilson (2004-07) ..... 955
10. Melanie Pund (2007-09) ..... 949

### Solo Blocks

**Match:**  
Leah Parsons vs. Quincy  
September 8, 1989 ..... 11

**Season:**  
Leah Parsons (1989) ..... 108

**Career:**

1. Sheri Kaiser (1990-93) ..... 284
2. Rebecca Tillema (1994-97) ..... 262
3. Leah Parsons (1989-92) ..... 257
4. Michelle Welp (1992-95) ..... 125
5. Cindy Billings (1988-91) ..... 120

### Block Assists

**Match:**  
Sheri Kaiser vs. Sangamon State  
September 24, 1992 ..... 12

**Season:**  
Ashley Henricks (2006) ..... 122

**Career:**

1. Ashley Henricks (2006-09) ..... 375
2. Molly Rahman (2004-07) ..... 323
3. Sheri Kaiser (1990-93) ..... 319
4. Rebecca Tillema (1994-97) ..... 281
5. Laura Ellerbusch (2002-05) ..... 254



*Sheri Kaiser '94 became USI's first Academic All-American in any sport when she earned third team honors in 1993. She also is one of four volleyball players GLVC history to earn Player of the Year honors in back-to-back years.*



*Kim Boehmer '04 became USI's first volleyball All-American in 2003 when she recorded 1,346 assists. She finished her four-year career at USI with a school-record 5,344 career assists.*

**TEAM RECORDS/HONORS**

**Kills**

Match:  
vs. Missouri-St. Louis, Nov. 3, 2000 . . . . . 86  
Season: . . . . . 2002 (1,874)

**Service Aces**

Match:  
vs. Principia, September 11, 1993 . . . . . 45  
Season: . . . . . 2002 (337)

**Solo Blocks**

Match:  
vs. Quincy, September 26, 1992 . . . . . 29  
Season: . . . . . 1989 (255)

**Block Assists**

Match:  
vs. Principia, September 11, 1993 . . . . . 40  
Season: . . . . . 2008 (454)

**Digs**

Match:  
vs. N. Kentucky, September 28, 1990 . . . . . 129  
Season: . . . . . 2007 (2,147)

**Miscellaneous**

NCAA II Tournament Appearances:  
. . . . . 2002, 2004  
GLVC Tournament Championships:  
. . . . . 2002, 2004  
GLVC Regular Season Championships:  
. . . . . 2000 (co-champs), 2004  
GLVC Division Titles: . . . . . 2000 (Green)  
. . . . . 2001 (co-Green), 2002 (co-Green)  
Best Attacking Pct.: . . . . . .267 (1993, 2001)  
Most Wins in a Season: . . . . . 27 (2000)  
Consecutive Matches Won: . . . . . 12 (2000)  
Consecutive Games Won: . . . . . 34 (2000)  
Best Record: . . . . . 27-4, .938 (2000)  
Best GLVC Record: . . . . . 15-1, .938 (2004)

**INDIVIDUAL HONORS**

**All-Americans**

Kim Boehmer–2003 (AVCA H.M.)  
–First-Team All-GLVC (2000, 2001, 2002, 2003)  
–AVCA All-Region (2001, 2003)  
–Daktronics All-Region (2002, 2003)  
–GLVC Freshman of the Year (2000)  
–Finished career ranked third all-time in GLVC

Laura Ellerbusch–2004 (AVCA H.M.)

–AVCA National Player of the Week (2005)  
–First-Team All-GLVC (2004)  
–Second-Team All-GLVC (2003, 2005)  
–AVCA All-Region (2004, 2005)  
–Daktronics All-Region (2004, 2005)

**AVCA National Player of the Week**

Laura Ellerbusch (September 26, 2005)

**AVCA All-Region**

Sheri Kaiser–1993  
Kim Boehmer–2001, 2003  
Shannon Wells–2002  
Laura Ellerbusch–2004, 2005  
Stephanie Wilson–2004  
Emily Ryan–2005  
Chelse Doubler–2006

**Daktronics All-Region**

Shannon Wells–2000, 2001, 2002  
Kim Boehmer–2002, 2003  
Laura Ellerbusch–2004, 2005  
Stephanie Wilson–2004

*Laura Ellerbusch '04 became USI's second player in school history to earn AVCA All-America honors when she earned honorable mention accolades in 2004. She also became USI's first player in school history to be named the AVCA National Player of the Week in 2005.*

**NCAA II Great Lakes Region All-Tournament**

Shannon Wells–2000, 2001, 2002  
Laura Ellerbusch–2004  
Stephanie Wilson–2004

**GLVC Player of the Year**

Sheri Kaiser–1992, 1993  
Shannon Wells–2002

**GLVC Freshman of the Year**

Kim Boehmer–2000

**GLVC Coach of the Year**

Katie Loyer–2000

**All-Great Lakes Valley Conference**

Joy Normington–1990  
Sheri Kaiser–1992, 1993  
Michelle Weesies–1993  
Michell Welp–1994  
Rebecca Tillema–1996  
Jamie Roth–1997  
Danielle Peter–1999  
Shannon Wells–2000, 2001, 2002  
Kim Boehmer–2000, 2001, 2002, 2003  
Leah Mercer–2000, 2001  
Leeanne Gross–2002, 2003, 2004  
Laura Ellerbusch–2003, 2004, 2005  
Mandy Probst–2004  
Stephanie Wilson–2004, 2005, 2006  
Chelse Doubler–2005, 2006  
Emily Ryan–2005, 2006  
Margaret Buschman–2008  
Brittani Oliver–2008, 2009  
Melanie Pund–2009





*Kristi Kavanaugh '04 teamed with Shannon Wells '05 to form one of the most powerful outside hitter combinations in GLVC history. She became the first volleyball player in school history to earn first-team Academic All-America honors.*

**INDIVIDUAL HONORS**

**GLVC Scholar Athlete of the Year**

Shannon Wells–2001, 2002

**Academic All-America**

Sheri Kaiser–1993 (Third Team)  
 Kristi Kavanaugh–2002 (First Team)  
 Stephanie Wilson–2007 (First Team)

**CoSIDA Academic All-District**

Kristi Kavanaugh–2000, 2001, 2002  
 Shannon Wells–2002  
 Leanne Gross–2004  
 Laura Ellerbusch–2005  
 Stephanie Wilson–2005, 2006, 2007  
 Molly Rahman–2006, 2007

**Academic All-GLVC**

Angie Anderson–1991  
 Cindy Billings–1991  
 Sheri Kaiser–1991, 1992, 1993  
 Denise Rossa–1991  
 Michelle Weesies–1992, 1993  
 Michelle Welp–1993, 1994, 1995  
 Heidi Bullock–1994  
 Tanya Broughton–1994  
 Andrea Miller–1994, 1995, 1996  
 Anne–Marie Hourigan–1996

**Academic All-GLVC**

Summer Hall–1998  
 Ivy Krom–1998, 1999  
 Carly Messman–1998, 1999  
 Eileen Stahura–1998, 1999  
 Natalie Emge–1999  
 Leah Mercer–1999, 2000, 2001  
 Danielle Peter–1999  
 Kristina Kavanaugh–1999, 2000, 2001, 2002  
 Elizabeth Prewett–1999, 2000  
 Kriston Allison–1999  
 Shannon Wells–1999, 2001, 2002  
 Jami Turner–2001  
 Leanne Gross–2001, 2002, 2003, 2004  
 Rachel Byerley–2001  
 Laura Ellerbusch–2002, 2003, 2004, 2005  
 Courtney Nevins–2002  
 Ashley Riordan–2002, 2003  
 Greta Grinstead–2002  
 Manda Probst–2003, 2004, 2005, 2006  
 Molly Rahman–2004, 2005, 2006, 2007  
 Stephanie Wilson–2004, 2005, 2006, 2007  
 Megan Wollin–2005, 2006  
**Courtney Bealor–2006, 2007, 2008, 2009**  
 Meg Buschman–2006, 2007, 2008  
**Ashley Henricks–2006, 2007, 2008, 2009**  
 Julia Ridley–2006, 2007  
**Janae Curnutt–2007, 2008, 2009**  
**Jaclyn Johnson–2007, 2008, 2009**  
**Melanie Pund–2007, 2008, 2009**  
**Stephanie Burg–2008, 2009**  
**Krista Coccaro–2008, 2009**  
**Kristi DeWulf–2009**  
 Danielle LaGrange–2009  
 Emily Meyer–2009  
 Abbi Williams–2009

**YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORDS**

1980	26-18
1981	20-17
1982	17-17
1983	15-20
1984	10-30
1985	21-14
1986	16-16
1987	20-12
1988	12-18
1989	7-21
1990	12-11
1991	13-17
1992	11-13
1993	20-9
1994	15-14
1995	14-15
1996	14-19
1997	17-11
1998	12-15
1999	12-13
2000	27-4\$
2001	22-10
2002	26-8!*
2003	21-9
2004	24-7\$!*
2005	19-13
2006	17-11
2007	15-14
2008	18-15
2009	18-14
<b>Total</b>	<b>511-425 (.546)</b>

\$–GLVC Regular Season Champions;  
 !–GLVC Tournament Champions;  
 \*–NCAA II Tournament

**ALL-TIME COACHING RECORDS**

1. Kelly Boyd (1992-99) . . . . 115-109 (.513)
2. Leah Mercer (2005-present) . 87-67 (.565)
3. Cindy Thoms (1981-83) . . . . 52-54 (.491)
4. Craig Bere (2002-03) . . . . . 47-17 (.734)
5. Dawn Van Hall (1988-91) . . . 44-67 (.396)
6. Monica Dimment (1986-87) . 36-28 (.563)
7. Stephanie Zahn (1984-85) . . 31-44 (.413)
8. Katie Loyer (2000) . . . . . 27-4 (.871)
9. Debbie Schutte (1980) . . . . . 26-18 (.591)
10. Molly Alvey (2004) . . . . . 24-7 (.774)
11. Chrissy Smith (2002) . . . . . 22-10 (.688)

*Former Head Coach Katie Loyer led the Screaming Eagles to their best record in school history in 2000. USI finished the year 27-4, advancing to the first of five straight GLVC Tournament championship games.*



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Chelse Doubler earned All-Region honors as a senior when she averaged 3.91 kills per game, while attacking at a .295 clip in 2006. She was the ninth player in school history to reach 1,000 career kills, finishing with 1,099.

**ALL-TIME VOLLEYBALL SERIES RECORDS SINCE 1989**

Alabama A&M	1-0
Alabama-Huntsville	2-6
Alderson Broaddus	1-0
Angelo State	1-0
Ashland	4-7
Augustana (S.D.)	0-1
Austin Peay	0-5
Bellarmino	23-10
Brescia	6-0
Bryant	2-0
California-Pennsylvania	0-3
Cameron	0-1
Carson-Newman	1-0
Central Arkansas	1-0
Charleston (W.V.)	4-0
Chicago State	1-0
Clarion	1-0
Colorado School of Mines	1-0
DePauw	1-0
Drury	8-2
Edinboro	3-1
Emporia State	1-1
Evansville	1-4
Fairmont State	1-0
Ferris State	3-6
Findlay	2-0
Flagler	0-1
Franklin	1-0

Gannon	1-1
Georgetown (KY)	0-1
Grand Valley State	0-7
Harding	0-2
Henderson State	1-0
Hillsdale	3-5
Illinois College	0-1
Illinois-Springfield	3-0
Indiana-Pennsylvania	1-0
Indiana State	0-1
IUPU-Ft. Wayne	0-17
IUPU-Indianapolis	3-1
Indianapolis	15-15
Kentucky State	6-0
Kentucky Wesleyan	38-1
King	1-2
Lake Superior State	6-0
Lewis	9-19
Lincoln Memorial	2-0
Lindenwood	4-0
Livingston	1-0
Mars Hill	1-0
Maryville	2-0
McKendree College	7-0
Michigan Tech	0-1
Middle Tennessee State	1-1
Midwestern State	1-0
Milliken	1-0
Minnesota-Crookston	1-0
Minnesota State-Moorhead	0-1
Mississippi Univ. for Women	4-1
Missouri-St. Louis	18-13
Missouri S&T	5-0
Missouri Southern State	1-0
Missouri Valley	0-2
Missouri Western State	2-0
Montevallo	2-0
Murray State	0-4
Nebraska-Omaha	0-1
Newberry College	1-0
New Haven	1-0
Norfolk State	1-0
North Alabama	1-6
North Dakota	1-0
North Dakota State	0-1
Northern Kentucky	9-24
Northern Michigan	2-1
NW Missouri State	0-2
Northwood (MI)	3-9
Nova Southeastern	1-0
Oakland City	18-0
Oakland	0-1

Palm Beach Atlantic	1-0
Pittsburg State	1-1
Presbyterian College	1-0
Principia	3-0
Quincy	21-12
Rockhurst	0-9
Rhodes College	1-0
Saginaw Valley State	0-3
Saint Cloud State	1-0
Saint Francis	0-2
Saint Joseph's (IN)	15-8
Saint Leo	4-0
Shippensburg	1-0
Slippery Rock	0-1
SIU Edwardsville	9-16
South Dakota	2-0
Southeast Missouri St.	0-3
Southwestern Oklahoma State	1-0
Spalding	4-0
Tennessee-Martin	13
Texas Women's University	1-0
Tiffin	2-0
Truman State	0-3
Tusculum College	1-0
Washburn	13
Wayne State (MI)	0-1
West Alabama	2-0
West Florida	1-1
West Georgia	5-0
West Virginia State	1-0
West Virginia Wesleyan	2-0
Western Kentucky	0-2
Wheeling Jesuit	4-0
Winona State	0-1
Wisconsin-Parkside	17-4

Emily Ryan averaged 3.65 kills and 1.96 digs per game during her junior year in 2005 en route to earning All-Region honors. She became the eighth player in school history to reach 1,000 career kills, finishing with 1,191 during her four years in a USI uniform.



**Players listed alphabetically followed by years played**



*Leeanne Gross '06 helped the Screaming Eagles to two GLVC championships during her four-year career at USI. She earned All-GLVC honors three times and finished second on USI's all-time list with 1,513 career kills.*

Boehmer, Kim . . . . . 2000-03  
 Bona, Karen . . . . . 1983-84  
 Brandsasse, Jayne . . . . . 1979-82  
 Broughton, Tanya . . . . . 1992-95  
 Brothers, Lauri . . . . . 1979  
 Brown, Linda . . . . . 1980  
 Bullock, Heidi . . . . . 1992-94  
 Buschman, Margaret . . . . . 2005-08  
 Butts, Carla . . . . . 1998  
 Byerly, Rachel . . . . . 2001

**C**  
 Callis, Mona . . . . . 1986  
 Catt, Stephanie . . . . . 1985  
 Chinn, Delissa . . . . . 1979-80  
 Clark, Michelle . . . . . 1986-87  
**Coccaro, Krista . . . . . 2008-Present**  
 Combs, Diana . . . . . 1988-89  
 Coomer, Benita . . . . . 1982  
 Cox, Cara . . . . . 1996  
**Curnutt, Janae . . . . . 2007-Present**

**D**  
 Daniels, Qwin . . . . . 1995-97  
**DeWulf, Kristi . . . . . 2009-Present**  
 Dezember, Joni . . . . . 1979-80  
 Dimmett, Monica . . . . . 1985  
 Dixon, Nieta . . . . . 1982  
 Doubler, Chelse . . . . . 2003-06  
 Draper, Angela . . . . . 1992  
 Dukes, Kristi . . . . . 1998

**E**  
 Elledge, Loretta . . . . . 1981  
 Ellerbusch, Laura . . . . . 2002-05  
 Ellert, Sara . . . . . 1979  
 Elpers, Kelly . . . . . 1986  
 Emerick, Tami . . . . . 1994  
 Emge, Melanie . . . . . 1991  
 Emge, Natalie . . . . . 1999

**F**  
 Folz, Natalie . . . . . 1994-95  
 Frank, Debbie . . . . . 1982-85  
 Frank, Tracy . . . . . 1982-85

**G**  
 Gogel, Amber . . . . . 2005-07  
 Goodman, Courtney . . . . . 2003  
 Goodman, Kacie . . . . . 2003  
 Graber, Jackie . . . . . 1989  
 Green, Krystal . . . . . 1989-90  
 Grinstead, Greta . . . . . 2001-02  
 Gross, Leeanne . . . . . 2001-04  
 Groves, Anne . . . . . 1985

**A**  
 Ackerman, Laura . . . . . 1982  
 Adams, Benita . . . . . 1983-84  
 Alcorn, Molly . . . . . 1980  
 Allison, Kristin . . . . . 1999  
 Alston, Treda . . . . . 1979  
 Anderson, Angie . . . . . 1989-91  
 Anslinger, Ruth . . . . . 1982  
 Armstrong, Kim . . . . . 1980-81; 1983-84  
 Atzinger, Natalie . . . . . 2002-05

**B**  
 Bealor, Courtney . . . . . 2006-09  
 Beck, Kathy . . . . . 1979  
 Becker, Maria . . . . . 1981-82  
 Bell, Kim . . . . . 1985  
 Berberich, Karla . . . . . 1989  
**Berg, Stephanie . . . . . 2008-Present**  
 Billings, Cindy . . . . . 1988-91  
 Billings, Teresa . . . . . 1993-96



*The 2004 Screaming Eagles went 24-7 overall and 15-1 in the GLVC en route to their second conference title and NCAA II Tournament berth in three years.*

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*Stephanie Wilson '09, who became the third player to earn Academic All-America honors in the program's history, finished her career with 4,602 assists and 955 digs. She ranks second all-time at USI in assists and ninth in digs.*

**H**

Hall, Summer	1998
Handel, Angie	1985-88
Harden, Stacey	1989
Harris, June	1979
Harty, Andrea	2000
Helfrich, Lori	1980-82
Henricks, Ashley	2006-09
Henry, Pat	1980
Hindman, Kathi	2006-09
Hoehn, Kayla	2002
Hourigan, Anne Marie	1995-96
Huckabee, Cindy	1980-81
Hughes, Amy	1997-98
Hughes, Angie	1997-98
Hurt, Nancy	1979

**I**

Isaac, Beth	1986-87
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**J**

James, Bessie	1979
Johnson, Jaclyn	2006-09
Johnson, Jan	1998
Johnson, Tammy	1984
Johnson, Tricia	1982

**K**

Kahle, Sherry	1979-81
Kaho, Angela	1994-95
Kaiser, Sheri	1990-93
Kavanaugh, Kristi	1999-2002
Keever, Cara	2004-06
Kieffer, Eva	2004
Kiesel, Lisa	1989
<b>King, Ashley</b>	<b>2009-Present</b>
Kintner, Jennifer	1994
<b>Knott, Katie</b>	<b>2009-Present</b>
Krom, Ivy	1998-99
Kuester, Shawna	1991-94
Kyte, Kathy	1980

**L**

<b>LaGrange, Danielle</b>	<b>2009-Present</b>
Law, Kim	1999-2000
Levy, Dawn	1992
Lindauer, Donna	1979
Ludwig, Debbie	1980-81
Lynch, Ragan	1998
Lynn, Terri	1983-84

**M**

Maikranz, Tricia	1993
Malone, Karen	1980
Marshall, Audrey	2001
Martin, Audrey	1987
McIntosh, Emily	1997-2000
Melvin, Laurie	1980-81
Mercer, Leah	1998-2001
Messman, Carly	1997-99
<b>Meyer, Emily</b>	<b>2009-Present</b>
Miller, Andrea	1993-95
Miller, Brenda	1982-84
Miller (Willett), Delma	1985-88
Miller, Mary	1980-82
Mills, Kathy	1980
Mills, Pam	1979-80
Moolenaar, Kim	1991-92
Myer, Nancy	1986

*Mandy Probst '08, who earned All-GLVC honors as a sophomore in 2004, finished her career as USI's all-time leader in career digs (1,490). She set USI's single-season record when she racked up 475 digs during the Screaming Eagles' 2004 GLVC championship run.*

**N**

Nevins, Courtney	2002
Nix, Tina	1991
Nodarse, Christy	1979-81
Normington, Joy	1989-90
Norris, Sara	1980

**O**

<b>Oliver, Brittani</b>	<b>2007-Present</b>
Ostrander, Donald	1982
Owens, Susan	1989

**P**

Parsons, Leah	1989-92
Peter, Danielle	1996-99
Pigman, Beth	1981
Pomatto, Becky	1979
Pope, Deb	1992
Prewett, Elizabeth	1999-2000
Price, Tonya	1980
Probst, Amanda	2003-06
Pund, Melanie	2007-09

**R**

Raff, Randi	2001, 2003-04
Rahman, Molly	2004-07
Reed, Taylor	2008
Reising, Andrea	2004-05
Richardson, Tai	1995-98
Julia Ridley	2006-07
Riordan, Ashley	2002-03
Rossa, Denise	1989-91, 1993
Roth, Jamie	1994-97
Ruhe, Audra	1998
Ryan, Emily	2003-06





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Former Head Coach Craig Bere led the Screaming Eagles to their first GLVC Tournament title and NCAA II Tournament appearance in 2002. Bere also steered the Eagles to within three points of a second-straight title in 2003.

- S**
- Schuessler, Julie . . . . . 1985
  - Seib, Barbara . . . . . 1983–84
  - Shidler, Stephanie . . . . . 1994–97
  - Shoulders, Julie . . . . . 1985–88
  - Slemer, Julie . . . . . 1989–90
  - Snyder, Jean Ann. . . . . 1979
  - Stahura, Eileen . . . . . 1998
  - Steele, Amy. . . . . 1997
  - Steinsultz, Christy . . . . . 1991
  - Stroud, Angie . . . . . 1986–89

- T**
- Tillema, Rebecca . . . . . 1994–97
  - Timmons, Sherri . . . . . 1979
  - Titzer, Lisa . . . . . 1983
  - Toppi, Karen . . . . . 1979
  - Turner, Jami. . . . . 1999–2001

- V**
- VanMeter, Carrie. . . . . 1985
  - Veatch, Liz . . . . . 1979–81
  - Voegel, Staci. . . . . 1988

- W**
- Wade, Jana . . . . . 1985
  - Wahl, Nancy . . . . . 1986
  - Weesies, Michelle . . . . . 1991–93
  - Weidner, Michelle . . . . . 1985–88
  - Wells, Phyllis . . . . . 1979
  - Wells, Shannon . . . . . 1999–2002
  - Welp, Michelle . . . . . 1992–95
  - Wheeler, Kristine . . . . . 2001–04
  - Wilbourn, Jacque . . . . . 1980
  - Williams, Abbi . . . . . 2009–Present**
  - Wilson, Stephanie . . . . . 2004–07
  - Wittmer, Angie . . . . . 1982
  - Wollin, Megan . . . . . 2005–06

- Y**
- Yockey, Lisa . . . . . 1988–91

- Z**
- Zahn, Stephanie . . . . . 1981–84



The 2002 Screaming Eagles became the first USI volleyball team to qualify for the NCAA II Tournament by sweeping rival Northern Kentucky University in the GLVC Championship match. USI defeated Lewis University in the first round of the NCAA II Tournament before falling to eventual regional champion Grand Valley State University in four games.



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