NC STATE WOMEN’S SOCCER
PROGRAM ATHLETIC GOALS

TO WIN GAMES IN THE..........

- PRESEASON
- NON-CONFERENCE REGULAR SEASON
- ACC REGULAR SEASON
- ACC TOURNAMENT
- NCAA TOURNAMENT
- SPRING

“WINNING IS NOT A SOMETIME THING; IT’S AN ALL THE TIME THING. YOU DON’T WIN ONCE IN A WHILE, YOU DON’T DO THINGS RIGHT ONCE IN A WHILE. YOU WIN AND DO THINGS RIGHT ALL THE TIME. WINNING IS A HABIT.”

VINCE LOMBARDI
PROGRAM STANDARDS

WE HAVE STANDARDS, NOT RULES.

1) ACADEMICS: APPLICATION AND ACHIEVEMENT
   2) ATHLETICS: COMMITMENT AND WINNING
   3) SOCIAL LIFE: BEHAVIOR AND REPRESENTATION

“STANDARDS ARE MEANT TO BE UPHELD. RULES ARE MEANT TO BE BROKEN.”
NC STATE FACTS

RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA - #1 RANKED CITY IN THE U.S. TO LIVE
FACULTY TO STUDENT RATIO: 15:1
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 35 STUDENTS

RANKINGS

• 1st in Textiles
• 3rd in Best Overall Public University Value
• 7th in Graduate Nuclear Engineering
• Nine graduate programs among Top 30 public universities
• 9th in Biological and Agricultural Engineering
• 4th in Engineering Undergraduate degrees awarded to African-Americans
• 6th among all U.S. Engineering colleges in number of B.S. degrees awarded

CENTENNIAL CAMPUS

• National model for government, business, university partnerships and mixed-used environments
• Includes 1,120-acre Centennial Campus and the 214-acre Centennial Biomedical Campus
• Houses Colleges of Textiles, Engineering and Veterinary Medicine
• Home to James B. Hunt Jr. Library which was constructed in 2013, costing $115.2 million
• Technology Incubator and Office of Technology transfer help entrepreneurs and faculty commercialize products and processes
• More than 60 corporate, nonprofit, government partners and 2,450 employees

EXTENSION, ENGAGEMENT, & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

• Economic impact: On NC, $1.7 billion annually; total budget of $1.2 billion; total endowment of $501 million

ALUMNI

• More than 170,000 living NC State Alumni
• 109,900 alumni living in North Carolina
• Alumni account for $5.6 billion of income in North Carolina

RESEARCH

• $380 million in total research expenditure
• 7th in industry research funding among universities without medical schools
DEGREE PROGRAMS

ACCOUNTING
AEROSPACE ENGINEERING AFRICANA
STUDIES AGRICULTURAL & ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY
AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT
AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION
ANIMAL SCIENCE
ANTHROPOLOGY APPLIED
MATHEMATICS
ARCHITECTURE
ART & DESIGN
ART APPLICATIONS

BIOCHEMISTRY BIOLOGICAL ENGINEERING BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING
BIOPROCESSING SCIENCE
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION BUSINESS & MARKETING EDUCATION

CHEMICAL ENGINEERING CHEMISTRY
CIVIL ENGINEERING
COMMUNICATION COMPUTER ENGINEERING COMPUTER SCIENCE
CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT
CRIMINOLOGY DESIGN

STUDIES
ECONOMICS
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION
ENGLISH

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES
ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY EXTENSION EDUCATION
FIRST YEAR COLLEGE
FOOD SCIENCE FOREIGN LAGUAGES FOREST MANAGEMENT
FRENCH,SECONDARYTEACHER EDUCATION

GENETICS GEOLOGY GRAPHIC DESIGN
HISTORY HORTICULTURE STUDIES
INDUSTRIAL DESIGN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

MARINE SCIENCES
MATERIALS SCIENCE & ENGINEERING
MATHEMATICS
MATHEMATICS EDUCATION
MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
METEOROLOGY
MICROBIOLOGY
MIDDLE GRADES LANGUAGE ARTS & SOCIAL STUDIES
MIDDLE GRADES MATHEMATICS & SCIENCE

NATURAL RESOURCES NUCLEAR ENGINEERING NUTRITION SCIENCE

PAPER SCIENCE & ENGINEERING PARKS, RECREATION & TOURISM PHILOSOPHY PHYSICS
PLANT & SOIL SCIENCE
PLANT BIOLOGY POLITICAL SCIENCE
POLYMER & COLOR CHEMISTRY POULTRY SCIENCE
PROFESSIONAL GOLF MANAGEMENT PSYCHOLOGY

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

SCIENCE EDUCATION
SCIENCE EDUCATION: HIGH SCHOOL & MIDDLE SCHOOL
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & SOCIETY SOCIAL WORK
SOCIOLOGY
SOIL & LAND DEVELOPMENT SPANISH, SECONDARY TEACHER EDUCATION
SPORT MANAGEMENT STATISTICS

TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & DESIGN EDUCATION
TEXTILE & APPAREL MANAGEMENT
TEXTILE ENGINEERING
TEXTILE TECHNOLOGY

WOMEN'S & GENDER STUDIES WOOD PRODUCTS
ZOOLOGY
$2.2 MILLION STATE-OF-THE-ART TRAINING FACILITY

2 LIGHTED FULL FIELDS:
BERMUDA GRASS AND FIFA GRADE SPORTS TURF
DAIL SOCCER STADIUM

RECENT $2 MILLION RENOVATION

4,500 SEATING CAPACITY, WITH STUDENT-ONLY SECTIONS; MANICURED, BERMUDA GRASS FIELD; SIGNAGE BOARDS AROUND FIELD; NEW GAME DAY LOCKER ROOMS
CASE DINING HALL

AWARD WINNING TRAINING TABLE
“EAT FOR PEAK PERFORMANCE”

CLOSE PROXIMITY TO WOOD HALL, W-B ATHLETIC FACILITY AND WTC

LOCATION ON GROUND FLOOR OF CASE ACADEMIC CENTER FOR ATHLETES

INDOOR AND OUTDOOR SEATING

FULL-TIME NUTRITIONISTS
MEALS DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR STUDENT-ATHLETES
INDIVIDUALIZED NUTRITION PLANS
EVERYTHING NC STATE FRESHMEN SOCCER PLAYERS NEED: SUITE-STYLE LIVING WITH CLOSE PROXIMITY TO WEISIGER-BROWN ATHLETIC FACILITY, CASE ACADEMIC CENTER/ DINING HALL AND WOLFPACK TRAINING CENTER

EQUIPPED WITH MICROFRIDGE, INTERNET AND CABLE TV

24-HOUR DESK, TV LOUNGE AND GAME ROOM

WOODWELLNESSVILLAGE is an exciting residential living and learning village open to all students committed to living a balanced life. This includes quality sleep, healthy relationships, service learning, balanced diet, regular exercise, awareness of environmental impacts and much more.

As a member of the Village you will enhance your knowledge and self-awareness of personal wellness, the foundation to achieve success at NC State and beyond. The community is developed and nurtured through interactive programming, personal engagement and interaction with students, faculty and staff members. Engaging, fun team building programs, such as whitewater rafting, volunteering and meditation, coupled with exclusive Village events and the support of a Village mentor will help you discover your balance.

As a member of the Village, you are required to enroll in HESS 295 in the fall, a two-credit course that counts toward your General Education Plan (GEP). The class is an experiential learning opportunity to creatively and critically assess and enhance the seven dimensions of wellness through assignments both in and out of the classroom.
NC STATE UNIVERSITY IS COMMITTED TO PROVIDING ITS STUDENT-ATHLETES WITH ALL OF THE TOOLS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE EXCELLENCE ON THE FIELD AND IN THE CLASSROOM, EVIDENCED OF BY THE ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAM FOR STUDENT-ATHLETES (ASPSA).

**TUTORIAL SERVICES**
- Personal tutors for all classes
- Annual investment of over $300,000 in tutoring for student-athletes
- Supplemental instructional programs and departmental learning centers available

**ACADEMIC COUNSELING**
- Priority registration for selection of classes
- Classroom performance
- Information is gathered from professors and shared with the student-athletes and coaches

**GRADUATION PLANNING**
- Graduation in four years
- NC State has an 85% graduation rate for student-athletes who have exhausted their eligibility
RALEIGH, NC

BUSINESSWEEK: #1 CITY IN THE NATION TO LIVE

POPULATION: RALEIGH, 416,468 AND WAKE COUNTY, 929,780

CAPITAL OF NORTH CAROLINA

CLIMATE: ANNUAL AVERAGE TEMPERATURE (°F): 71 (HIGH), 50 (LOW)

SITUATED MIDWAY BETWEEN THE BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAINS AND THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAMS:
CAROLINA RAILHAWKS (NASL SOCCER),
CAROLINA HURRICANES (NHL HOCKEY), DURHAM BULLS (AAA BASEBALL)

#3 CITY FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS TO LIVE

#10 CITY PROSPEROUS FOR BUSINESSES
Tim Santoro was named the Head Coach, Women's Soccer at NC State on November 30, 2012.

"Tim Santoro was identified early in the search process as one of the rising stars in women's soccer" said Sherard Clinkscales, former Associate Athletic Director at NC State. "His recruiting efforts established Wake Forest as a perennial top-ten program. Coupled with a strong acumen for game strategy and commitment to student-athlete development, it became clear to the search committee and me that Tim was the right choice to lead the women's soccer program. Tim understands the challenges of competing in the ACC and embraces them. He is determined to restore NC State to its past glory as a national contender."

NC State finished the 2017 season with a final RPI of #23, setting its best mark in program history since the NCAA began archiving the statistic in 2000. The Wolfpack improved 11 spots from 2016, when the team earned a then program-best RPI of #34, and has made a 197-spot improvement from 220th in 2015. The Wolfpack concluded its historic season with a run to the NCAA Second Round and a 15-5-2 record, marking the most wins for the program since 1995. The campaign was highlighted by a third-place finish in the ACC regular season standings (6-3-1) and the program's first ACC Championship semifinal appearance since 1995 after a 4-1 win v Notre Dame in the ACC Quarterfinals.

NC State clinched back-to-back ACC Tournament berths for the first time since 2003-04 and earned consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances for the first time since 1995-96, including hosting the first ever NCAA home game at Dail Stadium (a 4-1 win over Arkansas). Additionally, NC State finished in the Top 25 of all final polls: #16 in TopDrawer Soccer, #21 in United Soccer Coaches and #23 in Soccer America.

The 2016 season marked a clear breakthrough for the Wolfpack. The NSCAA Southeast Regional Coach of the Year and a finalist for NSCAA National Coach of the Year, Santoro guided the program to its first NCAA Tournament appearance in 20 years and led them to their first ever NCAA Sweet Sixteen since the origin of the 64-team tournament. The program concluded the 2016 season ranked in the national polls: #23 in TopDrawerSoccer poll and #24 in the NSCAA poll. The rankings mark the first time since 1995 that NC State has closed the year ranked in the Top 25. NC State also finished #34 in the NCAA RPI, posting a 186-spot improvement from its final 2015 RPI ranking.

The team defeated or tied three other teams ranked in the final 2016 NSCAA poll including, #4 North Carolina, #15 Minnesota and #22 Pepperdine. Overall, the Pack holds seven results against teams that were ranked or receiving votes. The NCAA Tournament wins v Minnesota, the 2016 Big 10 regular season and tournament champions, and versus 2016 West Coast Conference champion, Pepperdine, put the Wolfpack on the cusp of an NCAA College Cup berth. In addition, Santoro led NC State to its first ACC Tournament postseason berth in 10 years by gaining points in half of its ACC matches and garnering the #8 seed.
NC State’s four regular season ACC wins in 2016 were the most ACC wins since 1995 and the 11 overall wins were the most total wins since 1996. The team was also ranked in several polls throughout the year, and climbed to as high as 17th in the national polls despite facing the hardest ACC schedule in the conference.

The team earned a signature win in its ACC opener, traveling to North Carolina and getting a 1-0 victory at Fetzer Field for the first time in program history. The win marked the biggest win over a ranked team since 2001. The Pack totaled six straight wins and held a shutout streak over 463 minutes during the winning streak from Aug 28-Sept 21.

The 2016 squad was one of the youngest in the country, built primarily of freshmen and sophomores. The top-20 freshmen recruiting class accounted for the team’s top three and five of the top-six point scorers. Freshmen recorded 23 goals and 19 assists for 69 percent of the team’s points, while all four sophomores made a huge jump from their freshman season and started every match for the team.

The team had a strong offensive and defensive year, scoring 32 goals – more than the last two seasons combined – and lowering its goals against average to 1.10 to tie its best mark since 2011.

Prior to NC State, Santoro was one of the top assistant coaches and recruiters in the country from 2008-2012, directing and coordinating all aspects of recruiting and developing Wake Forest in his five seasons into one of the premier programs in NCAA Division I and in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

During his tenure at Wake Forest, the Deacons achieved major firsts in the program's history, including the NCAA College Cup and the No. 1 overall seed in the 2011 NCAA Tournament, the 2010 ACC Championship, and a top-5 recruiting class in 2010.

In 2011, the Demon Deacons earned a No. 1 seed in the NCAA Tournament and advanced to the program's first-ever College Cup, in addition to making a return trip to the ACC Tournament final after first winning the conference title in 2010. Santoro's defenders gave up only 20 goals all season, earning a 0.74 goals against average that ranked as the lowest in school history, and kept 14 shutouts, the second-highest total for a Wake Forest squad.

The 2011 squad reached No. 1 in the NCAA RPI rankings and peaked at No. 3 in the NSCAA poll, with both marks being the highest in school history. The team also set a school season record for wins (18), finishing with an 18-4-4 record. In 2010, a so-called "rebuilding year" after graduating seven starters in 2009, Santoro helped the Demon Deacons win their first-ever ACC Championship and receive a final ranking of No. 8 in the Soccer America poll.

Santoro attended Catawba College in Salisbury, N.C., and was a four-year member of the men's soccer program before graduating in 1994. He helped guide Catawba to a pair of NAIA National Tournament appearances, before the school moved to the Division II level for his final two seasons. He was named an honorable mention All-American as a senior.

Santoro, who hails from a New Jersey soccer family with his older brother, Mat, the Head Coach at Division II men's program University of Southern Indiana, lives in Raleigh with his wife, Pilar, and their three dogs (Nesta, Philly, and Cali).
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BRYCE COURTENAY, THE POWER OF ONE
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Freshmen Tziarra King and Kia Rankin garnered All-ACC selections while King and fellow freshman Kristina Schuster received NSCAA All-Region honors. In addition, junior Jackie Stengel was selected to U23 United States National Team camp.

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