# 2002-03 SWIMMING & DIVING MEDIA GUIDE

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# 2002-03 WOMEN'S OUTLOOK

he Lady Seminoles had the best ACC season in school history in 2001-02. With the loss of major seniors such as Christy Cech, Candice Nethercott and Keryn Krynauw, it would be hard to believe that the 2002-03 squad could have the tools to match the success of last season. Not so, according to head coach Neil Harper. Harper explains that with the maturation and development of a talented group of returnees and the signing of three junior transfers, this season could produce even better results for the Lady Seminoles.

Emma Dutton enters her junior year after competing in three events at the 2002 NCAA Championships. Expect Dutton to not only return to the NCAA Championships in 2003, but also compete for All-America honors. Sophomore Emily Breen was a delightful contributor for the Lady Seminoles and had the talent to help out the squad in a variety of events. Fellow sophomore Lisa How will benefit from a year under her belt and an excellent summer of training and conditioning.

Rachel Dong, Andree-Anne LeRoy and Katie Byrnes are junior transfers from Washington State and possess the ability to compete at the NCAA Championships this season. Both Dong and LeRoy enjoyed a trip to the national championships last year, while Byrnes reached preliminary qualifying marks. The trio brings a multidimensional attack to the Lady Seminoles, allowing Harper to use their talents in a number of events.

#### **Sprints**

Harper will lean on senior Elizabeth Parkinson and sophomore Jennie Lyes to lead the Lady Seminoles in the sprint relays. Dutton will contribute in the 50-yard freestyle. Dong will provide important depth to a sprint squad that loss Cech, the school record holder in the 50- and 100-frees and a two-time All-American, to graduation. Breen can contribute in the short sprints and will be effective in the 200-free as well. Sophomore Christy Pesce will benefit from working with a strong group and should show improvement by the end of the year. Juniors Amy Lo and Loren Hansen have also shown improvement in the 200-free since the end of last season.

#### Distance

The distance group has gradually improved each year. All the main contributors in the distance squad return in 2002-03, which should mark one of the best showings for the Lady Seminoles at the ACC meet in the distance events. Leading the way in the distance group is sophomore Angie Leach. Lo, Hansen, junior Jennifer Smith and sophomore Golda Marcus will join Leach in the distance events. Last season Leach and Lo scored at the ACC meet and will show improvement by moving up in the conference ranks in 2002-03.

#### Fly

The butterfly should be a solid event for the Lady Seminoles this season. Dong will lead the way with the goal of returning to the NCAA Championships in the 100-yard fly. Breen and junior Tonya Rasor will contribute in the 100-fly for the Seminoles. In the 200-fly, Harper will lean on How, who has become the team's mainstay in the event. Harper believes that How is

much more focused this year and will not only make an impact at the ACC Championships, but could also qualify and score at the NCAA meet. Hansen was a surprise in the 200-fly and looks to become a force in that event on a regular basis.

#### Backstroke

The backstroke event could go from being just average for the Lady Seminoles last season to being one of their stronger events in 2002-03. Breen will lead the group and will be very beneficial to the team, particularly in the 100-yard back. LeRoy, Byrnes and sophomore Laura Kenney will join team captains, and seniors, Margaret Colley and Betsy Nagy to add additional help in the 200-back. Harper will find that he has a group of six or seven swimmers to pick from to compete in the back events, this should result in a stronger and very competitive group of competitors at the ACC Championships.

#### Breaststroke

The 100-yard breaststroke may be the best individual event for the Lady Seminoles in 2002-03. Dutton and Dong will lead the way for FSU in the 100-breast and both should look towards a return trip to the NCAA Championships at season's end. The 200-breast will be a challenging event, which will see consistency from Dutton and Dong. Junior Jennifer Henshaw, who is returning after a year off due to injury, and How are proven competitors in the 200-breast.

#### Individual Medley

The 200- and 400-yard individual medleys will provide several opportunities for the Lady Seminoles to go to the NCAA Championships. Dutton and LeRoy competed at NCAA's last season and will strive to do so again in the 200-IM. Harper predicts great races between the two in the 200-IM as they push each other for the school record. LeRoy will also contribute in the 400-IM. Leading the Lady Seminoles in the 400-IM will be How, who holds the school record. Kenney, who according to Harper is now more focused and ready to compete, will look to retake her 400-IM school record, which How broke late last season season. Expect Hansen and Henshaw to shake things up in the 400-IM as they also contribute for the Lady Seminoles.

#### Relays

In Harper's assumption, the freestyle relays will be a strong point for the Lady Seminoles in 2002-03. There is a solid group to choose from for the 4x50 and 4x100-free relays. The competition between Dutton, Dong, Lyes, Parkinson, Breen and LeRoy for spots on the squads will be fierce. The 4x200 will be much better this season. The improvement from Leach and Lo and the addition of LeRoy should make the 4x200-free squad a competitive one at the ACC Championships.

The outlook for the medley relays is exciting. Returning from last year's ACC Championship title winning 4x100-medley relay are Dutton and Breen. Harper plans on using Dong in the fly and will wait to see which sprinter will step up to help out the squad. Look for the Lady Seminoles to be favorites in the 4x50 and 4x100-medley relays at the ACC Championships.

# 2002-03 WOMEN'S ROSTER

**NAME** CL. **EVENTS HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL)** Savannah, Ga. (H.V. Jenkins) So. **Emily Breen** Free, Fly Katie Byrnes Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Washington State) Jr. Back Back, Fly Jacksonville, Fla. (Univ. of Florida) Brst, Fly, IM, Free Paramount, Calif. (Washington State) Margaret Colley Sr. Rachel Dong Jr. Bradford, West Yorkshire, England **Emma Dutton** Jr. Breast, IM IM, Fly Breast, IM, Fly Loren Hansen Pensacola, Fla. (Washington) Jr. Jennifer Henshaw Jr. Fort Meyers, Fla. (Cleveland State) Lisa How So. Fly, IM, Free Preston, England (Hutton Grammar) Plano, Texas (Plano) Laura Kenney So. IM, Back, Free Angie Leach So. Free Leesburg, Fla. (Leesburg) Chelsie Lerew Jr. Divina Orlando, Fla. (Lake Highland Prep) Andree-Anne LeRoy Back, IM Nanaimo, B.C., Canada (Washington State) Jr. Longwood, Fla. (Lake Brantley) Amy Lo Distance Free Jr. Staines, England (Magna Carta) Free, Back Jennie Lyes So. Mission Viejo, Calif. (Capistrano Valley) Coral Springs, Fla. (American Heritage) Tiffany Manning Diving So. Golda Marcus So. Distance Free Jacksonville, Fla. (Forrest) Courtney McClow So. Diving Shalimar, Fla. (Niceville) **Betsy Nagy** Sr. Back, IM Elizabeth Parkinson Johannesburg, South África (Univ. of Hawaii) Sr. Free Tampa, Fla. (H.B. Plant) Christie Pesce So. Free Niceville, Fla. (Niceville) Tonya Rasor Fly, Free Jr. Jennifer Smith Distance Free Pensacola, Fla. (Washington) Jr. Kayce Zemina So. Free Plantation, Fla. (Plantation)

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ASSISTANT COACHES: Andy Řobins (William & Mary '83), John Fedena (Delaware '98), Anne Blachford (Florida State '00)



# 2002-03 MEN'S **QUTLQQK**

ith another top four finish in the ACC under their belts, head coach Neil Harper and his men's swim team are ready to make a move up the conference ladder in 2002-03. The Seminoles return their core group from last year, including an experienced and talented senior class. Harper expects to send a larger representation to the NCAA Championships this season now that he has added some missing pieces to the puzzle. The addition of Joel Roycik and Chris Vythoulkas, two impressive freshmen recruits, gives Harper one of his deepest rosters in terms of talent and will strengthen the relay squads. A top three finish at the ACC Championships will not be out of the question for the Seminoles in 2003.

**Sprints**The 2002-03 edition may be one of the best sprint squads FSU has ever had. The sprint roster goes six to seven deep, all of which have improved over the summer and can contribute to the team. Leading the way are three talented seniors, Nnamnse Ammons, Matt Carmen and Joey Marshburn. Ammons turned in NCAA-B cut times in both the 50- and 100-yard frees last season, while Carmen reached the B-cut in the 100 and Marshburn in the 50. All three seniors placed in the top six at the ACC Championships in the 100-free and plan to improve their placing in 2003. Junior Michael Paulus competed in the consolation finals at the ACC meet in both the 50- and 100-frees. This season's goal for Paulus will be to break into the top eight at the ACC's. Fellow junior Wickus Nienaber, an accomplished breaststroker, is a proven sprinter in the 50-free and turned in the Seminole's top finish at ACC's, placing sixth. Roycik, who won two state titles in the 50-free and set the Florida high school record, will push the veteran core.

#### Distance

Harper believes that the distance freestyle events will no longer be a weak link for the Seminoles. Junior transfer Fernando Jacome joins three returning distance specialists in Alan Ribeiro, Ted Bradley and Andrew Skaggs. Jacome, a former JUCO All-American, will help the Seminoles in scoring at major meets, especially the ACC Championships. Ribeiro, Bradley and Skaggs are all sophomores with a year of experience. Harper believes the time the three sophomores have already spent in the pool will pay off in competition.

#### Butterfly

Senior Devin Crock will be the team leader in the butterfly this season. Crock's strength lies in the 100-vard flv. which he won at the 2001 ACC Championship and placed second in 2002. Crock will enter the 2003 conference meet as the heavy favorite to win the 100-fly. After turning in NCAA-B cut marks in 2002, Crock hopes to qualify for the national championships in 2003. Sophomore Michael Averett placed an impressive ninth in the 100-fly at ACC's and will add depth the squad. Roycik joins the Seminoles as a two-time Florida state high school champion in the 100-fly. Vythoulkas was an accomplished butterflier in high school as well. Junior Matt Wheeler is the Tribe's 200-fly specialist. Harper is confident that good training can help Wheeler immensely in 2002-03.

#### Backstroke

Harper understands that the backstroke will be an untested

event for his team this season. He will look for freshmen Brent Campbell and Jared Heine to gain valuable experience and help the Seminoles score at meets. Both freshmen are eager to perform and have an opportunity to help out the team. Crock is able to flip over and compete in the backstroke and may end up being the go-to guy if need be. Vythoulkas is another member of the team who can assist in the back events.

#### Breaststroke

The breaststroke will be one of the strongest events for the Seminoles in 2002-03. Senior Justin Betts was the Seminoles' only swimmer to compete at the NCAA Championships in 2002 and will be the leader of the group. Two very talented juniors in Tal Stricker and Nienaber join Betts in the breaststroke. According to Harper, on any given day any three of them can step up and win. Betts' strength will be the 100-yard breast while Stricker will set the pace in the 200-breast, which he holds the school record in. Nienaber will push both of his teammates for the top spot in each event. All three have potential to qualify and score at the 2003 NCAA Championships. Harper is excited about this group and looks for them to be big time scorers for the Seminoles this season.

#### Individual Medley

The 200-yard IM will rank right up there with the sprint frees and breaststrokes as the squad's top events. Betts is strong in the 200-IM and returns after setting the school record and competing at NCAA Championships in 2002. Stricker swam NCAA-B cut marks in the 200-IM last season and will team up with Betts to score major points. The Seminoles are untested in the 400-IM. Harper will need Wheeler to have a strong season and expects Betts to contribute at this distance too.

#### Relays

The relay squads will definitely be a strong point for the Seminoles in 2002-03. All three freestyle relays will be fast. The 4x50-yard free relay squad will be impressive and should enter the ACC Championships as a favorite. Ammons, Carmen, Marshburn and Nienaber swam the 4x50 last season and placed second at the ACC meet. The similar scenario goes for the 4x100 relay which included Paulus. The Seminoles also placed second in the event at last year's ACC meet and will look to be the favorites in 2003. The addition of Roycik will only elevate the 4x50 and 4x100 free relay teams. Roycik's presence will help ignite an exciting competition between all the sprinters for spots on the relay squads. The 4x200 free relay will see improvement almost immediately with the addition of Jacome. Averett is proven in 200-free and, along with Ribeiro and Bradley, will assist in the squad's success this season.

The medley relays will be another source of success for the Seminoles in 2002-03. The 200-medley returns all the members of last season's squad including Crock, Betts, Marshburn and Ammons, that won the ACC title. If the foursome can swim error free this year, the 200-medley squad can look forward to a trip to the NCAA Championships. The success of the 400-medley depends on whether or not a newcomer can contribute in the backstroke in order to move Crock to the butterfly. In the end, the Seminoles will be able to count on the medley relays not to let them down.

# 2002-03 MEN'S ROSTER

NAME	CL.	EVENTS	HOMETOWN
Nnamnse Ammons	Sr.	Free	Mitchellville, Md. (Dematha Catholic)
Michael Averett	So.	Fly, Free	Davie, Fla. (Pine Crest)
Jason Beinlich	Fr.	Diving	Ridley, Pa. (Ridley)
Justin Betts	Sr.	Breast, IM	Springfield, Va. (Lee)
Ted Bradley	So.	Free, Back	St. Petersburg, Fla. (Northeast)
Brent Campbell	Fr.	Back	Weston, Fla. (Western)
Matt Carmen	Sr.	Free	Merritt Island, Fla. (U.S. Coast Guard Academy)
Andrew Castro	So.	Free, Fly, Back	Miami, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)
Pete Crane	Fr.	Diving	Fairport, N.Y. (Fairport)
Devin Crock	Sr.	Fly, Free, Back	Alexandria, Va. (Bishop O'Connell)
Stuart de la Rossa	Fr.	Diving	Erdenhiem, Pa. (Springfield Township)
Louis Gagnet	So.	Diving	Mission Viejo, Calif. (University)
Jared Heine	Fr.	Back	Honolulu, Hawaii (Damien Memorial)
Sam Hood	So.	Diving	Philadelphia, Pa. (LaSalle Univ.)
Fernando Jacome	Jr.	Free _	Bucaramanga, Colombia (Indian River C.C.)
Joey Marshburn	Sr.	Free, Fly	Marietta, Ga. (Wheeler)
Wickus Nienaber	Jr.	Breast, IM	Simugye, Swaziland (Cornerstone)
Michael Paulus	Jr.	<u>F</u> ree	Somerset West, South Africa (Paul Roos Gym)
Alan Ribeiro	<u>S</u> o.	<u>F</u> ree	Pompano Beach, Fla. (Cardinal Gibbins)
Joel Roycik	Fr.	Free	Winter Park, Fla. (Winter Park)
Andrew Skaggs	So.	Distance Free	Jacksonville, Fla. (Bolles)
Tal Stricker	Jr.	Breast, IM	Ramat-Gan, Israel (Tichon Hadash)
Chris Vythoulkas	Fr.	Back, Fly, Free	Nassau, Bahamas (Cardinal Gibbons)
Matt Wheeler	Jr.	Fly, IM	Houston, Texas (Langham Creek)

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Blachford (Florida State '00)



# 2002-03 DIVING OUTLOOK

ith another successful season in the record books, the FSU diving team will focus on remaining the Atlantic Coast Conference power and improving its All-America status in 2002-03. This year's squad remains relatively young with three freshmen, four sophomores and a junior with a lot of promise for this year and the future.

Three-time ACC champion and 2002 All-American junior Chelsie Lerew leads the way for the women and is accompanied by sophomore standouts Tiffany Manning and Courtney McClow. Manning was the 2002 ACC Freshman of the Year and an All-American, while McClow won the ACC title on the one-meter.

Sophomore Louie Gagnet, who won two ACC titles and just missed All-America honors last year, will have some company this season after being the lone member of the men's squad in 2001-02. Head coach Patrick Jeffrey brought in four talented recruits for the men's team that will help bolster their scoring at the ACC Championships.

"I'm very excited about this year," stated head coach Patrick Jeffrey. "I have gotten to the point where I think the quality of kids I have and their work ethic, their disposition, their willingness to train and their desire to be great, is at an all time high. I'm enjoying myself at practice. These kids are enjoying themselves at practice and we're having a great time. I think that will show in their performances this year."

#### Women's Team

FSU will be the only team in the conference returning All-ACC members in 2002-03. Matter of fact, in the last two seasons, 10 of the last 12 women's diving All-ACC members have been Lady Seminoles. Coach Jeffrey plans on continuing that domination in 2002-03 with his three returnees.

Lerew has been working with the training staff and strength and conditioning staff during the off-season to properly prepare for this year. Jeffrey expects Lerew to once again place high at the ACC Championships and make it to the finals at NCAA's. He wants to make sure that Lerew avoids any chance of running into injuries, which hampered her at the end of last season, and has credited the training staff on doing a great job in bringing her back into shape. Lerew takes on a leadership role this season as the women's team captain. Jeffrey has always been confident in her leadership abilities and believes that Lerew will be a role model for Manning and McClow.

Manning enters the new year as the squad's top platform diver and will focus on competing in the finals at the NCAA Championships. Jeffrey expects another strong season from Manning in 2002-03 and looks to see her not only final at the ACC Championships, but also vie for a title.

McClow continues to improve each day at practice, which is good news for the Lady Seminoles. Look for McClow to have a strong showing at the ACC Championships and defend her one-meter title. Jeffrey believes that McClow has a great shot at qualifying for the NCAA Championships.

#### Men's Team

After two seasons of having only one diver on his men's squad, coach Jeffrey will finally be able to score more points at the ACC Championships with the addition of one transfer and three freshmen.

Gagnet, the 2002 ACC Meet Most Valuable Diver, returns to headline the group. Gagnet's road to being the best in the ACC, let alone on the team, has become more challenging with the arrival of Sam Hood, Stuart de la Rossa, Pete Crane and Jason Beinlich. All five divers will push each other through healthy competition at practice to become the best performers they can be. According to Jeffrey, all five divers have a chance of competing in the finals at the ACC Championships.

Gagnet's impressive season last year gives the other members of the team a goal of their own to strive towards in 2002-03. Gagnet will be the favorite at the ACC Championships on both the one- and three-meter boards. His main goal, however, will be to return to the NCAA Championships and earn All-America honors.

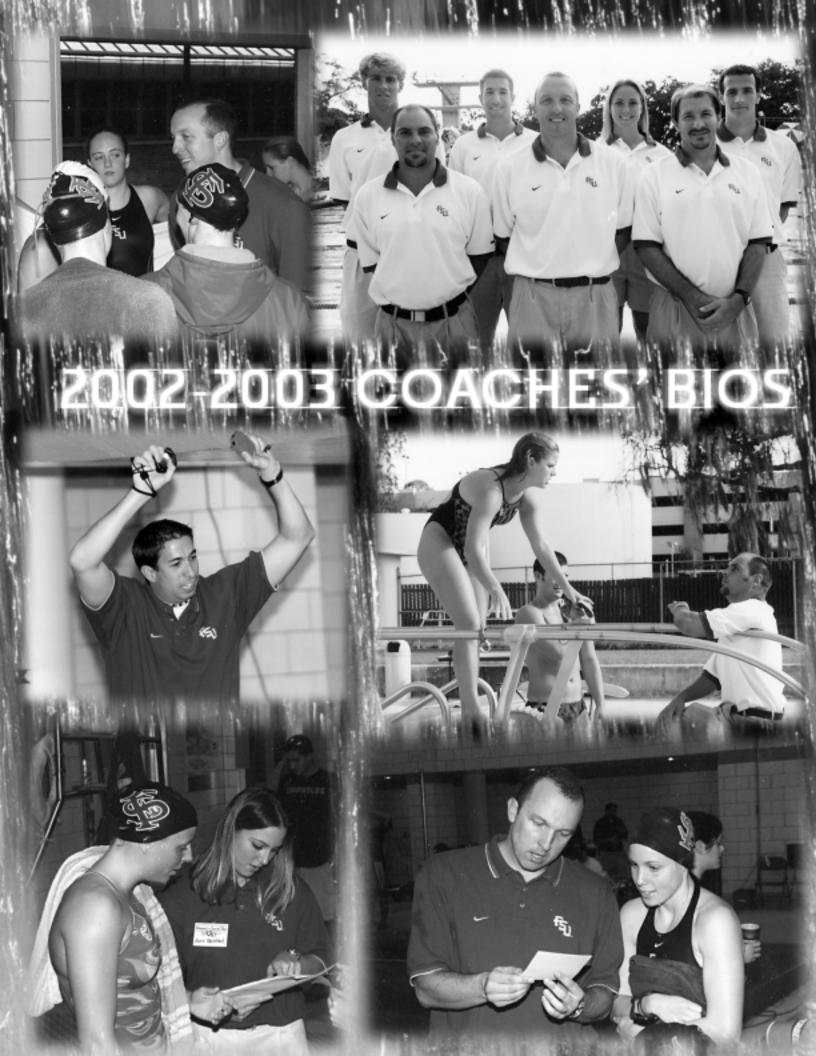
Hood of Philadelphia, Pa., a sophomore transfer from LaSalle University, was named the team captain due to his incredible work ethic. The addition of Hood gives the Seminoles another quality platform diver, and Jeffrey believes that Hood has a good chance of qualifying for the NCAA Championships on the platform.

Crane, a native of Fairport, N.Y., has great physical ability for the sport and has been very consistent in addition to being a great presence on the team. Jeffrey believes Crane will be solid at the ACC Championships after proving to be a strong diver on the one-meter.

De la Rossa joins the team from Erdenhiem, Pa., where he was a state champion. De la Rossa gives the Seminoles another impact performer on the one-meter, and Jeffrey thinks that he should be a force at the ACC meet.

Rounding out the group is Beinlich, out of Ridley, Pa., who brings a lot of talent to the group. Beinlich did a great job in his training and overall learning of his dives during the preseason. Jeffrey also plans to get some platform work in for Beinlich at the end of the year.





# COACH NEIL HARPER

Head Coach - 4th year - (Louisiana State, 1988)

he 2001-02 season was one to remember for Florida State's men's and women's swimming and diving head coach Neil Harper. In only his third year at the helm, Harper brought the Lady Seminoles to national prominence with a top 25 finish at the 2002 NCAA



Women's Swimming and Diving Championships (24th) and a top 25 ranking in the final College Swim Coaches Association of America poll (22nd).

In the classroom, Harper's teams had a landmark season academically in 2001-02. Both the women's and men's teams were named Academic All-America teams by the College Swim Coaches Association of

America. The women's team GPA of 3.29 was third best in the ACC, while the men's GPA of 2.81 was fourth best in the conference. In addition, Christy Cech and Justin Betts were among the nation's elite competitors to be named Academic All-Americans by the CSCAA. For the conference, the Seminoles set a school record with 32 members being named to the 2001-02 ACC Academic Honor Roll.

At the 2002 NCAAs, the women sent five athletes and together they amassed seven top-25 finishes in their individual events, including a first-team All-America honoree in Tiffany Manning and two All-America honorable mention recipients. Manning, the Atlantic Coast Conference Rookie of the Year, captured seventh place on the platform event, while fellow diver Chelsie Lerew finished 14th on the one meter. Meanwhile, Christy Cech placed ninth in the 50-yard freestyle, winning the consolation final, to earn her second straight All-America honor.

The 2002 ACC Women's Championship turned out to be the best in school history. Harper led his women's squad to its best showing at the conference meet with a third place finish, its highest since placing third in 1995, and a school record 577 team points. Cech brought home titles in the 100-free and 400-yard medley relay to lead the way for swimmers. In diving action, the Lady Seminoles swept both events with the one-meter title going to Courtney McClow and the three-meter title going to Lerew. Lerew was later named the Most Valuable Diver of the meet.

In dual meet action, Harper led the Lady Seminoles to a school record 14 wins. The 14 victories were the most for the women since a 10-win season in 1990. Three of the women's victories came against Alabama, South Carolina and LSU, which were all nationally ranked at the time of competition. Not to be outdone, the men went 10-3 on the season and finished 29th in the national poll.

Harper has coached the last three summers at the biggest international swimming events. In 2000 he was a member of the South African Olympic Coaching Staff

in Sydney, Australia. In 2001 he traveled to Fukuoka, Japan to coach Wickus Nienaber in the FINA World Championships. This past summer he coached Nienaber in the 2002 Commonwealth Games in Manchester, England and was joined at the meet by former Seminole All-Americans Stephen Parry and Brett Petersen and newcomer Chris Vythoulkas.

Harper returned to Tallahassee in May of 1999 after two years as the Head Women's Swimming Coach at Ohio State. In two seasons at OSU, Harper's team posted a mark of 15-12 and qualified six Buckeyes to the NCAA Championships. In both years, his teams were NCAA all-academic teams and more than 20 of his athletes were named to the Big Ten Conference All-Academic Team.

From 1994-97, Harper served as the top assistant at Florida State where he coordinated recruiting, served as the strength and conditioning coordinator and coached the stroke/IM group. During that time, Stephen Parry became FSU's first ever NCAA Swimming Champion in the 200 Butterfly. FSU produced its first three All-American women in over 10 years as Harper coached Anne Blachford (200 IM), Helen Jepson (200 Fly) and Samantha White (100 Breast) to NCAA success.

Harper graduated from Louisiana State University where he served as an assistant coach from 1988-94. During that time, he helped coach 21 swimmers to NCAA All-America honors and seven Southeastern Conference champions. As an LSU Tiger, Harper was a seven-event NCAA All-American and four-event SEC champion. As a senior, he captained the LSU team to its first SEC team championship.

The London native represented Great Britain in the 1984 and 1988 Olympic Games placing sixth and fourth, respectively, in the 400 Medley Relay.

Harper is married to the former Paige Busch, herself an NCAA All-American at LSU and SEC 100-breast champion. They have been married 12 years and have two daughters, Katherine (8) and Kelly (6).

#### HARPER'S COACHING EXPERIENCE: NCAA

- 1999-present Florida State University Head Coach
- 1997-1999 Ohio State University (Head Women's Coach)
- 1994-1997 Florida State University (Assistant Coach)
- 1988-1994 Louisiana State University (Assistant Coach)

#### **INTERNATIONAL**

- 2002 Commonwealth Games (Swaziland)
- 2001 Swaziland World Championship Team (Fukuoka, Japan)
- 2000 South African Olympic Team (Sydney, Australia)

# ASSISTANT COACHES

Andy Robins
ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH, BTH YEAR (WILLIAM & MARY 1983)

he 2002 season came to a satisfying finish for Andy Robins. Not only did his star pupil Christy Cech earn All-America honors for the second straight year, but also Robins was promoted to associate head coach. Heading into his eighth season as a Tribe assistant, Rob-

ins has become a staple for Garnet and Gold swimming.



Robins' primary focus on deck is working with the sprint group. As in seasons before, Robins was once again able to bring out the best in his swimmers for the 2002 season. Under his tutelage, Cech earned a conference title in the 100-yard freestyle and finished second in the 50-free in 2002. In ad-

dition, the 400-yard free relay squad placed third to help the Lady Seminoles earn their best finish at the conference meet in school history. Cech later went on to win the 50-free consolation final at the 2002 NCAA Championships to earn All-America honorable mention accolades.

On the men's side, Robins helped the 200- and 400sprint relays earn second-place finishes at the 2002 ACC Championships. In the individual sprints, three Seminoles finished in the top 10 in the 100-free and two finished top 10 in the 50-free. With three talented seniors leading the way in 2002-03, Robins' sprinters will be looking to fight for conference titles.

While at FSU, Robins has been instrumental in the development and success of several All-Americans including Cech, Stephen Parry, Nelson Mora and current assistant coach Anne Blachford. In addition to his ondeck coaching duties, Robins' responsibilities include recruiting, organizing team workout information; performance data and home meet management.

Robins has been actively coaching swimming since 1980. He has held various assistant and head coaching positions, especially in the local Tallahassee area. Beginning in 1985, Robins began coaching for the Area Tallahassee Aquatic Club and eventually became head coach for A.T.A.C. in 1993. Robins led A.T.A.C. to a top 10 finish at the spring 1996 Junior Nationals.

Other local swimming coaching positions Robins has held include coaching Leon High School in Tallahassee from 1986-1991. In 1987 he was recognized as the Tallahassee Democrat's High School Coach of the Year.

Robins also served as head coach of Florida's All-Star Team in 1990 and 1991, after previously holding the assistant coaching position for the team in 1989.

Robins served on the Florida Swimming Board of Directors, the House of Delegates, and the Technical Planning Committee from 1987-1998.

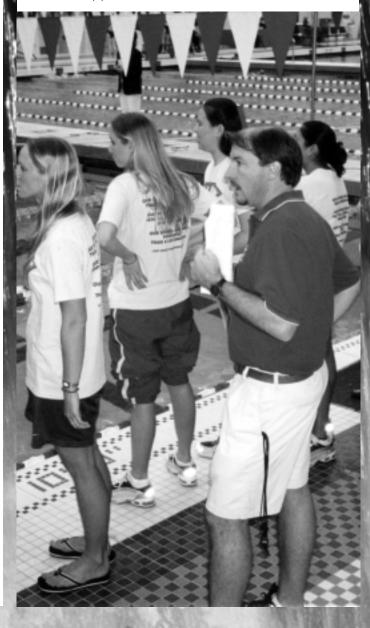
A graduate of The College of William & Mary, Rob-

#### **ROBINS' COACHING EXPERIENCE:**

- 1985-92 Area Tallahassee Aquatic Club assistant coach
- 1986-91 Leon High School (Tallahassee, Fla.) head coach
- 1989 Florida All-Stars assistant coach
- 1990-91 Florida All-Stars head coach
- 1993-1997 A.T.A.C. head coach
- 1995-2001 FSU assistant coach
- 2002-current FSU associate head coach

ins swam both the backstroke and distance freestyle events. His swimming accomplishments at William and Mary include setting a school record in the 1650 free while serving as co-captain.

Robins earned a master's degree in science education from Florida State in 1987. He and his wife Karen have four children, Beth (24), Kurt (23), Jenna (17) and Annemarie (6).



#### Patrick Jeffrey

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n just three seasons, head diving coach Patrick Jeffrey has made the FSU diving team the envy of the Atlantic Coast Conference. As the most feared and respected diving program in the conference, the Seminoles have dominated the ACC championships by

sweeping titles on the oneand three-meter in both men's and women's competition for two straight years.

ACC Freshman of the Year, Tiffany Manning, earned first-team All-America honors on the platform following her seventh-place finish at the 2002 NCAA Championships. Sophomore Chelsie Lerew and Manning both competed on the one- and three-meter

boards, with Lerew earning All-America Honorable Mention on the one-meter.

At the ACC meet in 2002, Lerew brought home her second Most Valuable Diver award after winning the three-meter competition and placing second, behind freshman teammate Courtney McClow, on the one-meter. Manning and Michelle Sekeres joined Lerew and McClow as All-ACC members at season's end.

Freshman Louis Gagnet was the lone representative for the men's team, but Jeffrey made the most out of his only male diver. After winning the one and threemeter events at ACC's and earning the ACC Meet Most Valuable Diver award, Gagnet went on to compete at the NCAA's in three events. Gagnet turned in two top 20 finishes on the platform (17th) and three-meter (18th), while finishing 28th on the one-meter.

Jeffrey's 2000-2001 diving squad, which welcomed six newcomers, enjoyed an exceptional season, with four Seminoles earning All-ACC recognition. This year's team welcomes three new divers to a squad that dominated the ACC Championships in the one-meter and three-meter events, taking first place in both. His Lady Seminoles took the top three spots in the women's one-meter event.

Jeffrey is a five-time national champion diver and an Ohio State University graduate. As an accomplished diving star, Jeffrey brings a wealth of collegiate, national and international experience to the Seminoles. In his collegiate career at Ohio State, Jeffrey won the onemeter, three-meter and the 10-meter platform events at the 1988 NCAA Championships, becoming the only diver in NCAA history to win three events in a single year. He was also a finalist in the 10-meter platform event at both the 1988 Seoul Olympics and the 1996 Atlanta Olympic Games. Jeffrey is also a three-time U.S. Diving National Champion on the 10-meter platform, as well as a two-time champion in the three-meter springboard. In international competition, Jeffrey won bronze medals at the 1991 and 1995 Pan-Am games. He also competed on the 1989 and 1995 World Cup teams, and in the 1993 Goodwill Games.

Jeffrey's impressive coaching career includes stops as the 2000 U.S. Olympic Team Coach, the 1997 and 1999 USA Senior World Cup Team Coach, a Senior National Team Coach from 1997-00 and the Junior National Team Coach in 1998. Most recently he served as coach on the 2001 U.S. World Championship team in Fukioka, Japan. His coaching has produced four individual Senior National Championships, three individual Junior National Championships and two Senior Men's Team third-place finishes.

Jeffrey graduated from Ohio State in 1988 with a degree in journalism and advertising. Jeffrey also received the NCAA Diver of the Year Award his final season.



#### JEFFREY'S COACHING EXPERIENCE:

- 1996-99 FAU Atlantic Diving Team (Boca Raton, FL)
- 1996-Present Senior National Team
- 1997 U.S. World Cup Team (Mexico City)
- 1998 Junior National Team (Moultrie, Ga.)
- 1999-Present Florida State Diving Team
- 2000 U.S. Olympic Team (Sydney, Australia)
- 2001 U.S. World Championship Team (Fukuoka, Japan)

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#### John Fedena

ASSISTANT COACH 2ND YEAR (DELAWARE 1998)

ohn Fedena enters his second season with the Seminoles after effectively impacting the distance group, and the team as a whole, in 2001-02. Following a graduate assistantship with the University of Georgia's women's swimming team, which he helped lead to the

2001 National Championship, Fedena brought nearly seven years of coaching experience to the Tribe.

Fedena coaches the distance group, which consists of a collection of proven talent. With the task of developing a competitive group of distance swimmers. Fedena was determined to tap into his group's raw talent. The results at the end of the 2002 season exceeded ex-

pectations. Fedena showcased his ability to coach and developed another weapon for the Seminoles' assault on their competition.

Under Fedena's watch, the Lady Seminoles recorded three new marks in FSU's all-time top 10 list for the 1,650yard freestyle and two top-10 marks for the 500-free. It was the first new top 10 times in the 1,650 since 2000 and the 500 since 1999. Fedena helped sophomore Angie Leach reach the third-fastest time in the 1.650 (16:56.43) and helped Amy Lo turn in the fourth-fastest time in the 500 (4:55.87). Leach's time not only won her the consolation final at the 2002 Atlantic Coast Conference Championships, but it also qualified as a NCAA B-cut mark. At the 2002 ACC meet, the Lady Seminoles scored 20 points between the 500 and 1650 events, a vast improvement from the six points scored in 2001.

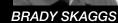
The New Castle, Del., native began his coaching career in 1996 with the Delaware Club swim team. His tenure ended four years later with his move to Athens, Ga. At Georgia, Fedena not only assisted the University of Georgia, but also coached the Athens Bulldogs club swim team. Fedena's experience does not end there, as he was an assistant and head coach for five years at the Middle Atlantic (Delaware), Bulldog (University of Georgia) and Wolverine (University of Michigan) swimming camps.

Fedena remains active in swimming competition, as evident by his 2001 Southern Sectional Championship

#### **GRADUATE ASSISTANTS**









qualifying in the 50- and 100-freestyle and 100-butterfly. In collegiate competition, Fedena was a two-year letterman at the University of Delaware, where he helped capture the 1997 men's team championship.

#### Anne Blachford

ASSISTANT COACH 2ND YEAR (FLORIDA STATE 2000)

nne Blachford enters her second year as an assistant coach at Florida State in 2002-2003. Blachford joined the Seminole swimming staff after an impressive All-America career at FSU under head coach Neil Harper.



At practice, Blachford assists in the training and coaching of the stroke and IM groups, as well as rotating to assist with the sprint group. She helped coach three swimmers who qualified and competed at the 2002 NCAA Championships. Senior Candice Nethercott placed 17th in the 100-yard butterfly, while junior Justin Betts and sophomore Emma

Dutton each swam in an impressive three events. Betts' top finish was 24th in the 100-yard breaststroke and placed 34th in the 200-breast and 40th in the 200-IM. Dutton came in 31st place in the 100-breast while placing 56th in the 100-free and 200-IM.

Among other successes, Blachford guided 10 swimmers who competed in the championship finals at the 2002 Women's ACC meet. Seven finished with NCAAcut marks, including an NCAA A-cut mark by Nethercott in the 100-fly. Blachford helped the men record six finishes in championship finals at the men's ACC meet, while Betts swam a NCAA A-cut mark in the 100-breast.

Blachford's duties when she is not on deck include. recruiting, marketing and promotions of the team, team contact with boosters and alumni, events and awards coordinator, coordinating travel plans and itineraries, as well as developing workout programs. In 2000, Blachford received her bachelor's degree in sport management.

A four-year letter winner for the Lady Seminolesí swim team, Blachford earned All-America honorable mention honors in 1997 for her performance in the 200-IM and again in 2000 for the 200, 400 and 800 freestyle relays. Blachford still owns the school record in the 200-IM at 2:01.60, which she set in 1997.

# 2002-03 HOMETOWN ROSTER



United States:

CALIFORNIA (3) – Louis Gagnet, Tiffany Manning (Mission Viejo); Rachel Dong (Paramount)

FLORIDA (22) – Golda Marcus (Coral Springs); Michael Averett (Davie); Katie Byrnes (Ft. Lauderdale); Jennifer

Henshaw (Ft. Myers); Margaret Colley, Courtney McClow, Andrew Skaggs, (Jacksonville); Angie Leach (Leesburg);

Amy Lo (Longwood); Matt Carmen (Merritt Island); Andrew Castro (Miami); Tonya Rasor (Niceville); Chelsie Lerew

(Orlando); Loren Hansen, Jennifer Smith (Pensacola); Alan Ribeiro, Kayce Zemina (Plantation); Ted Bradley (St.

Petersburg); Betsy Nagy (Shalimar); Christie Pesco (Sayangah) GEORGIA (2) – Joey Marshburn (Marietta); Emily Breen (Savannah)

HAWAII (1) – Jared Heine (Honolulu)

MARYLAND (1) – Nnamnse Ammons (Mitchellville)

NEW YORK (1) – Pete Crane (Fairport)

PENNSYLVANIA (3) – Stuart de la Rossa (Erdenhiem); Sam Hood (Philadelphia); Jason Beinlich (Ridley)

TEXAS (2) – Matt Wheeler (Houston); Laura Kenney (Plano)

VIRGINIA (2) – Devin Crock (Alexandria); Justin Betts (Springfield)



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#### **Emily Breen**

SPRINT FREESTYLE/BUTTERFLY
5-8 - SOPHOMORE
SAVANNAH, GA (H.V. JENKINS)

ACC CHAMPION (400-MEDLEY RELAY)
ALL-ACC HONOREE
ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Emily was very valuable last year, and we look for similar improvement. There's no reason why she can't be at the NCAAs this season." —Coach Harper



2002: Named as one of the team's Most Improved members going into her sophomore season...posted a 100-yard freestyle time of 51.10 at the ACC Championships to rank fifth-best in FSU history... swam the 100-yard backstroke at ACC's in 56.70 seconds to stand as the third-best time in Tribe history...established the seventh-best time in school history for the 100-

yard butterfly with a mark of 56.15...supported the Seminole's third-place finish in the ACC Championships with strong showings in the 100-free (13th place), 100-fly (11th place) and 100-back (10th place)...stabilized the relay teams with top-two finishes at the ACC's in the 400-medley (first), 200-yard medley (second) and 400-free (second)...the 200 medley time of 1:41.58 is a new school record...just missed qualifying for the NCAA Championships with a time of 56.15 in the 100-fly...member of the fourth-place 400-free relay team at the Georgia Invitational ...placed 11th in the 100-back at the Georgia Invite...produced a 100-free time of 52.12 to finish 14th and score points for the Seminoles at the Georgia Invitational ...staked first-place finishes in the 200-free (vs. Georgia Tech), 100-back (vs. Florida Atlantic), 100-back and 100free (vs. UNC-Wilmington), and the 200-medley relay (vs. Alabama and vs. South Carolina)...recorded a respectable second-place finish versus Alabama in the 100-back with a time of 58.02...earned ACC Academic Honor Roll honors. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Four year member of the H.V. Jenkins High School swim team for coach Amy Woodall ...named team MVP for the 2000 season and recipient of the squad's sportsmanship award...Georgia All-Star and state meet qualifier from 1998-2000...set the first-place finish in the 100-fly her senior year, with a state four-A record...recognized as the 1999 Citgo Exemplary Athlete of the Year...competed in cross country her sophomore and junior years and was named a 2000 Georgia Guardian All-City Athlete in both sports...swam for Georgia Coastal Aquatic Team under coach Jamey Myers...named H.V. Jenkins H.S. 2001 Female Academic Athlete of the Year...graduated with honors after making the honor roll all four years of school...member of the National Honor Society for three years and earned the Presidential Education Award her senior year...state Science Fair qualifier in ninth and 10th grade as well as a member of the Marine Science Club...treasurer of the Key Club in 12th grade....PER-SONAL: Daughter of John and Lorraine Breen...born October 10, 1982...her major is currently undecided.

### Katie Byrnes

BACK
5-B - JUNIOR
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL
(WASHINGTON STATE)

"She has the ability to score big in the 200-back and make it to the NCAAs." —Coach Harper



AT WSU: A record-setting performer while at Washington State...left the Cougars with top 10 times in the 100-yard backstroke (56.74), 200-back (2:01.23) and 400-yard individual medley (4:32.15)... her time in the 200-back surpassed NCAA B-cut standards...finished 15th in the 200-back at the 2001 Pac-10 Championships with a time of 2:03.36...finished 22nd at the

Pac-10s in the 100-back with a time of 58.08, while earning sixth place on WSU's all-time list...ninth on WSU's all-time list in the 400-yard individual medley with a time of 4:35.57. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Lettered all four years at Cardinal Gibbons High...as a senior, she finished seventh in the 100-back and ninth in the 100-yard freestyle at the state championship meet...qualified for the junior national team in the 100- and 200-back...a first-team member of her league during her junior year...as a sophomore, qualified for the state championships ...swam for the Ft. Lauderdale Swim Club. **PERSONAL:** Born July 23, 1982...daughter of Laural vonBehren... major is education.

#### Margaret Colley

BACKSTROKE/BUTTERFLY 5-6 - SENIOR JACKSONVILLE, FL (B.T. WASHINGTON/U OF FLORIDA)

#### TEAM CAPTAIN ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Margaret is our captain, a great leader and someone who can step up and help us in the 100-fly, 100-backstroke, 200-back and in relays. She's really going to be a great leader and a versatile swimmer for us." —Coach Harper



2002: Achieved her best time of 58.73 in the 100-back as she finished fourth at the Georgia Invitational...concluded the season with fourth-place finishes versus Florida Atlantic (2:10.06 in the 200-back, 1:00.35 in the 100-back), Georgia Tech (1:01.03 in the 100-back), and a second-place finish as a member of the 400-yard medley relay team against Georgia

Tech...scored points in two events to help Florida State to a victory over Florida Atlantic...produced strong outings in the 100-back against nationally-ranked Florida

# Margaret Colley

and Alabama...named to the ACC Academic Honor Roll. 2001: At the ACC Championships, finished 15th and 24th in the 100- and 200-backstroke events, respectively ...earned valuable points for the Lady Seminoles in the backstroke, medley relay and freestyle relay events ...finished second four times in the 100-backstroke against FAU, LSU, and nationally ranked Arizona and Texas...in the 200 backstroke, she accumulated three second-place finishes against Miami, Indian River, and Auburn. HIGH SCHOOL: 1997 Florida 5A State Champion in the 100 Back...high school team captain senior year...All-American junior and senior years...1997 and 1998 Pensacola News Journal Swimmer of the Year... 1999 Pensacola Scholar-Athlete of the Year...Junior National qualifier freshman, sophomore, junior and senior years...high school historian senior year...All "A" Honor Roll freshman, sophomore, junior and senior years ...member of Beta Club, Spanish Honor Society, National Honor Society, Science Club, Jayettes and Students Against Drunk Driving. PERSONAL: Daughter of Tony and Kathe Colley...born on July 8,1981...majoring in management.

#### Rachel Dong

BREAST, FLY, IM - 5-6 - JUNIOR
PARAMOUNT, CA
(WASHINGTON STATE)

#### 2002 NCAA QUALIFIER

"Rachel is going to be an impact for us right away. She'll help us obviously in the fly and breaststroke, and she will be a key member of the relays that can go to NCAAs." — Coach Harper

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AT WSU: As a sophomore at WSU, Dong competed at the 2002 NCAA championships in the 100-yard butterfly and 100-yard breaststroke...her time of 54.75 in the 100-fly set a Cougar school record...comes to the Seminoles with best times of 50-freestyle (23.70), 100-breast (1:03.54), 200-breast (2:20.09), 200-IM (2:06.55) and 100-free (52.09)...competed on

the sprint relays...during her freshman season at WSU, she broke the school's record for the 100-vard butterfly, clocking a time of 55.68 seconds and finishing 14th at the Pac-10 Championships...was the lead leg of the Cougars' 400-yard freestyle relay team, which finished seventh at the Pac-10's and shattered the WSU school record...a member of WSU's 200-yard freestyle and 200-yard medley relay team, which set new school records at the Pac-10's...individually, she placed 18th at the conference meet in the 100-yard breaststroke with a time of 1:05.02, placing second on the Cougars' all-time list...a member of WSU's top-10 list in the following events: 100-fly (1st), 50-free (2nd), 100-breast (2nd), 200-breast (2nd), 100-free (4th), 200-IM (8th), 200-free (10th) ...the recipient of the Coach's Award and team's Most Improved Award. HIGH SCHOOL: As a senior, garnered All-America recognition by NISCA in the 100-breast...also nationally ranked in NISCA's top 20 and in the top 16 for her age division in the breaststroke...during her junior year, she claimed the CIF championship in the 100-fly and 100-breast ... recognized for her efforts in the breaststroke, ranking in the NISCA's top 20 and in the top 16 in her age group...as a sophomore, she placed sixth at the state championships in the 100-breast...named MVP of the swimming team all four years at Valley Christian High. **PERSONAL:** Born April 30, 1982...daughter of Thommy and Michelle Dong...major is exercise science.

#### Emma Dutton

BREASTSTROKE/IM
5-8 - JUNIOR
BRADFORD, WEST YORKSHIRE, ENGLAND
(BENTON PARK)

NCAA QUALIFIER ACC CHAMPION (400-MEDLEY RELAY) ALL-ACC HONOREE

"Emma made NCAAs last year, and now she wants to go back and score. She'll be key in all of our relays and can be an All-American." —Coach Harper



2002: Named as one of the Most Valuable Swimmers on the 2001-02 team...participated in NCAA Championships with a 31st-place finish in the 100-breast (1:03.38), a 56th-place finish in the 200-medley (2:04.72), and a 56th-place finish in the 100-free (51.03)... recorded the ninth-best time in school history in the 50-yard freestyle (23.57 at

Georgia Invitational)...swam the 100-free in a time of 50.78 (Georgia Invitational) to rank as the third-best mark in FSU history...staked a career-best time of 1:02.35 in the 100-yard breaststroke at the ACC meet, positioning her as second best in FSU history...finished the season with the second-best time in Tribe history in the 200vard medley (2:02.83 at the ACC's)...clocked in at 2:02.83 during the ACC's 200-medley for a fifth-place standing...completed the 100-breast in 1:02.35 to post a fourth-place standing...scored a sixth-place standing of 2:17.92 in the ACC's 200-breast...contributed to three relay finishes of second-place or better at the ACC's (first in the 400-medley, second in the 200-medley and second in the 400-free)...at the Georgia Invitational, won the 200-free relay, finished fourth in the 400-free relay, came in eighth place in the 100-breast, touched the wall in 12th place in the 50-free, placed 13th in the 200-breast and 200-IM...the 200-medley time of 1:41.58 is a new school record...achieved first-place finishes in the 200medley (2:07.16 vs. Clemson, 2:08.38 vs. UNC-Wilmington, 2:06.10 vs. LSU/ULM/Rice and 2:07.53 vs. South Carolina), 100-breast (1:04.87 vs. Indian River C.C., 1:16.99 vs. UNC-Wilmington, 1:05.87 vs. Florida Atlantic), and relay events against Alabama (1:44.36 in the 200-medley, 1:34.75 in the 200-free)...finished the 100-breast in 1:03.67 to secure a second-place finish against nationally-ranked Alabama...was a member of the 400-free relay team that defeated South Carolina with a time of 3:25.75...contributed to the 400-medley relay team that placed second versus Clemson. 2001: Joined the Lady Seminole swimming team during the spring semester...made an immediate impact in the breaststroke and individual medley events...at the ACC Championships, finished fifth in both the 100- and 200-breaststroke events and 10th in the 200-IM...placed second in the 100breaststroke and fourth in the 200-IM against LSU. PER-**SONAL:** Daughter of Jeff and Loraine Dutton...born on February 11, 1982...major is undecided.

#### Loren Hansen

IM/BUTTERFLY
5-8 - JUNIOR

PENSACOLA, FL (WASHINGTON)

"Loren is going to be very valuable in the 200 and 500-freestyles and a big surprise in the 200 Fly for this year."
—Coach Harper



2002: Considered one of the strong underclassmen to lead the future of the team...swam a 1:51.67 at Georgia Invitational to rank seventh all-time in Seminole record books for the 200-yard freestyle...ranks seventh in FSU history with a 500-free time of 4:56.59 at Georgia Invitational, which placed her ninth at the meet... completed a time of 1:53.36

in the 200-free for a 15th-place finish at the ACC Championships...finished the 200-yard butterfly at the ACC's with a 17th-place finish...helped stabilize a freshmen/sophomore 800-free relay team that finished fourth at the ACC Championships...member of the fourth-place 400-free relay team at the Georgia Invitational... placed



10th at the Georgia Invite in the 200-free...contributed with top performances against nationally-ranked Alabama and Florida...earned a third-place finish in the 500free and a second-place finish in the 200-free against Alabama...was a member of the 400-free relay team that came in first with a time of 3:30.40 against No. 8 ranked Florida...placed first in the 200-free (1:52.56 vs. Florida Atlantic), 100-free (53.11 vs. Georgia Tech), 500-free and 200-yard medley (5:03.57 and 2:09.02, respectively, vs. Miami)...earned top times against Clemson in the 200free (1:53.45 for third) and the 500-free (5:04.24 for second). 2001: At the ACC Championships, placed 18th, 19th, and 21st in the 100-fly, 200-fly, and 200-IM, respectively...finished second twice in the 200 Individual medley against Alabama and Truman State...her best time of 2:08.57 in the 200 IM came against nationally ranked Alabama...finished second against FAU in the 400-IM...added depth to the freestyle and butterfly events. HIGH SCHOOL: High school team captain senior year...earned prep swimmer of the week honors sophomore, junior and senior years...district champion sophomore, junior and senior years...state runner-up sophomore and junior years...state champion in relay sophomore and junior years...Northwest Florida Champion sophomore, junior and senior years...All Northwest Florida team sophomore, junior and senior years... school record holder sophomore and junior years ...All-American Interscholastic sophomore year...Varsity Athletic Award sophomore, junior and senior years...Junior National qualifier...Honor Roll member freshman, sophomore, junior and senior years...Academic All-American sophomore, junior and senior years...National Honor Society member senior year...Science Club member senior year. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of William and Julie Yancey...born on March 25, 1982...undecided on a major.

#### Jennifer Henshaw

BREASTSTROKE/IM/BUTTERFLY
5-4 - JUNIOR
FT. MEYERS, FL
(CLEVELAND STATE/CYPRESS LAKE)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"A great addition to this year's team, and she'll be able to help us out in the 400-IM and 200-breast and butterfly." —Coach Harper



2002: Sat out the season as a redshirt...named to the ACC Academic Honor Roll. AT CSU: As a sophomore, won the Midwestern Collegiate Conference championship in the 400-meter Individual medley (4:31.85)...named MCC Swimmer of the Week (1/30/01)... owned top times of the year in the 500-free (5:12.74), 1650-free (17:30.31), 200-breast

(2:29.88), 200-fly (2:09.37), 200-IM (2:12.39) and 400-IM (4:31.85)...as a freshman, recorded team-highs in nine of the 14 individual events...earned Cleveland State's "Swimmer of the Year" award...MCC champion in the 200-fly (2:06.96)...broke the school records in the 1000-free (10:32.24), 500-free (5:05.93) and the 400-IM (4:25.84)... voted Athlete of the Week after the first dual meet of the season and won the recognition a second time. HIGH **SCHOOL:** Swam four years on the varsity squad at Cypress Lake High School for coach Julie Negnaert...1997 and 1998 state champ in 200-IM...1997 high school All-American in the 200-IM...swam for the Gulf Coast Swim Team in club competition. PERSONAL: Daughter of Donald and Connie Henshaw...born on March 3, 1981 ...earned Dean's List honors all four semesters at CSU... member of the MCC Academic Athletic All-Conference team...CSU women's swimming representative for the Student Athletic Advisory Board...greatest swimming memory was meeting and hanging out with Summer Sanders...majoring in elementary education.



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#### Lisa How

BUTTERFLY/ IM/ FREESTYLE
L-1 - SOPHOMORE
PRESTON, ENGLAND (HUTTON GRAMMAR)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Rededicated herself, and she's already way ahead of where she was last year. Can vie for the 200-fly title at the conference meet and an NCAA spot." —Coach Harper



2002: As a freshman, immediately impacted the team with stellar accomplishments in the butterfly, individual medley, and freestyle events...set a new Seminole record in the 400-yard medley with a time of 4:21.97 at ACC's to win the consolation final and finish ninth... established the third-best Seminole times ever in the 200-yard butterfly (2:02.01)

and the 200-medley (2:04.66) both in preliminary competition at the ACC Championships...led the Seminole team with an eighth-place finish in the 200-fly at the ACC Championships...produced a NCAA-B cut time of 2:03.05 in the ACC's 200-fly...swam the 200medley in a time of 2:04.78 which placed her sixth in the ACC's...helped stabilize a freshmen/sophomore 800-free relay team that finished fourth at the ACC Championships...finished as the top swimmer in the 200-fly at several meets including competition against Florida Atlantic, UNC-Wilmington, Clemson, James Madison, William & Mary, Miami, and South Carolina ...timed in with a respectable second- and third-place 200-fly finish against nationally-ranked Alabama and Florida, respectively...against Alabama, posted a second-place finish in the 400-medley (4:29.09)...left the pool with a first-place triumph against No. 8 ranked Florida in the 200-medley (2:07.90)...staked a firstplace finish against Indian River C.C. in the 400medley...placed second in the 200-medley event against Clemson...member of the ACC Academic Honor Roll. HIGH SCHOOL: Swam all four years at Hutton Grammar School for coach David Evitts... three-time national age group champion from 1997-99...in 2000, placed sixth at the Olympic Trials in the 100- and 200-fly. PERSONAL: Daughter of Stuart and Barbara How...born on May 15, 1983...majoring in finance.

#### Laura Kenney

IM/BACKSTROKE/FREESTYLE 5-9 - SOPHOMORE PLANO TX (PLANO SENIOR)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"I think Laura is already training better than she did last year, and if she continues, she could help us out at the dual meets, at the conference meets and possibly the NCAAs." —Coach Harper



2002: Contributing strongly as a freshman, will become an established leader on the team in the medley and backstroke events...immediately left an impression on the Florida State record books with the second-best time ever in the 400-yard medley (4:24.42), the sixth-best time ever in the 200-yard backstroke (2:03.32) and the seventh-best time ever in the

200-medley (2:05.92), all clocked in at the Georgia Invitational...completed the ACC Championships with an 11th-place finish in the 200-medley and a 13th-place finish in the 400-medley...experienced a strong outing at the Georgia Invitational, winning the consolation final with a ninth-place finish in the 200-back (2:03.32)...placed third in the 400-medley against nationally-ranked Alabama ...posted strong outings in the 200-back against nationally-ranked Florida (2:07.09 for third place) and Alabama (2:05.02 for second place)...completed the 200-back in first place against UNC-Wilmington, LSU, ULM, Rice, and South Carolina...named to the ACC Academic Honor Roll. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Three-year member of the varsity swim team under coach Craig Harris at Plano Senior High School ...named as a high school All-American and earned Regional Swimmer of the Year honors her senior year... named to the Texas all-state first-team and Dallas Morning News All-Area team following her junior and senior seasons...11-time junior national finalist from 1996-2000 ...swam for the club team City of Plano Swimmers. **PER-SONAL:** Daughter of William and Linda Kenney...born on Jan. 31, 1983...member of the Fashion Club, French Club, Student Congress and Getting Students Involved (GSI) during high school...majoring in interior design.

#### Angie Leach

FREESTYLE
5-9 - SOPHOMORE
LEESBURG, FL (LEESBURG)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Angie was key for us last year and we look for her to lead us in the distance events this year too." —Coach Harper



2002: Considered a strong component to the Seminoles in the distance freestyle events...established the third-best time in Tribe history for the 1650-yard freestyle with a time of 16:56.43 at the ACC Championships...the ACC time was good enough to garner a ninth-place finish and an NCAA-B cut...competed strongly in several distance freestyle events for top

finishes...placed ninth in the 1650-free and 14th in the 500-free at the Georgia Invitational, scoring points for the Tribe...placed first against Florida Atlantic, Indian River C.C., Georgia Tech, James Madison, William & Mary and Miami in the 1000-free...finished second in the 1000-

free against nationally-ranked Alabama...recorded her career best time of 10:13.93 in the 1000-free for a second-place finish against South Carolina...earned firstplace finishes in the 800-free vs. UNC-Wilmington and in the 500-free vs. James Madison and William & Mary... garnered third place in the 500-free against Clemson... member of the ACC Academic Honor Roll. HIGH **SCHOOL:** Swam four years at Leesburg High School ...recognized as the most valuable swimmer and swimmer of the year all four seasons at L.H.S...state finalist in the 500-freestyle her junior and senior years...won conference championships her sophomore through senior years in the 200- and 500-freestyle...was a district champ in the 500-freestyle all four years...broke her school record in the 500-freestyle with a time of 5:01... captained her squad both her sophomore and junior seasons...swam for the Lake County Aquatics club team for 11 years under Billy Wells. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Bill and Ginger Leach...born on June 3, 1983...was a member of the National Honor Society and Beta Club her junior and senior years...named to the honor roll throughout high school...four-year Academic Athlete honoree... major is undecided.

#### Chelsie Lerew

DIVING 5-2 - JUNIOR ORLANDO, FL (LAKE HIGHLAND PREP)

NCAA ALL-AMERICA HONORABLE MENTION (1M) ACC CHAMPION (3M) • ALL-ACC HONOREE TEAM CAPTAIN

"Chelsie returns to us as our team captain and we're looking for her to go from honorable mention to first-team All-American. I think that she definitely has the ability to do that with the experience she has under her belt."—Coach Jeffrey



2002: Voted as one of the two Most Valuable Divers on the women's team...named All-America honorable mention after finishing 14th in the NCAA one-meter diving championship...completed her first NCAA Championships with a 17th place finish on the three-meter...set a new Florida State record on both the one- and three-

meter (six dives) with 303.80 and 324.35 points, respectively...placed first on the three-meter with 523.05 points on 11 dives in the ACC's...finished second in the ACC Championships on the one-meter...set a new school record and an ACC Championship record with a score of 544.75 during the three-meter preliminaries ...named as the 2002 ACC Championship's Most Valuable Diver...garnered second-place finishes on the one-and three-meter at the Georgia Invitational...collected first-place honors on the one-meter board versus Maryland, James Madison, William & Mary, Georgia Tech, Clemson, Florida, Indian River C.C. and Florida Atlantic ...swept through the three-meter competitions with winning totals against Miami, Maryland, Georgia Tech, Florida, Indian River C.C. and Alabama...produced sec-



ond-place finishes against Clemson (three-meter) and Alabama (one-meter). **2001:** ACC Champion in the onemeter and three-meter diving competitions at the ACC Championships...was awarded the Most Valuable Diver Award along with earning All-ACC team honors for her outstanding performance at the ACC Championships... finished in the top three in every event she competed in...accumulated seven individual victories in the threemeter dive with wins against nationally ranked Auburn and Texas...her high score of the season, 501.95 points at the Georgia Invitational, was good for first-place ...produced four individual victories in the one-meter dive against FAU, North Florida, NC State and Alabama. **HIGH SCHOOL:** All-American freshman, sophomore. junior and senior years...All-American National Champion junior year...United States Championships qualifier nine times...Senior National Qualifier three times... finished seventh at Senior Nationals...National Honor Society member...Spanish Honor Society member. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of John and Karen Lerew...born on January 6, 1982...greatest ambition is to make NCAA top 10 and to become an Olympian...enjoys singing and cooking...undecided on a major.

#### Andree-Anne LeRoy

ROUNT - 5-9 - JUNIOR
NANAIMO - B - C - CANADA
(WASHINGTON STATE)

#### 2002 NCAA QUALIFIER

"Another impact swimmer that will come in with NCAA experience. I think that she will be very versatile and extremely important for our dual meets. Obviously, we'll look to her to qualify and score at NCAAs."—Coach Harper



AT WSU: Turned in the top times of the 2002 season in the 100- and 200-yard backstrokes as well as the 200- and 400-IM...competed in the 200-back and the 200- and 400-IM events at the 2002 NCAA Championships, all events in which she held WSU record...school-record times are 1:59.64 in the 200-back, 2:01.73 (200-IM) and

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4:21.67 (400-IM)...holds the school record in the 100back (56.34), and has personal bests of 51.16 in the 100-free and 1:51.27 in the 200 freestyle ... as a freshman at WSU, she broke her own school record in the 400-yard individual medley with a time of 4:24.16, a time which also earned her an 11th place finish at the Pac-10 Championships...set another school record with a time of 2:05.53 in the 200-IM, earning her a 12th-place finish at the Pac-10's...a member of the school's 400yard freestyle relay team, which set a new school record and finished seventh at the conference meet...second on the Cougars' all-time list in the 200-yard backstroke and is fifth on the WSU career list in the 100-back...swam in the Canadian World Championships in Edmonton, Alberta, finishing in the Top 10 in three events: 100-back (7th), 200-back (7th), 200-IM (10th). HIGH SCHOOL: As a senior, she finished seventh in the 200-IM, ninth in the 400-IM, and 11th in the 100-back at the 2000 Canadian Spring Nationals...placed 10th in the 100-back and 10th in the 200-IM at the Canadian Olympic Trials...as a junior, finished fifth in the 200-IM at the Canadian Summer Nationals and placed sixth in that event at the Canadian Spring Nationals...participated in the 1998 World Cup in Edmonton...during her sophomore year, she qualified for the Canadian national championships...also competed at the US Open in Indianapolis...was a member of the Canadian National Youth Swim Team during her freshman year...a member of the 1997 Canada Summer Games Team. PERSONAL: Born February 23, 1982 ...daughter of Lucie LeRoy...major is biology.

#### Amy Lo

DISTANCE FREE

5-8 - JUNIOR

LONGWOOD, FL (LAKE BRANTLEY)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Amy had a great year last year and there's no reason why she can't continue to improve this year. She's very valuable in the 200- and 500-free for us." —Coach Harper



2002: Showed dramatic progress during the year and was named one of the team's Most Improved performers ...accomplished a 500-yard freestyle time of 4:55.87 at the ACC Championships to position her with the fourth-best mark in Seminole history ...completed the 1650-free event with the eighth-best time in school records (17:03.19 at the ACC's)...established the ninth-quickest

time in Florida State history for the 200-free at the ACC's (1:51.79)...finished 11th in the 200-free, 12th in the 1650-free and 15th in the 500-free while competing at the ACC Championships...helped stabilize a freshmen/sophomore 800-free relay team that finished fourth at the ACC Championships...finished 10th in the 500-free and later placed 12th in the 200-free at the Georgia Invitational... scored points in the 1650-free with a 16th-place finish at the Georgia Invite...contributed strongly to the team with

first-place finishes in the 500-free versus Indian River C.C. and Florida Atlantic...exhibited great speed against nationally-ranked Alabama where she earned a second-place finish in the 500-free and a third-place ending in the 200free...accomplished a first-place title in the 200-free against UNC-Wilmington...pressured No. 8 ranked Florida as a member of the second-place 400-free relay team (3:35.33)...earned ACC Academic Honor Roll honors. **2001:** Finished 16th in the 1650-freestyle and 24th in the 500-freestyle at the ACC Championships...added depth to the distance freestyle and butterfly events...placed second against Arizona and Truman State in the 1000freestyle...collected a second-place finish in the 200freestyle against Miami...finished third against FAU and Indian River in the 200 butterfly. HIGH SCHOOL: Conference champion junior and senior years...district champion junior and senior years...most improved swimmer junior year...Who's Who in Sports junior and senior years... All-American junior and senior years...Junior National qualifier in four events...State Runner-up junior year... State Finalist junior and senior years...Gary Hays Memorial Award recipient...National Student-Athlete Day Award junior year...NISCA State Top 16...co-captain senior year ... National Honor Society sophomore, junior and senior years...honor roll member...Scholar-Athlete Award senior year...Beta Club junior and senior years...Who's Who Among American High School Students junior and senior years...Historian of Spanish Honorary Society...peer counselor senior year...graduated summa cum laude. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Chia-Ton and Mary Lo...enjoys traveling with her family to Malaysia...nickname "Sweet 'n' Lo"...born on July 16, 1982...undecided on a major.

Jennie Lyes

SPRINT FREESTYLE/BACKSTROKE
5-6 - SOPHOMORE
STAINES, ENGLAND (MAGNA CARTA)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"We'll count on Jennie heavily. She has the talent and the ability to step up and win most 50- and 100-frees, so we'll look to her to be a leader in those areas for us." —Coach Harper



2002: Emerged as an explosive swimmer who will fortify the team in the sprint and relay events...already owns the eighth-best time in Florida State history in the 50-yard freestyle at 23.49 for sixth place at the Georgia Invitational...finished 16th in the 50-free (24.09) at the ACC Championships...participated in a NCAA-B cut time of 1:31.90 as a member of the

200-free relay team at the ACC's...led off the 200-free relay that took first-place honors at the Georgia Invitational...recorded four straight first-place finishes in the 50-free during meets against Maryland, James Madison/William & Mary, Georgia Tech and Clemson...was a member of the winning 400-free relay teams competing against Clemson and Florida...won the 200-yard backstroke versus James Madison and William & Mary



(2:05.93)...placed third in dual meets against Clemson (200-back), nationally-ranked Florida (50-free) and nationally-ranked Alabama (50-free)... placed third as part of the 200-yard medley relay team against Alabama... member of the ACC Academic Honor Roll. **HIGH SCHOOL:** British National Champion in 50m for the 17 (1999) and 18 (2000) year old age group...two-year captain and five-year member of the English Schools' team... named to the Great Britain team which competed at the European Championships...England's Southern Counties 50-free record holder. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Steve and Sylvia Lyes...born Oct. 25, 1981...greatest swimming memory is winning a 50M sprint while in an international meet in Belgium...major is undecided.

#### Tiffany Manning

DIVING
S-5-5 - SOPHOMORE
MISSION VIEJO, CA
(CAPISTRANO VALLEY)

#### NCAA ALL-AMERICA (PLATFORM) ALL-ACC HONOREE

"I feel that with another year of springboard experience that she should add a springboard event to her NCAA All-America status as well as a repeat on the platform." — Coach Jeffrey



2002: Earned First Team All-America honors after her seventh-place finish on the platform at the NCAA Championships...named the ACC Women's Swimming and Diving Rookie of the Year... voted as one of the two Most Valuable Divers on the Seminole women's team...concluded the NCAA Championships with a 23rd-place finish on the three-meter springboard and

a 27th-place finish on the one-meter...at the ACC Championships, posted a third-place finish on the one-meter and a second place finish on the three-meter board...ended the meet against Louisiana State, Louisiana-Monroe and Rice University with a winning score of 315.05 on the three-meter...versus nationally-ranked



Alabama, scored a third-place finish on the one-meter... placed second and third against Clemson on the one-and three-meter boards, respectively...finished in second-place on the three-meter versus No. 8 ranked Florida. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Four year member of the Capistrano Valley High School diving team under coach Don Cholodenko...earned All-America honors all four years...named team MVP her freshman, junior and senior seasons...swam for the Mission Viejo Nadadaores club team. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Dan and Nancy Manning...born on June 28, 1983 ...active member with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes...greatest diving memory was winning junior nationals...major is undeclared.

#### Golda Marcus

DISTANCE FREESTYLE 5-2 - SOPHOMORE CORAL SPRINGS, FL (AMERICAN HERITAGE)

**2002:** Gained experience in dual meet action and will look to contribute to the team's scoring in 2003...third on the team in the 1000-yard freestyle with a time of 10:19.73...swam the fifth-fastest 200- and 1650-frees for FSU at 1:53.42 and 17:30.66, respectively... placed eighth in the 800-free relay, 18th in the 200-free and 19th in the



1650-free at the Georgia Invitational. **HIGH SCHOOL:** District champion her junior and senior years under coach Nobutaka Tan...state championship qualifier three straight years...won the sectional relay championship her senior year...team's MVP her sophomore through senior years... qualified for Junior Nationals six-straight years beginning in seventh grade...swam for

Fort Lauderdale swim team. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Barbara Marcus...born March 15, 1983 ...member of the National Spanish Honor Society...earned Honor Roll honors throughout high school...member of Students Against Drunk Driving (S.A.D.D.)...brothers, Jay and Evan, also swim competitively...has dual citizenship in both the U.S. and El Salvador...majoring in political science.

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#### Courtney McClow

DIVING - 5-4 - SOPHOMORE
JACKSONVILLE, FL (FORREST)

#### ACC CHAMPION (TM) ALL-ACC HONOREE

"Courtney has an amazing training aspect. I think that with the amount of talent that she has, she's going to be looking to repeat the ACC Championships as the champion either on one-meter or three-meter." —Coach Jeffrey



2002: Named as one of the most improved members of the Seminole team...earned possibly her biggest finish of the season by capturing the ACC title on the one-meter with a score of 289.25...took home an eighth-place finish on the three-meter at ACC's... placed third on the three-meter and later earned a fourth-place score on the one-meter during

the Georgia Invitational...garnered first-place finishes during three-meter competition against James Madison, William & Mary and Clemson...ended the meet against Clemson with a third-place score on the one-meter... collected third-place honors on the three-meter events competing against nationally-ranked Florida and Alabama. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Won the state championship for Forrest High School under coach Roberta Russel...won the district championship both her junior and senior seasons... brought home a conference championship her junior year ...team's MVP three-straight seasons...earned her team's Most Improved Diver Award following her freshman season...dove for North Florida Diving club team. PER-SONAL: Daughter of Mark and Pamela McClow... born on August 24, 1983...parents are FSU alumni...Honor Roll member her senior year...greatest moment in diving was winning the state championship...majoring in psychology.

#### Betsy Nagy

BACKSTROKE/IM 5-6 - SENIOR SHALIMAR, FL (NICEVILLE)

#### TEAM CAPTAIN ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Betsy is another team captain, a great team person and she will help us a lot in dual meets, especially in the 200backstroke and the IMs." —Coach Harper



2002: An experienced member of the Seminole team... will add depth and consistency to the backstroke and medley events...completed the 200-yard backstroke with a first-place time of 2:08.24 against Florida Atlantic...established a time of 59.01 in the 100-back (21st-place) during competition in the



Georgia Invitational...ended the 200-back at the Georgia Invitational with a time of 2:05.27 for a 12thplace finish...named to the ACC Academic Honor Roll. 2001: Finished 16th in the 200-backstroke at the ACC Championships...added depth for the Lady Seminoles in the backstroke, medley relay and freestyle events...finished third three times in the 200 backstroke against Truman State, Indian River and Miami...compiled two fourth-place finishes against Arizona in the 100- and 200-backstroke. 2000: Named most improved swimmer... scored at the ACC Championships...member of the Dean's List. **HIGH SCHOOL:** A three-year high school most valuable swimmer...received the Team Academic Award in 1997...was the top swimmer as a junior and senior ...an international baccalaureate graduate...member of the National Honor Society and German Honor Society. PERSONAL: Daughter of Suzanne Nagy...born on March 19, 1981...wants to become a professional art therapist...accomplished musical and visual artist...has played the piano for 13 years...major is studio art.

#### Elizabeth Parkinson

FREESTYLE
5-11 - SENIOR
JOHANNESBURG - S. AFRICA
(UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Liz will be a key performer in our sprints and relays. If she doesn't make NCAAs individually, she sure can by being on some of our winning relays." —Coach Harper



2002: A solid performer in the sprint and relay events... in the 200-free relay event at the ACC's, she helped the team finish fourth with a NCAA-B cut time of 1:31.90 ...helped to stake a NCAA-B cut time of 3:21.14 to finish in second-place at the ACC's 400-free relay... posted a fourth-place finish in the 800-free relay event at the ACC Championships

with a time of 7:29.23...posted a 14th-place finish in the 50-yard freestyle at the ACC Championships... swam the anchor leg in the 200-free relay that placed first at the Georgia Invitational...contributed with strong performances in the 50-free (24.31, third place) and the 400-free relay (3:29.81, second place) versus Clemson ...was a member of the winning 400-free relay team that defeated No. 8 ranked Florida (3:30.40)...placed first against UNC-Wilmington in the 50-free (28.53) ...garnered a third-place ending in the 100-free (53.19) and was part of the winning 200-free relay team that competed against nationally-ranked Alabama...member of the ACC Academic Honor Roll. HIGH SCHOOL: Member of the Kingsmead College swim team from 1996-98 under Peter Williams...member of provincial team of South Africa from 1997-00...part of the South African Junior Squad 1999...played field hockey for five years. PERSONAL: Daughter of John and Geraldine Parkinson...Dean's List from spring 2000 to summer 2001...majoring in English.



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#### Christie Pesce

FREESTYLE
5-8 - SOPHOMORE
TAMPA, FL (H.B. PLANT)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Christie had a successful freshman year; she'll move up to the 100-, 200- and 500-freestyles this year, and we expect some good results." —Coach Harper



2002: An improving member of the sprint and relay events ...was a member of the 200-yard freestyle relay team that placed third against nationally-ranked Alabama (1:38.44) ...placed second as a part of the 400-free relay team versus No. 8 ranked Florida (3:35.33)...swam the 50-free with a mark of 24.56 at the Georgia Invitational...in the 200-free event at the Georgia

Invitational, she established a time of 1:53.38 good enough for 13th place...finished the 100-free event of the Georgia Invitational with a time of 53.26...earned ACC Academic Honor Roll honors. HIGH SCHOOL: Swam four years at H.B. Plant High School under Gil Gonzalez...earned All-America accolades in the 200meter free relay her junior and senior years and in the 400-meter free relay her senior year...won the state championship in the 200-meter free relay and placed second in the 400-meter free relay in both her junior and senior seasons...broke the high school record in both the 200- and 400-meter free relays...captain of the team her senior season...helped lead the squad to a second-place finish at the state championships ...competed in volleyball her sophomore year...swam for the Greater Tampa Swimming Association club team. PER-SONAL: Daughter of Karen and Robert Pesce, MD...born on July 16, 1983...garnered All-America and All-County Academic honors her senior year...member of the National Honors Society and Latin Honors Society from her sophomore through senior years...four year member of the Principal's Honor Roll...member of Gold and Black and I Dare You...greatest swimming memory was winning the 200 free relay at the state championships her junior and senior years...double majoring in communications and business.



#### Tonya Rasor

BUTTERFLY/FREESTYLE 5-3 - JUNIOR NICEVILLE, FL (NICEVILLE)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Tonya was successful last year, and I think she can really help us out in dual meets in the flys and sprints." — Coach Harper



2002: An experienced component of the Seminole team who will add depth and experience to the butterfly and freestyle events...reached a mark of 59.49 in the 100-yard backstroke during competition at the Georgia Invitational ...swam the 100-yard butterfly in 57.02 seconds at the Georgia Invitational to finish in 18th-place...completed the 50-free with a time of

25.00 at the Georgia Invitational...finished the 200-free event with a time of 1:57.57 versus nationally-ranked Alabama...named to the ACC Academic Honor Roll. 2001: A versatile swimmer for the Lady Seminoles competing in various freestyle, butterfly and backstroke events...finished third in the 50-freestyle and fourth in the 100-freestyle against North Florida...compiled fifthplace finishes in the 100-butterfly against LSU and in the 100-freestyle against Texas...earned a 4.0 grade point average her spring semester 2000. HIGH **SCHOOL:** High school team captain senior year...swim team Academic Award senior year...Who's Who in Sports All Star junior and senior years...four year varsity letter winner...four year district champion...state finalist all four years...Southeastern Swimming Hall of Fame freshman and senior years...high school most valuable swimmer freshman and senior years...USA Swimming Scholastic All-American junior year...United States Achievement Academy America's Champion Athlete's Award junior year...USA Swimming year round team most dedicated junior year...invited to train at the United States Olympic Training Center sophomore and junior years... Junior National qualifier freshman, sophomore and junior vears...28 time YMCA All-American...Niceville English Department Best Scholar Award senior year... Eagle Scholars Highest Honors freshman, sophomore, junior and senior years...Who's Who Among American High School Students senior year...Outstanding Foreign Language Students of America Award sophomore year...National Science Merit Award freshman year... National Honor Society junior and senior years...nominated for Florida American Legion Girls State junior year...high school Student of the Month sophomore, junior and senior years...peer counselor senior year...mentor for under eight year-olds... Literary Guild editor...teacher at swim clinics...graduated high school magna cum laude. PERSONAL: Daughter of Ronald and Carol Rasor...born on September 23, 1981 ...collects frogs (not real ones)...greatest ambition is to live well, laugh often and love much...published artist and writer...plays the clarinet and piano...nickname "speed rasor"...undecided on a major.

#### Jennifer Smith

IM/DISTANCE FREE
5-7 - JUNIOR
PENSACOLA, FL (WASHINGTON)

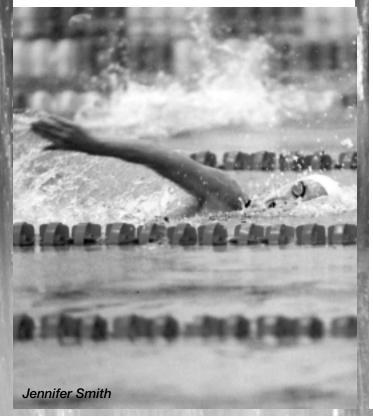
#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Jen was a valuable asset to us last year, and we look to her to be as valuable in dual meets and make an impact at the conference meet." —Coach Harper



2002: An established leader in the distance events...registered a 13th-place finish in the 1650-yard freestyle event of the ACC Championships with a time of 17:04.20 (the ninth-best time in Tribe history)... credited with a time of 4:33.17 in the 400-medley during competition at the ACC Championships...finished 14th at the prestigious Georgia invitational in the 1650-

free...scored a first-place finish in the 1000-free against nationally-ranked Alabama with a time of 10:20.29...recorded her season-best time of 10:19.61 to finish fourth in the 1000-free against nationally-ranked Florida...came in with a time of 5:02.72 in the 500-free during competition at the Georgia Invitational to place 21st...posted a fifth-place time of 2:10.71 in the 200-yard medley against Georgia Tech...member of the ACC Academic Honor Roll. **2001:** Finished 14th at the ACC Championships in the 1650-freestyle, 16th in the 400-IM and 21st in the 500-freestyle...finished first in the 1000-freestyle against North Florida, LSU, and nationally ranked Alabama...against NC State placed first in both



the 400-IM and 500-freestyle...collected second-place finishes in the 200-freestyle against Truman State, in the 500-freestyle against Miami, Alabama and LSU and in the 1000-freestyle against FAU and Miami. HIGH SCHOOL: Pensacola News Journal's 1999 Swimmer of the Year...Pensacola Sports Association's 2000 Senior Scholar Athlete...Junior National qualifier in six events... NISCA All-American...second-place finish in 500-free at state junior year...sixth place finish in 200-free at state junior year...Honor Roll freshman, sophomore, junior and senior years...National Honor Society member...Science Club member...Drama Club member...Beta Club member. **PERSONAL:** Daughter of Kevin and Cindy Smith... born on April 30, 1982...greatest ambition is to be successful and have a family...published photographer and writer...advertising major.

# Kayce Zemina SPRINT FREESTYLE

SPRINT FREESTYLE

S-9 - SOMOHOORE

PLANTATION, FL (PLANTATION)

#### ACC ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

"Kayce will be counted on heavily at the sprints and on relays, and I think she can have a breakout year." —Coach Harper



2002: An inspiring and talented member on the relay teams with a bright future... placed second during the 400-yard freestyle relay event against No. 8 ranked Florida with a time of 3:35.33...in competition versus Clemson, participated on the 400-yard medley relay team that finished in second-place with a mark of 3:54.23...as a member of the 200-free relay team,

finished in third-place with a time of 1:38.44 against nationally-ranked Alabama...competed well during the Georgia Invitational where she posted times of 24.46 (50-free), 53.14 (100-free), and 1:55.59 (200-free)...named to the ACC Academic Honor Roll. HIGH SCHOOL: Swam four seasons at Plantation High School under coach Walt Richardson and earned team MVP honors each year ...earned Sun Sentinel All-County second team honors as a senior...captained the squad her junior and senior years...holds the school record in the 50- and 100-meter freestyle...earned Sun Sentinel All-County honorable mention honors from ninth through 11th grade...state finalist all four years of high school...swam for the Fort Lauderdale Swim club under coach Duffy Dillon. PER-**SONAL:** Daughter of Charlie Zemina ...born on Oct. 7, 1983...earned NISCA Academic All-America honors as a senior...member of the Principal's Honor Roll and winner of the Academic Achievement Award all four years of high school...National Honor Society member from 10th through 12th grade...member of the Academy of Finance, DECA and FFEA throughout her high school career...her sister Paige swam at the University of Florida ...her greatest swimming memory was qualifying for the Junior Nationals...major is undecided.