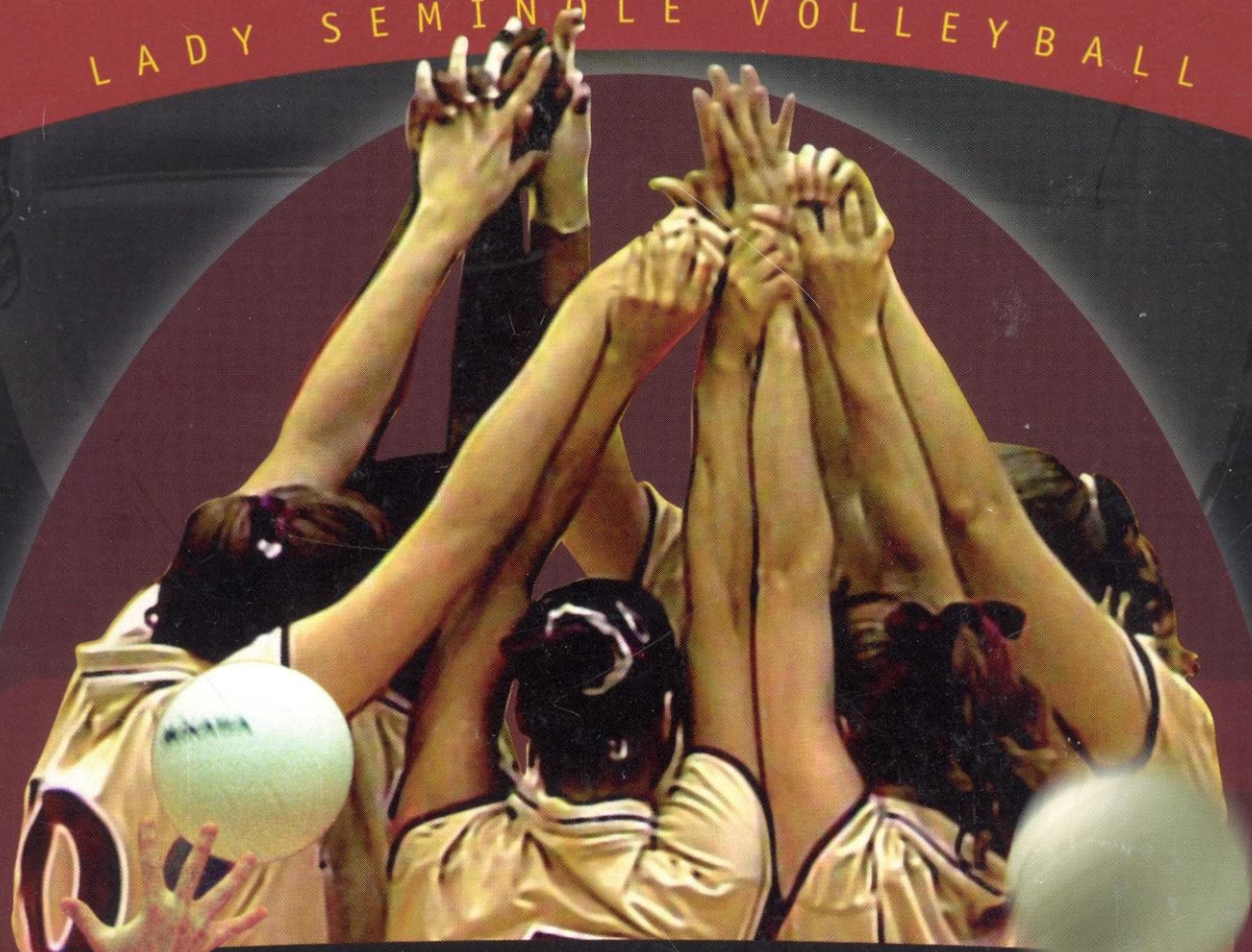
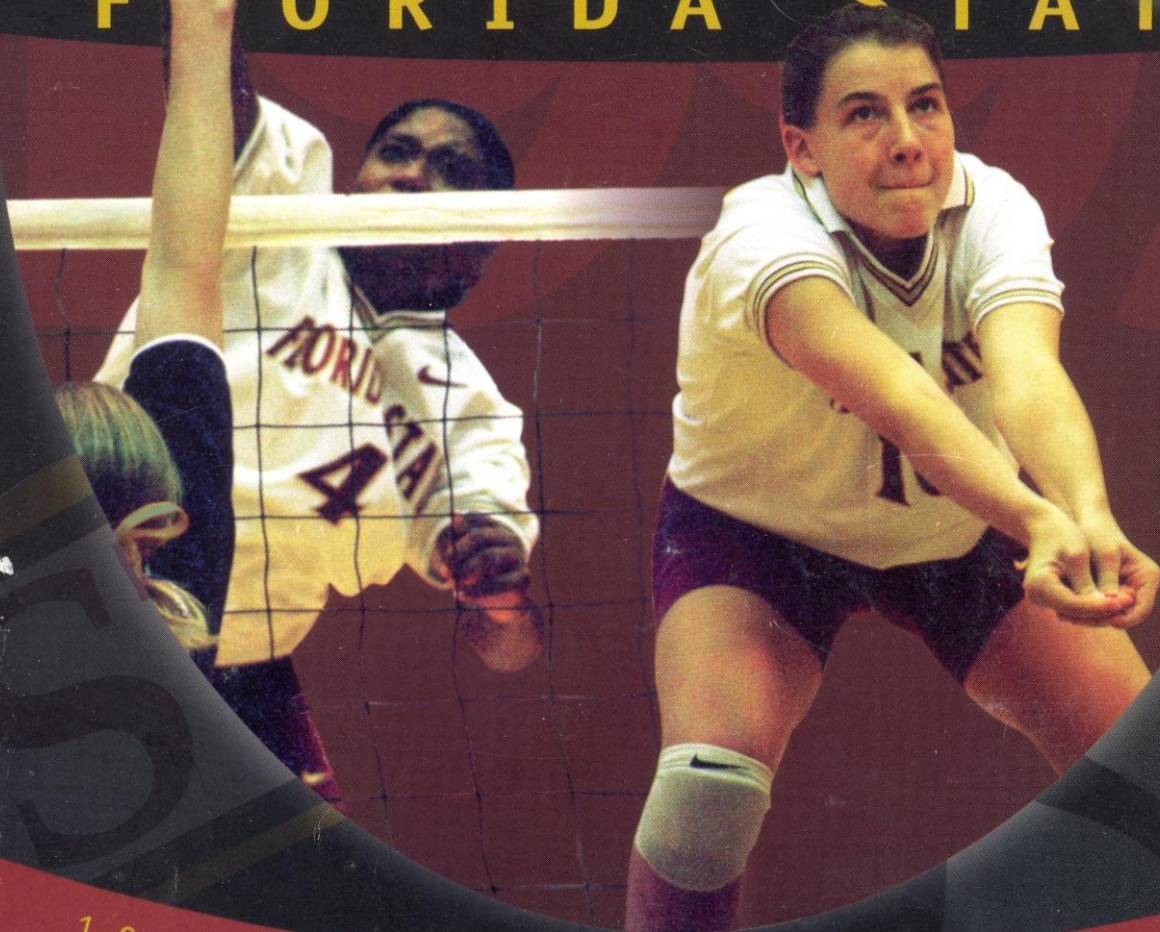


LADY SEMINOLE VOLLEYBALL



FLORIDA STATE



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TRAVEL HEADQUARTERS

Michigan Tournament

September 4, 5 & 6
 Sheraton Inn
 3200 Boardwalk
 Ann Arbor, MI 48108
 (313) 996-0600
 Fax (313) 996-8136

North Carolina & NC State

September 25, 26 & 27
 The Regal
 2800 Campus Walk Avenue
 Durham, NC 27705
 (919) 383-8575
 Fax (919) 383-8495

Maryland

October 11
 Courtyard Marriott-Greenbelt
 6301 Golden Triangle Drive
 Greenbelt, MD 20770
 (301) 441-3311
 Fax (301) 441-4978

Clemson

October 25
 Comfort Inn
 Hwy 123 & 76 (P.O. Box 1496)
 Clemson, SC 29633
 (864) 653-3600
 Fax (864) 654-3123

ACC Tournament

November 20-23
 Brownstone Hotel
 1707 Hillsborough Street
 Raleigh, NC 27605
 (919) 828-0811
 Fax (919) 834-0904

Florida Atlantic Tournament

September 18, 19 & 20
 Embassy Suites Hotel
 661 NW 53rd Street
 Boca Raton, FL 33487
 (561) 994-8200
 Fax (561) 994-9518

Virginia

October 9 & 10
 Quality Inn
 1600 Emmet Street
 Charlottesville, VA 22901
 (804) 971-3746
 Fax (804) 977-7847

Georgia Tech

October 24
 Courtyard Marriott-Techwood
 1132 Techwood Drive
 Atlanta, GA 30318
 (404) 607-1112
 Fax (404) 607-8257

Wake Forest

November 14 & 15
 Adams Mark Winston Plaza Hotel
 425 North Cherry Road
 Winston-Salem, NC 27101
 (910) 725-3500
 Fax (910) 721-2240

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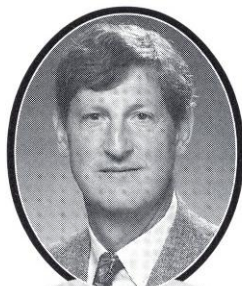
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Sandy D'Alemberte
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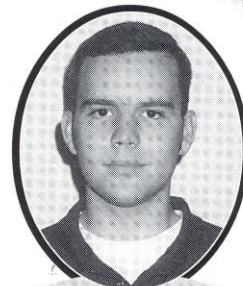
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Senior Assoc. AD



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Volleyball SID



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SID Assistant

FSU FAST FACTS

THE UNIVERSITY

Location Tallahassee, FL
 Founded 1857
 Enrollment 30,200
 President Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte
 Colors Garnet and Gold
 Symbol Lady Seminoles
 Volleyball Facility Tully Gymnasium (2,500)

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 Conference Atlantic Coast
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THE LADY SEMINOLES

Team History 29 seasons
 Record (past 25 seasons) 646-282
 All-Time ACC Record (6 seasons) 40-44
 1996 Record 12-19 (.387)
 1996 ACC Record 6-10 (.375)
 Starters Returning 7
 (Laura Arnold, Sr, OH; Susan Hawks, Jr, MH; Susan Johnson, Sr, MH; LaToya Presberry, Jr, OH; Holly Schneider, Jr, OH; Aisha Thornton, So, MH; Kensy Zulueta, So, S)
 Starters Lost 1 (Patty Diamond, S/OH)
 Letterwinners Returning 10

Letterwinners Lost 2
 Top Newcomers Fiona Bolten, Jr, 5'9", S, Kate Hemlepp, Fr, 5'11", OH and Jennifer Werrick, Fr, 6'0", OH

THE COACHES & STAFF

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 Alma Mater SW Missouri State '75
 Career Record 539-260 (.670)
 Record at Florida State 539-260 (.670)
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 Trainer Inga George



1997 Outlook

The Florida State Lady Seminoles enter the 1997 season focused and full of enthusiasm following a spring season and summer consisting of hard work on the court and in the weight room. Seminole fans can expect a mentally and physically stronger, highly-motivated group of individuals who together should form a successful unit.

"I thought we trained very hard this spring," head coach Cecile Reynaud said. "We focused on physical conditioning, strength-training and agility and we developed more individual programs for some of the players. We changed our practices to make them a little bit different. It was the same type of routine but we didn't spend a lot of time on the same activities over and over. We had a different focus every day."

Finishing among the top teams in the Atlantic Coast Conference is, as always, among the team's goals and this Lady Seminole squad may just have the talent, determination and heart to attain such status.

"As I look down the roster, it looks like a good team," Reynaud said. "To come off of a tough season and stay positive and continue to work hard is a tribute to all of their charac-

ters. They're great people, great volleyball players and I'd like to see them have a season that finds them on top in the ACC."

OUTSIDES

The outside hitter position will showcase a mix of the "old" with the "new." The position with probably the most depth will couple experienced, veteran players along with highly-regarded newcomers. Starting returnees Holly Schneider and LaToya Presberry, who will both be juniors, will anchor the corps. Presberry has been one of the squad's primary passers the past two years. She's a very explosive athlete and Coach Reynaud intends to use her in a variety of ways this season. Her 438 kills and 345 digs were tops

on the squad in 1996. Schneider, FSU's other primary passer, can hit a variety of sets. She performed at a consistent level throughout last season and ranked second on the team in kills and digs.

Joining Presberry and Schneider is outside hitter Senior Laura Arnold. Arnold, one of three seniors on the team, saw a great deal of playing time last year, but was hampered with a shoulder injury. After having undergone shoulder sur-

gery in January, Arnold looks to be back at full-strength at the start of the season.

"With Holly, LaToya and Laura all returning, I hope that we can get a little more movement in our offense this year and I think we'll be able to do that with the setting and passing that we've had," Reynaud said.

Junior Sarah Rickertsen, although not a starter, has seen a lot of playing time and has been a solid role player for the team.

"Sarah goes in when we need her and does a great job of blocking, passing and playing defense," Reynaud said.

Newcomers Jennifer Werrick and Kate Hemlepp will make an already strong area, even stronger. Werrick, who was named the Florida Player of the Year, should make an immediate impact. At 6-0, Werrick will be looked upon to help with blocking on the left side. Hemlepp was pegged a *Volleyball Magazine* All-American and was listed as one of the publication's "Fab 50" recruits. A left-handed player, she'll play on the right side. An excellent blocker as well, she has the ability to do a lot of things that opponents will have a hard time stopping.

"Jen is very athletic and has great ball control and we're looking for her to do a lot of things for us," Reynaud said. "Kate hits the ball hard, plays good defense, has good ball control and obviously will play a lot for us. She's going to be a key in our offense."

MIDDLES

With the middle hitters healthy, this position could be one of the most dominating on the team. Susan Hawks and Su-



san Johnson should provide the leadership to the position, while Aisha Thornton, who gained valuable experience as a rookie, provides the strength.

Hawks, a junior, is considered to be the best blocker on the team. Johnson, a senior, represents versatility as she can play in the middle or on the right side. She has been a starter for much of the past two years and should see a lot of playing time this year. Thornton has the physical tools to dominate any match, against anybody. Her vast improvement from the beginning of the season to the end resulted in her selection to the ACC All-Freshman team.

"Susan Hawks has probably put on more muscle in the weight room this summer and spring than anyone else on the team," Reynaud said. "I think she is going to be very strong defensively at the net for us. We played her and Susan Johnson some on the right side this spring, to make sure we improved our blocking. Aisha worked very hard this spring and with the right set, she can do a lot of things offensively. With a couple of adjustments in the blocking department, she'll be able to shut anybody down and be very intimidating at the net."

SETTING

Florida State will have the luxury of having two players who are capable of successfully filling the starting setter position. Junior Fiona Bolten, who sat out last year as a redshirt transfer from Kentucky, trained extremely hard the past year. Reynaud also notes Bolten's solid leadership skills which will be important to the team. Sophomore Kency Zulueta saw action in 28 of 31 matches last season and was the squad's primary starter at the position. Zulueta also possesses a great serve and can play some solid defense in the back row.

"It's going to be a battle to see who starts," Reynaud said. "Both Fiona and Kency are excellent setters and each will make a solid contribution to the team."

DEFENSE

Defensive specialists Christy Minko and Courtney Dipert return to hold down the defensive duties for the Tribe. Minko, a senior, is considered the team's "spark plug." She saw playing time in 28 matches last season and has been a really big part of the heart and soul of the team the past two seasons. Dipert played in 22 matches in her rookie campaign and will be relied on heavily in a reserve role this fall.

"Either one of those two can go in and replace probably one of the middles in the back row just to give them a little rest," Reynaud said. "They are both very exciting defensive players."

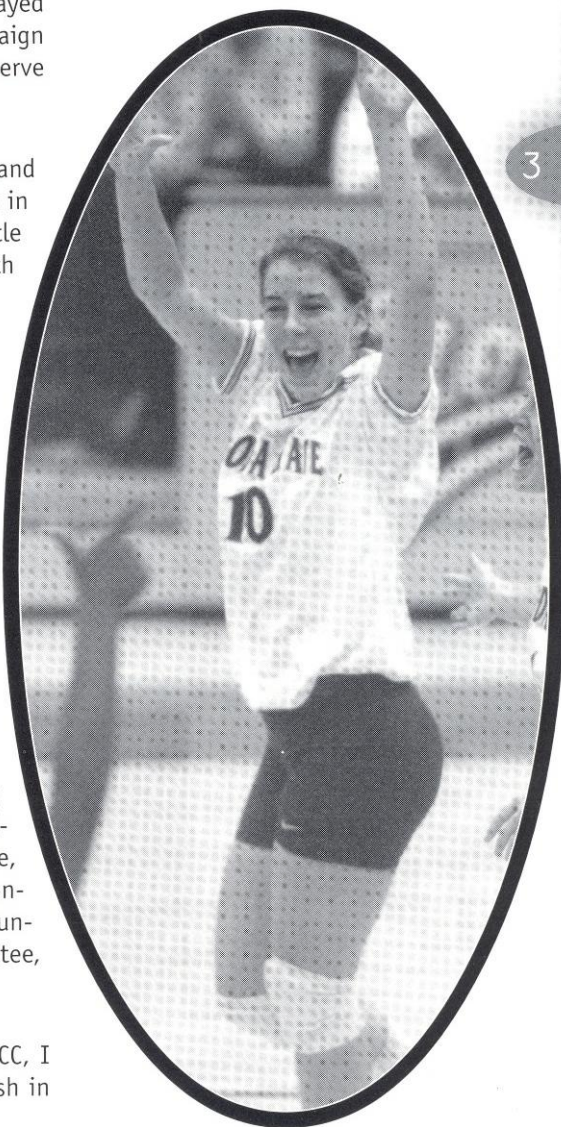
SCHEDULE

Many of the Lady Seminoles will have a chance to play in front of their families and friends when Florida State heads north to compete in the Michigan Tournament and south to play in the Florida Atlantic Tournament. Combine these tournaments with a home-and-away series with rival-Florida and the always difficult ACC schedule, and the Tribe will once again enjoy a highly-competitive season of action. With three ACC teams advancing to NCAA play, the league, which was ranked as the third strongest volleyball conference in the country by the NCAA volleyball committee, will be as challenging as ever.

"As we look at the teams in the ACC, I think we have to be picked to finish in

the top half of the conference simply because we're not going to be the young team anymore," Reynaud said. "We've been the inexperienced team the past couple of years, and although we'll have just three seniors, our juniors have a lot of experience.

"Our goal is always to play to the best of our ability. We want to finally win the ACC. We've been tied for first in the conference and we've played in the championship match twice. We want to finish first!"



1997 Roster

ALPHABETICAL

| | | | | | |
|----|------------------|-----|----|-------|------------------------|
| 15 | Laura Arnold | Sr. | OH | 5'8" | Stuart, FL |
| 2 | Fiona Bolten | Jr. | S | 5'9" | Tampa, FL |
| 3 | Courtney Dipert | So. | DS | 5'5" | Lisle, IL |
| 14 | Susan Hawks | Jr. | MH | 6'2" | Tampa, FL |
| 1 | Kate Hemlepp | Fr. | OH | 5'11" | Boca Raton, FL |
| 13 | Susan Johnson | Sr. | MH | 6'1" | Fort Wayne, IN |
| 5 | Christy Minko | Sr. | DS | 5'6" | Fort Myers, FL |
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| 12 | Sarah Rickertsen | Jr. | OH | 5'8" | Helena, AL |
| 10 | Holly Schneider | Jr. | OH | 5'10" | Fort Wayne, IN |
| 11 | Aisha Thornton | So. | MH | 6'2" | Country Club Hills, IL |
| 9 | Jennifer Werrick | Fr. | OH | 6'0" | Lakeland, FL |
| 7 | Kensy Zulueta | So. | S | 5'7" | Mission Viejo, CA |

NUMERICAL

| | | | | | |
|----|------------------|-----|----|-------|------------------------|
| 1 | Kate Hemlepp | Fr. | OH | 5'11" | Boca Raton, FL |
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COACHES & STAFF

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 Assistant Coaches:
 Manager:
 Trainer:

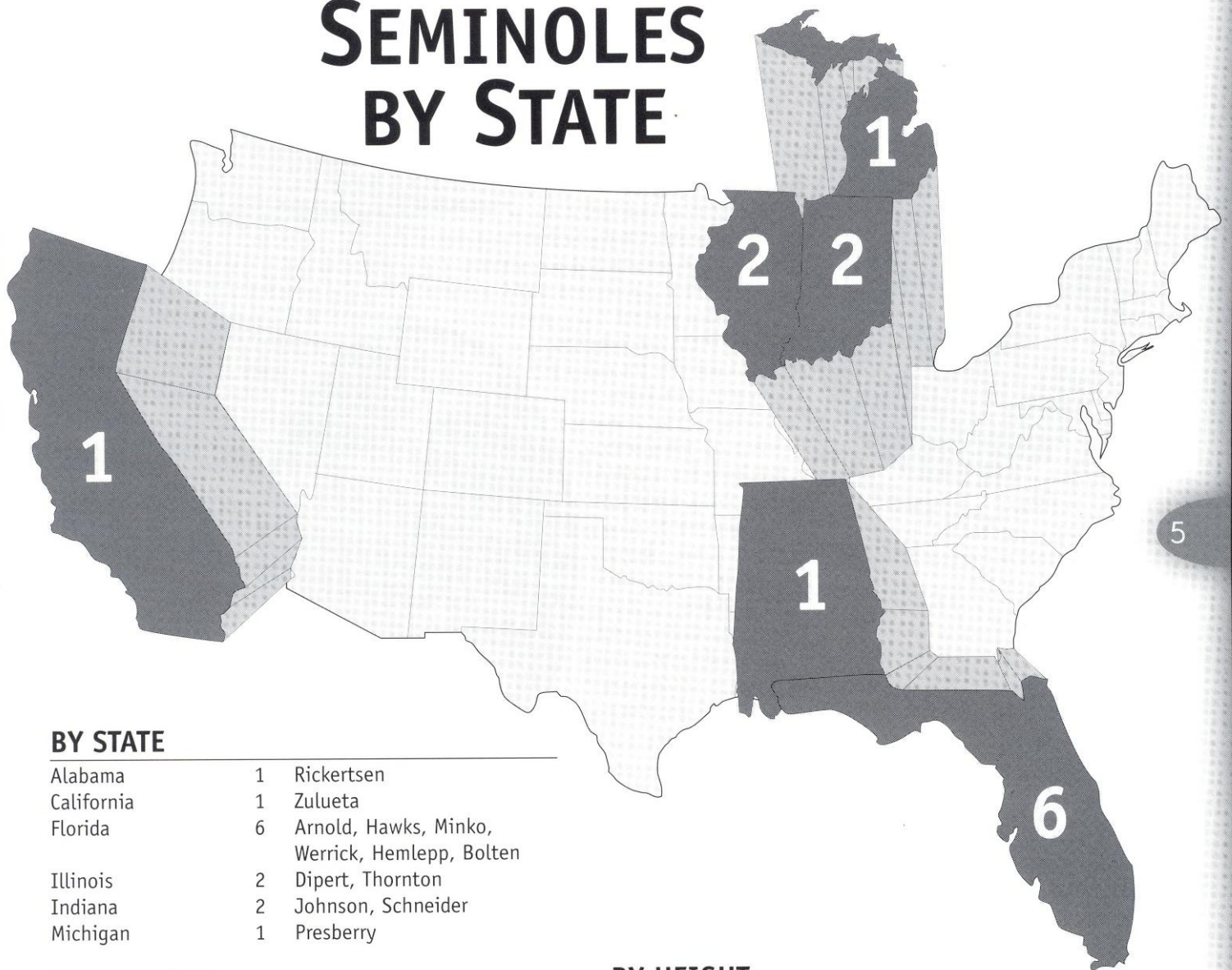
Cecile Reynaud
 Sherry Clouet and Wu, Dan
 Jeremy Rombough
 Inga George

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

| | |
|---------|------------|
| Aisha | Eye-eesha |
| Cecile | Sah-seel |
| Clouet | Clooh-it |
| Dipert | Die-purt |
| Fiona | Fee-OH-nah |
| Reynaud | Reh-nod |
| Werrick | Wair-rick |
| Wu | WooH |
| Zulueta | Zoo-wet-ah |

A Closer Look...

SEMINOLES BY STATE



BY STATE

| | | |
|------------|---|--|
| Alabama | 1 | Rickertsen |
| California | 1 | Zulueta |
| Florida | 6 | Arnold, Hawks, Minko, Werrick, Hemlepp, Bolten |
| Illinois | 2 | Dipert, Thornton |
| Indiana | 2 | Johnson, Schneider |
| Michigan | 1 | Presberry |

BY POSITION

| | | |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| Middles | 3 | Hawks, Johnson, Thornton |
| Outsides | 6 | Arnold, Presberry, Rickertsen, Schneider, Hemlepp, Werrick |
| Setters | 2 | Zulueta, Bolten |
| Defensive Specialists | 2 | Dipert, Minko |

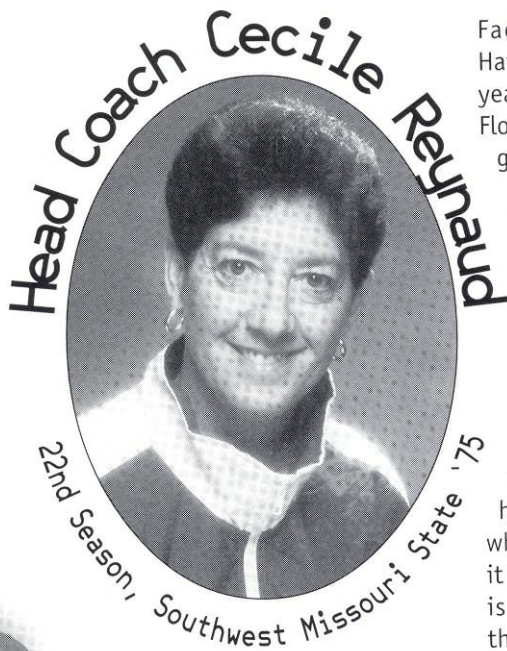
BY CLASS

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|------------|---|---|
| Seniors | 3 | Arnold, Johnson, Minko |
| Juniors | 5 | Hawks, Presberry, Rickertsen, Schneider, Bolten |
| Sophomores | 3 | Dipert, Thornton, Zulueta |
| Freshmen | 2 | Hemlepp, Werrick |

BY HEIGHT

| | |
|-------|-------------------------------|
| 6'2" | Hawks, Thornton |
| 6'1" | Johnson |
| 6'0" | Werrick |
| 5'11" | Hemlepp |
| 5'10" | Schneider |
| 5'9" | Bolten |
| 5'8" | Arnold, Presberry, Rickertsen |
| 5'7" | Minko, Zulueta |
| 5'5" | Dipert |

Coach Biographies



Facing new challenges. Having spent the past 21 years at the helm of the Florida State volleyball program, head coach Cecile Reynaud has indeed had her share of challenges along the way. Reynaud remembers the days when team members packed their own lunches, car pooled to games and paid travel expenses out of their own pockets. She has experienced the growth of women's athletics first hand. She's seen where it's been, where it is now and where it is headed and it is this unique perspective that keeps Reynaud coming back for more. More growth, more experience, more chills, more thrills ... each season is a new experience, a new challenge.



With a career record of 539-260,

Reynaud ranks 13th nationally in career

victories among active Division I coaches. Highly respected among her peers, Reynaud's involvement in international competition was elevated to an even higher level

REYNAUD'S MILESTONE VICTORIES

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 100 vs. Lake City JC (1979) | 15-8, 15-5, 15-11 |
| 200 vs. Georgia (1981) | 15-1, 15-5 |
| 300 vs. Northwestern (1985) | 9-15, 16-14, 8-15, 15-9, 15-11 |
| 400 vs. Memphis State (1989) | 14-16, 8-15, 15-11, 15-9, 15-11 |
| 500 vs. Southern Illinois (1994) | 15-7, 15-4, 15-6 |

when she was chosen to serve as the Deputy Competition Manager for the 1996 Centennial Olympic Games.

Years of volleyball experience paid off as she coordinated the activities of the Athens, Ga., venue for 10 days of competition.

As a coach, Reynaud has surpassed many milestones in her 21 year tenure at Florida State. Most recently, Coach Reynaud notched her 500th career victory in the first match of the 1994 season against Southern Illinois.

This milestone victory places her among an elite list of coaches in the 500 win club.

Looking back over 21 seasons of volleyball, post season play has become familiar to the Lady Seminoles. Florida State has made eight NCAA post-season appearances, six of which have been in the last 10 years and two appearances in the Atlantic Coast Conference Championship game in only six years of ACC competition.

A two-time Metro Conference Coach of the Year, Reynaud was also honored as Coach of the Year by the Atlantic Coast Conference in 1992. She was also named Florida Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women Coach of the Year in 1982

MOST CAREER VICTORIES AMONG ACTIVE COACHES

| | W | L | PCT | YRS |
|---|------------|------------|-------------|-----------|
| 1. Andy Banachowski (UCLA) | 812 | 175 | .822 | 30 |
| 2. Elaine Michaelis (BYU) | 753 | 192 | .796 | 35 |
| 3. Cathy Cain (Towson State) | 709 | 216 | .767 | 25 |
| 4. Marilyn Nolen (St. Louis) | 692 | 259 | .728 | 26 |
| 5. Terry Petit (Nebraska) | 656 | 140 | .824 | 23 |
| 6. Barbara Viera (Delaware) | 632 | 375 | .628 | 24 |
| 7. Dave Shoji (Hawaii) | 625 | 124 | .834 | 22 |
| 8. Dr. Geri Polvino (Eastern Kentucky) | 624 | 410 | .604 | 30 |
| 9. Mike Hebert (Minnesota) | 596 | 268 | .690 | 21 |
| 10. Russ Rose (Penn State) | 586 | 117 | .834 | 18 |
| 11. Debbie Coldberg (Sacramento State) | 562 | 187 | .750 | 21 |
| 12. Janice Kruger (Maryland) | 555 | 215 | .720 | 19 |
| 13. Kathy Gregory (UC-Santa Barbara) | 539 | 252 | .681 | 22 |
| 13. Cecile Reynaud (Florida State) | 539 | 260 | .674 | 21 |
| 15. Samye Johnson (Mississippi State) | 507 | 269 | .653 | 20 |

COACHING RECORD

| | | |
|-------|---------|---|
| 1976 | 33-14 | State Runner-up |
| 1977 | 25-13 | State Champion 4th at Regionals |
| 1978 | 28-14 | State Champion 1st at Regionals A1AW Nationals First Round |
| 1979 | 31-19 | State Runner-up 1st at Regionals A1AW nationals Second Round |
| 1980 | 43-14 | State Champion 3rd at Regionals |
| 1981 | 43-8 | State Champions 1st at Regionals A1AW Nationals Third Round |
| 1982 | 27-17 | 3rd in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 3rd Place |
| 1983 | 31-6 | 1st in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 3rd Place NCAA First Round |
| 1984 | 20-13 | 3rd in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 3rd Place |
| 1985 | 22-10 | 1st in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 1st Place NCAA First Round |
| 1986 | 25-11 | 1st in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 1st Place NCAA First Round |
| 1987 | 22-11 | 1st in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 1st Place NCAA First Round |
| 1988 | 28-8 | 1st in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 1st Place NCAA First Round |
| 1989 | 30-5 | 1st in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 1st Place NCAA First Round |
| 1990 | 25-10 | 3rd in Metro Conference Metro Tournament 3rd Place NCAA First Round |
| 1991 | 16-15 | 5th in ACC ACC Tournament 3rd Place |
| 1992 | 26-8 | Tied 1st in ACC ACC Tournament 2nd Place NCAA First Round |
| 1993 | 24-10 | 3rd in ACC ACC Tournament 2nd Place NCAA Second Round |
| 1994 | 17-16 | 5th in ACC ACC Tournament 3rd Place |
| 1995 | 11-19 | 7th in ACC ACC Tournament 3rd Place |
| 1996 | 12-19 | 7th in ACC ACC Tournament 5th Place |
| TOTAL | 539-260 | |

and in 1989 she garnered AVCA South Region Coach of the Year accolades.

In May of 1996, Reynaud received the George J. Fischer Leader in Volleyball Award, presented at the USA Volleyball National Meetings in Dallas, Texas. This award recognizes long-time-significant contributions to volleyball programs and activities in the United States.

Reynaud's success directly correlates with the type of individuals she attracts to Florida State. This is evident on the court as well as in the classroom as reflected by the graduation rate of the student-athletes who have played for her. Among four-year volleyball letterwinners, all but two have earned their college degree, which is nearly a 98 percent graduation rate. These graduates have included two GTE Academic All-Americans and numerous honor roll students over the years. This past year, the volleyball team was recognized for having the highest team GPA among Florida State's 17 intercollegiate athletics teams.

In 1983, Reynaud first experienced the international level when she served as the assistant coach at the World University Games in Canada. In 1985, she was head coach for the United States Junior National Team which toured Japan and China. She has been on the AVCA All-America Committee and was the Zone Coordinator for 1986 and 1987 Olympic Festivals. She served as the commissioner for the Olympic Festival from 1988-92. Reynaud participated in the 1990 Goodwill Games as the technical secretary and is past-president of the American Volleyball Coaches Association. Reynaud is a current member of the Volleyball Hall of Fame selection committee. She has served 12 years on the USA Volleyball Board of Directors and three years on the Executive Committee.

As an expert of the game, Reynaud has been a technical consultant for two Power Volleyball films and the third edition of the book "Power Volleyball." She

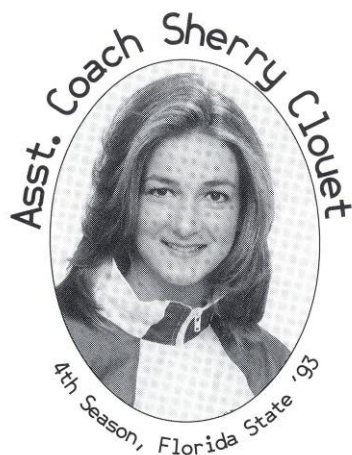
has co-authored numerous articles pertaining to women's athletics and continues to be active on the speaking circuit. Reynaud has been an instructor at more than 50 camps across the country and hosts her own each year which attracts hundreds of young volleyball players.

A 1975 graduate of Southwest Missouri State, Reynaud enjoyed an outstanding athletic career on the volleyball team and was twice named among the Outstanding College Athletes in America. In 1983, she was inducted into the school's Women's Athletics Hall of Fame.

Reynaud also has administrative experience at Florida State. She served as interim Assistant Athletics Director/Senior Women's Administrator for the 1994-95 school year.

In addition to an already challenging schedule, Reynaud has returned to Florida State as a student in pursuit of a Ph.D. in athletic administration and is scheduled to graduate this Spring.

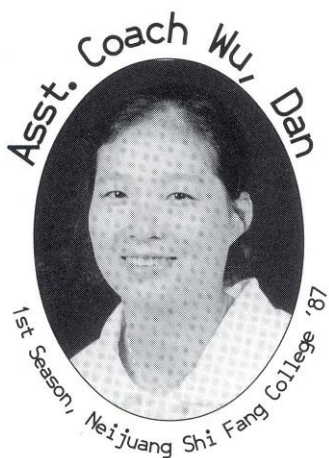




Sherry (Cowling) Clouet enters her second season as the top assistant coach to Cecile Reynaud in 1997. A four-year veteran of the coaching staff at Florida State, Clouet's ties to the school date back to her playing days, finishing her career as a Lady Seminole in 1993.

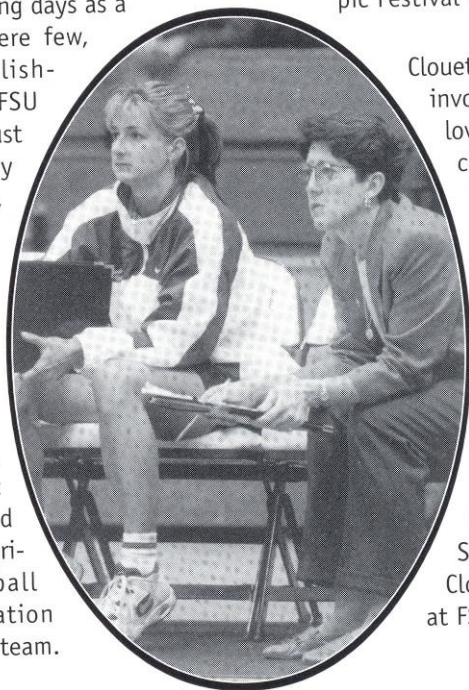
Clouet's main duties involve recruiting for Florida State, monitoring the academic progress of the student-athletes and assisting in the day to day management of the team. Very involved with the Cecile Reynaud Volleyball Camp as well, she has served as camp director the past two summers.

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After a standout senior season playing for Reynaud and receiving her degree in economics, Clouet taught history at an area high school and coached the volleyball team. Clouet joined the college ranks as the second assistant for FSU in 1994. During that time she was very involved in the Tallahassee Community and promoting youth volleyball. Clouet was honored with an award for her excellent community service throughout the year while at Godby High School.

Although her playing days as a Lady Seminole were few, Clouet's accomplishments while at FSU were many. In just one season of play at Florida State, Clouet established a new school record, since broken, when she registered 72 assists in a match against Duke. She was also honored as a GTE Academic All-American and named to the American Volleyball Coaches Association All-South Region team.



In a single season of Atlantic Coast Conference action, Clouet was selected as an All-ACC member and to the ACC All-Tournament team. During the 1992 season Clouet was selected to the Gator Invitational, South Florida Invitational and Hofstra Invitational all-tournament teams.

The Miami, Fla., native began her career at Syracuse University where she played three seasons before transferring to Florida State. Clouet was also the setter for the silver medal-winning 1990 Olympic Festival team.

Clouet could not be any more involved with the sport she loves. Along with her FSU coaching duties, Clouet has coached with the Big Bend Juniors Club for three years, and has trained for the professional beach tour during summers.

Clouet completed her master's degree in December of 1995 in athletic administration. She married Jason Clouet, a doctoral student at FSU, last spring.

International standout Wu, Dan became the newest member of Cecile Reynaud's staff when she was hired this summer after spending the 1996 season as an assistant coach at the University of Missouri.

Prior to her stint at MU, Wu played competitively for 16 years, including nine with the Chinese National Team. Her impressive playing résumé includes participation in three World Cups, two World Championships, including a title, and a bronze medal in the 1988 Olympic Games in Seoul, Korea.

Wu was named the Most Valuable Player in the Seoul Games, and also earned Outstanding Player honors in the 1989 and 1991 World Cups. In 1993, after being invited to her second World All-Star team, she was awarded the title of International Sports Master.

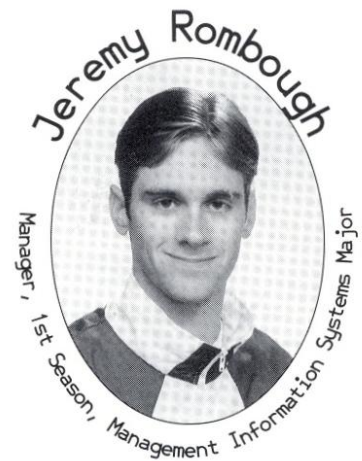
Wu, 30, received her two-year degree from Neijuang Shi Fang College in Sichuan Providence. She and her husband Han Jun became the parents of a son, David, in July.

Jeremy Rombough begins his first season as manager for the Lady Seminole volleyball team, but his fourth year with the FSU athletic department. The senior from Lake Mary, Fla., served as a manager for the Seminole baseball team his freshman year and was the FSU women's basketball manager the past two seasons.

Rombough, who played one year of high school volleyball, is an avid fan of volleyball and remains competitive in the sport. He has been a member of Florida State's men's volleyball club since his freshman year and last year, played in four-man and two-man beach volleyball tournaments throughout the summer.

Some of Rombough's responsibilities with the FSU volleyball team include setting up and breaking down equipment for all home games and practices, serving as a host for visiting teams, video taping all matches and traveling with the squad. Rombough, who worked as a line judge at home volleyball matches last season, served as an "opponent" in the spring, playing against the Lady Seminoles in spring drills.

A Management Information Systems major, Rombough will celebrate his 21st birthday at this season's ACC Tournament on November 23rd.



Jill Hoomes begins her 11th season as Cecile Reynaud's secretary. She assumed this position after serving with the Art Department on campus.

A native of Pensacola, Fla., Hoomes attended Pensacola Junior College. She and her husband Tim have one son Levon, 8.

Jill Hoomes

Secretary
11th Season
Pensacola Jr. College



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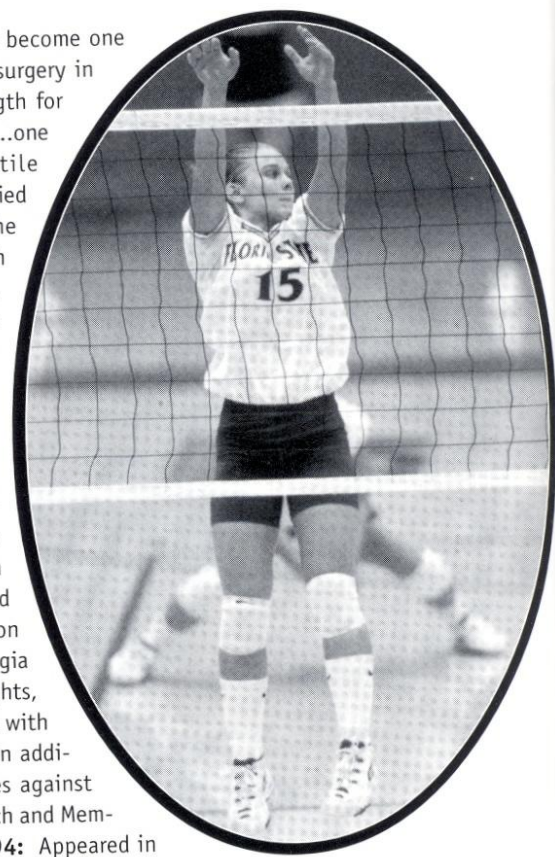
#15 Laura Arnold
 5'8" - Senior - Outside Hitter - Stuart, FL (Martin County) - Oceanside



ARNOLD AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
|---------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| 1994 | 31 | 101 | 3 | 2 | 16 | .063 | 2 | 4 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 22 | 0 | 105 |
| 1995 | 16 | 45 | 96 | 69 | 311 | .087 | 5 | 26 | 8 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 18 | 1 | 86 |
| 1996 | 29 | 105 | 290 | 139 | 846 | .178 | 29 | 37 | 6 | 3 | 18 | 5 | 59 | 1 | 251 |
| TOTALS | 76 | 251 | 389 | 210 | 1173 | .153 | 36 | 67 | 26 | 3 | 29 | 10 | 99 | 2 | 442 |

One of three seniors on the team...has become one of FSU's leaders...underwent shoulder surgery in the spring but should be at full strength for the season...possesses a powerful spike...one of the team's most versatile players...explosive jumper. **1996:** Tallied 290 kills which ranked fourth on the team...was third best on the team with 251 digs...posted match-highs in kills, aces, digs and solo blocks throughout the season...played through a nagging shoulder injury throughout most of the season...recorded a career-high .542 hitting percentage against Jacksonville with 14 kills on 24 attempts and just one error...set a career-high with 19 kills vs. Southern Illinois...had eight double-doubles. **1995:** Recorded a season and career-high 13 kills against Tennessee Tech...came down with mononucleosis midway through the season which held her out of practice for two weeks...recorded a season high 13 digs twice against South Florida and Georgia Tech...dug up double digit balls on back-to-back nights, tallying 13 vs. Tech and coming back the next night with 10 vs. Clemson...had a double-double with 11 kills in addition to the 13 digs against USF...served up two aces against George Mason...had two blocks against Tennessee Tech and Memphis in the opening tournament of the season. **1994:** Appeared in 31 matches for FSU as a freshman...dug a season-high eight balls in the ACC Tournament against Duke...totaled 105 digs on the season...had six or more digs on 12 occasions. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Was named to *The Palm Beach Post's* All-Area team two straight years...twice awarded the Most Valuable Player...led Martin County High to the District Championship her senior year...played club with Oceanside... involved with basketball, softball and Key Club...had always wanted to go to Florida State, brother Todd is an FSU alumni...enjoys water sports in her spare time, including boating, diving, and fishing... is a Leisure major.



ARNOLD'S CAREER HIGHS

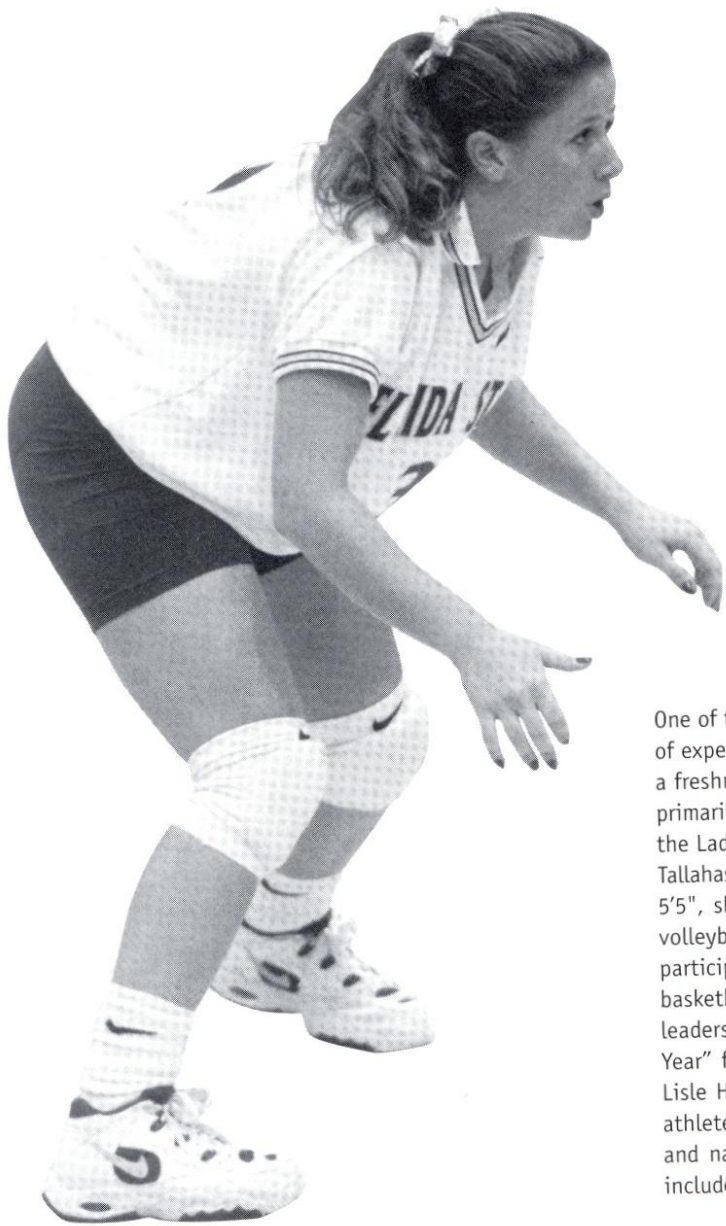
- Kills 19 vs. Southern Illinois (9/6/96)
- Attacks 56 at North Carolina State (10/19/96)
- Hitting Percentage542 vs. Jacksonville (10/29/96)
- Service Aces 4 at Clemson (10/11/96) and vs. North Carolina (10/25/96)
- Digs 20 at North Carolina State (10/19/96)
- Assists 2 at South Florida (9/2/95) and vs. Memphis (9/2/95)
- Block Assists 4 vs. Wake Forest (10/6/96)

1996 DOUBLE-DOUBLES

| | | | |
|------------|---------|----------|---------|
| @ Purdue | Sept 7 | 12 kills | 12 digs |
| @ Virginia | Sept 22 | 11 kills | 12 digs |
| @ Clemson | Oct 11 | 10 kills | 14 digs |
| @ NC State | Oct 19 | 16 kills | 20 digs |
| @ Duke | Nov 3 | 11 kills | 12 digs |
| Maryland | Nov 10 | 17 kills | 13 digs |
| Florida | Nov 12 | 10 kills | 10 digs |
| Georgia | Nov 16 | 10 kills | 14 digs |

DIPERT AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
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| 1996 | 22 | 79 | 1 | 3 | 9 | -.222 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 105 |



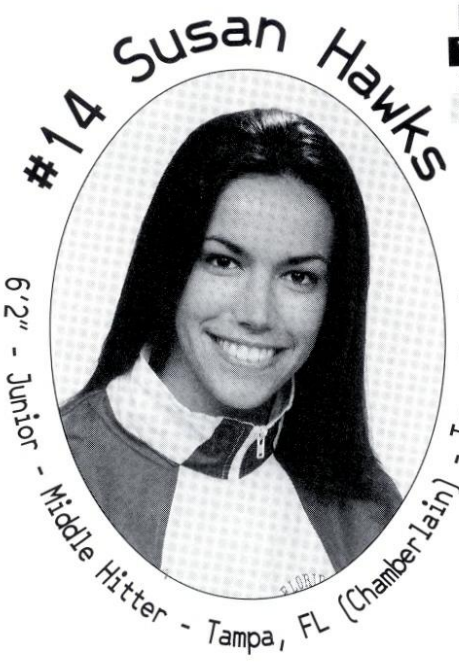
#3 Courtney Dipert
 5'5" - Soph. - Defensive Specialist - Lisle, IL (Lisle) - Dupage Express

One of two returning defensive specialists...is young but gained a great deal of experience in her rookie season. **1996:** Saw considerable playing time as a freshman with appearances in 22 of Florida State's 31 matches...was used primarily to substitute in for teammate Aisha Thornton and play back row...led the Lady Seminoles in digs in Florida State's 3-0 victory over Jacksonville in Tallahassee on November 29th...recorded double digit digs in three matches...at 5'5", she is the shortest member of the team. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played club volleyball for DuPage Express...a talented multi-sport athlete at Lisle High, participated in volleyball and softball for four years along with a year of basketball and cheerleading...was honored with various awards including a leadership award as captain of the volleyball team and "Senior Athlete of the Year" from *Suburban Life*...she also received the "Ernie Banks Award" from Lisle High for her dedication, talent, and spirit as a senior...named female athlete of the year at LHS...in the classroom, was a member of the honor roll, and named to the National Honor Society...other activities in high school included serving on the Student Council...is majoring in Physical Education.

DIPERT'S CAREER HIGHS

Digs 13 vs. Clemson (9/27/96) and at North Carolina State (10/19/96)
 Service Aces 2 vs. Troy State (11/17/96)

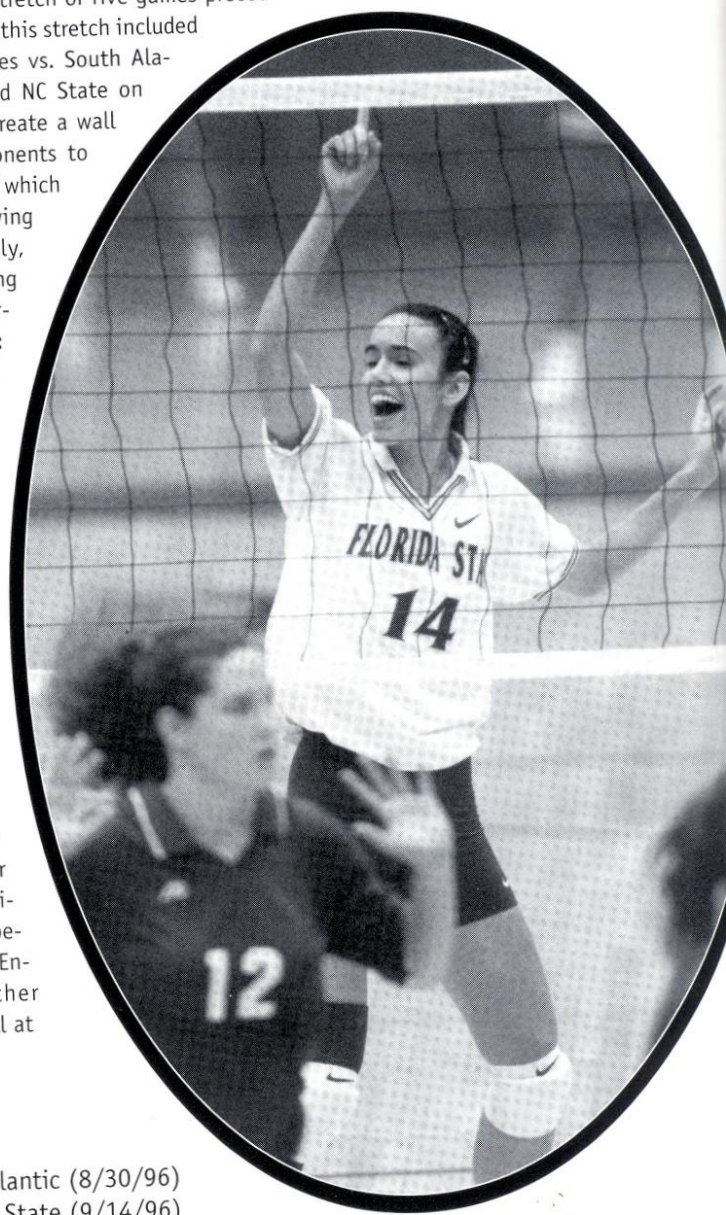
| 1996 DOUBLE-DIGIT DIGS | | |
|------------------------|---------|---------|
| Clemson | Sept 27 | 13 digs |
| @ N. Carolina | Oct 18 | 10 digs |
| @ NC State | Oct 19 | 13 digs |



HAWKS AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 1995 | 17 | 50 | 82 | 35 | 230 | .204 | 2 | 12 | 6 | 12 | 39 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 58 |
| 1996 | 12 | 41 | 64 | 35 | 187 | .155 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 27 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| TOTALS | 29 | 91 | 146 | 70 | 417 | .182 | 6 | 15 | 8 | 22 | 66 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 76 |

A solid blocker who is very intimidating at the net...at 6-2, is one of the tallest members of the team...a team motivator whose energy is contagious. **1996:** Missed most of the season due to injuries...suffered a knee injury during the Purdue Invitational in early September...returned to the Lady Seminole lineup full time in early October before reinjuring her knee...totalled five blocks against UCLA in the Florida Classic in Gainesville and six blocks versus the Lady Boilermakers in the Purdue Invitational...recorded a season-high 11 kills against Florida Atlantic during the Lady Seminoles opening weekend of action. **1995:** Improved with every game of the 1995 season...was sidelined mid-season due to a knee surgery, but returned in November with a bang...went on to hit .333 (36k, 7e, 87a) from November 3 for a stretch of five games preceding the ACC Tournament...this stretch included two error-free performances vs. South Alabama on November 7, and NC State on November 3...long arms create a wall at the net, denying opponents to total 41 total blocks, 17 of which came in the games following "the return"...defensively, dug up 43 balls, 35 coming in the five game pre-tournament stretch. **1994:** Red-shirted for true freshman season due to shoulder surgery, spent the year on the sidelines. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for the Tampa Bay Juniors club team...a member of the National Honor Society...Florida 5A Player of the Year at Chamberlain, honored as the Most Valuable Player her junior and senior years and received the Rose Diaz Florida Player of the Year award...majoring in Leisure and has hopes of becoming a high school English teacher...brother Michael plays basketball at Oglethorpe University.



1996 DOUBLE-DIGIT KILLS
 Florida Atlantic Aug 30 11 kills
 Hawks saw limited action during the 1996 season due to injury.

HAWKS' CAREER HIGHS

- Kills 11 vs. Florida Atlantic (8/30/96)
- Attacks 27 vs. Ball State (9/14/96)
- Hitting Percentage625 vs. Florida Atlantic (8/30/96)
- Digs 11 at Clemson (11/16/95)
- Block Assists 6 vs. Maryland (11/11/95)
- Solo Blocks 3 vs. Virginia (11/10/95) and vs. UCLA (9/14/96)

JOHNSON AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
|---------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| 1994 | 26 | 66 | 60 | 41 | 198 | .096 | 23 | 38 | 8 | 4 | 19 | 10 | 8 | 2 | 72 |
| 1995 | 27 | 90 | 199 | 78 | 526 | .230 | 18 | 43 | 13 | 13 | 54 | 11 | 29 | 3 | 126 |
| 1996 | 7 | 19 | 49 | 15 | 122 | .279 | 9 | 8 | 3 | 5 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 19 |
| TOTALS | 60 | 175 | 308 | 134 | 846 | .206 | 50 | 89 | 24 | 22 | 87 | 26 | 40 | 5 | 217 |

Versatile athlete...has the ability to play in the middle or on the right side...has been a starter. **1996:** Started the first four matches on the front line for the Lady Seminoles before being sidelined with an ankle injury in a match at the Purdue Invitational...made brief returns to action in October before returning to the injured list for further healing of her ankle...last played against North Carolina in

Chapel Hill on October 18th...recorded a career-high 21 kills with a .368 hitting percentage against Southern Illinois on September 6th in the Purdue Invitational... totalled 10 digs at North Carolina on October. **1995:** Was one of three FSU hitters to get over 20 kills in a match...got her career-highs against two ACC foes...scored her career-high 21 kills against Clemson on September 23... dug a career high 12 balls against North Carolina...also recorded a career-high six block assists against Jacksonville and turned around to match that total against New Orleans in the next contest...had double-digit kills on six occasions, leading the team four times throughout the year...ranked second on the team in all blocking categories.

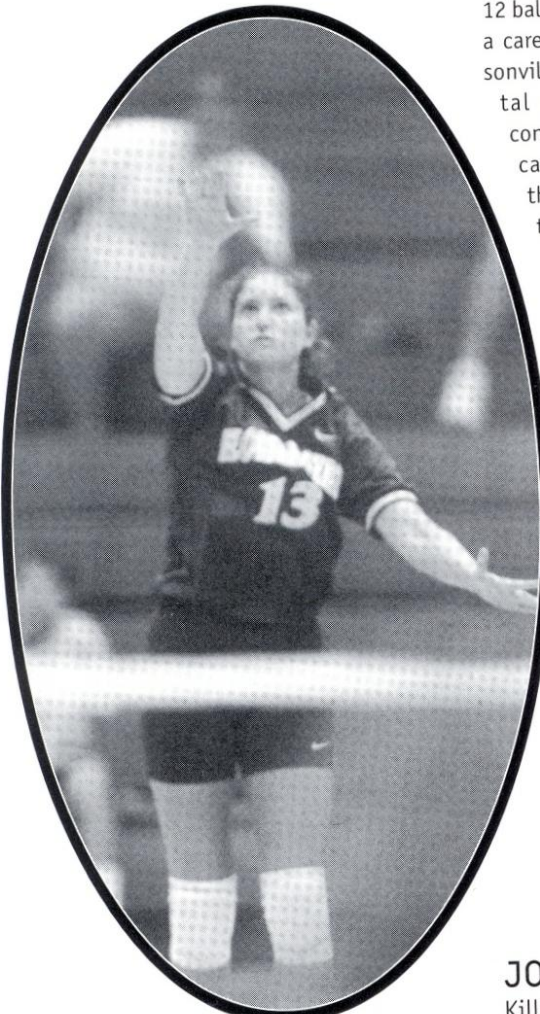
1994: Gained valuable playing experience as a freshman appearing in 26 matches...started the season with a bang recording a team-high 12 kills off 17 attempts with no errors for a .706 in the opening match against Southern Illinois...notched a season-high five blocks the next night against Southern Illinois again...one of the 'Noles toughest from behind the service line, led the squad on five occasions in service aces...career-high five aces against Georgia Tech.

HIGH SCHOOL: Second team All-State selection as a senior...three-time All-Conference team member...voted team's "Best Offensive Player" three straight years... garnered 1992 and 1994 AAU All-American honors...established four new blocking records at Northrop...Sertoma Award recipient recognizing excellence in athletics and academics...played for the Ft. Wayne Volleyball Club...was a stand-out athlete at Northrop High involved in basketball, track and FCA...majoring in Nutrition and Fitness with an emphasis in pre-physical therapy...is a representative on the Student Athlete Advisory Council...engaged to Brett Weaver.

#13 Susan Johnson



6'1" - Senior - Middle Hitter - Ft. Wayne, IN (Northrop) - Ft. Wayne Jrs



JOHNSON'S CAREER HIGHS

- Kills 21 at Clemson (9/23/95) and vs. Southern Illinois (9/6/96)
- Attacks 38 vs. Southern Illinois (9/6/96)
- Hitting Percentage 706 vs. Southern Illinois (9/2/94)
- Service Aces 5 at Georgia Tech (10/1/94)
- Digs 14 at Clemson (11/16/95)
- Assists 3 vs. Florida (10/31/94)
- Block Assists 6 at Jacksonville (10/17/95) and vs. New Orleans (10/21/95)
- Solo Blocks 2 vs. Florida Atlantic (8/31/96)

#5 Christy Minko
 5'7" - Senior - Defensive Specialist - Fort Myers, FL (Estero) - S.W. FL Club

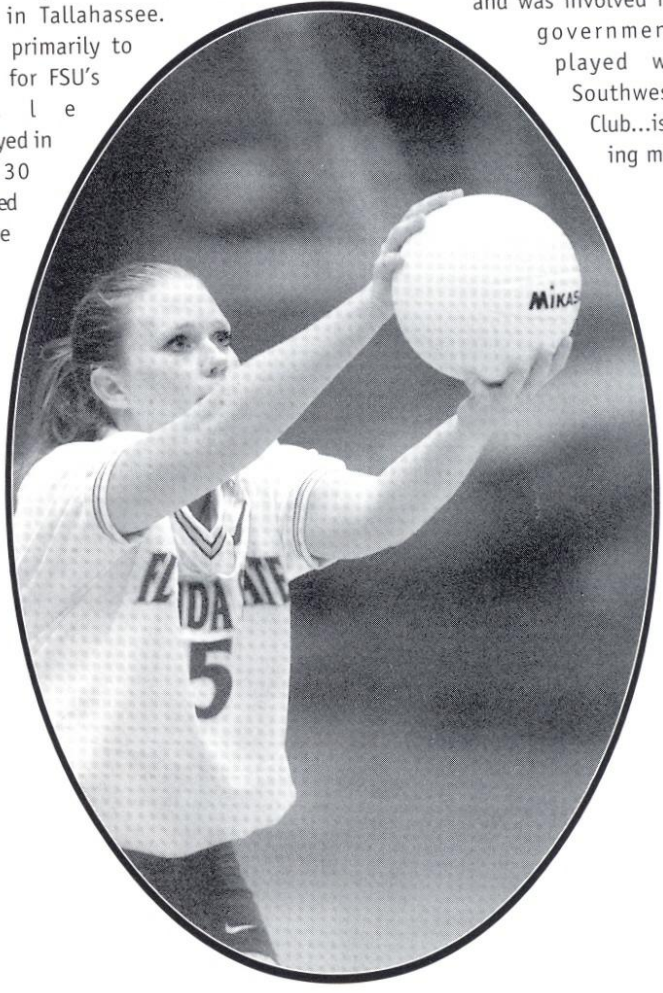


MINKO AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
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| 1995 | 27 | 85 | 6 | 5 | 17 | .059 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 97 |
| 1996 | 28 | 82 | 5 | 6 | 27 | -.037 | 7 | 21 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 122 |
| TOTALS | 55 | 167 | 11 | 11 | 44 | .000 | 7 | 22 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 219 |

Will be the most experienced defensive player on the floor this season...the team's "spark plug"...has played in all but six matches the past two seasons...solid contributor. **1996:** Earned a scholarship for the season after joining the team as a walk-on in the fall of 1994...the squad's veteran defensive specialist...tallied 122 digs for a 1.49 digs per game average...played in 28 of Florida State's 31 matches...recorded double digit digs in five matches, including a career-high 12 vs. Wake Forest in Tallahassee. **1995:** Used primarily to play defense for FSU's middle blockers...played in 27 of 30 matches...recorded 97 digs on the

season for a 1.14 digs per game average...had her career-high 10 digs vs. North Carolina in front of a televised audience on October 13...following that performance got over five digs on five occasions...recorded six backrow kills on the season as well. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Four sport letter winner at Estero High, participated in volleyball, basketball, soccer and tennis...earned all-conference honors in volleyball and captained the squad her senior year...graduated at the top of her class and was involved in student government...also played with the Southwest Florida Club...is a Market-ing major.



1996 DOUBLE-DIGIT DIGS

| | | |
|-------------------|---------|---------|
| Florida Atlantic | Aug 30 | 11 digs |
| Southern Illinois | Sept 6 | 10 digs |
| @ Jacksonville | Sept 10 | 10 digs |
| Wake Forest | Oct 6 | 12 digs |
| @ Georgia Tech | Oct 13 | 10 digs |

MINKO'S CAREER HIGHS

- Kills 1 vs. several opponents
- Attacks 3 vs. several opponents
- Digs 12 vs. Wake Forest (10/6/96)
- Service Aces 2 vs. Southern Illinois (9/6/96)

PRESBERRY AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
|---------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 1995 | 29 | 100 | 333 | 165 | 935 | .180 | 15 | 30 | 8 | 4 | 40 | 4 | 44 | 2 | 279 |
| 1996 | 31 | 113 | 438 | 177 | 1135 | .230 | 36 | 35 | 55 | 3 | 39 | 7 | 55 | 9 | 345 |
| TOTALS | 60 | 213 | 771 | 342 | 2070 | .207 | 51 | 65 | 63 | 7 | 79 | 11 | 99 | 11 | 624 |

An explosive and dominating player...possesses great strength and leaping ability. **1996:** Once again became one of FSU's top players in 1996...durable player who played in all 31 matches and 113 of 115 games...led the team in several categories including kills (438), kills per game (3.88), digs (345), digs per game (3.05), and total attempts (1135)...an all-around player, led the team in digs 12 times while leading FSU in kills on 11 occasions as well...against Georgia Tech on 9/29, Duke on 10/4, and Wake Forest on 10/6, was the team

leader in digs + kills...named to the All-Tournament Team at the Purdue Invitational in September...garnered ACC Player of the Week honors in October...averaged 4.61 kpg and 3.34 dpg in ACC play...led the team in kills in nine ACC matches and in digs in nine other ACC battles...ranked second in the ACC in kills per game in league play. **1995:** Competed with Laura Arnold for a starting position as an outside hitter...garnered ACC Rookie of the Week honors after completing a game against Virginia that seemed like a veteran's...in the Virginia match, hammered out 30 kills hitting .345...ranked second on the team in kills with 333...her 2.79 digs per game led the team...led FSU in kills for a match eight times...recorded over 20 digs twice and over 20 kills on five occasions, all of which came in ACC matches...at the ACC Tournament blasted away 21 kills and 18 digs in the Clemson upset and turned around the next night to hammer out a game-high 15 kills and 13 digs in the defeat to Maryland...this outstanding play landed her a spot on the six person All-Tournament squad...played in 29 matches. **HIGH SCHOOL:** A three sport athlete at Cass Technical...earned All-City, All-District, All-Region and All-State honors in volleyball including Most Valuable Player...spent spare time in high school volunteering for the Clean, Safe and Healthy Schools Task Force of Detroit...majoring in Business, with an emphasis in pre-law, and would like one day to have her own law firm.



1996 DOUBLE-DOUBLES

| | | | |
|---------------|---------|----------|---------|
| S. Illinois | Sept 6 | 14 kills | 18 digs |
| Clemson | Sept 27 | 15 kills | 25 digs |
| Georgia Tech | Sept 29 | 25 kills | 20 digs |
| Duke | Oct 4 | 17 kills | 10 digs |
| Wake Forest | Oct 6 | 22 kills | 14 digs |
| @ Clemson | Oct 11 | 18 kills | 15 digs |
| @ N. Carolina | Oct 18 | 15 kills | 16 digs |
| @ NC State | Oct 19 | 26 kills | 21 digs |
| @ Wake Forest | Nov 1 | 12 kills | 13 digs |
| @ Duke | Nov 3 | 25 kills | 20 digs |
| Virginia | Nov 8 | 21 kills | 17 digs |
| Maryland | Nov 10 | 17 kills | 12 digs |
| Georgia | Nov 16 | 15 kills | 12 digs |

20+ kill matches: five
30+ kill matches: one
20+ dig matches: two
double-digit kills: 14
double-digit digs: 12

PRESBERRY'S CAREER HIGHS

| | |
|--------------------|---|
| Kills | 30 at Virginia (10/27/95) |
| Attacks | 68 at North Carolina State (10/19/96) |
| Hitting Percentage | .579 vs. Troy State (11/17/96) |
| Service Aces | 4 at Auburn (10/1/96) |
| Digs | 25 vs. Clemson (9/27/96) |
| Assists | 5 vs. S. Illinois (9/6/96), at Purdue (9/7/96), and vs. Wake Forest (10/6/96) |
| Block Assists | 6 at Virginia (10/27/95) |

#12 Sarah Rickertsen
 5'8" - Junior - Outside Hitter - Helena, AL (Pelham) - Sojourners

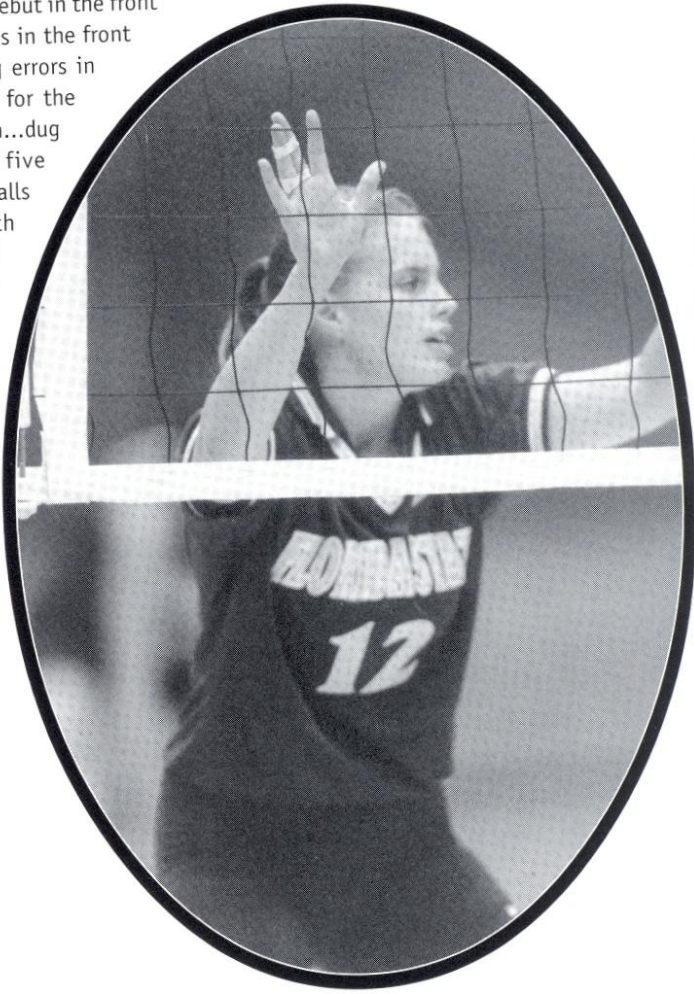


RICKERTSEN AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
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| 1995 | 29 | 87 | 15 | 15 | 68 | .000 | 5 | 9 | 22 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 4 | 150 |
| 1996 | 22 | 43 | 20 | 13 | 78 | .090 | 2 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 59 |
| TOTALS | 51 | 130 | 35 | 28 | 146 | .048 | 7 | 16 | 28 | 1 | 15 | 4 | 26 | 6 | 209 |

A versatile player who can take on the role of outside hitter on the front line and defensive specialist on the back row...is a solid role player...has seen a great deal of playing time in her FSU career. **1996:** Saw action in 22 matches...joined the starting lineup in several matches in October...matched her previous career-high with six kills on a .389 hitting percentage against Clemson in Tallahassee... also posted a personal-best 20 digs in the Clemson match...hit .307 against Ball State in the Florida Classic in Gainesville. **1995:** Began the season as a defensive specialist and in mid-October had her debut in the front row...in her first five matches in the front row made only three hitting errors in 23 attempts...had 150 digs for the year to rank fifth on the team...dug up double-digit balls on five occasions...blocked eight balls in her seven matches with front row experience...had five aces on the season, two of which came against New Orleans...career high six kills came against NC State on November 3. **HIGH SCHOOL:** was a first team all-state selection and a Mizuno All-Star her se-

nior year... led her team to the Alabama State Championship volleyball title in 1993...well rounded athlete, also involved in track and basketball in high school... at Pelham High School was a peer tutor to her classmates...volunteered at the Firehouse Soup Kitchen in Birmingham...in her spare time she enjoys running, music and going to the beach...is majoring in Political Science and sees a future working with the CIA.



| 1996 DOUBLE DIGIT DIGS | | |
|------------------------|---------|---------|
| Clemson | Sept 27 | 20 digs |
| Ga. Tech | Sept 29 | 11 digs |

RICKERTSEN'S CAREER HIGHS

- Kills 6 vs. NC State (11/3/95) and vs. Clemson (9/27/96)
- Attacks 19 vs. Clemson (9/27/96)
- Hitting Percentage444 at Virginia (10/27/95)
- Service Aces 2 vs. New Orleans (10/21/95)
- Digs 20 vs. Clemson (9/27/96)
- Assists 9 at Virginia (10/27/95)
- Block Assists 2 vs. several opponents

SCHNEIDER AT FLORIDA STATE

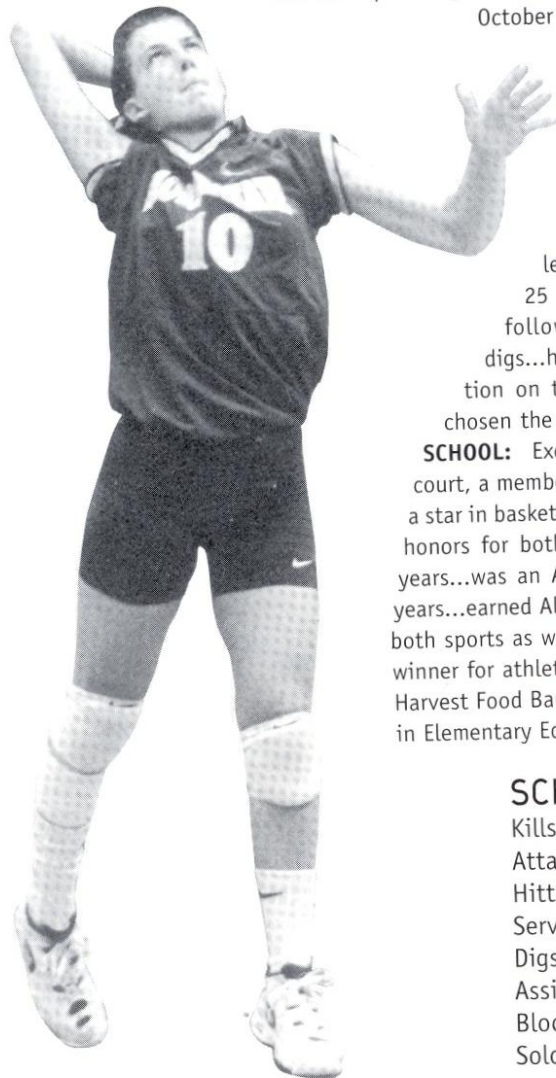
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| 1995 | 30 | 109 | 411 | 174 | 1035 | .229 | 29 | 65 | 20 | 4 | 34 | 4 | 32 | 1 | 303 |
| 1996 | 31 | 113 | 413 | 171 | 1099 | .220 | 37 | 47 | 24 | 11 | 29 | 6 | 42 | 3 | 301 |
| TOTALS | 61 | 222 | 824 | 345 | 2134 | .224 | 66 | 112 | 44 | 15 | 63 | 10 | 74 | 4 | 604 |

Very intense player...has played in every match for FSU the past two seasons...displays leadership on the floor. **1996:** One of FSU's most consistent players during the season...finished among the team leaders in several categories including kills (413, 2nd); kills per game (3.65, 2nd); digs (301, 2nd); total attempts (1099, 2nd); and service aces (37, 1st)...led Florida State in kills in a match 12 times, including a team season high and career high 31 kills against North Carolina State on October 27th...posted 13 double-doubles including double-doubles in 11 of 16 Atlantic



Coast Conference matches. **1995:** As a freshman, played with the excitement and intensity of a seasoned veteran...became the first freshman in Florida State history to lead the team in kills for the season...the only player to have played in every game and match of FSU's season...led FSU for kills in a match 14 times and digs in a match on 12 occasions, the most of any Lady Seminole...had a hitting streak where she had double-digit kills for nine matches, beginning with 22 kills vs. NC State on September 30 and ending with her season-high 28 kills vs. Virginia...was named to the All-Tournament team at the South Florida Classic...led the team in four different categories, including kills, digs, aces, and attempts...dug an FSU season-high 24 balls vs. Clemson on

October 7...named ACC Rookie of the Week for the week of November 13 after averaging 3.4 kills per game and 4.6 digs per game and a .385 hitting percentage in matches against Virginia, Maryland and South Alabama to end the regular season...during the ACC Tournament led the way in the Clemson upset with 25 kills and 22 digs, and returned the following night with 15 kills and 12 digs...her outstanding play led to her selection on the ACC All-Tournament team...was chosen the team's Most Valuable Player. **HIGH SCHOOL:** Excelled in the classroom and on the court, a member of the National Honor Society and a star in basketball and volleyball...earned All-State honors for both basketball and volleyball for two years...was an All-American for volleyball for three years...earned All-Conference honors all four years in both sports as well...was the Sterling Sentinel Award winner for athletics... volunteered at the Community Harvest Food Bank while at Northrop High...majoring in Elementary Education.



1996 DOUBLE-DOUBLES

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| @ Purdue | Sept 7 | 13 kills | 10 digs |
| Clemson | Sept 27 | 19 kills | 11 digs |
| Georgia Tech | Sept 29 | 15 kills | 11 digs |
| @ Clemson | Oct 11 | 16 kills | 24 digs |
| @ North Carolina | Oct 18 | 20 kills | 15 digs |
| @ NC State | Oct 19 | 17 kills | 13 digs |
| North Carolina | Oct 25 | 13 kills | 13 digs |
| NC State | Oct 27 | 31 kills | 22 digs |
| @ Wake Forest | Nov 1 | 12 kills | 14 digs |
| @ Duke | Nov 3 | 11 kills | 13 digs |
| Virginia | Nov 8 | 11 kills | 12 digs |
| Maryland | Nov 10 | 17 kills | 25 digs |
| Georgia | Nov 16 | 20 kills | 14 digs |

20+ kill matches: four
 20+ dig matches: three
 double-digit kills: 18
 double-digit digs: 13

SCHNEIDER'S CAREER HIGHS

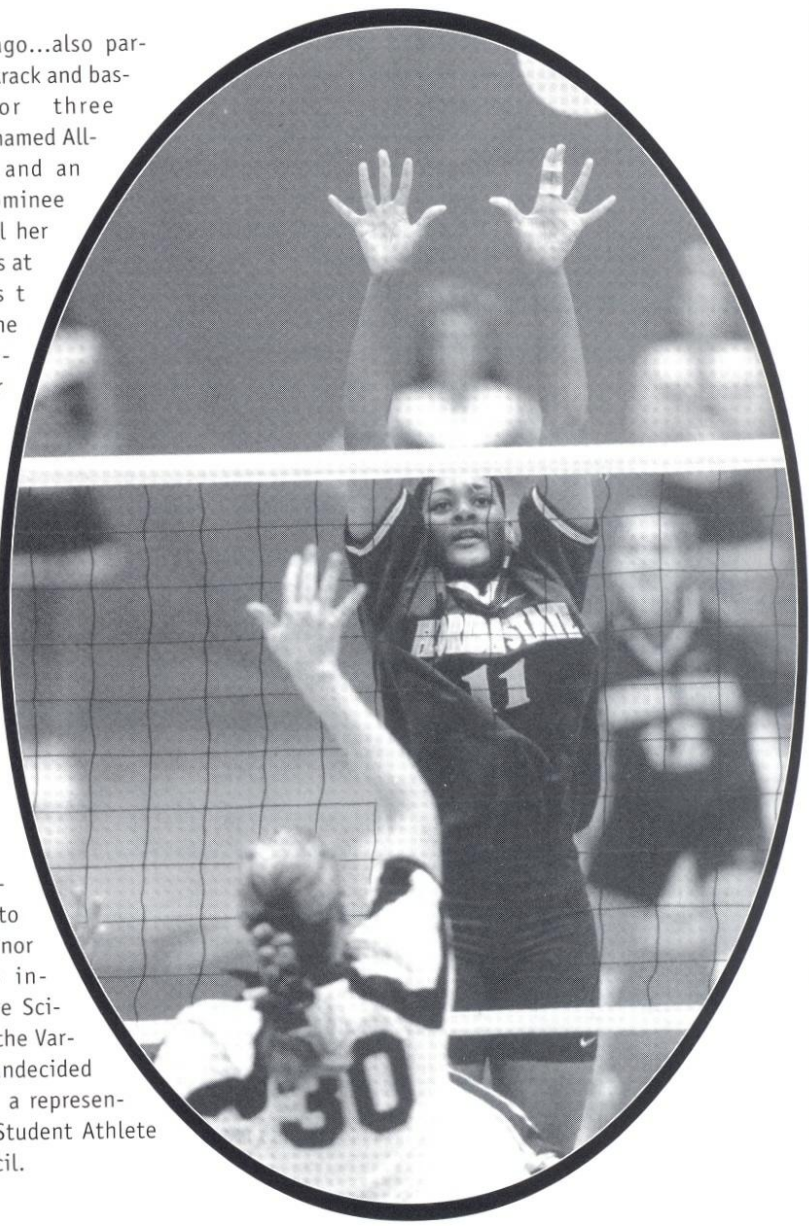
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| Kills | 31 vs. North Carolina State (10/27/96) |
| Attacks | 64 at Clemson (11/16/95) |
| Hitting Percentage | .600 vs. Troy State (11/17/96) |
| Service Aces | 6 vs. Memphis (9/2/95) |
| Digs | 25 vs. Maryland (11/10/96) |
| Assists | 5 at North Carolina State (10/19/96) |
| Block Assists | 4 vs. North Carolina (10/13/95) |
| Solo Blocks | 2 at Georgia Tech (11/22/96) |



THORNTON AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
|------|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1996 | 29 | 104 | 317 | 130 | 709 | .264 | 4 | 22 | 3 | 40 | 80 | 37 | 1 | 12 | 49 |

out of Chicago...also participated in track and basketball for three years...was named All-Conference and an All-State nominee for volleyball her final two years at Hillcrest High...named the MVP her sophomore and senior seasons as well as being named the Best Middle Blocker in the conference during her final campaign...was named Rookie of the Year as a freshman... excels in the classroom as well...achieved honor roll status on her way to the National Honor Society...also involved with the Science Club and the Varsity Club...is undecided on a major...is a representative on the Student Athlete Advisory Council.



One of the squad's top blockers... highly competitive...has ability to dominate a match...very intimidating at the net. **1996:** Stepped up with authority in rookie season in the absence of teammates Susan Hawks and Susan Johnson...her 6'2" frame made her a potent force at the net for the Lady Seminoles...selected to the Atlantic Coast Conference All-Freshman team...as the season progressed, so did her numbers...led the team in blocks in 12 of FSU's 16 conference matches including the last five in a row...led the team in kills in four matches and was the team block's leader in 15 matches...earned ACC Rookie of the Week honors in late October...led Florida State with 120 total blocks which was 76 more than any other teammate...had a team-high 74 blocks in conference matches...ranked fifth in the Atlantic Coast Conference in blocks per game (1.16). **HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for the Spikettes Club team

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THORNTON'S CAREER HIGHS

Kills 23 at North Carolina State (10/19/96) and vs. North Carolina (10/25/96)
 Attacks 48 at Clemson (10/11/96)
 Hitting Percentage692 vs. Clemson (9/27/96)
 Service Aces 2 vs. North Carolina (10/25/96)
 Digs 8 at Clemson (10/11/96)
 Block Assists 7 vs. Wake Forest (10/6/96) and at Clemson (10/11/96)
 Solo Blocks 4 vs. Georgia Tech (9/29/96)

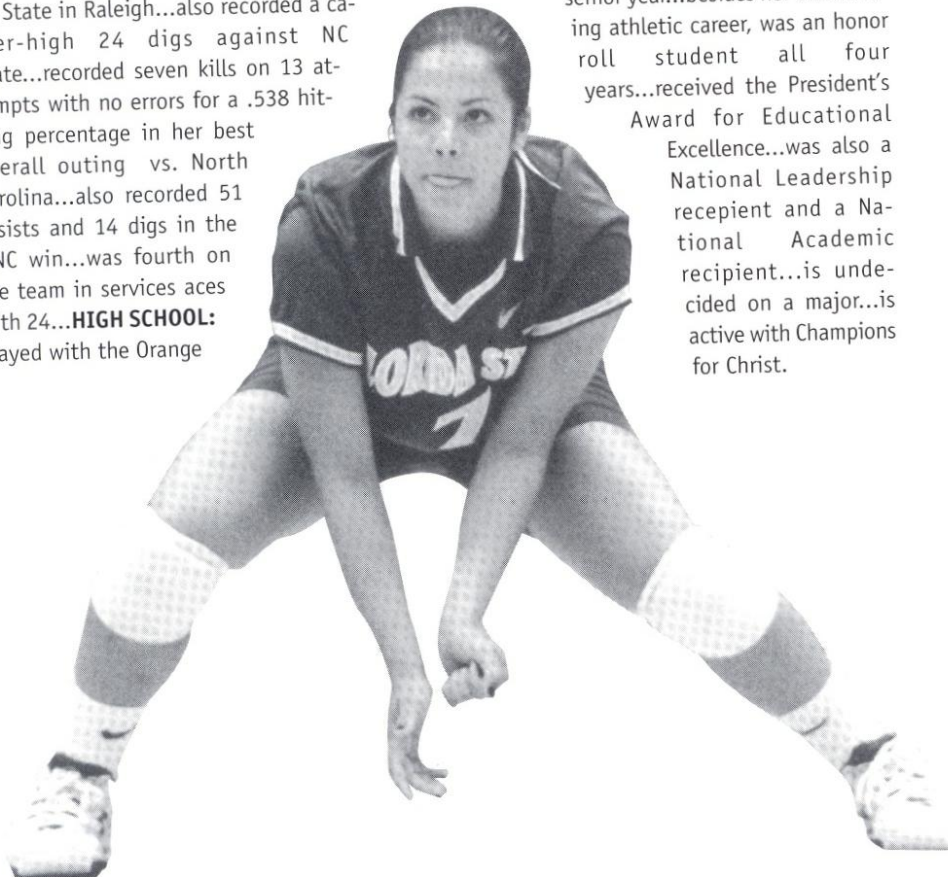
1996 TOP PERFORMANCES

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| Wake Forest | Oct 6 | 13 kills | 8 blocks |
| @ Clemson | Oct 11 | 21 kills | 8 blocks |
| @ North Carolina | Oct 18 | 11 kills | 8 blocks |
| @ NC State | Oct 19 | 23 kills | 8 blocks |
| Georgia | Nov 16 | 10 kills | 9 blocks |

ZULUETA AT FLORIDA STATE

| YEAR | MP | GP | K | E | TA | PCT. | SA | SE | AST | BS | BA | BE | RE | BHE | DIG |
|------|----|----|----|----|-----|------|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| 1996 | 28 | 91 | 59 | 24 | 196 | .179 | 24 | 35 | 802 | 1 | 22 | 5 | 2 | 15 | 164 |

Talented athlete who quickly established herself as a solid collegiate setter...has a strong serve...also sound defensively in the back row. **1996:** Become the primary setter for the Lady Seminoles playing in all but three matches and notching 802 assists...led the team in assists in 17 matches including a string of 13 consecutive matches in October and November...led Florida State in assists in all 16 ACC matches...her 12.20 assists per game average in conference play ranked 6th among the leaders in the Atlantic Coast Conference...set 50 or more assists in six matches...tallied a career-best and team season-high 70 assists against NC State in Raleigh...also recorded a career-high 24 digs against NC State...recorded seven kills on 13 attempts with no errors for a .538 hitting percentage in her best overall outing vs. North Carolina...also recorded 51 assists and 14 digs in the UNC win...was fourth on the team in services aces with 24...**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played with the Orange



County Volleyball Club...A two-sport standout, helped Calvary Chapel capture two consecutive state championships for volleyball in her junior and senior seasons, team was also champs in her rookie season and advanced to the finals her sophomore year...also ran Track for two years, named the Best Field Athlete as a sophomore...other volleyball honors include being named to the All-CIF team for two years and an all-state selection in her final two years...a member of many All-Tournament teams throughout her successful prep career...named *Orange County Register's* Athlete of the Week during her senior year...besides her outstanding athletic career, was an honor roll student all four years...received the President's Award for Educational Excellence...was also a National Leadership recipient and a National Academic recipient...is undecided on a major...is active with Champions for Christ.

#7 Kensy Zulueta

5'7" - Soph. - Setter - Mission Viejo, CA (Calvary Chapel) - Orange Co.

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| @ Virginia | Sept 22 | 58 assists |
| @ Clemson | Oct 11 | 65 assists |
| @ North Carolina | Oct 18 | 51 assists |
| @ NC State | Oct 19 | 70 assists |
| North Carolina | Oct 25 | 51 assists |
| @ Duke | Nov 3 | 58 assists |

ZULUETA'S CAREER HIGHS

- Kills 7 vs. North Carolina (10/25/96)
- Attacks 19 vs. Clemson (9/27/96)
- Hitting Percentage538 vs. North Carolina (10/25/96)
- Assists 70 at North Carolina State (10/19/96)
- Service Aces 3 at Florida (9/13/96), vs. Clemson (9/27/96), and vs. Wake Forest (10/6/96)
- Digs 24 at North Carolina State (10/19/96)
- Block Assists 6 at North Carolina State (10/19/96)