

## **Volleyball team wins opening match in Tampa tournament**

TAMPA — The Florida State Lady Seminole volleyball team won its opening match of the Florida Eight Classic, defeating Florida International University in four games by scores of 15-2, 13-15, 15-6, 15-2 on Friday night.

The Lady Seminoles, now 5-2 on the season, moved ahead by a 14-0 margin in game one before giving up two points. In game one, FSU compiled a hitting percentage of .411 with eight kills and only one error in 17 attempts.

In game two, head coach Cecile Reynaud substituted freely and FIU's offense took advantage of the situation.

"They ran some offenses that the players were not familiar with," Reynaud said. "It was kind of an international style of play."

Junior Maggie Philgence led the Lady Seminoles with 11 kills, but as a team, FSU finished with only a .131 hitting percentage on the night (35 kills, 22 errors, 99 attempts).

The Lady Seminoles meet South Florida (6-2), winners over Florida A&M in four games (15-2, 15-4, 12-15, 15-3), today at noon in the semifinal match. The championship match will be played at 5 p.m.